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SENT VIA EMAIL

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Andrew Rogers
Jacksonville Transportation Authority
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Dear Andy,

On behalf of the Department, we commend you for our continued partnership and engagement. Thank you for acknowledging that the JTA violated the terms of their permit with FDOT regarding aesthetic lighting on the Acosta Bridge, to which you are the permittee.

FDOT reviewed and acknowledge the requested lighting scheme to meet an event of broad community interest and significance, consistent with the Department's Bridge Lighting Policy. As such, the Department is authorizing JTA to utilize the requested lighting scheme for the remainder of the week.

While JTA has not formally requested a variance to their permit, FDOT will evaluate additional lighting patterns suggested by JTA in accordance with the Bridge Lighting Policy.

Thank you for your continued partnership and we look forward to future conversations.

Sincerely,

Douglas Dycus, P.E., CPM FDOT District Environmental/Permit Engineer