

# **PUBLIC MEETING** SR 600 (US 17/92) from Hinson Avenue to **McKeown Avenue**

Polk County, Florida



DATE: December 2021

#### FPID: 447879-1

### **PROJECT DESCRIPTION**

The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) District One is proposing safety improvements on State Road (SR) 600 (US 17/92) from Hinson Avenue to McKeown Avenue in Haines City.

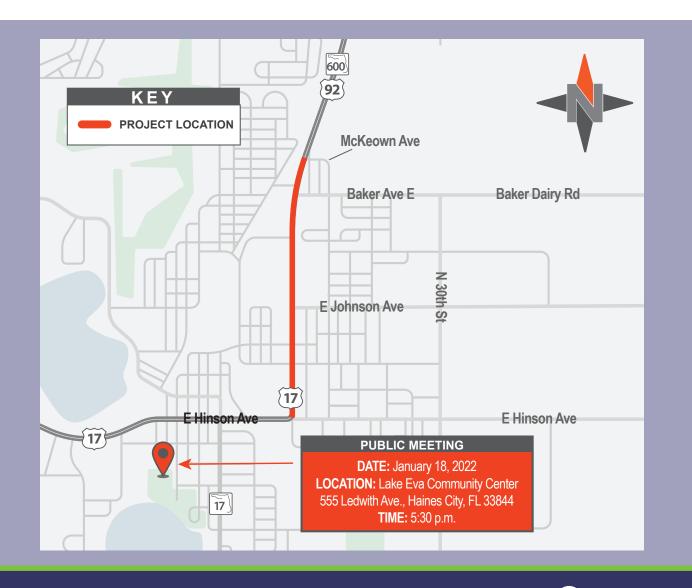
The project proposes replacing the two-way, leftturn lane with a raised grass median on SR 600 from Hinson Avenue to McKeown Avenue.

# PUBLIC COMMENT

A public meeting will be held January 18, 2022 to receive comments for the record. FDOT invites the public to submit questions or comments on this project. Any comments received by January 28, 2022, will be included in the official public record.

#### **DIRECT PUBLIC COMMENTS OR QUESTIONS TO:**

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### **PUBLIC MEETING INFORMATION**

The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) District One invites you to attend a public meeting on January 18, as part of the design process for proposed safety improvements on SR 600 (US 17/92) between Hinson Avenue and McKeown Avenue. The purpose of the public meeting is to present information and obtain input on the project design.

An Open House from 5:30 - 7:30 p.m. will present an opportunity for in-person attendees to view project exhibits and speak with FDOT staff. During that time remote attendees may view project exhibits at <u>www.swflroads.com/sr600/hinsontomckeown/</u> and may log into GoToWebinar or dial in to the meeting audio. There will be a looping presentation at the in-person location which will include details on the project. That same presentation can be viewed by virtual attendees shortly after the meeting opens at 5:30 p.m.

# **REGISTER TO ATTEND**

Advance registration will allow the project team to anticipate social distancing needs and discuss remote participation options with attendees. All in-person attendees are requested to register in advance of the public meeting by calling or emailing.

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Be prepared with your name, email address and phone number. Register for online attendance at <u>https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/</u> <u>register/8556745153587748112</u>.

## **PROVIDE COMMENTS**

In-person and online attendees will have the opportunity to offer comments during the public meeting. Comments received by the FDOT Project Manager by **January 28, 2022**, will be included in the public record.

## PARTICIPATE

- In-person at Lake Eva Community Center, 555 Ledwith Ave., Haines City, FL 33844. All inperson attendees will be encouraged to follow Centers for Disease Control guidelines, including social distancing. Masks are optional. Participants who are not feeling well should utilize a remote attendance option.
- Online using an electronic device such as a computer, tablet, or smartphone. Please register at: <u>https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/</u> <u>register/8556745153587748112</u>.
- Over the phone by requesting the presentation slides at least seven (7) days in advance of the event and dialing 1-562-247-8321 and enter passcode 221-988-077 upon the start of the event. This will enable over-the-phone attendees to review the slides while listening to the presentation.
- After the event by viewing a recording of the public meeting presentation and project exhibits, on the project website <u>www.swflroads.com/</u> <u>sr600/hinsontomckeown/</u> under "Documents and Publications."

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This meeting has been developed in compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and related statutes. Public participation is solicited without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, disability, or family status. Persons who require special accommodations under the Americans with Disabilities Act or persons who require translation services (free of charge) should contact Cynthia Sykes, District One Title VI Coordinator, at (863) 519-2287 or at Cynthia.Sykes@dot.state.fl.us at least seven days prior to the Public Meeting. Individuals who are hearing or speech impaired may use the Florida Relay Service (TDD: 1-800-955-8771 or Voice: 1-800-955-8770) to contact FDOT regarding this project.

Comuníquese con nosotros: Nos importa mucho la opinión del público sobre el proyecto. Si tiene preguntas o comentarios, o simplemente desea más información, por favor comuníquese con nosotros. Nuestra representante en español es: Juan Martin, 863-296-8507.

