



Florida Department of Transportation

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**HURRICANE IAN
SECOND EMERGENCY ORDER
(Pursuant to Executive Order No. 22-218 as amended by Executive Order No. 22-219)**

WHEREAS, on September 23, 2022, Governor Ron DeSantis issued Executive Order 22-218 regarding Tropical Depression Nine, which is now Hurricane Ian;

WHEREAS, on September 24, 2022, Executive Order 22-218 was amended by Executive Order No. 22-219; and

WHEREAS, the National Hurricane Center reported Hurricane Ian has maximum sustained winds of 75 miles per hour and is expected to continue to intensify significantly as it approaches Florida; and

WHEREAS, the National Hurricane Center predicts Hurricane Ian will approach Florida's Peninsula at or, near major hurricane strength before making landfall on Florida's west coast; and

WHEREAS, there is a risk of dangerous storm surge, heavy rainfall, flash flooding, strong winds, hazardous seas, and the potential for isolated tornadic activity for the Florida Keys and much of Florida's Peninsula; and

WHEREAS, the Florida Department of Transportation is prepared to deploy resources to support the disaster response efforts related to the Hurricane.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, JARED W. PERDUE, P.E., Secretary of the Florida Department of Transportation, hereby find that the Department of Transportation's timely performance of

disaster response functions related to Hurricane Ian is hindered by the application of procedures imposed by statute, rule, or order.

Therefore, pursuant to the authority granted by Section 4(E) of Executive Order 22-218 as amended by Executive Order 22-219, and section 338.155(1)(b), Florida Statutes, I hereby:

1. Waive and suspend the collection and payment of tolls and other fees and charges for the use of the following facilities in the state of Florida to provide for emergency assistance and facilitate evacuation in accordance with sections 338.155(1)(a) and (b), Florida Statutes: Garcon Point Bridge, Spence Parkway, Mid-Bay Bridge, Polk Parkway, Suncoast Parkway, Veterans Expressway, I-4 Connector, Selmon Expressway, Pinellas Bayway, Sunshine Skyway Bridge and Alligator Alley.
2. All actions taken by the Florida Department of Transportation with respect to this emergency before the issuance of this Emergency Order are hereby ratified.

This order shall expire on the earlier of the expiration or rescission of Executive Orders 22-218 and 22-219, October 24, 2022, or my further order.

Effective this 26th day of September, 2022.

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Jared W. Perdue

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Jared W. Perdue, P.E., Secretary
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