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CFX URGES MOTORISTS TO BE SAFE AND USE CAUTION AS

HURRICANE MATTHEW APPROACHES

(ORLANDO, FL) – The <u>Central Florida Expressway Authority</u> (CFX) is urging motorists to be safe and to use caution when preparing for Hurricane Matthew and while the hurricane warning is in effect.

For customer safety and convenience, <u>CFX</u> will suspend all construction-related closures starting at 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, October 5. <u>CFX</u> is also taking precautions to secure construction work-zones and reinforce erosion control measures.

About the Central Florida Expressway Authority

The Central Florida Expressway Authority (CFX) is an independent agency of the state that operates and maintains a regional network of expressways for 2.3 million residents and more than 60 million visitors in Lake, Orange, Osceola and Seminole Counties. Created by the Florida Legislature in 2014, CFX's 109-mile user-funded system includes 767 center lane miles, 64 interchanges, 13 mainline toll plazas, 71 ramp toll plazas and 301 bridges and seven named expressways. On average, more than 1 million toll transactions are recorded daily, 85 percent of them electronically. CFX operates E-PASS, the first electronic toll collection system in Florida, which supports more than 300,000 E-PASS accounts.

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