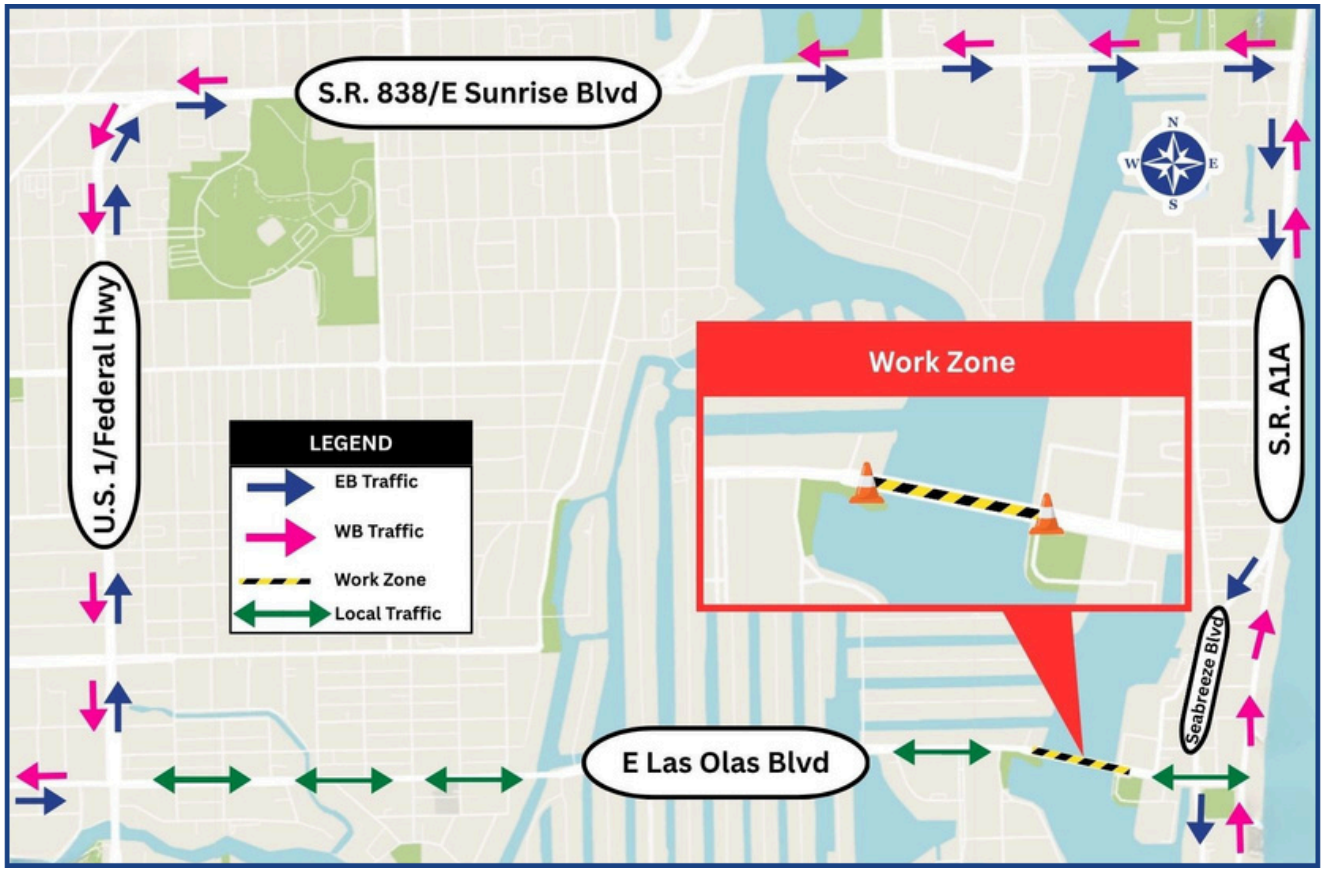
FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
FULL CLOSURE NOTICE

East Las Olas Boulevard Bridge Rehabilitation Project Over the Intracoastal Waterway (ICWW)
In the City of Fort Lauderdale
Broward County, FL
Financial Project ID Numbers: 449257-1-52-01

East Las Olas Boulevard Bridge Over the ICWW 5-day full closure Saturday, Nov. 14 through Thursday, Nov. 19, 2026

The East Las Olas Boulevard Bridge over the Intracoastal Waterway will be closed to through traffic from 8 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 14, to 6 a.m. Thursday, Nov. 19. This closure is necessary to safely complete bridge improvements. Crews will remove temporary lane dividers, barriers and railings; install a new median; and repair and resurface portions of the bridge deck. Additional work will include cleaning and painting bridge joints, removing existing pavement markings, replacing signs and adjusting bridge gates and traffic signals. Crews will also relocate equipment and clean up the work area. Once the work is complete, the bridge will reopen with two lanes in each direction on the newly installed bridge deck. Eastbound traffic will be detoured via U.S. 1/Federal Highway, S.R. 838/East Sunrise Boulevard, and S.R. A1A. Westbound traffic will be detoured via S.R. A1A, S.R. 838/East Sunrise Boulevard, and U.S. 1/Federal Highway. Access to local traffic, residents, businesses, and emergency services will be maintained on both sides of the bridge; however, no traffic will be permitted to cross the bridge during the closure. Detour signage will be in place to assist motorists. An alternative route is the 17th Street Causeway Bridge. Pedestrians and bicyclists will be detoured during the 5-day closure, and there are no maritime impacts to the channel. Construction schedules are subject to change due to weather or unforeseen conditions.

Construction Cost: $14.1 Million | **Construction Start:** May 2026 | **Estimated Completion:** Summer 2027



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Please contact the Community Outreach Specialist, Rebecca Guerrero, to be added to project email notification lists. Public participation is solicited without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, disability, or family status. Para información y preguntas en Español, por favor llame al (954) 777-4302.