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Annemarie Hammond Environmental Permits Coordinator Florida's Turnpike Enterprise P.O. Box 613069 Ocoee, Florida annemarie.hammond@dot.state.fl.us

Re: Suncoast Parkway 2 from SR-44 to CR-486, Citrus County

Dear Ms. Hammond:

The Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission (FWC) staff reviewed the Listed Species Coordination (LSC) information for the above-referenced project in accordance with Chapter 379, Florida Statutes and Rule 68A-27, Florida Administrative Code (FAC). The LSC report was prepared as part of the State Environmental Impact Report (SEIR) on the proposed roadway section.

FWC staff provided input on this project during meetings with FDOT staff and consultants, review of onsite surveys, and analysis of available FWC data and agrees with the determinations of effect and supports the project commitments for protected species. If you have specific technical questions regarding the content of this letter, please contact Terry Gilbert at (850) 728-1103 or email terry.gilbert.@MyFWC.com. All other inquiries may be sent to ConservationPlanningServices@MyFWC.com

Sincerely,

Jason Hight Land Use Planning Program Administrator Office of Conservation Planning Services

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