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### FDOT to Host a Public Meeting for State Road (SR) 25/US 27/Okeechobee Road Reconstruction Project – Segment One

*Wednesday, March 2, 2022*

**MIAMI, Fla.** – The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) District Six will host a Public Meeting, both in-person and virtually, for a reconstruction project along SR 25/US 27/Okeechobee Road from the Broward County Line to west of SR 821/Florida's Turnpike, starting at 6 p.m. on March 2, 2022.

#### **In-Person Public Meeting will be held at:**

Westland Gardens Park, 13501 NW 107 Ave, Hialeah, FL 33018. All current Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) guidelines will be observed. To RSVP click [here](#).

#### **To attend the Virtual Public Meeting online visit:**

<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/3453337745510339087>

Participants can also call in by dialing +1 (415) 655-0060; Access code:184-274-358

The meeting will consist of a formal presentation followed by an open discussion. Staff will be available to answer questions in the order they are received and as time permits. If your question is not responded to during the meeting, a response will be provided in writing afterwards.

Construction will begin the week of February 28, 2022, and will last roughly two and a-half years. This project will cost an estimated \$42.5 million.

The work includes: widening and reconstructing the roadway including the frontage roads; constructing a new median opening at NW 129 Avenue and a new paved frontage road to NW 127 Avenue; realigning the roadway east of NW 186 Street and at the following intersections: SR 997/Krome Avenue, NW 137 Street, NW 170 Street, NW 117 Avenue; reconfiguring all intersections by providing extended turn lanes, wider shoulders, and a larger turning radius; adding a designated left turn lane at the intersections of SR 997/Krome Avenue and NW 154 Street; closing median openings at: NW 127 Avenue, NW 17400 Block (west of NW 137 Avenue), Opa-Locka West Airport property; installing new guardrail along the median of SR 997/Krome Avenue; replacing guardrail along the C-6 Canal (Miami Canal); installing concrete pavement at various intersections; repaving and restriping the road; upgrading traffic and

pedestrian signage, pavement markings, signalization, and lighting; installing new Intelligent Transportation System (ITS) and a new ITS Hub building north of SR 997/Krome Avenue.

This project is part of the corridor wide reconstruction of the SR 25/US 27/Okeechobee Road from the SR 826/Palmetto Expressway to the Broward County Line. This work will improve safety, enhance mobility along this Strategic Intermodal Systems (SIS) corridor, and inspire innovative transportation solutions, connecting commuters throughout Miami-Dade County.

For more information about the project or meeting, please contact Senior Community Outreach Specialist Maria Alzate at (305) 560-8218 or by email at [Maria@iscprgroup](mailto:Maria@iscprgroup). You can also visit the project website: [www.fdotmiamidade.com/okeechobee](http://www.fdotmiamidade.com/okeechobee).

FDOT encourages public participation without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, disability, or family status. Persons who need special assistance under the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 or who need translation services (free of charge) should contact Nicholas Danu at 305-470-5219 or in writing at FDOT, 1000 NW 111 Avenue, Miami, FL 33172 or by email at: [Nicholas.Danu@dot.state.fl.us](mailto:Nicholas.Danu@dot.state.fl.us) at least five (5) days prior to the meeting.

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*Improve Safety, Enhance Mobility, Inspire Innovation*

The Florida Department of Transportation's mission is to provide a safe transportation system that ensures the mobility of people and goods, enhances economic prosperity, and preserves the quality of the state's environment and communities. The department is committed to building a transportation system that not only fits the current needs of Florida's residents and visitors, but also enhances mobility throughout the state to accommodate its consistent and rapid growth. The unique nature of the Sunshine State and its year-round warm climate provides numerous opportunities to achieve the department's mission through multiple transportation modes including highways/streets, air, rail, sea, spaceports, transit, and the ever-expanding deployment of bicycle & pedestrian facilities