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TREASURE ISLAND CAUSEWAY BRIDGE CLOSED THURSDAY, JANUARY 11th

TREASURE ISLAND (January 9, 2007) –The new Treasure Island Causeway Bridge will be closed to vehicular traffic on Thursday, January 11th between the hours of 9am and 7pm for a continuous concrete pour.

Concrete trucks will use the temporarily closed north span lanes as their staging area to pour bridge pier walls for the south span. Bridge construction is on schedule with a projected completion in early fall 2007.

Westbound traffic on the Treasure Island Causeway will be turned back at 79th Street to Causeway Boulevard North or South. Eastbound causeway traffic will detour at 104th Avenue, except for local traffic to the Treasure Island Yacht Club and Paradise Boulevard.

Detour routes to and from Treasure Island during the bridge closure are the Madeira Beach Causeway to the north and the Corey Causeway in St. Pete Beach to the south.

The Treasure Island Causeway Bridge will be operational for boats that need an opening. The Treasure Island Causeway Bridge opens on demand 24 hours a day.

The 10-foot wide pedestrian and bicycle sidewalk on the north span of the drawbridge is now open. The sidewalk closes in accordance with all bridge closures.

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