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(Map attached)

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UPDATE: Lane closures for sections of N. Thacker Ave. and Flora Blvd. to begin Monday, April 24

Kissimmee, Fla., April 20, 2017 – Toho Water Authority is announcing the following lane closures beginning Monday, April 24 to conduct a sewer rehabilitation project on Flora Blvd. (See attached map).

CLOSURES:

- The northbound lanes on N Thacker Ave. between W. Carroll St. and Flora Blvd. will be closed.
- The westbound lanes on Flora Blvd. between N. Thacker Ave. and Cypress Reserve Blvd. will be closed.
- The entrance to the Avilla Development will be closed. The exit will be divided into two lanes so traffic can enter and exit. Traffic exiting the Avila Development will only be allowed to turn right onto Flora Blvd.
- Traffic exiting Cypress Reserve Blvd. onto Flora Blvd. will only be allowed to turn right.

The project is expected to be completed by the beginning of June 2017. Schedules could vary according to weather and unforeseen circumstances.

Signage will be placed as needed to keep the traveling public informed of the project. Motorists are urged to use caution when approaching these areas, as workers will be present and speed limits may be reduced in certain areas.

TEMPORARY INCONVENIENCES

- Noise and vibrations
- Barricades and fencing for safety
- Trucks, machinery and equipment

SAFETY

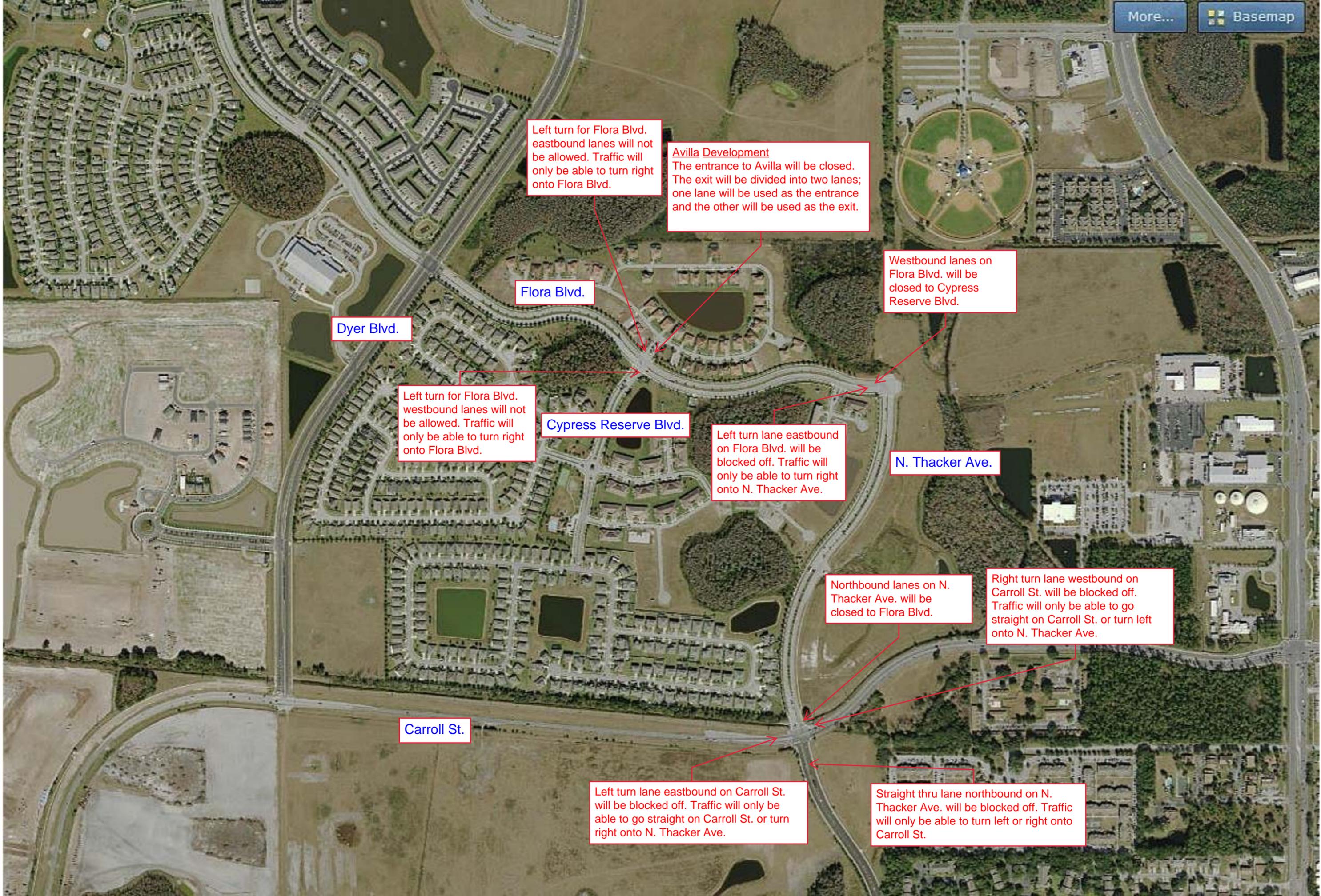
- If you see a potentially unsafe situation, or equipment or fencing that requires attention, please contact Toho's Customer Service Department immediately at 407-944-5000.
- Children are often curious about construction work. Keep them away from the construction site at all times to avoid accidents.
- If you become aware of a public safety emergency please call 911 immediately.
- Please call Toho Water Authority's Customer Service Department if you need any additional information at (407) 944-5000.

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT:

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- Foshee Construction Superintendent David Respress at 321-330-6191 or davidr@fosheeconstruction.com.

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Established in October 2003 by a special act of the Florida legislature, Toho Water Authority is the largest provider of water, wastewater and reclaimed water services in Osceola County. Toho currently serves approximately 88,000 water, 82,400 wastewater and 12,000 reclaimed water customers in Kissimmee, Poinciana and unincorporated areas of Osceola County.



Left turn for Flora Blvd. eastbound lanes will not be allowed. Traffic will only be able to turn right onto Flora Blvd.

Avilla Development
The entrance to Avilla will be closed. The exit will be divided into two lanes; one lane will be used as the entrance and the other will be used as the exit.

Westbound lanes on Flora Blvd. will be closed to Cypress Reserve Blvd.

Dyer Blvd.

Flora Blvd.

Left turn for Flora Blvd. westbound lanes will not be allowed. Traffic will only be able to turn right onto Flora Blvd.

Cypress Reserve Blvd.

Left turn lane eastbound on Flora Blvd. will be blocked off. Traffic will only be able to turn right onto N. Thacker Ave.

N. Thacker Ave.

Northbound lanes on N. Thacker Ave. will be closed to Flora Blvd.

Right turn lane westbound on Carroll St. will be blocked off. Traffic will only be able to go straight on Carroll St. or turn left onto N. Thacker Ave.

Carroll St.

Left turn lane eastbound on Carroll St. will be blocked off. Traffic will only be able to go straight on Carroll St. or turn right onto N. Thacker Ave.

Straight thru lane northbound on N. Thacker Ave. will be blocked off. Traffic will only be able to turn left or right onto Carroll St.