

Turnpike Extension/SR 821 Widening Project From NW 106 Street to Interstate 75

Project Description

Florida's Turnpike Enterprise (FTE) is widening the Turnpike Extension/State Road (SR) 821 from six lanes to 10 lanes, between NW 106 Street and Interstate 75 (I-75), in Miami-Dade County.

This project includes the following:

- Widening the Turnpike Extension bridges over NW 114 Street/NW 121 Way, NW 138 Street and Okeechobee Road
- Constructing a new eastbound Okeechobee Road to southbound Turnpike Extension entrance ramp and a new northbound Turnpike Extension exit ramp to eastbound Okeechobee Road
- Constructing an additional lane in each direction on Okeechobee Road between just west of the Turnpike and just east of NW 107 Avenue
- Constructing a new diverging diamond interchange at the Turnpike Extension and NW 170 Street
- Asphalt milling and resurfacing, guardrail and fencing, lane striping, stormwater drainage, signage, and lighting improvements

Construction and Traffic Impacts

Construction will take place during both daytime and nighttime hours. Nearby residents and businesses may experience periodic construction noise, vibration, and dust. FTE takes steps to reduce construction impacts and efforts will be made to limit traffic and noise disruptions.

Lane closures will generally take place during off peak hours to minimize traffic congestion and delays for most drivers. Closures will be announced in advance in the South Florida and Treasure Coast Weekly Lane Closures and Work Zone Advisory.

Schedule and Funding

Construction Schedule

Work is anticipated to be completed in 2025.

Cost and Funding

The project cost is approximately \$ 370 million.

Public Information

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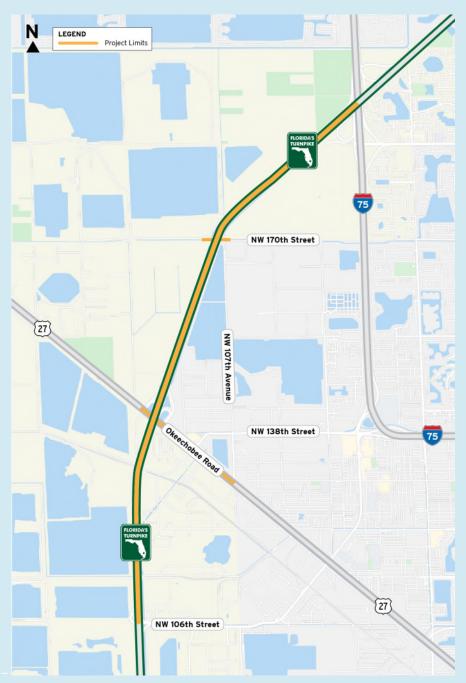
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