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LEE COUNTY DOT STATEMENT
SANIBEL BRIDGE INSPECTION REPORT

Friday, March 8, 2013 (Fort Myers, FL) - The Lee County Department of Transportation is in receipt of the first stage inspection reports for the Sanibel Bridges that were prepared by T.Y. Lin International. The inspections became necessary after the County found small cracks in some of the concrete beams under the bridge decks. The first stage inspection effort documented the extent of the cracking in each of the beams. T.Y. Lin has rated the structural elements of the three bridges as "good" or "very good" and states "(t)he beams are in overall good condition". Their initial recommendation is to continue monitoring the cracks in the beams for any increase in severity, to apply a protective coating over the cracks, and to repair five specific locations noted on two of the bridges.

T.Y. Lin will conduct a second stage inspection in approximately six months to determine if the cracks have stabilized. The extent, costs, and responsibility of any repairs will be determined after the County's inspections are completed.

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