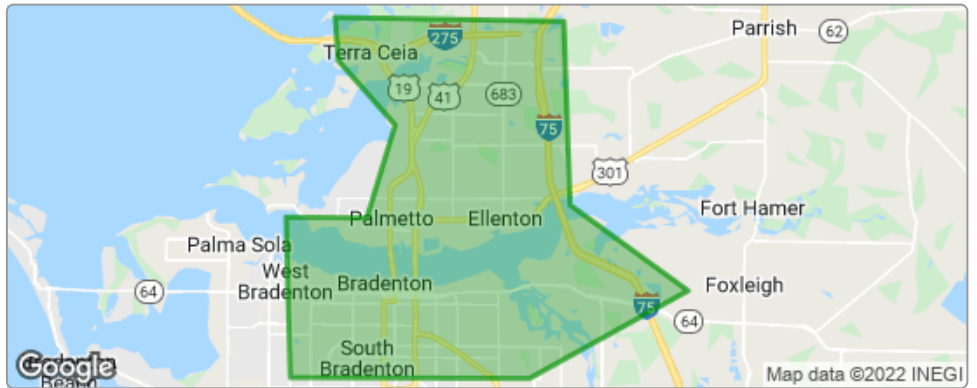




Bradenton-Palmetto Connector Alternative Corridor Evaluation (ACE) Study 444843-1

Project Details	
Work Type	New Road
Phase	Planning
City	Bradenton Palmetto
County	Manatee

Contact Information	
Planning Project Manager	
Michelle Rutishauser Michelle.Rutishauser@dot.state.fl.us	



About

The Bradenton-Palmetto Connector proposes to provide additional capacity and improve mobility over the Manatee River, specifically between the Cities of Bradenton and Palmetto and the numerous communities in western Manatee County. A total of ten (10) corridors were evaluated during the Alternative Corridor Evaluation (ACE) Study. The southern boundary for the corridors begins at SR 70; the northern boundary for the corridors ends north of I-275; the western boundary for the corridors begins at 43rd Street W; and the eastern boundary for the corridors ends at I-75.

The alternative corridors vary from existing 2-lane urban/rural local streets to 4-lane divided urban/rural arterials and 5-lane urban arterials. Specific right-of-way needs will be determined during the subsequent PD&E Study, with any potential acquisition occurring during the project's future design phase.