Southwest Florida
Florida Department of Transportation

US 98 from north of SR 60 to north of CR 540A 452617-1

Project Details	
Work Type	Resurfacing
Phase	Construction
Limits	north of SR 60 to north of CR 540A
Project Start	Late 2025
City	Bartow Lakeland
County	Polk
Road	US 98
Construction Cost	$10.2 million
Estimated Completion	Early 2027

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About

A Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) resurfacing project on US 98 from Bartow to Lakeland began in early October 2025. This much needed project includes removing the old asphalt, replacing it with new asphalt, repaving the side street aprons and installing new signal sensors at the signalized intersections. Motorists can expect nighttime/overnight lane closures between 6:30 p.m. and 5:30 a.m.

This project goes with another project to install a new traffic signal on US 98 at Lyle Parkway (453810-1). The signal project also includes drainage improvements, widening the turn radius at the northwest and southeast corners, adding a raised concrete pedestrian pad on the northwest corner and adding intersection lighting with high visibility crosswalk striping and pedestrian signals.