

SR 35 (US 17) Resurfacing, Restoration, and Rehabilitation Project from 9th Street NW to North of Oak Hammock Loop



Financial Project ID No.: 449232-1-52-01

May 2023

PROJECT OVERVIEW

The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT), along with Polk County, has identified the need to make improvements to SR 35 (US17) from 9th Street NW to North of Oak Hammock Loop, a distance of approximately 7.262 miles, to improve highway operations, safety, and regional mobility.

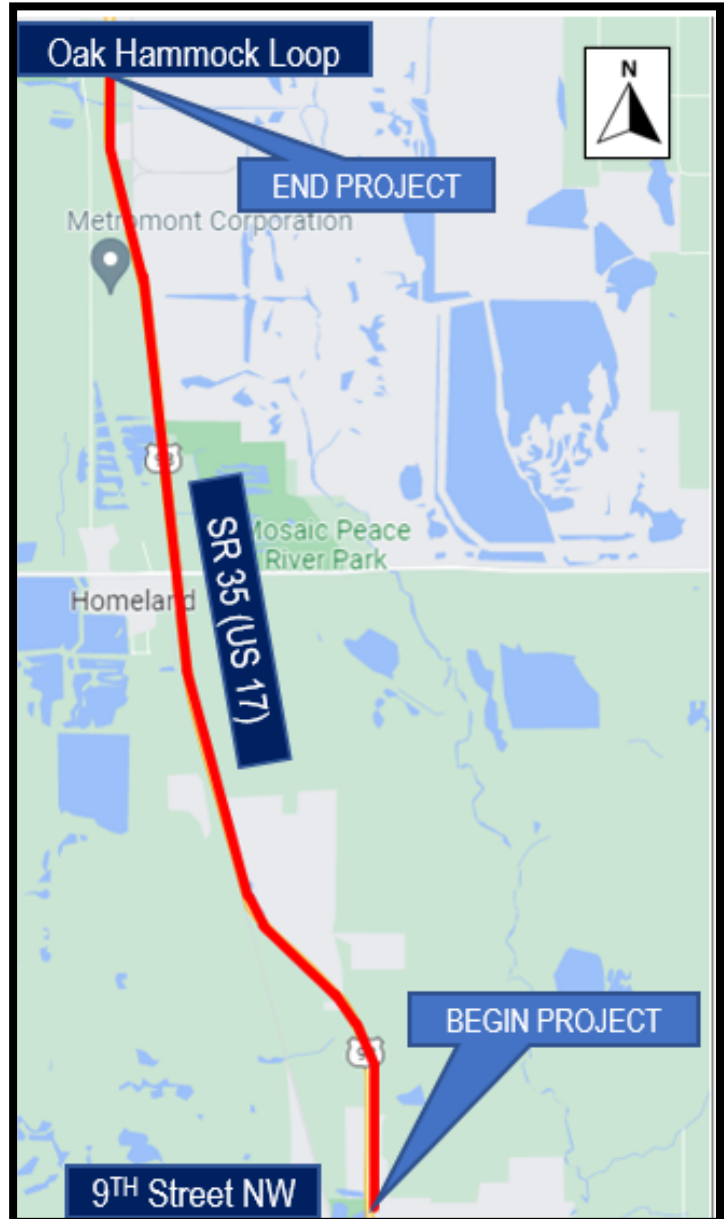
The project is being designed to improve the longevity of the pavement and also improve the safety along the corridor.

WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU!

The public meeting and official comment period will be open from Friday, April 21, 2023 through Tuesday, May 23, 2023 with the live component on Tuesday, May 9, 2023. After reviewing the meeting materials, you can submit any comments that you may have on the project in four ways: through links on the project website, by emailing the FDOT Project Manager Marie Carvajal at Marie.Carvajal@dot.state.fl.us, mailing us your comment and/or attached questionnaire to Marie Carvajal at FDOT District One, P.O. Box 1249 Bartow, FL 33931-1249, or submitting a written comment at the live component on May 9, 2023. Please note that comments must be received (or postmarked if mailed) by May 23, 2023, to be part of the meeting record. The project team will post a summary of the comments received during the public meeting and responses to the project website approximately 30 days following the end of the comment period.




FDOT solicits public participation without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, disability, or family status. People who require special accommodations under the Americans with Disabilities Act or who require translation services (free of charge) should contact Cynthia Sykes, District One Title VI Coordinator, at (863) 519-2287, or email at cynthia.sykes@dot.state.fl.us at least seven days prior to the public workshop.



CONTACT INFORMATION

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HYBRID (ONLINE & LIVE IN-PERSON) PUBLIC MEETING



DATES:

Online— April 21, 2023 through May 9, 2023

Live In-Person— May 9, 2023

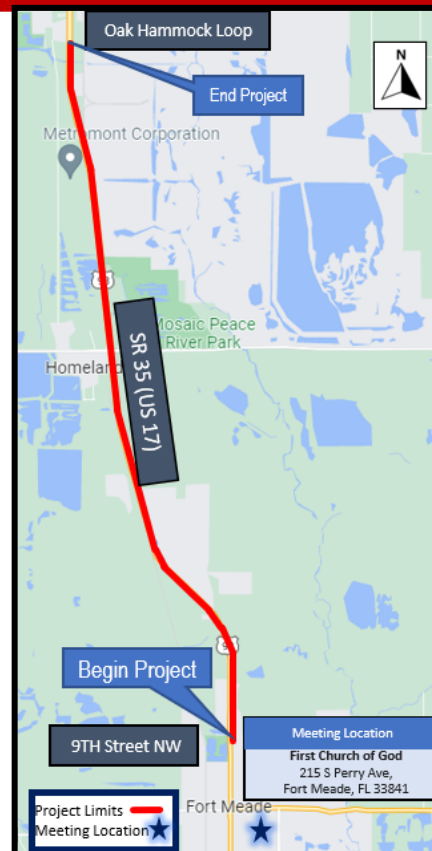


How/Where:

Online— www.swfroads.com

Live In-Person—Fort Meade First Church of God, 215 South Perry Avenue, Fort Meade, FL

The Hybrid Public Meeting will consist of project meeting materials available online for review and comment for 18 days, from Friday, April 21, 2023 through Tuesday, May 9, 2023. The live component will be held on Tuesday, May 9, 2023 from 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM at the Fort Meade First Church of God, located at 215 South Perry Avenue, Fort Meade, FL 33841. The same information will be presented at both the live in-person component and online component on the project website so attending both is not needed. We encourage you to participate in the online component and for you to submit any questions you may have through the project website or contact the FDOT Project Manager, Marie Carvajal at (863) 519-2308 or Marie.Carvajal@dot.state.fl.us. A member of the project team will follow up with you to address your question(s).



The environmental review, consultation, and other actions required by applicable federal environmental laws for this project are being, or have been, carried out by FDOT pursuant to 23 U.S.C. § 327 and a Memorandum of Understanding dated December 14, 2016, and executed by FHWA and FDOT.

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