



Widen Florida Turnpike (SR 91) from Neptune Road to North of Osceola Parkway

Osceola County, FL

Financial Project Identification Numbers: 436194-1 and 436194-3



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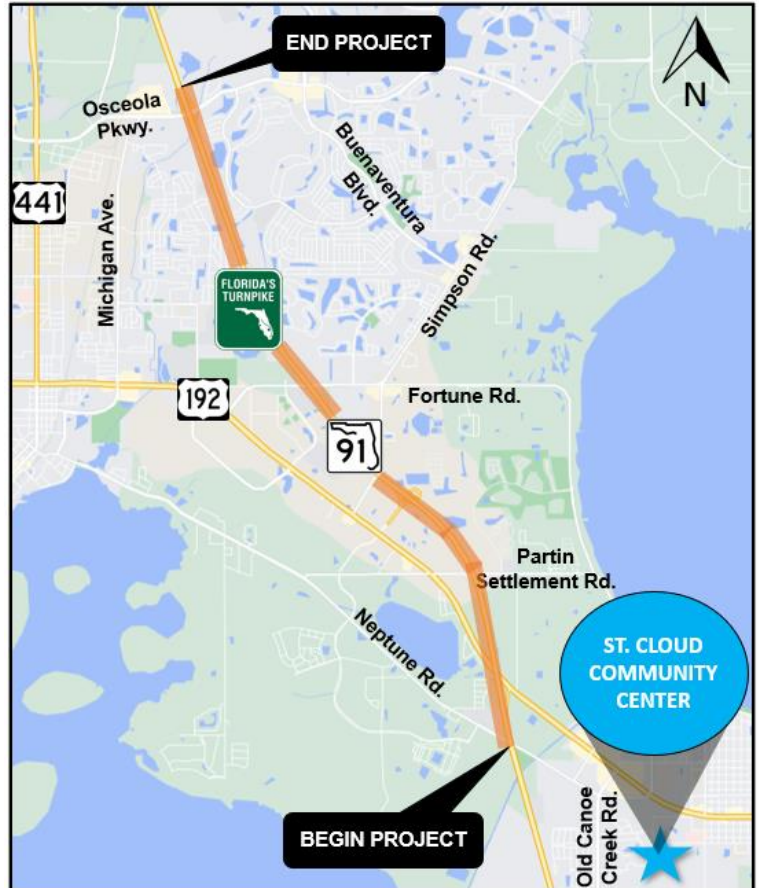
PROJECT OVERVIEW

The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT), Florida's Turnpike Enterprise, is improving the Florida Turnpike from north of Neptune Road (Milepost 241) to north of East Osceola Parkway (Milepost 249). The purpose of this project is to improve capacity and access along the Florida's Turnpike (SR 91) mainline, interchanges, and cross streets. The Construction phase for the improvements is anticipated to begin in Fiscal Year 2024.

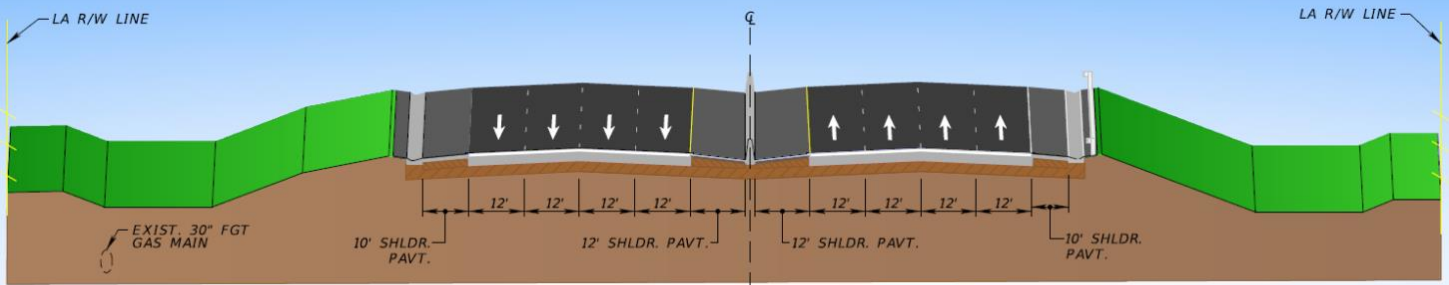
The proposed improvements include widening the roadway from four lanes to eight lanes and adding a median-separating barrier wall. Additional enhancements include a northbound on-ramp, southbound on-ramp and southbound off-ramp at SR 500/US 192/US 441, the replacement of existing bridges crossing the main line, cross-street modifications to accommodate bridge replacements, operational improvements to the Osceola Parkway Interchange, installation of All-Electronic Tolling (AET) structures, signing and pavement markings, Intelligent Transport Systems (ITS) and lighting upgrades, drainage improvements, and noise walls.

IN-PERSON DESIGN PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETING

Tuesday, September 13, 2022, 5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.
St. Cloud Community Center
3101 17th Street, St. Cloud, FL 34769



Website: www.TurnpikeNeptunetoOsceola.com



The proposed Turnpike mainline configuration consists of four 12-foot lanes, a 10-foot outside shoulder, and a 12-foot inside shoulder in both the northbound and southbound directions. Most of the proposed widening will occur along the inside lanes, with only five feet of widening to the outside lane. Additionally, a concrete barrier wall located in the median will separate opposing lanes of traffic.

DESIGN PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETING

Virtual Meeting:

Monday, September 12, 2022 at 5:30 p.m.
Attend via a computer, tablet, or smartphone,
or by telephone in listen-only mode

In-Person Meeting:

Tuesday, September 13, 2022 from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
Attend at the St. Cloud Community Center
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This meeting will give interested persons an opportunity to review the project design and ask questions about the proposed improvements. Displays that illustrate the proposed improvements will be available at the meeting.

Please visit the project website, www.TurnpikeNeptunetoOsceola.com, to register for the Design Public Information Meeting and to select your participation option. **Please note that record works better in the Google Chrome, Microsoft Edge, or web Firefox browser.**

Once registered, you will receive a confirmation email that includes instructions on how to join the virtual meeting online. To join the virtual meeting in listen-only mode, please call 1 (914) 614-3221 and enter access code 756-670-195.

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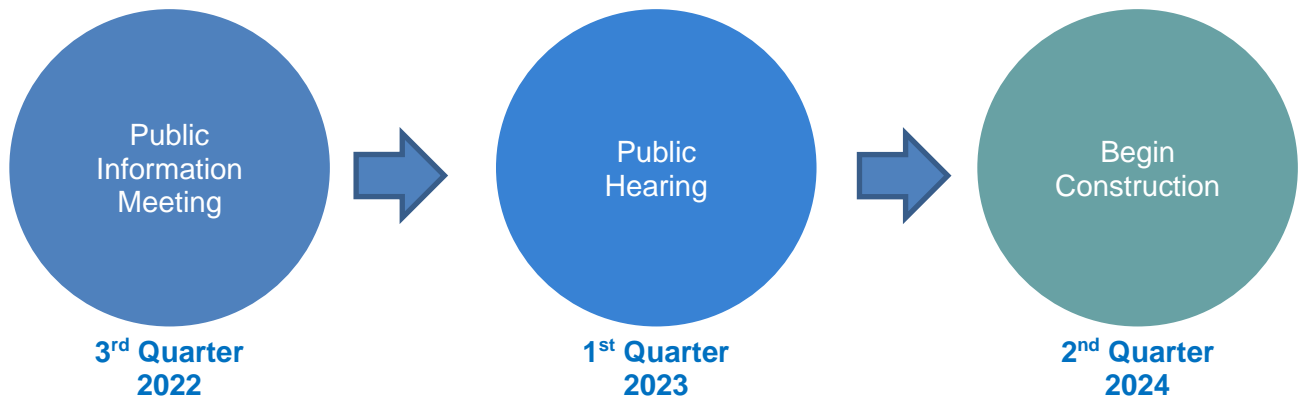
Public meeting materials:

Public meeting materials will be available for review on the project website on the day of the virtual meeting. A video recording of the virtual meeting will be posted on the project website in the "Documents" section by September 15, 2022, three days after the virtual meeting.

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PROJECT SCHEDULE



TITLE VI/NON-DISCRIMINATION PROGRAM - POLICY STATEMENT

It is the policy of the Florida Department of Transportation, under Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964; Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973; Age Discrimination Act of 1975; Section 324 of the Federal-Aid Highway Act of 1973; Civil Rights Restoration Act of 1987; and related statutes and regulations, that no person in the United States shall, on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, disability/handicap, or income status, be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination or retaliation under any federally or non-federally funded program or activity administered by the Department or its sub-recipients.