



NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

Florida Department of Transportation – Transportation Improvement Program – State Transportation Improvement Program – Amendment – Right of Way Acquisition - US 98 - SR 52 Corridors

The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) has requested approval of the following TIP amendments to the FY 2021-22 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) and State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP). The additional funding is designated for projects as defined below:

- 256334-4, this amendment is adding ROW funding to expand SR 52/Schrader Hwy from US 41 to Bellamy Brothers Blvd from 2 to 4 lanes.
- 447536-2: This amendment is adding ROW funding to expand US 98 from S of US 98 to Hernando County Line from 2 to 4 lanes.
- 443368-3: This amendment is adding ROW funding to expand US 98 from Polk County Line to Old Lakeland Highway from 2 to 4 lanes.
- 443368-4: This amendment is adding PE and ROW funding to expand US 98 from S of Old Lakeland Highway to US 301.
- 256423-3: This amendment is adding ROW funding to expand US 98 from US 301 South to US 301 North from 2 to 4 lanes.

On November 1, 2021, the Florida Department Transportation (FDOT) notified the Paco MPO staff of available funds that could be used to expedite transportation improvements. The above-mentioned projects are designed to support economic development by improving goods, movement access, connections to transportation facilities, major activity centers and improve safety by reducing fatal and serious crashes. The TIP amendments are funding additional Right of Way acquisition and some Preliminary Engineering to the US 98-

SR 52 Corridors.

This proposed amendment will be posted on the MPO's website, www.pascompo.net under MPO Public Meetings/Notices for comments and input. Public comment will begin on November 10, 2021 and if no adverse comments are received, the item will be considered adopted. The TIP amended page is available for public review and comment on the MPO's website (www.pascompo.net), and at the MPO Office in New Port Richey. Persons wishing further information or needing a copy of the TIP should call the MPO at (727) 847-8140. The TIP covers a five-year period from Fiscal Year 2021-22 through Fiscal Year 2025-26 (July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022) and identifies multimodal transportation projects and programs that are proposed to be funded by Federal, State, (Florida Department of Transportation – FDOT) and local funds that are required to match various State grants for transportation projects.

In accordance with the MPO's Public Participation Plan and in compliance with Federal law - 23 CFR 450.316(b)(1)(i) and 339.175 (b) and (8) Florida Statutes and applicable Federal law, the public has a minimum 10-day comment period on the TIP/STIP Amendment. Comments received during the comment period will be recorded by MPO staff and provided to the appropriate parties for review.

If you are a person who needs translation services, Pasco County MPO will take reasonable steps at no cost to you to allow viewing of the prior proceedings which occurred on December 9, 2021. Please contact the MPO, West Pasco Government Center, 8731 Citizens Drive, New Port Richey, Florida 34654-5598. The Board Room in New Port Richey is served by Pasco County Public Transportation (PCPT) Routes 14 and 23. To obtain bus schedules or further information, contact PCPT at (727) 834-3322 (West Pasco), (352) 521-4587 (East Pasco), or go online at www.ridepcpt.com. Individuals unable to access a PCPT bus to attend the meeting may contact PCPT at least five days prior to the public hearing to find out if they qualify for alternative transportation service.

If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation in order to access the information, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Within five working days of receipt of this notice, please contact the Personnel Department, West Pasco Government Center, 8731 Citizens Drive, New Port Richey, Florida 34654-5598; (727) 847-8030 (V) in New Port Richey; (352) 523-2411, Extension 8030 (V), in Dade City; (813) 996-2411, Extension 8030 (V), in Land O' Lakes; or via (727) 847-8949 if you are hearing impaired.

In accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and other nondiscrimination laws, public participation is solicited without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, disability, familial, or income status. It is a priority of the MPO that all citizens of Pasco County are given the opportunity to participate in the transportation planning process including low-income individuals, the elderly persons with disabilities, and persons with limited English proficiency. You may contact the MPO's Title VI Specialist at (727) 847-8140 if you have any discrimination complaints.

HIGHWAYS

Item Number: 256334 4 **Project Description:** SR 52/SCHRADER HWY FM E OF US41 TO W OF CR 581/BELLAMY BR

District: 07 **County:** PASCO **Type of Work:** RIGHT OF WAY ACQUISITION **Project Length:** 9.344MI

Extra Description: 2 TO 4 LANES - ROW ACQUISITION

		Fiscal Year						
Phase / Responsible Agency		<2022	2022	2023	2024	2025	>2025	All Years
RIGHT OF WAY / MANAGED BY FDOT								
Fund Code:	ACCM-ADVANCE CONSTRUCTION (CM)		338,751					338,751
	ACSL-ADVANCE CONSTRUCTION (SL)		3,272,048					3,272,048
	ACSU-ADVANCE CONSTRUCTION (SU)		1,448,003					1,448,003
	DDR-DISTRICT DEDICATED REVENUE		826,603					826,603
	DIH-STATE IN-HOUSE PRODUCT SUPPORT		263,952					263,952
	DS-STATE PRIMARY HIGHWAYS & PTO		39,636					39,636
	GFSL-GF STPBG <200K		565,847					565,847
	REPE-REPURPOSED FEDERAL EARMARKS		165,280					165,280
	SA-STP, ANY AREA		2,319,156					2,319,156
	SL-STP, AREAS <= 200K		636,783					636,783
	SU-STP, URBAN AREAS > 200K		3,765,945					3,765,945
	Phase: RIGHT OF WAY Totals		13,642,004					13,642,004
	Item: 256334 4 Totals		13,642,004					13,642,004

HIGHWAYS

Item Number: 256423 3 **Project Description:** US 98 FROM US 301 SOUTH TO US 301 NORTH
District: 07 **County:** PASCO **Type of Work:** ADD LANES & RECONSTRUCT **Project Length:** 1.602MI

Phase / Responsible Agency	Fiscal Year						
	<2022	2022	2023	2024	2025	>2025	All Years
RIGHT OF WAY / MANAGED BY FDOT							
Fund Code: ACSU-ADVANCE CONSTRUCTION (SU)		902,894					902,894
DDR-DISTRICT DEDICATED REVENUE		2,699,950					2,699,950
DIH-STATE IN-HOUSE PRODUCT SUPPORT		125,535					125,535
DS-STATE PRIMARY HIGHWAYS & PTO		221,571					221,571
SA-STP, ANY AREA		1,097,056					1,097,056
Phase: RIGHT OF WAY Totals		5,047,006					5,047,006
Item: 256423 3 Totals		5,047,006					5,047,006

Purpose: This amendment is adding ROW funding to expand US 98 from US 301 South to US 301 North from 2 to 4 lanes.

HIGHWAYS

Item Number: 443368 3 **Project Description:** US 98/SR 35/SR 700 FROM POLK CO LINE/CR54 TO OLD LAKELAND HWY
District: 07 **County:** PASCO **Type of Work:** ADD LANES & RECONSTRUCT **Project Length:** 5.126MI
Extra Description: 2 TO 4 LANES

Phase / Responsible Agency	Fiscal Year						All Years
	<2022	2022	2023	2024	2025	>2025	
RIGHT OF WAY / MANAGED BY FDOT							
Fund Code: ARPA-AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT		3,951,200					3,951,200
DIH-STATE IN-HOUSE PRODUCT SUPPORT		109,909					109,909
DS-STATE PRIMARY HIGHWAYS & PTO		5,000					5,000
Phase: RIGHT OF WAY Totals		4,066,109					4,066,109
Item: 443368 3 Totals		4,066,109					4,066,109

HIGHWAYS

Item Number: 443368 4 **Project Description:** US 98/SR 700 FROM S OF OLD LAKE LAND HIGHWAY TO US 301/SR 53/ SR 39/SR 700

District: 07 **County:** PASCO **Type of Work:** ADD LANES & RECONSTRUCT **Project Length:** 3.057MI

Extra Description: 2 TO 4 LANES

Phase / Responsible Agency	Fiscal Year						All Years
	<2022	2022	2023	2024	2025	>2025	
PRELIMINARY ENGINEERING / MANAGED BY FDOT							
Fund Code: ARPA-AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT		958,000					958,000
DDR-DISTRICT DEDICATED REVENUE		50,000					50,000
Phase: PRELIMINARY ENGINEERING Totals		1,008,000					1,008,000
RIGHT OF WAY / MANAGED BY FDOT							
Fund Code: ARPA-AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT		18,780,342					18,780,342
DIH-STATE IN-HOUSE PRODUCT SUPPORT		360,000					360,000
Phase: RIGHT OF WAY Totals		19,140,342					19,140,342
Item: 443368 4 Totals		20,148,342					20,148,342

HIGHWAYS

Item Number: 447536 2 Project Description: US 301 FROM S OF US 98 TO HERNANDO COUNTY LINE
 District: 07 County: PASCO Type of Work: ADD LANES & RECONSTRUCT Project Length: 2.229MI
 Extra Description: 2 TO 4 LANES

Phase / Responsible Agency	Fiscal Year						
	<2022	2022	2023	2024	2025	>2025	All Years
RIGHT OF WAY / MANAGED BY FDOT							
Fund Code: ARPA-AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT		6,852,800					6,852,800
DS-STATE PRIMARY HIGHWAYS & PTO		196,000					196,000
DIH-STATE IN-HOUSE PRODUCT SUPPORT		234,916					234,916
Phase: RIGHT OF WAY Totals		7,283,716					7,283,716
Item: 447536 2 Totals		7,283,716					7,283,716