



# SR 60 PD&E Study

From CR 630 to east of  
the Kissimmee River Bridge



Financial Project Number: 433856-1-22-01  
Polk and Osceola Counties

## Alternatives Public Meeting is January 31, 2017

You are invited to the State Road (SR) 60 alternatives public meeting **from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. Tuesday, January 31, 2017**, at Westgate River Ranch, Main Hall, 3200 River Ranch Boulevard, River Ranch, FL 33867. The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT), District One, will present alternatives for proposed improvements to SR 60 from County Road (CR) 630 in Polk County to east of the Kissimmee River Bridge in Osceola County.

This alternatives public meeting gives interested people the opportunity to express their views about the Project Development and Environment (PD&E) study for the proposed widening of SR 60. The meeting uses an open house format, and you are welcome to come any time between 5 p.m. and 7 p.m. We will show a video continuously throughout the meeting to provide you with a complete overview of the project. Project staff is available to informally discuss the project, receive your input and answer your questions.

### Project Overview

FDOT is studying the proposed widening of SR 60 from two to four lanes to accommodate increased traffic demand, especially truck traffic, generated by projected

economic growth in Polk County. Staff is evaluating three alternatives:

- Alternative 1 widens the road south of the existing road
- Alternative 2 widens portions of the road north and south of the existing road
- Alternative 3 widens the road north of the existing road

Additional right-of-way, or property the FDOT owns, is needed to accommodate widening SR 60 and for stormwater management ponds.

A “no-build” alternative is also considered throughout the study and will remain a viable alternative. Under the “no-build” alternative, no improvements are made to SR 60 through 2040, except routine maintenance.

Funding for the design phase is included in fiscal year 2021 of the FDOT’s Tentative Five-Year Work Program, fiscal years 2018-2022. There is currently no funding for the right-of-way acquisition or construction phases of this project.



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This meeting is developed in compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and related statutes. FDOT solicits public participation without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, disability or family status. The environmental review, consultation, and other actions required by applicable federal environmental laws for this project are being, or have been, carried out by the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) pursuant to 23 U.S.C. §327 and a Memorandum of Understanding dated December 14, 2016 and executed by the Federal Highway Administration and FDOT.

#### Contact Us

We encourage you to participate in the SR 60 PD&E study and invite your questions and comments.

We are available to meet with your group or neighborhood association. If you have questions or comments regarding the project or would like to schedule a meeting, please contact Patrick Bateman, FDOT project manager:

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