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MEDIA ALERT

ATTN: City of Miami and Transportation Reporters and Editors

WHAT: Reconstruction Begins on Northwest 14 Street

Ground Breaking
Wednesday, June 25, 2003, 3:30 p.m.
Grapeland Heights Library Parking Lot
1400 NW 37 Avenue, Miami

Construction of stormwater drainage and other roadway improvements to Northwest 14 Street are about to begin and are expected to be completed in April, 2004. This **0.7 mile stretch of roadway parallels SR 836 (Dolphin Expressway)** and is heavily used late in the afternoon. **The project will alleviate flooding in this area and improve travel conditions for the community.**

Work on Northwest 14 will include:

- Reconstruction, milling and resurfacing between 37 and 42 Avenues
- Drainage, sidewalk and curb and gutter construction
- Signalization improvements at intersections with 37 and 42 Avenues
- Lighting improvements
- Intelligent Transportation System underground construction
- Landscaping
- Pump station at 37 Avenue

Reconstruction will require closing of this segment of 14 Street for six months. A full *Maintenance of Traffic Plan* is being implemented by FDOT to assure that local and out of area traffic can move safely and efficiently.

For ongoing information about the Maintenance of Traffic Program for this project, contact Elizabeth Fernandez, Senior Comprehensive Community Awareness Program Coordinator for the MIC at (305) 219-9039 or lfernandez@c3ts.com.