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Community Engagement Policy (000-525-050-j)

This is the Department's [policy](#) for community engagement.

Project, Development and Environment (PD&E) Manual

The PD&E Manual is the Department's procedure for complying with the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) and associated federal and state laws and regulations.

Public Involvement (Part 1, Chapter 11 of the PD&E Manual)

[Part 1, Chapter 11](#) provides guidance on public involvement activities regardless of project phase.

Sociocultural Effects (SCE) Evaluation (Part 2, Chapter 4 of the PD&E Manual)

The SCE evaluation process described in [Part 2, Chapter 4](#) identifies and addresses potential effects of transportation projects on communities and community resources.

FDOT Design Manual (FDM)

The FDM, [Chapter 104](#), provides procedures and guidance for the preparation of contract plans for roadways and structure.

Project Management (PM) Resource Guide

The PM Guide is the Department's resource to help project managers develop and deliver projects. [Section 245](#) discusses public involvement for project managers. [Section 245](#) discusses the components of a Community Awareness Plan (CAP) that will carry forward during the construction phase.

MPO Program Management Handbook

The MPO Program Management Handbook, found on this [website](#), discusses federal and state public involvement requirements for metropolitan planning organizations in Florida.