

Turnpike Extension/SR 821 Widening Project from South of Killian Parkway to North of Sunset Drive

Project Description

Florida's Turnpike Enterprise (FTE) is widening the Turnpike Extension/State Road (SR) 821 from six to ten lanes, between Killian Parkway/SW 104 Street and Sunset Drive/SW 72 Street, in Miami-Dade County.

This project includes the following improvements:

- Constructing sound walls along residential areas adjacent to the Turnpike Extension from north
 of Killian Parkway to South of Kendall Drive, and from north of Kendall Drive to south of Sunset
 Drive
- Widening of the Turnpike Extension bridges over Sunset Drive and Kendall Drive
- Pedestrian improvements to Killian Parkway over the Turnpike Extension
- Constructing new toll gantries south of Kendall Drive and constructing new toll gantries on the northbound exit ramp and southbound entrance ramps at Kendall Drive
- Asphalt milling and resurfacing, new lane striping, drainage, landscaping, traffic signal improvements on local roads and signage and lighting improvements

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 mid-2021.

Cost and Funding

The project cost is approximately \$74.5 million.

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