

## PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

Project Development and Environment (PD&E) Reevaluation Study and Design Update for the Widening of Florida's Turnpike (SR 91) from Atlantic Boulevard to Wiles Road Financial Project ID Number: 406150-1 Broward County, Florida



The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT), Florida's Turnpike Enterprise (FTE) will hold a Public Hearing for the widening of Florida's Turnpike (SR 91) from Atlantic Boulevard (MP 66) to Wiles Road (MP 70) in Broward County, Florida; Financial Project ID (FPID) Number: 406150-1. Public Hearing will be held on Tuesday, October 17, 2017, at the Coconut Creek Community Center, 1100 Lyons Road, Coconut Creek, FL 33063. The hearing will be conducted as an informal open house from 5:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. at which time the public may review maps, drawings and pertinent information developed by FDOT. The open house will be followed by a formal presentation at 6:30 p.m. followed by a public comment period. In the event that the Public Hearing cannot be held on October 17, 2017 due to severe weather or other unforeseen conditions, it will be held on the alternate date of October 25, 2017 at the same time and place.

FDOT previously completed a PD&E study in 2006 to widen Florida's Turnpike (SR 91) from 6-lanes to 8-lanes. The project moved into the design phase and was suspended in 2007 due to the economic situation and concerns with potential utility impacts. The design is being updated to include widening the Turnpike

**Public Hearing and Project Location Map** Wiles Rd Wiles Rd **End Project** W. Sample Rd 834 W. Sample Rd 7 W. Copans Ro **Public Hearing Location** Coconut Creek Community Center 1100 Lyons Road Coconut Creek, FL 33063 W Atlantic Blvd 7 W Atlantic Blvc 814 9 **Begin Project** 

from 6 to 10 lanes, including Express Lanes. The project also includes access modifications to the Coconut Creek Parkway and Sample Road interchanges, as well as conversion to All Electronic Tolling. As part of the design update, a PD&E reevaluation is being conducted.

This Public Hearing is being conducted to give interested persons an opportunity to express their views concerning the design of the proposed improvements. The project is being evaluated in accordance with Federal Executive Orders 11990 (Protection of Wetlands) and 11988 (Floodplain Management).

Draft project documents will be available at the Public Hearing and from September 22, 2017 to October 31, 2017 at the following locations:

- ♦ North Regional/Broward College Library, 1100 Coconut Creek Boulevard, Coconut Creek, FL 33066, 954-201-2600, 7:30 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Thursday, 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Friday and 10 a.m. to 6 pm Saturday & Sunday.
- ♦ Florida's Turnpike Enterprise, Pompano Operations Center, Public Information Office, Turnpike Milepost 65, Pompano Beach, FL 33069, contact -Juliette Valencia, 954-934-1276, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Persons wishing to submit written statements or other exhibits in place of, or in addition to oral statements, may do so at the Public Hearing or by sending them to Andy Healy at the contact information listed below. All exhibits and statements postmarked on or before October 27, 2017 will become part of the Public Hearing Record.

Public participation is solicited without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, disability, or family status. Persons who require special accommodations under the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), or persons who require translation services (free of charge) should contact Mr. Andy Healy, Project Manager, at least seven (7) days prior to the Public Hearing. Persons who are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency by using the Florida Relay Services, (800) 955-8774 (TDD) or (800) 955-8770 (voice).

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Time: 5:30 P.M. - 6:30 P.M. Informal Open House

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Followed by a Public Comment Period

**Location:** Coconut Creek Community Center

1100 Lyons Road

Coconut Creek, FL 33063