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Work at Abandoned Railroad Crossing on 22nd Avenue NW Has Been Completed

-Drivers concerns spurred Mayor Regalado and Commission Chairman Gort into action-



The improvements at the Rail Road Crossing at NW 22 Avenue and 22 Terrace was completed this past weekend due to the efforts of Mayor Tomas Regalado and Commission Chairman Wifredo Willy Gort, District 1

(Miami, FL March 15, 2011)—Due to the efforts of City of Miami Mayor Tomas Regalado and Commission Chairman Wifredo “Willy” Gort, the **abandoned railroad crossing at NW 22 Avenue and 22 Terrace has been repaired**. The drivers that passed by this crossing daily complained about the poor condition of the tracks and were concerned about the potential damage to their vehicles.

Commission Chairman Willy Gort commented, “I thank the FDOT and CSX for the very timely completion of this project which was long overdue. Our roads should be kept safe for drivers and pedestrians and should not be the cause for vehicle owners to incur in unnecessary repairs.”

The project was completed this past weekend. Traffic closed down at 6:00am on Saturday March 12th, 2011. Two (2) sets of railroad track were removed, the asphalt was saw cut (5-6 feet on either side of the tracks), with milling and resurfacing another 5-6 feet. Approximately 30’ of approach on both ends were re-paved. The road was fully re-opened to traffic Sunday, March 13, at midnight.

Commissioner Gort is looking into other railroad crossings in poor condition in District 1, so he can notify FDOT and CSX and request a resurfacing/improvement project.

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