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Resurfacing work on Old Dixie to begin Monday

January 24, 2019 – Resurfacing work on Old Dixie Highway between U.S. 1 and the Interstate 95 interchange will begin Monday, January 28, and is expected to take about one week to complete.

This 2.5 mile stretch of highway will be widened, providing 11-foot wide lanes with 4-foot paved shoulders. Guardrail improvements will also be made.

“There will be intermittent lane closures while the work is completed,” said County Engineer Faith Alkhatib. “We appreciate everyone’s patience while we make these improvements.”

The project, which began about 10 months ago, also replaced some stormwater pipes, and extended the pipes that run under the portion being widened. The majority of the project was funded through a $2 million Florida Department of Transportation grant, and it will be completed within budget.

“The resurfacing should take about one week, unless there are weather issues,” Alkhatib said.

Halifax Paving is the contractor for the rehabilitation and resurfacing work.

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