# Proven Safety Solutions LIGHTING



#### What about lighting?

- Improving safety on our roads; it's as simple as turning on the lights.
- Across the country, LED lights are replacing traditional sodium lights to make our roads brighter.



## Why is adequate lighting so important?



Fatalities are **3x** likelier to occur at night than during the day.

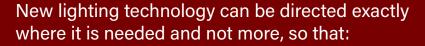


80% of pedestrian fatalities in Florida occur in dark conditions.



Higher speeds at night become dangerous when cars can't stop within the distance illuminated by headlights

## Did you know?





Lighting can be precisely aimed, protecting the night sky and avoiding adjacent homes.

### Does better lighting even work?

Yes!

Improved lighting leads to fewer...

pedestrian intersection crashes after dark

**33-38% ■** 

crashes at rural and urban intersections after dark

**28% •** 

rural and urban highway injury

crashes after dark

Scan to read more information on the benefits of improved lighting at https://tinyurl. com/FHWASafetyLighting





# Why LEDs?

#### **Compared to traditional lighting, LEDs...**



less energy



Last 10x



Adaptive color temperature can maximize visibility and increase safety (traditional lights only have one color temperature)



# LEDs have already saved lives in Florida

#### **Statewide Lighting Retrofit** on 2,500 intersections from 2015-2021

Improve lighting could cut nighttime crashes by **nearly 80%** 

**Busch Blvd in Tampa** pedestrian crosswalk lighting Reduced **over 50%** of nighttime fatality and injuries

State Road 30 near Pensacola Bay lighting retrofit

Reduced **over 70%** of bike/ped fatalities and 100% of vehicle fatalities over 6-year period

