



Turnpike Extension/SR 821 Widening Project from Interstate 75 to Southern Turnpike Mainline/SR 91

Project Description

Florida's Turnpike Enterprise (FTE) is widening the Turnpike Extension/ State Road (SR) 821 from four to eight lanes, from Interstate 75 (I-75) and the Southern Turnpike Mainline/SR 91, in Miami-Dade County.

This project includes the following:

- Constructing sound walls along qualifying residential areas adjacent to the Turnpike Extension
- Intersection improvements at Red Road/NW 57 Avenue and University Drive/NW 27 Avenue
- Widening of the Turnpike Extension bridges over Flamingo Road/NW 67 Avenue, Red Road, Palm Avenue/ NW 47 Avenue, Douglas Road/NW 37 Avenue, University Drive and Snake Creek Canal
- Asphalt milling and resurfacing, new lane striping, drainage, landscaping, traffic signal improvements on local roads and signage and lighting improvements
- Improving signage, pavement markings and lighting

Construction and Traffic Impacts

Construction will take place during both daytime and nighttime hours. Nearby residents and businesses may experience periodic construction noise, vibration, and dust. FTE 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 congestion 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 be completed in 2022.

Cost and Funding

The project cost is approximately \$143 million.

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