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Brightline Continues PTC Field Integration Testing

MIAMI, FL. (March 25, 2020) – Brightline is upgrading its existing corridor from Miami to West Palm Beach, conducting positive train control (PTC) field integration testing and implementing signalization updates along the rail corridor and at crossings. Brightline has completed all installation of infrastructure, including hardware and updated communication lines, and continues field testing on the 70-mile track between Miami and West Palm Beach. Brightline expects to operate in PTC revenue service demonstration (RSD) from Miami to West Palm Beach by third-quarter 2020 and is on track to meet the Federal Railroad Administration (FRA) deadline of December 31, 2020.

Brightline has a full-time team in place overseeing PTC work, who came to Brightline from the freight industry, where they were responsible for implementing PTC on over 3000 miles of Class 1 railroad. The Brightline Public Affairs team continues to monitor community questions and concerns and provide timely updates to elected officials, community leaders, members of the news media and residents.

PTC work requires that trains be present along the corridor and that horns sound during off hours, including overnight. The following information, also available on the [Brightline website](#), provides detailed locations and times for PTC work along the corridor.

Broward County

Ft. Lauderdale

Locations between Milepost 344-346

Continuous testing, 11 p.m. to 11 a.m., Thursday night, March 26 through Sunday morning, March 29. Testing will include flaggers at crossings and horn sounding, including in quiet zones.

Locations include:

Griffin Rd.
Old Griffin Rd.
NW 1st St.

Broward County

Ft. Lauderdale

Locations between Milepost 341-346

Continuous testing, 11 p.m. to 11 a.m., Friday night, April 3 through Monday morning, April 6. Testing will include flaggers at crossings and horn sounding, including in quiet zones.

Locations include:

Broward St.

SW 2nd St.

River Walk Ped.

SW 5th St.

SW 6th St.

SW 7th St.

SW 9th St.

Davie Blvd.

SW 15th St.

SW 17th St.

SW 22nd St.

SW 24th St.

Griffin Rd.

Old Griffin Rd.

NW 1st St.

About Brightline

Brightline is the first privately funded passenger rail system in America in over a century. Brightline is designed to reinvent travel and take cars off the road by connecting city pairs and congested corridors that are too close to fly and too long to drive. Providing fast, efficient, hospitality-driven transportation featuring the latest in customer-friendly amenities, Brightline currently operates in Florida between Miami, Fort Lauderdale and West Palm Beach, with plans to expand to Orlando, Boca Raton, Aventura and PortMiami. The company is also on track to break ground between Las Vegas and Southern California in 2020.

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