

Veterans Expressway Spur/SR 568 Resurfacing and Safety Improvements Project

Project Description

Florida's Turnpike Enterprise is improving Veteran's Expressway Spur/State Road (SR) 568 from Veterans Expressway/SR 589 to Dale Mabry Highway/SR 597 in Hillsborough County.

Benefits from this project include:

- Increasing roadway service life and resiliency by resurfacing the Veteran's Expressway Spur
- Installing high friction surface treatment to the asphalt, which will improve safety, roadway smoothness and traction for drivers
- Enhancing wet weather safety by improving roadway drainage which will protect against water ponding
- Reducing congestion and providing a smoother traffic flow with the addition of ramp lanes at the Dale Mabry Highway/SR 597 intersection
- Improving roadside safety with the installation of new guardrail
- Installing wrong-way driver countermeasures at the exit ramp to monitor, detect, and deter wrong-way drivers
- Increasing mobility by installing new, highly reflective overhead signage and pavement markings to improve visibility in all lighting and weather conditions

Construction and Traffic Impacts

Construction will take place during both daytime and nighttime hours. Nearby residents and businesses may experience periodic construction light, noise, vibration, and dust. The Enterprise 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 Central and West Central Florida Weekly Lane Closures and Work Zone Advisory.

Schedule and Funding

Construction Schedule

Work is anticipated to be completed in late 2024.

Cost and Funding

The project cost is approximately \$11.3M.

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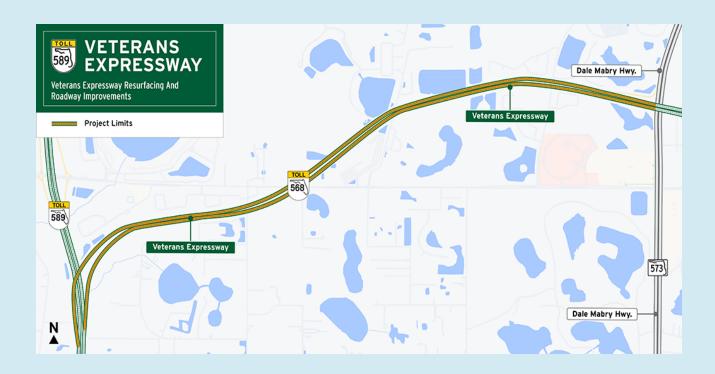
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