

Orange Blossom Trail (U.S. 441) Improvements

from north of Colonial Drive (S.R. 50) to S.R. 414

Orange County

Financial Project Identification (FPID) No.: 447104-1

Project Description

The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) is planning improvements to Orange Blossom Trail (U.S. 441) from just north of Colonial Drive (State Road (S.R.) 50) to the S.R. 414 ramps. The project plans to resurface 6.5 miles of Orange Blossom Trail to extend the life of the roadway.

As part of an effort to reduce fatalities and serious injuries along the corridor, FDOT is also proposing safety improvements, including:

- Reducing lane widths
- Adding landscaping within the medians
- Closing the median at Pope Road and replacing the existing open median with a directional median at Mott Avenue and Busby Avenue/National Street (see graphic above). Left turns will be restricted from those side streets onto Orange Blossom Trail

The project also plans to replace the existing on-street parking to accommodate new buffered bicycle lanes. Pedestrian improvements under consideration include new midblock crossings with Rectangular Rapid Flashing Beacons, or RRFB's, and Pedestrian Hybrid Beacons, or PHB's, and filling in sidewalk gaps. Additionally, the project would reconstruct pedestrian curb ramps to current Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) standards, and upgrade signals and lighting.

Project Status and Estimated Costs*

Design: Right of Way: Construction: *subject to change Ongoing - completion winter 2023 Within existing Funded - spring 2024

\$ 2.5 million

\$ 16.9 million

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Project Limit

Silver Star Rd

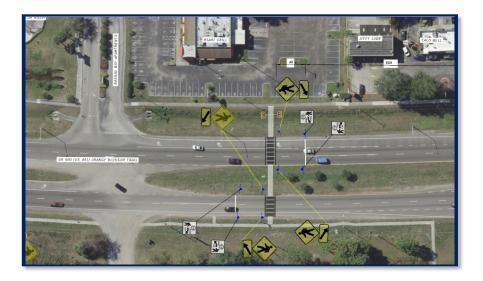
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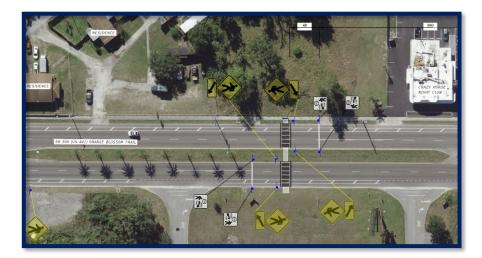
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Mid-block crossing at Nassau Bay Apartments



Mid-block crossing south of Mott Avenue/Pope Road



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