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NORTHBOUND TURNPIKE CLOSED BETWEEN COMMERCIAL BLVD AND SUNRISE BLVD

Fort Lauderdale, FL (November 26, 2007) —Construction in Broward County on Florida's Turnpike will force **off-peak closures on the northbound lanes** between Sunrise Blvd (Exit 58) and Commercial Blvd (Exit 62), beginning Monday, December 3 possibly lasting until Friday, December 7. The southbound lanes and southbound entrances at both interchanges will remain open at all times.

The closure of the northbound lanes between Sunrise Blvd (Exit 58) and Commercial Blvd (Exit 62) may last up to four nights beginning Monday, December 3, until Friday, December 7. The closure hours are scheduled from 11 p.m. to 5 a.m.

Crews will be removing the original portion of the Commercial Blvd Bridge. This bridge was replaced with a new bridge which has a greater span between its columns. This extra width between columns will accommodate the widening of the Turnpike underneath it.

Northbound traffic will be detoured off the Turnpike at Sunrise Blvd (Exit 58) and can reenter the Turnpike at Commercial Blvd's (Exit 62) northbound entrance ramp. See diagram attached for detour information.

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