

# ***When Severe Weather Threatens, Call 511 for FREE Real-Time Traffic and Travel Information in Tampa Bay!***



When hurricanes and other severe weather threaten Florida, a quick phone call to 511 or a visit to [www.511tampabay.com](http://www.511tampabay.com) provides free information about real-time traffic, alternate routes, road closures and major evacuation routes on all interstate highways and major roads in Hernando, Hillsborough, Manatee, Pasco, Pinellas, Polk, and Sarasota counties. 511 is a valuable tool to assist residents, visitors, business owners, and emergency responders in avoiding, responding, and recovering from disasters.

## ***Using 511 in Hurricane and Disaster Response***

The 511 system in Tampa Bay offers the following features:

- Up-to-the-minute travel times and incident reports for select area roads
- Major evacuation routes
- Bridges and road closures due to high winds
- Roadways with toll suspensions
- Contra-flow usage areas
- Available 24 hours-a-day / 7 days-a-week
- Cell phone or landline use
- Free call, however cell phone minutes apply

## ***How to Use 511***

Simply dial "5-1-1" from a landline or cell phone to get information and plan alternate routes. This service provides up-to-the minute travel times and incident reports for select area roads as well as public safety alerts, daily major event information and schedules, and mass transit information.

In addition to dialing into the 511 system, you may also access [www.511tampabay.com](http://www.511tampabay.com) for traffic updates on the Internet.

## ***Know Before You Go***

Before leaving your home or other point of origin in an evacuation, use 511 to help you plan. Motorists are urged to use their cell phones only when parked, unless a hands-free device is available.



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**STATEWIDE**  
Direct access to ...

- I-4
- I-10
- I-75
- I-95
- I-110\*
- I-175\*
- I-195\*
- I-275
- I-295
- I-375\*
- I-395\*
- I-595\*
- Florida's Turnpike

**SOUTHEAST FLORIDA 511**

**CENTRAL FLORIDA 511**

**TAMPA BAY 511**

\*511 reporting is available on these roadways. Their short distance does not allow them to be shown on the map to scale.



Dial 5-1-1 or log on to [www.FL511.com](http://www.FL511.com) for regional and statewide travel updates.  
511 is a free service of the Florida Department of Transportation

