



Florida Department of Transportation

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Subject: State Road (SR) 40 from SR 15/US 17 to west of SR 11
Volusia County, Florida
Financial Project ID Number: 240836-1-52-01

Dear Government Partner:

On behalf of the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT), I invite you to a public information meeting for the SR 40 design project from SR 15/US 17 to west of SR 11 in Volusia County. The meeting is on Wednesday, August 26, 2015, at the Volusia Lodge No. 77 Free & Accepted Masons (F & AM) - Pine Street and SR 40, Barberville, Florida 32105.

The meeting will be an open house from 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. The purpose of this informal open house is to present the design concept of this transportation improvements project to the public. Project maps, drawings and other pertinent information will be on display for public review. FDOT staff and others associated with the project will be available to discuss the project and answer questions.

The project involves the widening of SR 40 to four lanes from SR 15/US 17 to west of SR 11. The project includes milling and resurfacing of the existing roadway to serve as westbound travel lanes and new roadway construction for eastbound travel lanes. Work also includes the construction of four wildlife crossing box culverts and a 12-foot wide, paved, multi-use trail on the south side of the road. The project is not funded for right of way or construction.

Public participation is solicited without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, disability or family status. Persons wishing to express their concerns relative to FDOT compliance with Title VI may do so by contacting Jennifer Smith, FDOT District Five Title VI Coordinator by phone at (386) 943-5367, or via email at Jennifer.Smith2@dot.state.fl.us.

Persons with disabilities who require special accommodations under the Americans with Disabilities Act or persons who require translation services (free of charge) should contact Megan Olivera by telephone at 407-709-9840 or by email at Megan.Olivera@dot.state.fl.us, at least seven days prior to the meeting. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact us by using the Florida Relay Service, 1-800-955-8771 (TDD) or 1-800-955-8770 (Voice).

If you have any questions, please contact Taleb Shams, P.E., FDOT Project Manager at 386-943-5231 or by email at Taleb.Shams@dot.state.fl.us.

An additional source for information on state roadway projects in Central Florida is just a click away. Visit our website at www.cflroads.com.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Taleb Shams".

Taleb Shams, P.E.
FDOT Project Manager