



State Road 874 Northbound Entrance Ramp from Kendall Drive Project Fact Sheet

Project Overview

The Miami-Dade Expressway Authority (MDX) is putting your toll dollars to work to improve mobility on State Road 874, the Don Shula Expressway, by constructing a new elevated on-ramp from Kendall Drive. This new ramp will provide commuters from Kendall Drive with access to northbound SR 874 where none previously existed. An existing ground level ramp from Kendall Drive to eastbound SR 878, Snapper Creek Expressway, will be reconstructed. The project includes the construction of noise walls that will minimize expressway noise for homeowners adjacent to the expressways.

Construction began in March 2007 and is anticipated to be complete in 22 months. Work will be conducted during peak and off-peak hours. Daytime construction will take place during the hours of 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. Nighttime construction will take place during the hours of 8 p.m. to 6 a.m. Anticipated impacts include lane closures, noise pollution, light pollution and dust. Lane closures can be anticipated five days a week, Sunday through Thursday, during non-peak hours.

Project Benefits

This project will provide commuters from Kendall Drive with access to northbound SR 874 where none previously existed. Noise walls will minimize highway noise to homeowners along the existing SR 878 ramp.

Project Limits

The project limits include the area from the intersection of Kendall Drive and the Snapper Creek Expressway (SR 878) ramp to south of the Don Shula (SR 874) bridge over SW 72nd Street.

Project Schedule and Cost

Construction is scheduled to begin in March 2007. Completion is anticipated by fall 2008. Construction activities will be conducted Monday through Sunday from 7 a.m. to 5 p.m. and from 8 p.m. to 6 a.m. The estimated project cost is \$32.1 million.

About MDX

MDX is a state sanctioned, locally administered, public agency created in 1994 by the State of Florida and the Board of County Commissioners of Miami-Dade County. MDX is governed by its Board, comprised of 13 volunteer members appointed by the Board of County Commissioners and the Governor of the State of Florida. MDX oversees, operates and maintains five expressways: State Road 836 (the Dolphin Expressway), State Road 112 (the Airport Expressway), State Road 874 (Don Shula Expressway), State Road 878 (Snapper Creek Expressway), and State Road 924 (Gratigny Expressway). MDX is funded almost entirely by toll revenues and is dedicated to the enhancement of mobility in Miami-Dade County.

Website: www.mdxway.com

For More Information

Updates on this project can be found by calling the MDX project hotline at 1-866-483-4MDX (483-4639).

For more information on this or any MDX construction project, contact the MDX consultant for Construction Public Information, Holt Communications. The Public Information Officer, Teresa Cure can be reached by phone at 786-552-0000 office, 786-877-2720 mobile or e-mail Teresa@HoltCommunications.net.