UPDATE: I-4 Ultimate first major traffic shift rescheduled for tonight

MAITLAND — Update to a news release from last week. The first major traffic shift on I-4 Ultimate is scheduled for overnight on August 19, weather permitting.

The long-term traffic pattern will shift eastbound travel lanes on Maitland Boulevard, to the median, for approximately three-quarters of a mile between State Road 434 and Keller Road, to allow for construction to begin on the roadway. The traffic shift will be one of the first major traffic realignments of the I-4 Ultimate project. All of the work is planned during overnight hours, and the road will be ready for morning drivers using eastbound Maitland Boulevard, from the State Road 434 entrance ramp to the Keller Road intersection.

In addition to the traffic shift on Maitland Boulevard, temporary nighttime lane closures are scheduled on Keller Road and Maitland Summit Boulevard, near the intersections of Maitland Boulevard. This work in the turn lanes of Maitland Summit Boulevard and Keller Road will accommodate the traffic shift on Maitland Boulevard.

Media may safely get footage of this area and park at the RDV Sportsplex lot, near the northeast corner of the Maitland Boulevard and Maitland Summit Boulevard intersection. While this location is out of the work zone for your safety we encourage you to wear personal protection equipment.

For more information, including an up-to-date list of lane and ramp closures, visit I4Ultimate.com. Motorists are encouraged to sign up for project newsletters and route-specific alerts through the website to help make informed decisions about when and where to travel.

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The Florida Department of Transportation urges travelers to exercise caution and awareness when driving through construction zones. Also please buckle up, and don’t text and drive.

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