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1 888 838 5355**Miami Intermodal Center****Gustavo “Gus” Felix Pego, P.E.
District Six Secretary, Florida Department of Transportation**

On May 8th 2008 the Florida Department of Transportation Secretary, Stephanie Kopelousos, appointed Gus Pego, P.E. as District Six Secretary. In his new capacity, Mr. Pego will be responsible for the overall planning, design, construction, operations and maintenance of the State Highway System in Miami Dade and Monroe Counties. He is now the steward of a budget exceeding \$2.5 billion five year work program with a recently streamlined staff of 573, not counting contractors and consultants secured to carry out much of the ongoing projects we see today on our roadways.

A seasoned civil servant of 29 years with the Department of Transportation, Mr. Pego has served the community working through the ranks in positions of increasing levels of responsibility within the district’s development and operations divisions. In his capacity as District Secretary, Mr. Pego also serves on the Department’s Executive Board and as a Board Member of the Miami-Dade Expressway Authority (MDX) and the Miami-Dade Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO).



As Director of Transportation Operations since 1996, Pego has been responsible for all the roadway and bridge construction, traffic operations and maintenance of the State Highway System, which includes the District’s Intelligent Transportation System, one of the largest in the nation. In addition, Pego has lead all recovery efforts in both counties and has always played a key role in restoring our community throughout the devastations sustained by natural disasters, such as Hurricane Andrew.

Born in New Jersey, Gus moved with his parents to Miami in 1958, graduated from Southwest Miami Senior High and went on to Miami-Dade Community College. He earned his bachelor’s degree in Civil Engineering from the University of Florida. He has also served on numerous task forces and committees comprised of industry professionals, government officials and the Department which has netted him extensive recognition from his peers and other community leaders, addressing common challenges and implementing solutions to improve the delivery of our Transportation System.