

# FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION INVITES YOU TO A VIRTUAL PUBLIC MEETING AND IN-PERSON **CONSTRUCTION OPEN HOUSE**

State Road (SR) 704/Okeechobee Boulevard Resurfacing, Restoration, and Rehabilitation (RRR) Project From Red Trail to West of Australian Avenue West Palm Beach, FL

# Financial Project ID: 447671-1-52-01

SR 704/Okeechobee Boulevard RRR Project The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) invites the community to a Virtual Public Meeting and In-Person Construction Open House regarding the upcoming SR 704/Okeechobee Boulevard RRR Project. This project aims to enhance safety, resiliency, and longevity of the infrastructure in our communities. Please see below for detailed meeting information.

## Construction Cost: \$3.2 Million Construction Start: January 2025 Anticipated Completion: Early 2026

#### **PROJECT IMPROVEMENTS**

- Milling, repaving, and restriping the existing roadway within the project limits to ensure long-term infrastructure resilience and safety
- Upgrading pedestrian signals and lighting to LED fixtures at existing crosswalks to enhance pedestrian safety and connectivity
- Replacing in-road sensors and traffic signal backplates to improve traffic flow and enhance safety for motorists
- Installing Wrong Way Driving Systems (WWDS) at the SR 9/I-95 northbound and southbound exit ramps to SR 704/Okeechobee Boulevard to enhance safety by detecting wrong-way drivers and alerting the driver, other motorists and first responders of the impending danger

### **TRAFFIC IMPACTS**

- Work will occur in phases to minimize impacts to the public
- Single lane closures are permitted nightly as needed from 8:30 p.m. until 6:30 a.m.
- Full closures of the SR 9/I-95 exit ramps are permitted nightly as needed, 8:30 p.m. until 6:30 a.m., Sunday through Thursday, for WWDS Installation
- Sidewalk and curb ramp closures will be implemented as needed, restricting access to one direction of travel at a time
- Access to businesses and residences will be maintained at all times

## JOIN US AT THE CONSTRUCTION OPEN HOUSE

### Virtual Public Meeting (GoToWebinar) Wednesday, January 22, 2025 5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. Use the following QR code



or link to register: https://tinyurl.com/4akrvs5f You may also dial in via phone

- at (562) 247-8422 Access Code: 302-139-175 Presentations will begin promptly at
- 5:00 p.m. and 5:30 p.m.
- **Question & Answer sessions will follow** each presentation.

**In-Person Construction Open House** Wednesday, January 22, 2025 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Mandel Public Library of West Palm Beach Clematis Room 411 Clematis Street West Palm Beach, FL 33401

Project personnel will be available to review the project scope and schedule, lane closures, and address questions one-on-one.



#### **CONTACT INFORMATION**

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Please contact the Community Outreach Specialist, Melissa Readling, to be added to project email notification lists. If special accommodations under the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) or translation services (free of charge) are needed, please contact the Project Manager, Jessica Lewis at least seven (7) days prior to the Virtual Public Meeting. Public participation is solicited without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, disability, or family status. Para información y preguntas en Español, por favor llame al (954) 777-4302.