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### **Toll Suspension Extended on Garcon Point Bridge**

*Suspension in effect until noon Friday, September 18, 2020*

**Ocoee, Fl.** – Pursuant to Executive Order 20-225, Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) Secretary Kevin J. Thibault has directed Florida's Turnpike Enterprise (FTE) to extend the toll suspension for the Garcon Point Bridge by 48 hours.

The extension will allow time for Hurricane Sally to pass through the region and for the Garcon to serve as a temporary detour while an assessment of the Pensacola Bay Bridge is under way. Tolls are now suspended on the Garcon Point Bridge until noon Friday, September 18, 2020.

Pursuant to a lease purchase agreement with the Santa Rosa Bay Bridge Authority, the Department operates and maintains the Garcon Point Bridge. This includes collecting and remitting tolls to the trustee for the Authority's bondholders.

For the latest closures and updates, travelers can access Florida's 511 service from cell phones, landlines and online at [www.FL511.com](http://www.FL511.com). For more information, follow Florida's Turnpike on Twitter @FloridaTurnpike or on Facebook at [Facebook.com/MyFDOTTurnpike](https://www.facebook.com/MyFDOTTurnpike).

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