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Escambia and Santa Rosa County Traffic Alert

Chipley, FL – Drivers will encounter traffic disruptions on the following state roads in Escambia and Santa Rosa counties as crews perform construction and maintenance activities.

Escambia County:

- **Interstate 10 (I-10) Widening** - The inside lane of I-10 east and westbound, between Davis Highway (State Road (S.R.) 291/Exit 13) and Scenic Highway (U.S. 90/Exit 17), will be closed from 7 p.m. to 6:30 a.m. the week of Monday, Aug. 22 as crews place barrier wall.
- **I-10 / U.S. 29 Interchange** – Drivers will experience the following impacts on I-10 and I-110 from 8 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 24 until 6 a.m. Thursday, Aug. 26 as crews remove overhead signage.
 - The right lane of I-10 westbound, near U.S. 29, will be closed.
 - Traffic on I-10 westbound, between Scenic Highway (U.S. 90/Exit 17) and the U.S. 29 interchange, and I-110 northbound drivers, between Fairfield Drive (S.R. 295/Exit 4) and I-10, will be slowed by the Florida Highway Patrol in a pacing operation. Drivers should expect delays while the work is underway.

In addition, the U.S. 29 north to I-10 eastbound ramp will be intermittently closed Sunday through Thursday nights from 8 p.m. to 6 a.m. beginning Sunday, Aug. 21. The closure will continue until the end of August as crews work on the shoulder of the roadway. Traffic will be detoured north and make a U-turn at Broad Street to access I-10 eastbound.

- **9th Avenue (S.R. 289)** - Southbound outside lane restricted between Berkley Drive and Barcia Drive from 9 p.m. to 5 a.m. Sunday, Aug. 21 through Thursday, Sept. 3 as crews perform underground utility maintenance work.
- **Creighton Road (S.R. 742)** - Westbound lane restrictions near Lark Avenue from midnight, Wednesday, Aug. 24 to 6 a.m. Thursday, Aug. 25 as crews replace a utility pole.
- **Texar Drive (S.R. 752) Pedestrian Overpass** – Access to the pedestrian bridge is closed for approximately one month. Eastbound ECAT bus stops located at the pedestrian bridge will be temporarily relocated during construction to just west of N Miller Street.

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Santa Rosa County:

- **I-10 Widening** - - Alternating lane closures, between the Escambia Bay Bridge and S.R. 281 (Avalon Boulevard/Exit 22), Sunday, Aug. 21 through Thursday, Aug. 25 from 8 p.m. to 6 a.m. as crews continue widening work. In addition, there will be alternating lane closures on Avalon Boulevard near the I-10 interchange for bridge work will be alternating lane closures on Avalon Boulevard near the I-10 interchange for bridge work.
- **I-10 Resurfacing** - Intermittent and alternating lane closures east and westbound between State Road 87 interchange and the Okaloosa county line from 8 p.m. to 6 a.m. Sunday, Aug. 21 through Thursday, Aug. 25 as crews perform paving operations. Motorists are reminded the speed limited is reduced to 60 MPH within the lane closure.
- **U.S. 98** - Intermittent and alternating lane closures and slow moving operations between Bayshore Road and the Okaloosa County line continue from 8 p.m. to 5 a.m. through Wednesday, Aug. 31. as crews perform striping operations.

All activities are weather dependent and may be delayed or re-scheduled in the event of inclement weather. Drivers are reminded to use caution, especially at night, when traveling in a work zone and to watch for construction workers and equipment entering and exiting the roadway.

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