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Public Meeting for County Line Road PD&E Study

In-Person: July 15, 2025, anytime between 5 – 7 p.m.

Live Online: July 17, 2025, from 6 – 7 p.m.

LAKELAND, Fla. – The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) invites you to a public meeting for the County Line Road Project Development and Environment (PD&E) Study from Amberjack Boulevard to Frontage Road South in Polk and Hillsborough Counties. This meeting is being held to provide the public with an additional opportunity to participate and comment to gain more feedback that is critical for our study.

This study will evaluate the separation of CSX A-Line railroad and County Line Road. This study includes traffic and pedestrian improvements along both County Line Road and US 92.

Proposed improvements are intended to enhance safety along County Line Road by separating the vehicle and pedestrian movements from the railroad crossing.

The public meeting is being conducted to present information about the preliminary alternatives and provides the opportunity for the public to express their views about the project. The information presented during either format will be the same and all attendees will have opportunity to comment.

Attend the public meeting:

In-Person Option

Tuesday, July 15, 2025

Hilton Garden Inn Lakeland –
Miller Room, 3839 Don Emerson Dr,
Lakeland, FL 33811

Anytime between 5 – 7 p.m.

This will include a looping video (no formal presentation) and the project team will be available for discussion.

Live Online Option

Thursday, July 17, 2025

Register in advance:

<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/2530948671286069087>

6 – 7 p.m.

This will include a viewing of the project materials and a question-and-answer component with the project team. *Please review the materials on project webpage before attending:*

<https://www.swflroads.com/project/446404-1>

Materials will be posted by Tuesday, July 15, 2025.

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If you are unable to attend the meeting, comments can also be provided through the project webpage <https://www.swflroads.com/project/446404-1> or by email Adam.Rose@dot.state.fl.us or by mail to FDOT District One, Attn: Adam Rose, Project Manager, 801 N. Broadway Ave., MS 1-40, Bartow, FL 33830. While comments about the project are accepted at any time, they must be received or postmarked by Monday, July 28, 2025, to be included in the formal meeting record. All comments are weighted equally. Questions can be answered by calling the FDOT project manager Adam Rose at (863) 519-2832.

A summary of the meeting will be available on the webpage approximately 30 days following the close of the comment period.

FDOT solicits public participation without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, disability, or family status. People who require special accommodations under the Americans with Disabilities Act or who require translation services (free of charge) should contact Cynthia Sykes, District One Title VI Coordinator, at (863) 519-2287, or email at Cynthia.Sykes@dot.state.fl.us at least seven days prior to the public meeting.

The environmental review, consultation, and other actions required by applicable Federal environmental laws for this project are being, or have been, carried out by FDOT pursuant to 23 U.S.C. §327 and a Memorandum of Understanding dated May 26, 2022 and executed by FHWA and FDOT.

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