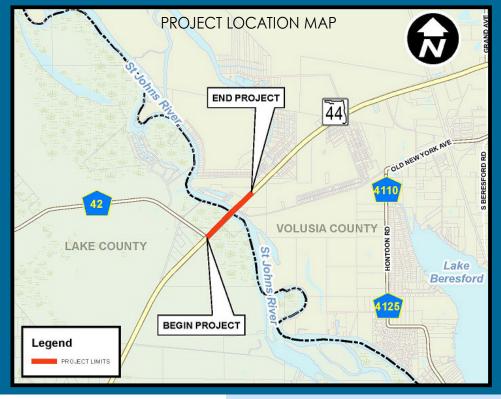


DESIGN PROJECT PUBLIC HEARING

State Road 44 from County Road 42 in Lake County to East of Ed Stone Park in Volusia County



Financial Project ID Number: 429556-1-52-01



PUBLIC HEARING

Date: Tuesday, August 29, 2017
Time: 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
Where: Sanborn Activity and

Event Center

815 South Alabama Avenue DeLand, Florida 32724

The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) is holding a public hearing on Tuesday, August 29, 2017. The purpose of this hearing is to present information and receive public input regarding the proposed improvements to State Road (S.R.) 44 from west of County Road (C.R.) 42 in Lake County to east of Ed Stone Park in Volusia County. It begins with an open house at 5:30 p.m., when participants may review project information and discuss the project with staff. There is a brief presentation at 6:00 p.m., after which participants may provide comments to all present. The hearing ends at 7:30 p.m. Staff members will be available to discuss the project and answer any questions before and after the presentation.

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PROJECT FACTS

- Project limits:
 - o S.R. 44 from west of C.R. 42 in Lake County to east of Ed Stone Park in Volusia County
 - o A distance of approximately 0.5 miles
- Proposed improvements include:
 - o Replacing the existing bascule bridge with a new fixed span high level bridge
 - o Reconstructing the two-lane rural roadway bridge approaches through the project limits, south of the existing bridge
 - o Replacing the signal at the S.R. 44 and C.R. 42 intersection
 - o Relocating the access road to Pier 44 Marina
 - o Changing access to Ed Stone Park, St. Johns Marina, Old New York Avenue, and Shady Oaks
 - o Adding new stormwater ponds
 - o Providing safety enhancements
 - o Accomodating a future 12-foot multi-use trail on the new bridge
- The final design is scheduled for completion in the Spring 2018
- Right-of-way acquisition for this project is currently funded in Fiscal Years 2018 and 2019
- Construction of this project is currently funded in Fiscal Year 2020

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 e-mail 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 Kathleen Enot at 386-943-5149 or by e-mail at kathleen.enot@dot.state.fl.us at least seven (7) days prior to the hearing. 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).