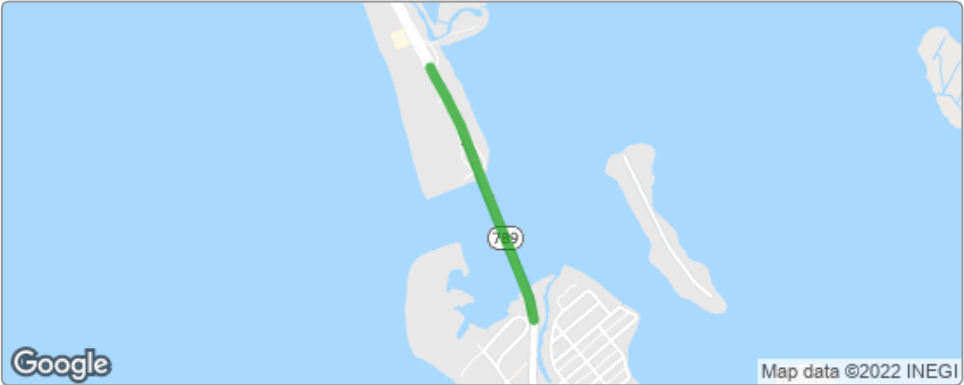


SR 789 (Longboat Key) Project Development and Environment (PD&E) Study 436676-1

Project Details	
Work Type	PD&E Study
Phase	PD&E
Length	0.75 miles
City	Longboat Key
County	Manatee
Road	SR 789
Study Cost	\$2,125,000

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About

The PD&E Study proposed improvements to SR 789 (Longboat Key) from North Shore Road to Coquina Park Entrance within the Town of Longboat Key and City of Bradenton Beach, in Manatee County. SR 789 serves as the primary north-south connection from Longboat Key to Bradenton Beach and Anna Maria Island. Alternatives to be evaluated will include rehabilitation of the existing bridge, new high-level fixed bridge, and new moveable bridge. Each alternative will be evaluated to determine social and environmental impacts, safety needs, additional right-of-way, and traffic performance. FDOT will also consider a “no-build” option which assumes no improvements to SR 789 (Longboat Key) other than routine maintenance. If the study results in the selection of a “build” alternative, the project can proceed to the design phase, during which construction plans are prepared.

The need for the project is based on the following criteria:

1. Bridge Deficiencies: Address Structural Integrity and Operational Deficiencies
2. Modal Interrelationships: Improve Multimodal Transportation Options
3. Safety: Improve Emergency Evacuation and Response Times

Currently, there is no funding for design, right-of-way, or construction.