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State Road 46- Lake Jessup Bridge Replacement Project

Seminole and Volusia Counties, east of the City of Sanford., FL- The Florida Department of Transportation's Bridge Replacement Project on State Road 46 Lake Jessup Bridge began **March 10, 2008**.

The project limits on SR 46 extend from approximately 1,800 feet west of Lake Jesup to 1,400 feet east of the Lake. This project consist of replacing and removing the existing 500-foot long Lake Jesup Bridge with a new median level 3740-foot long bridge. Reconstruction and realignment of the roadway and bridge approaches will also be constructed both east and west of Lake Jesup.

Other work associated with this \$37.8 million project will include widening travel lanes, adding shoulders along the bridge, drainage system improvements and milling and resurfacing.

The work, to be performed by Johnson Brothers Corp. and Misener Marine Construction Inc., crews and their subcontractors, will last approximately 636 calendar days, weather permitting.

Lane closures will be necessary at various times and locations in order for workers to complete this work safely.

Please use extreme caution and be alert when driving around the construction area. Motorists should be alert for lane shifts or closures, and for construction equipment entering and leaving the highway.

Yellow floating safety barriers will be in place to assist marine traffic traveling through the construction area. Marine traffic should use caution in the construction area for both boater and worker safety.

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