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Public Information Meeting Notice

Turnpike to Host Public Information Meeting for proposed improvements to the Orlando South Ultimate Interchange in Orange County

ORLANDO — The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT), Florida's Turnpike Enterprise will hold a Public Information Meeting regarding proposed improvements to the **Orlando South Ultimate Interchange Project Development and Environment (PD&E) Study** at Florida's Turnpike (SR 91) and Beachline Expressway (SR 528) in Orange County, Florida (Financial Project Identification Number 438547-1, Efficient Transportation Decision Making Number: 14294).

The Public Information Meeting will be held on Tuesday, January 29, 2019, at the University of Central Florida (UCF) Rosen College of Hospitality Management, 9907 Universal Boulevard, Room 124, Orlando, FL 32819. The meeting will be an informal **open house from 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.** There will be no formal presentation. This meeting will allow interested persons an opportunity to learn about the project and provide comments concerning the location, conceptual design, and social, economic, and environmental effects of the proposed projects. Multiple alternatives for improvements to the interchange will be on display focused on enhancing safety and travel time reliability, addressing existing and future traffic needs, and providing long-term mobility. During the open house, project information will include displays that describe the proposed improvements and an opportunity for the public to provide comments.

Persons wishing to submit comments, in place of or in addition to written comments at the Public Information Meeting, may do so by sending them to the contact information below. Project information and updates will be available on the Florida Turnpike Enterprise's project website at <http://www.floridasturnpike.com/projects.html> (available starting January 29, 2019).

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 Abra Horne at (407) 264-3019 or by email at Abra.Horne@dot.state.fl.us at least seven (7) days prior to the Public Information Meeting. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1(800) 955-8771 (TDD) or 1(800) 955-8770 (Voice).

If you have any questions about the project or the scheduled meeting, please contact Abra Horne, Project Manager (HNTB), or Rax Jung, Ph.D., PE, Project Development Engineer, shown below.

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