



## District Six Completes Incident Management Staging Area on I-95

The District Six Transportation Systems Management and Operations (TSM&O) Office recently completed a new staging area on Interstate 95 (I-95) and SW 8 Street in Miami-Dade County.

The site was completed to support incident management operations on 95 Express. It is strategically located near a major entrance ramp to expedite multi-agency response and clearance times on the highway.

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The staging area safely accommodates two Road Ranger pick-up trucks and one Florida Highway Patrol (FHP) unit to assist with closures on 95 Express during the evening peak period. These vehicles stage under I-95 to

support long term closure events on the northbound mainline. The two Road Rangers are dispatched to physically block the entrance points with traffic cones, barricades and their service vehicles to prevent drivers from entering the express lanes during a major incident.

The staging area took approximately one year to complete. It was a multi-department effort between the District Six TSM&O, Construction and Design Offices. The team worked together to deliver a site that was safe, well-lit and

easy-to-access.

The site provides first responders with a safe and secure location to improve their on-the-job safety and promote free-flow traffic for the motoring public of our region.

### WHAT'S NEW?

- Annual Report Now Available on SunGuide.info
- District Six Participates in City of Miami Fire Rescue's Responder Kick-Off Event

### UPCOMING EVENTS

- SHRP 2 National TIM Responder Safety Course - April 2019
- Annual TIM Refresher Course - May 2019



## DISTRICT SIX ATTENDS FIREFIGHTER SAFETY AND HEALTH COLLABORATIVE EVENT

The District Six Traffic Incident Management (TIM) team participated in the Florida Firefighters Safety and Health Collaborative (FFSHC) meeting this March.

This FFSHC is a quarterly event that brings together incident management and fire rescue agencies from the southeast region to discuss strategies and share information. This meeting focused on responder safety and included fire departments from

Miami-Dade, Broward, Palm Beach, Martin, and Monroe counties.

The event proved a great opportunity for the TIM Team to network with local fire rescue agencies, including representation from Miami-Dade County, City of Miami, Village of Key Biscayne, and the City of Coral Gables.

For more information on this event, please visit [floridafirefightersafety.org](http://floridafirefightersafety.org).

# INCIDENT MANAGEMENT AT A GLANCE

(January 1, 2019 - March 31, 2019)

## ROAD RANGER STATS

**14,918**

Total Responses

**29,451**

Total Activities

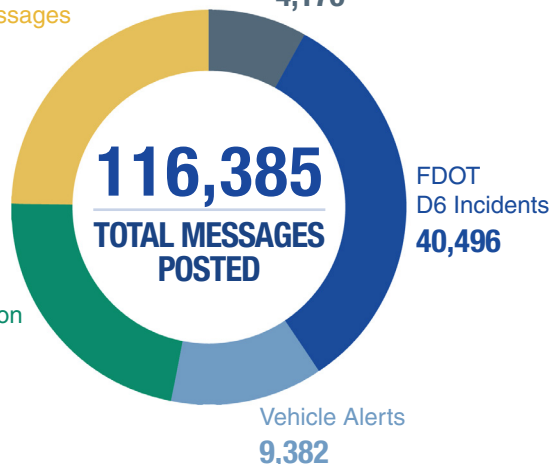
**8:46** min

Average Response Time  
For events not detected by a Road Ranger

## DYNAMIC MESSAGE SIGN POSTS

Safety Messages  
**33,791**

Other Agency Incidents  
**4,176**



## RISC STATS

District Six implemented the Rapid Incident Scene Clearance (RISC) Program in 2009 to reduce the impact of large-scale traffic events along our roadways. The program covers: Interstates 75, 95, 195, 395, State Road 826, Krome Avenue, Okeechobee Road and the MacArthur Causeway.

**7**

RISC Activations

**39** min\*

Arrival Time

**54** min\*

Travel Lane Clearance Time

**143** min\*

Total Incident Clearance Time

\* These numbers are an average

## LANE BLOCKAGE EVENTS & AVERAGE RESPONSE TIMES\*\*

\*\* The figures presented are based only on travel time blockage events per roadway.

**I-95**

Including GGI

**543**

Events

**8:42** min

Avg. Response

**95 Express**

**281**

Events

**9:35** min

Avg. Response

**SR 826**

**263**

Events

**7:47** min

Avg. Response

**I-75**

Including Express Lanes

**25**

Events

**9:36** min

Avg. Response

**I-195**

**55**

Events

**9:37** min

Avg. Response

**I-395**

**53**

Events

**8:41** min

Avg. Response

For more information on FDOT District Six's Incident Management Program, please visit: [www.sunguide.info](http://www.sunguide.info)