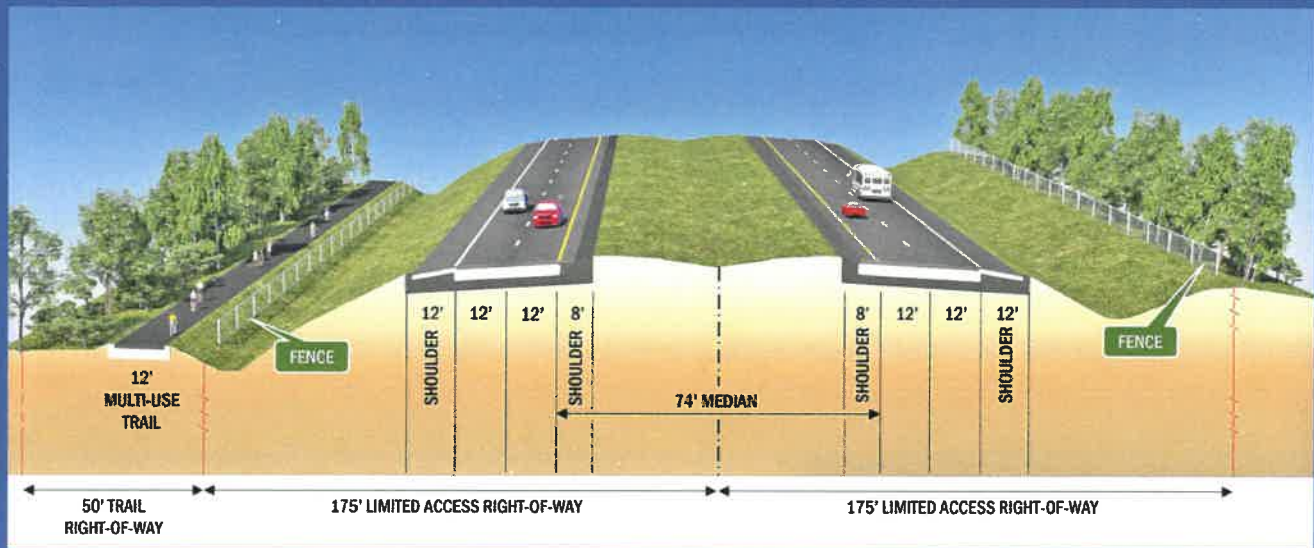


SUNCOAST PARKWAY 2, PHASE 3 from CR 486 to US 19



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Suncoast Parkway 2, Phase 3 will be a four-lane (two lanes in each direction) toll facility that extends from CR 486 to US 19, approximately ten miles in Citrus County. Phase 3 is separated into Segments 3A and 3B, divided at CR 495. Segment 3A will extend the Parkway from CR 486, completing the interchange constructed by Phase 2, and will build a partial interchange at CR 495. Segment 3B will extend the Parkway over CR 495 and complete the diamond interchange, continuing north and ultimately terminating at US 19 in Red Level.

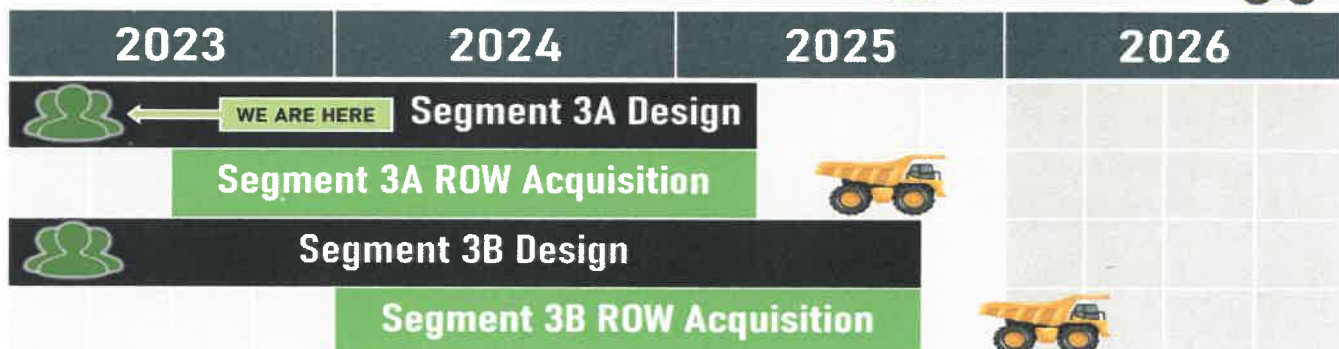
This portion of Suncoast Parkway 2 is in the design phase and will consist of the following: completion of the full interchange at CR 486 to accommodate northbound traffic; new interchanges at CR 495 and US 19; related drainage, lighting, highway signing, traffic signalization, guardrail, and sidewalks; the continuation of the Suncoast Trail, part of Florida's Statewide Greenways and Trails System; and the realignment of W. Dunnellon Road (CR 488) to allow for a new interchange at SR 589/US 19.

Suncoast Parkway 2 will serve expected future increases in traffic due to development throughout the region and provide a bypass route for through traffic thus relieving congestion from other State and County north-south roadways. The approved alignment for this project was included in the 1998 Project Development and Environment Study from US 98 to US 19, which was reevaluated in 2010, 2017, and most recently in 2022.

Project Schedule

Public Information Meeting

Begin Construction



DESIGN PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETING

www.suncoast2.com

The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT), Florida's Turnpike Enterprise invites you to participate in a Public Information Meeting for the design of the Suncoast Parkway 2 (SR 589), Phase 3 from CR 486 to US 19 project. This meeting will give interested persons an opportunity to review the project design and ask questions about the proposed improvements.

ATTEND THE VIRTUAL MEETING

Tuesday, March 7, 2023, 5:30 p.m.

Attend virtually via a computer, tablet, smartphone, or by telephone in listen-only mode by visiting the project website, www.suncoast2.com, or scan the QR code to the right. Once registered, you will receive a confirmation email that includes instructions on how to join the virtual meeting online. Please note that registration works best in Google Chrome, Microsoft Edge, or Firefox web browsers. For technical assistance during the webinar, please contact TPKMeetingSupport@dot.state.fl.us.



Dial-in attendees may join as listen-only participants by calling +1 (562) 247-8422 and using access code 898-288-093 when prompted.

The virtual meeting will consist of a brief presentation about the project, followed by a Q&A session.

ATTEND THE IN-PERSON MEETING

Thursday, March 9, 2023, 5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

National Guard Armory

8551 W. Venable Street, Crystal River, FL 34429


The in-person meeting will be in an open house format without a formal presentation. Project exhibits will be on display, and members of the study team will be available to answer questions.

PUBLIC MEETING MATERIALS

The meeting materials will be available for review at the project website on the day of the virtual meeting. A video recording of the virtual meeting will be posted to the project website under the "Documents" section following the meeting.

Contact Us

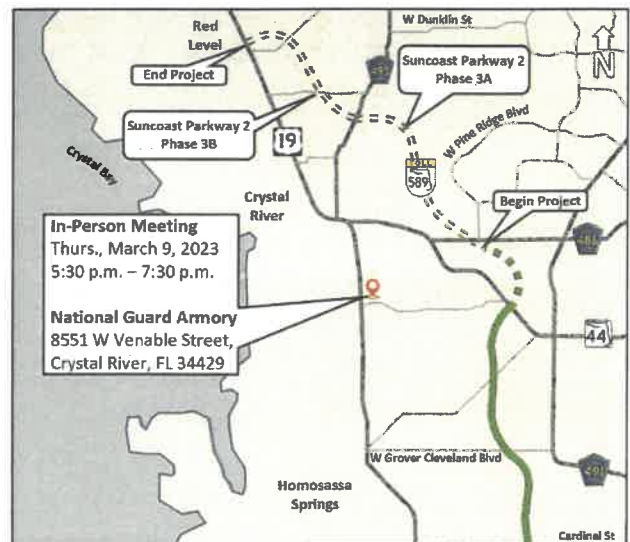
We encourage you to participate in the Suncoast Parkway 2 (SR 589), Phase 3 from CR 486 to US 19 project Public Information Meeting. If you have questions or comments regarding the project or participating in the meeting, please contact the Project Manager, Anil Sharma, P.E. or visit the project website at the link below.

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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 who require translation services (free of charge) should contact Anil Sharma at least seven (7) days prior to the Public Information Meeting. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact the agency using the Florida Relay Service, 1 (800) 955-8771 (TDD) or 1 (800) 955-8770 (Voice).

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PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETING COMMENT FORM – March 7, 2023 (Virtual) / March 9, 2023 (In-Person)

Name: _____

Street Address: _____

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Email: _____

There are multiple ways to submit your comments:

- Complete and place this form in the designated comment box at the meeting.
- Fill out the online comment form at www.suncoast2.com
- Email comments to Anil.Sharma@dot.state.fl.us
- Mail this comment form to the address below.
- Comments received by March 20, 2023 would be appreciated.

COMMENTS

There is room for additional comments on the back of this page.

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Mail your comment form to:

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