

### THE CONNECTOR: SW 10th Street Connector Project E-Newsletter

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This e-newsletter highlights the numerous benefits the SW 10th Street Connector Project will bring to both the region and the community and includes updates to help keep the community informed.

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# **Project Spotlight**

The SW 10th Street Connector Project provides the missing link in the region's transportation system. Take a look at the video below to learn about the traffic and travel time benefits of the improved SW 10th Street corridor.



## **Project Benefits and Features**

The improvements along SW 10th Street were designed with the local community in mind. Each newsletter will highlight different project benefits. Learn more about these benefits below.



The project will provide <u>two</u> <u>roadways</u> along SW 10th Street in Deerfield Beach: one for regional travelers, and another for local traffic. The two roadways will work together to alleviate the traffic congestion in the area. The project will innovatively improve mobility at several major cross-street intersections, enhancing quality of life for those who live near the corridor. These intersections include <u>Powerline Road</u> and <u>Military Trail</u>.



SW 10th St Connector Lanes / Local SW 10th Street: Looking West



SW 10th Street Connector over Powerline Road: Looking North

## **Project Status and Anticipated Timeline**

#### **Project Status**

The SW 10th Street Connector will be moving forward into the final design and construction phase in 2024 with the selection of a Design-Build construction contractor. The contractor team will then be tasked to plan out all of the construction activities and timeline for the project. This pre-construction planning identifies which parts of corridor will be constructed first for the most efficient work plan for the I-95 at SW 10th Street Interchange and the rest of the SW 10th Street corridor.

While the pre-construction planning is going on, FDOT will implement advanced technology on roads surrounding the construction area that will communicate directly with motorists to help them efficiently maneuver through and around the construction area. This innovative technology will support safety and mobility in the area and provide congestion relief.

These are known as "Smart Roads". The "Smart Roads" are US 1, Dixie Highway, Powerline Road, US 441, Hillsboro Boulevard, and Sample Road. For more information on the "Smart Roads" construction phase traffic initiative, please visit our website for our informational <u>fact sheet.</u>

#### **Anticipated Timeline**

Selection of Contractor October 2023 to March 2024 Pre-Construction Planning March to December 2024

Construction Begins Approximately Early 2025

### **National Pedestrian Safety Month**

Pedestrian safety is a shared responsibility. When you're on the road, keep an eye out for others, especially as it starts to get dark earlier – lives depend on it.





Learn More About Target Zero

### **Contact Us**

If you would like to speak with a member of the SW 10th Street Connector Project team, please call (954) 777-4468, drop a comment on the project website, or email at <u>Vanita.Saini@dot.state.fl.us</u>.

#### **Contact Us**

More about the project:

As a key regional connection in Broward County, Florida, SW 10th Street currently serves as a critical transportation corridor for all types of traffic – including residential, commuter, commercial, truck, freight, bicycle, and pedestrian traffic. The SW 10th Street Connector Project will provide two roadways along SW 10th Street in Deerfield Beach, Florida. One roadway, the SW 10th Street Connector lanes, will improve regional connectivity by connecting the Sawgrass Expressway with I-95. The other roadway, local SW 10th Street, will become a "Complete Street" that will incorporate a shared-use path and provide connectivity to all existing local properties and the local roadway network.



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