

Northern Turnpike Mainline/SR 91 Widening Project from Minneola/Hancock Road to O'Brien Road

Project Description

Florida's Turnpike Enterprise is widening the Northern Turnpike Mainline/State Road (SR) 91 from four to eight lanes, between Minneola/Hancock Road and north of O'Brien Road (milepost 279 to 286) in Lake County.

Project Benefits:

- Increase capacity and enhanced safety with two additional travel lanes in each direction of Florida's Turnpike
- Enhance connectivity with local roads resulting from interchange improvements at US 27 South and reconstruction of all the bridges within the project corridor
- Construct a new pedestrian walkway on the reconstructed Scrub Jay Lane bridge
- Enhance visibility in all weather and lighting conditions with the addition of continuous LED lighting from Minneola interchange to US 27 South interchange and under Turnpike bridges over CR 561 and SR 19
- Enhance driver safety with new taller guardrails
- Improve traffic flow with pavement resurfacing and new electronic tolling gantries
- Enhance driver safety by installation of new highly reflective signing, guardrail, continued CCTV coverage for Turnpike Traffic Management and Florida Highway Patrol, intelligent transportation systems and pavement markings

Construction and Traffic Impacts

Construction will take place during both daytime and nighttime hours. Nearby residents and businesses may experience periodic construction light, noise, vibration, and dust. The Enterprise 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 congestions 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 continue through mid-2028.

Cost and Funding

The project cost is approximately \$233 million.

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