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MIAMI-DADE EXPRESSWAY AUTHORITY TO HOST PUBLIC KICKOFF MEETING Community Encouraged To Provide Input on Proposed Gratigny Parkway East Extension

MIAMI, Fla., September 8, 2010– The Miami-Dade Expressway Authority (MDX) has scheduled a Public Kickoff Meeting to offer the community an opportunity to discuss the SR 924/Gratigny Parkway East Extension to I-95 as part of the Project Development and Environment (PD&E) Study. The meeting will be held on Wednesday, September 15, 2010, from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. at the Miami Dade College North Campus in the MJ Taylor Lounge, Room 4207 (Building 4, Second Floor), located at 11380 NW 27 Avenue in Miami.

The Gratigny Parkway East Extension proposes a new expressway extension from the Gratigny Parkway's eastern terminus to I-95. The study will evaluate alternatives to improve mobility, reduce congestion and improve safety for commuters and residents. The meeting will give property owners, residents and interested parties an opportunity to receive information and provide input on the project during this phase of study. Participation and input is strongly encouraged and appreciated.

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The Miami-Dade Expressway Authority (MDX) is a public entity and agency of the state, created in 1994 by the Board of County Commissioners of Miami-Dade County. MDX's Governing Board is comprised of 13 volunteer members appointed either by the Board of County Commissioners and the Governor of the State of Florida. MDX operates and maintains five expressways: SR 112/Airport Expressway, SR 836/Dolphin Expressway, SR 874/Don Shula Expressway, SR 878/Snapper Creek Expressway, and SR 924/Gratigny Parkway. MDX is funded almost entirely by toll revenue and is dedicated to moving Miami-Dade County forward making your commute safer and more efficient. For more information on MDX, please visit www.mdxway.com.