**Transportation Planning Division** 

# Hancock Lone Palm Road RCA Study Alternative Analysis Public Meeting

February 19, 2025



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**Commissioner Maribel Gomez-Cordero** DISTRICT 4 COMMISSIONER

# Welcome and Opening Remarks

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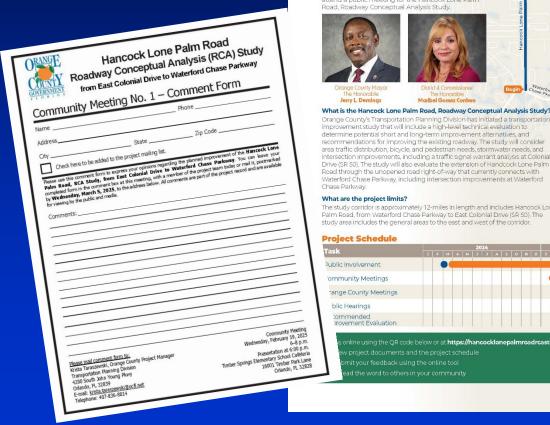


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# Welcome and Opening Remarks

#### **Meeting Instructions**

- The presentation will be followed by a question-andanswer period.
- Questions will be addressed in the order they are received.
- If you received a newsletter, you are on the project mailing list. If you did not, please sign in and provide your address to be added to the mailing list.



#### Hancock Lone Palm Road

#### Roadway Conceptual Analysis Study Public Meeting #1

**Orange County Mayor Jerry Demings and District 4** Commissioner Maribel Gomez Cordero, invite you to attend a public meeting for the Hancock Lone Palm



Timber Springs Middle School, Cafeteria

to submit questions and

Meeting Location

Meeting Date and Time

February 19, 2025

6:00-8:00 p.m. 6:00 pm Open Hous

#### What is the intent of this meetir

neeting is to present th safety improvements an to obtain vour feedback

The study corridor is approximately 12-miles in length and includes Hancock Lone Palm Road, from Waterford Chase Parkway to East Colonial Drive (SR 50). The study area includes the general areas to the east and west of the corridor

#### **Project Schedul**







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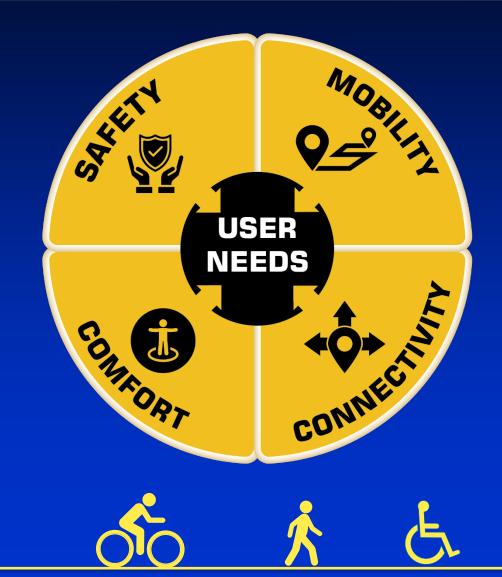
- Hancock Lone Palm Road Roadway Conceptual Analysis (RCA) Study from Waterford Chase Parkway to East Colonial Drive (SR 50)
- Identified as a Planned County Road Project in the Orange County Long Range Plan
- Evaluate Hancock Lone Palm Road improvements, a potential extension to the south and intersection improvements at E Colonial Drive
- Evaluate roadway improvements; drainage, lighting, and pedestrian/bicycle facilities





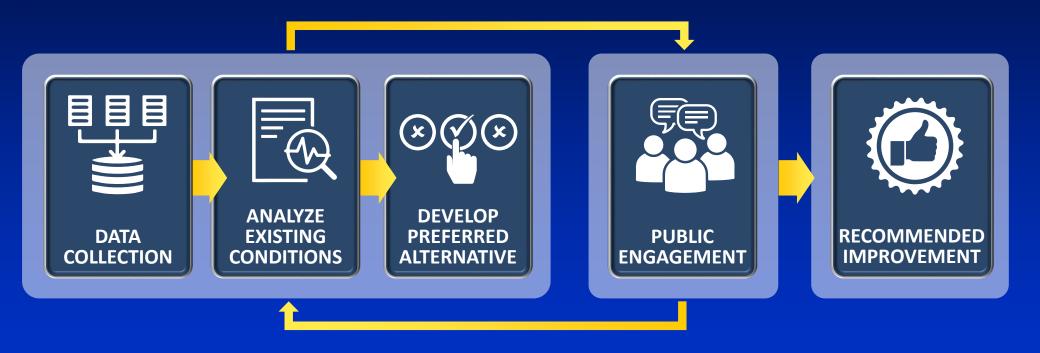
#### **Identify Improvements**

- Document Project Need
- Balance Needs of all users
  - Safety
  - Mobility
  - Comfort
  - Connectivity





#### **Study Process**







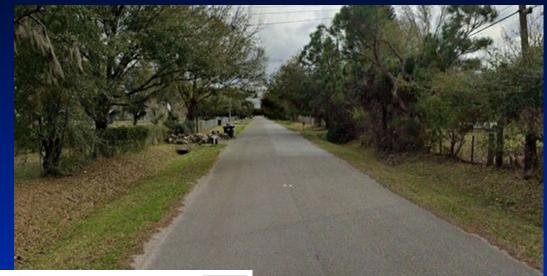
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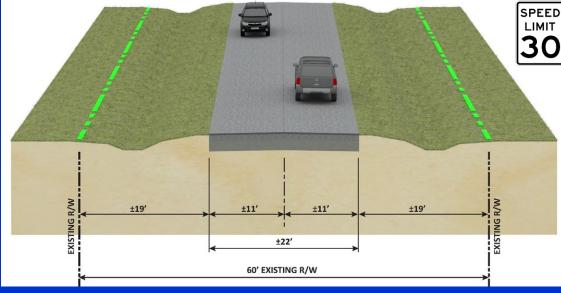


## **Existing Conditions**

#### **Roadway Geometry and Characteristics**

- Two-lane undivided roadway
- 60 feet of existing right-of-way
- Open (swale) drainage
- Intermittent sidewalks
- 30 MPH speed limit







## **Community Features**

#### Schools/Universities

 There are no academic institutions or school zones within the study area.

#### **Religious Centers**

• Aisha Cultural Center

#### Parks

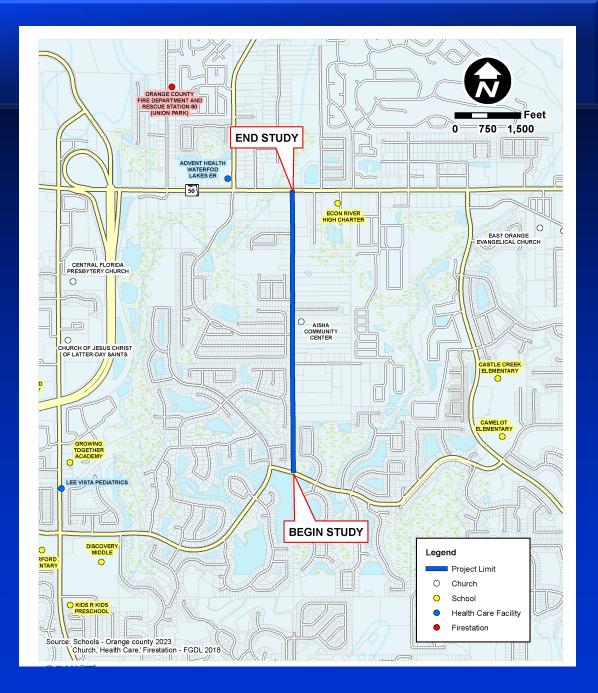
• There are no public parks located within the project area.

#### Recreation

 There are no shareduse paths or trails located within the project area.

#### **Other Features**

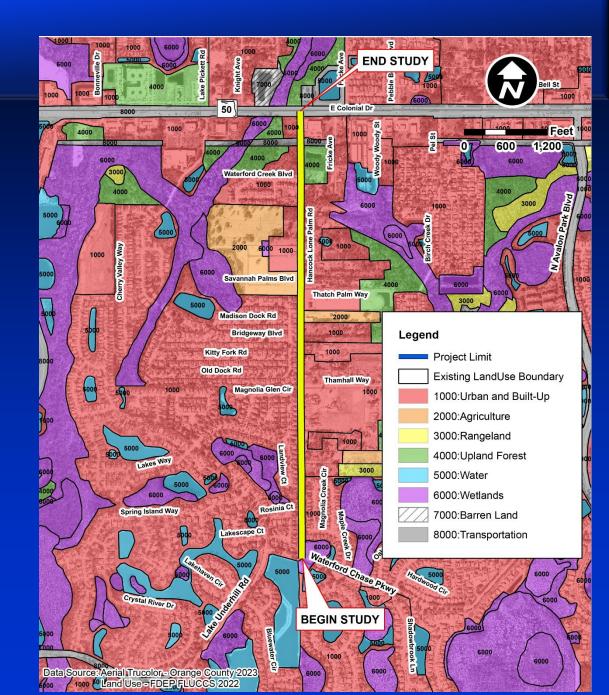
 There are no emergency services, community centers, hospitals, or cemeteries located within the project area.



# Existing Conditions

#### Land Use

- Low-medium to medium density residential
- Limited commercial land uses
- Majority of study area designated as Urban and Built-Up





#### **Context Classification C3R Suburban Residential**

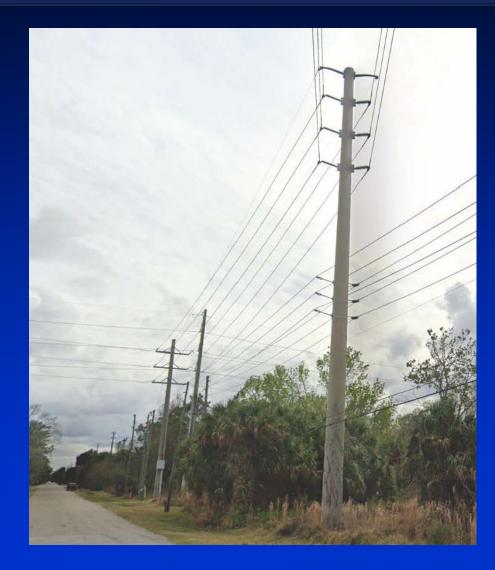
- Mostly residential uses, limited commercial
- Limited roadway connectivity



# **Existing Conditions**

#### Utilities

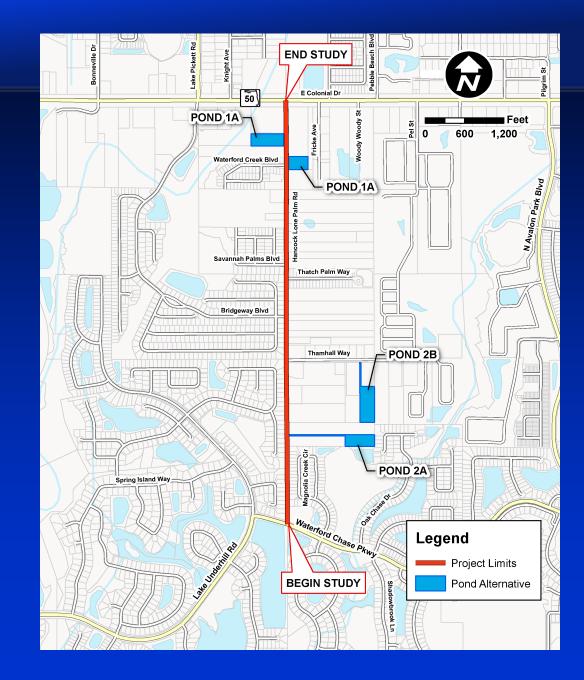
- There are 12 Utility/Agency Owners in the area:
  - Duke Energy
  - Orange County Utilities
  - AT&T telephone
  - Charger Communication CATV, fiber, telephone
  - Zayo Group fiber
  - Comcast Communications CATV
  - MCI fiber
  - Summit Broadband fiber, telephone



# **Existing Conditions**

#### Drainage

- Open drainage swale with no existing stormwater management systems
- Stormwater sheet flows are collected in roadside ditches
- Three existing drainage basins flow to the Econlockhatchee River
- Located within the Econlockhatchee River drainage basin within the St. Johns River Water Management District





#### **Environmental Assessment**

- 4 wetlands and 3 other surface waters (roadside swales) within the project limits
- No protected species were observed in the study corridor; however, habitat was noted with the potential to support listed species. Listed species occurrence will be further evaluated during the design phase.
  - Everglade snail kite, eastern black rail, wood stork, eastern indigo snake, Florida scrub jay, Audubon's crested caracara, Florida burrowing owl, Southeastern American kestrel, sandhill crane, Florida pine snake, federally protected and state protected plant species.
  - Gopher tortoise survey will be conducted prior to the construction phase
- 8 potential historic resources identified none are anticipated to be listed on the Florida registry.









# **Existing Conditions**

#### Traffic Analysis – No Build Conditions

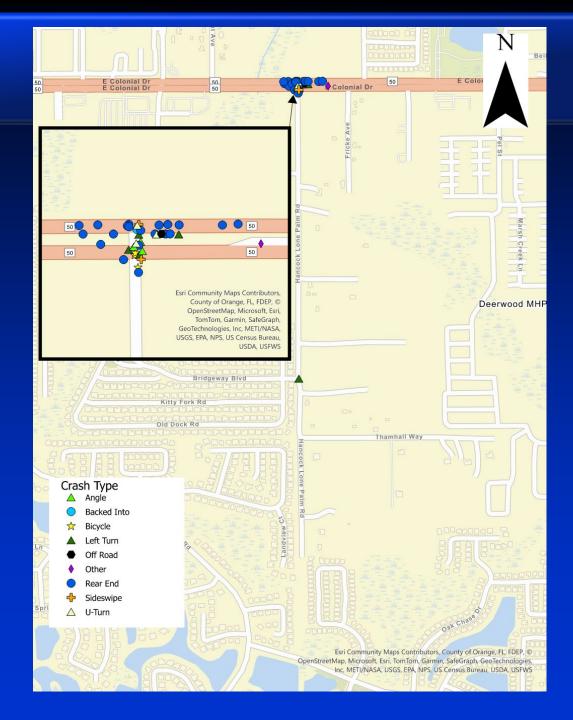
- Existing Year Average Annual Daily Traffic (AADT) Volume: 2,600 AADT
- Opening Year (2029) AADT: 4,400 AADT
- Existing Level of Service (LOS) = LOS C
- Bicyclists/Pedestrians
  - No continuous bike lanes or sidewalks





#### **Safety and Crash History**

- Five Year Crash History (2019-2023)
- 39 total crashes
  - 38 crashes at SR 50 intersection
  - 1 crash at Bridgeway Boulevard intersection
  - O fatal crashes
  - 15 injury crashes
  - 24 property damage only crashes
  - 3 bicycle crashes
- Crash types
  - Rear end (52.6%)
  - Left turn (10.5%)

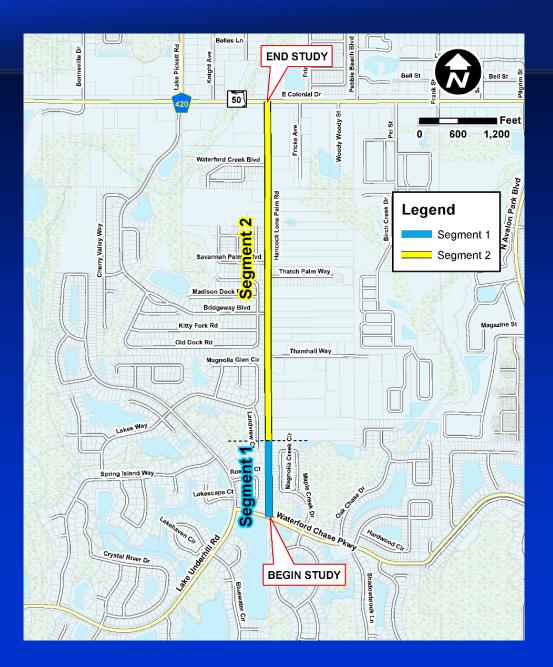




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# **Alternative Analysis**

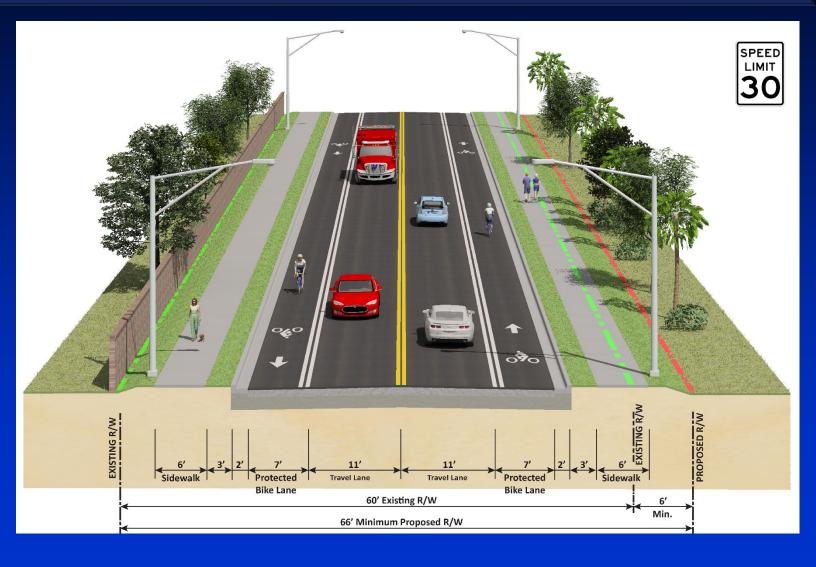
- The project is divided into two evaluation segments:
  - Segment 1 Un-opened right-of-way from Waterford Chase Parkway to Hancock Lone Palm Road
    - No Build Keep Natural Vegetation
    - Alternatives 1A, 1B, and 1C New road extension
    - Alternative 1D Shared use path only
  - Segment 2 Existing Hancock Lone Palm Road (from dead end to E Colonial Drive)
    - Alternative 2A
    - Alternative 2B
    - Alternative 2C



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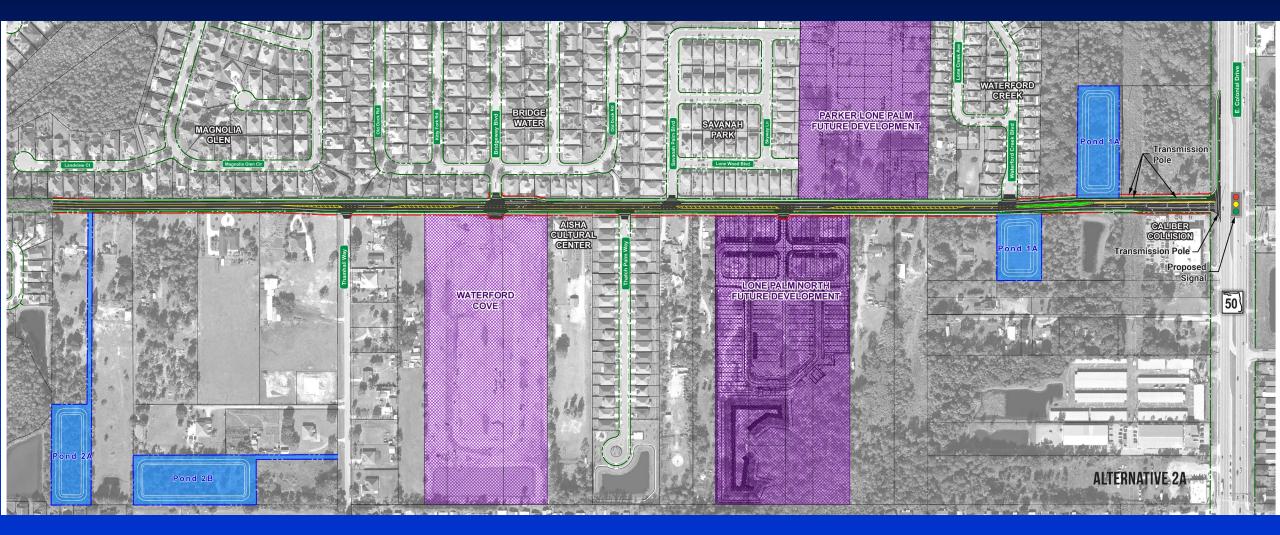
#### **Alternative 2A:**

- Two 11-foot travel lanes
- 7-foot buffered bike lanes
- 6-foot sidewalks
- 66-feet total right of way (RW) width
  - 6-feet of additional RW required plus additional RW for turn lanes





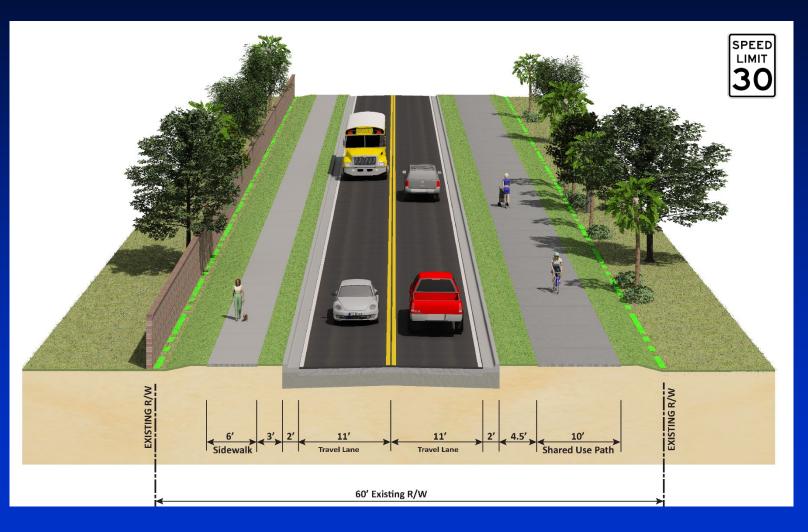
#### **Segment 2 – Proposed Alternative 2A Alignment:**



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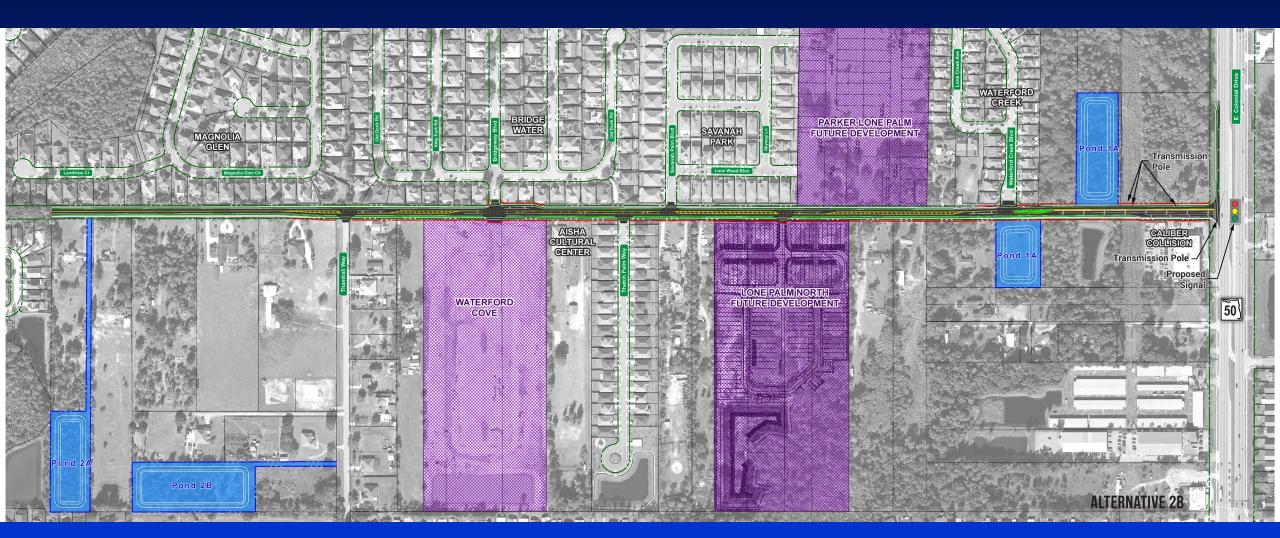
#### Alternative 2B:

- Two 11-foot travel lanes
- 6-foot sidewalk on one side of the roadway
- 10-foot shared-use path on the opposite side from the sidewalk
- 60 feet total RW width
  - Limited additional RW may be required based on alignment and turn lanes





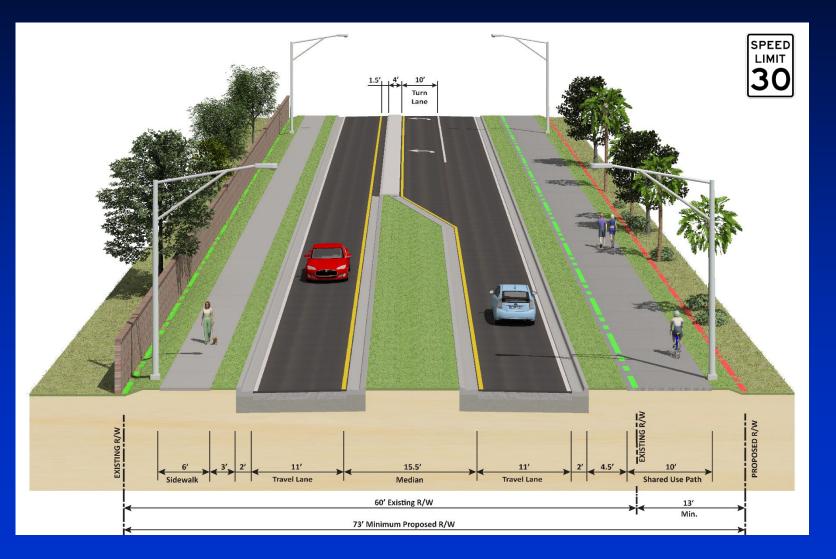
#### **Segment 2 – Proposed Alternative 2B Alignment:**



# **Alternative Analysis**

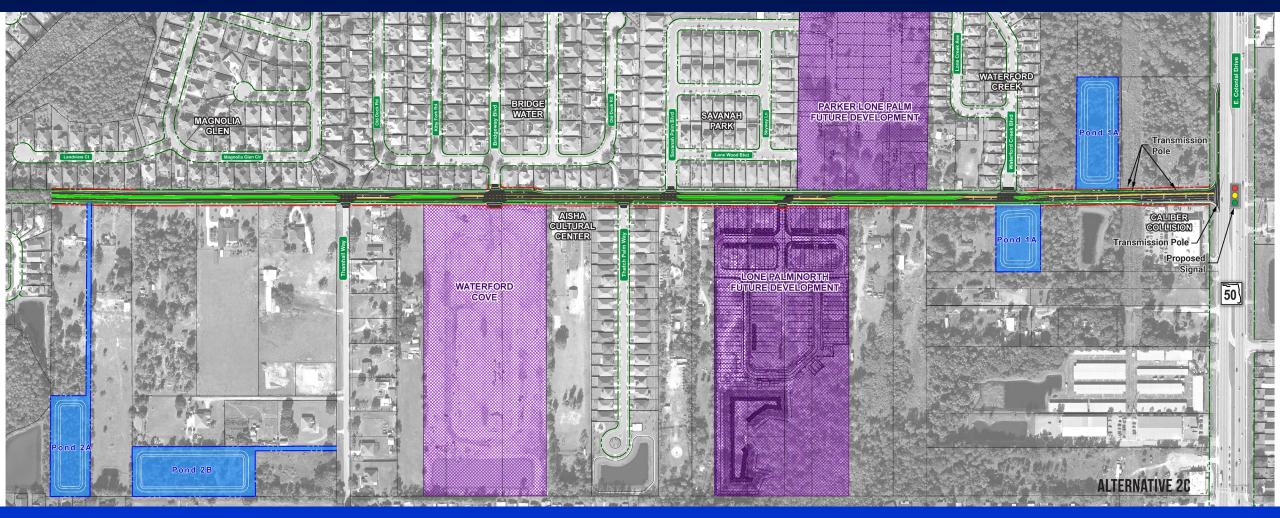
#### **Alternative 2C:**

- Two 11-foot travel lanes
- 15.5-foot raised median
- 6-foot sidewalk on one side of the roadway
- 10-foot shared-use path opposite of the sidewalk
- 73-feet total RW width
  - 13-feet of additional RW needed





#### **Segment 2 - Alternative 2C Alignment:**



# **Alternative Analysis**

- The project is divided into two evaluation segments:
  - Segment 1 Un-opened right-of-way from Waterford Chase Parkway to Hancock Lone Palm Road
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  - Segment 2 Existing Hancock Lone Palm Road (from dead end to E Colonial Drive)
    - Alternative 2A
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#### **Segment 1 – Proposed Alternative 1A Alignment:**





#### **Segment 1 – Proposed Alternative 1B Alignment:**





#### **Segment 1 – Proposed Alternative 1C Alignment:**

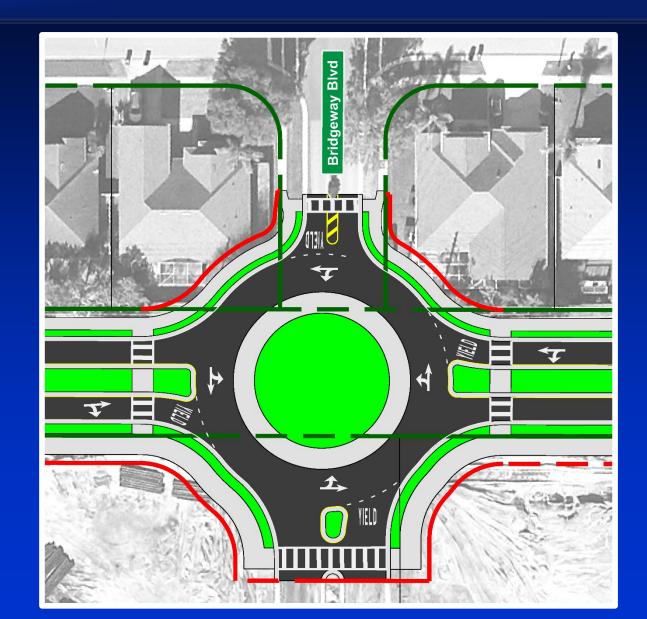




**Traffic Calming on Segment 2** 

Mini Roundabout at Bridgeway
 Boulevard

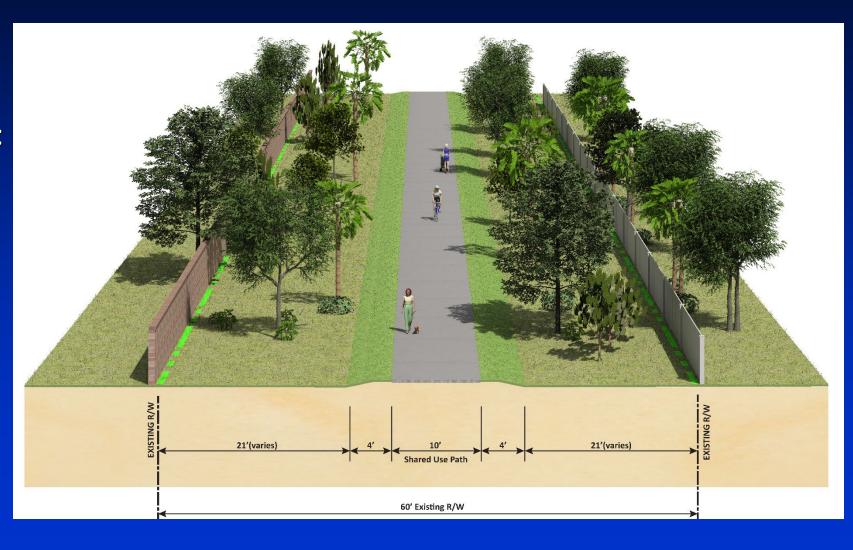
 Alternatives 1A, 1B, and 1C – New road extension, includes traffic calming in Segment 2



# **Alternative Analysis**

#### **Typical Section D:**

- Only in Segment 1
- 10-foot pedestrian/bicyclist shared use path

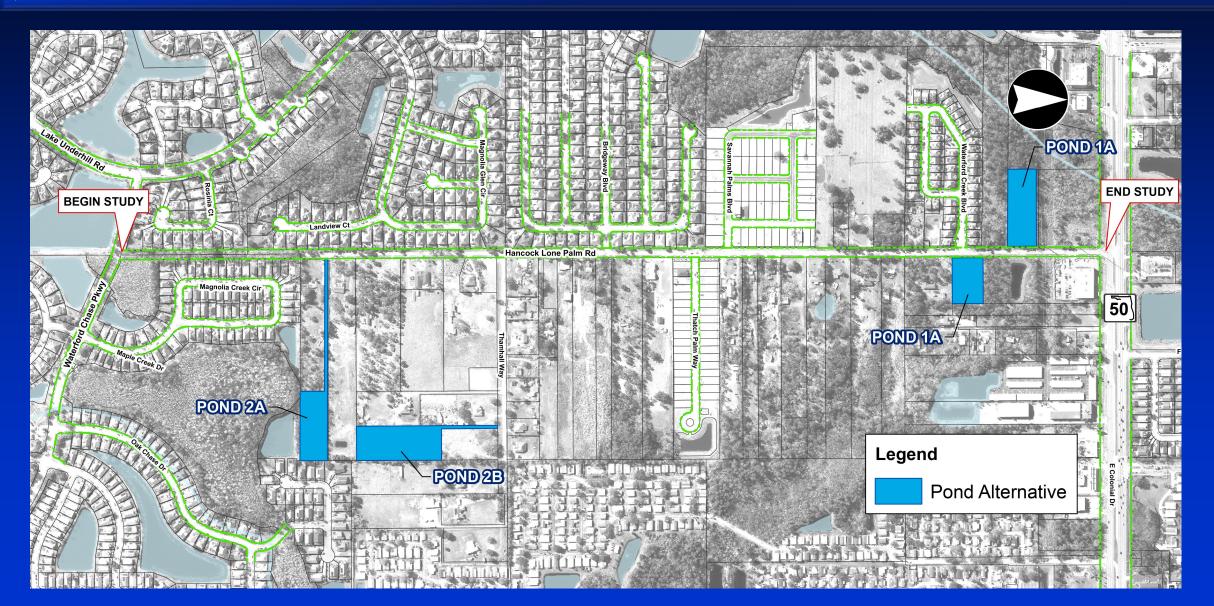




#### **Segment 1 – Proposed Alternative 1D Alignment:**







# **Evaluation Matrix**

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		Segment 1 (New Roadway Segment) From Waterford Chase Parkway to the Beginning of Existing Hancock Lone Palm Road				Segment 2 (Exisitng Roadway Segment) From Beginning of Existing Hancock Lone Palm Road to SR 50		
	No-Build Alternative	Alternative 1A Minimum RW = 66 ft.	Alternative 1B Minimum RW = 60 ft.	Alternative 1C Minimum RW = 73 ft.	Alternative 1D Pedestrian Path Only	Alternative 2A Minimum RW = 66 ft.	Alternative 2B Minimum RW = 60 ft.	Alternative 2C Minimum RW = 73 ft.
Evaluation Criteria	Existing 2-Lane Road	2-Lane Undivided Urban with 6 ft Sidewalks and 7 ft. On-Road Bicycle Lanes	2-Lane Undivided Urban with 6 ft. Sidewalk and 10 ft. Shared Use Path	2-Lane Divided Urban with 15.5 ft. median, 6 ft. Sidewalk and 10 ft. Shared Use Path	10 ft. Pedestrian Path Only	2-Lane Undivided Urban with 6 ft Sidewalks and 7 ft. On-Road Bicycle Lanes	2-Lane Undivided Urban with 6 ft. Sidewalk and 10 ft. Shared Use Path	2-Lane Divided Urban with 15.5 ft. median, 6 ft. Sidewalk and 10 ft. SharedUse Path
Relocations								
Number of Residential Acquisitions	None	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Number of Business Acquisitions	None	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Number of Parcels Impacted	None	34	15	34	0	37	29	37
Social, Natural, & Physical Impacts								
Social & Neighborhood	None	Low	Low	Low	Low	Low	Low	Low
Improved Safety	None	Medium	Medium	High	Low	Medium	Medium	High
Archaeological/Historical Sites	None	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/0	0/3	0/3	0/3
Threatened and Endangered Species	None	Medium - tricolored bat	Medium - tricolored bat	Medium - tricolored bat	Medium - tricolored bat	Medium - tricolored bat	Medium - tricolored bat	Medium - tricolored bat
Wetlands (acres)	None	3.0	2.9	2.9	0.3	1.4	1.3	1.3
Floodplains (acres)	None	0.26	0.23	0.25	0.03	0	0	0
Potential High or Medium Ranked Contamination Sites	None	0	0	0	0	7	7	7
Estimated Costs (Present Day Costs)								
Design (15% of Construction)	No cost	\$278,000	\$256,000	\$320,000	\$47,000	\$1,649,000	\$1,597,000	\$1,834,000
Right-of-Way	No cost	\$131,200	\$59,100	\$164,800	\$0	\$1,776,100	\$1,393,700	\$1,923,898
Wetland Mitigation	No cost	\$301,000	\$290,000	\$296,000	\$25,000	\$140,000	\$132,000	\$136,000
Upland RHPZ Mitigation	No cost	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$10,000	\$11,000
Roadway Construction	No cost	\$1,850,700	\$1,707,000	\$2,131,900	\$316,000	\$10,994,000	\$10,643,700	\$12,225,000
Reimbursable Utility Relocation	No cost	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$1,200,000	\$900,000	\$1,200,000
CEI (15% of Construction)	No cost	\$278,000	\$256,000	\$320,000	\$47,000	\$1,649,000	\$1,597,000	\$1,834,000
Total Cost	No cost	\$2,839,000	\$2,568,000	\$3,233,000	\$435,000	\$17,408,000	\$16,273,000	\$19,164,000



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# Public Engagement

- Ask questions and speak with project team members at the community meeting
- Submit a written comment form or fill out a speaker card
- Complete the study survey
  - Visit the project website by scanning the QR code

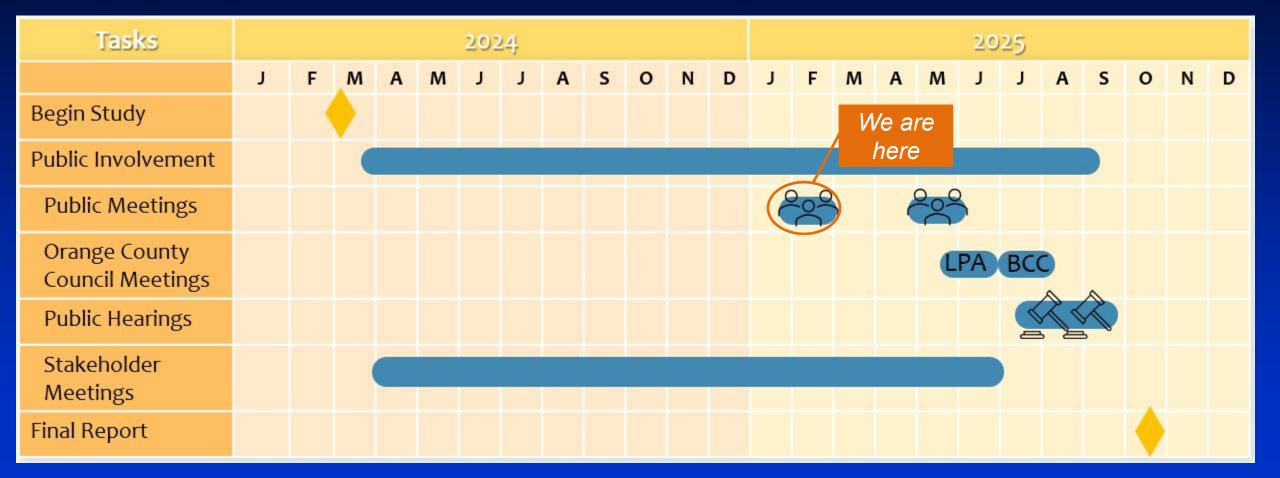


- Link to survey also available on study website: <u>https://hancocklonepalmroadrcastudy.com</u>
- The survey will be available from February 20 through March 5

	Community Meeting No. 1 – Comment Form						
	Phone						
City	State Zip Code						
Check here to be add	ded to the project mailing list.						
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#### Please complete survey and submit comments by March 5, 2025





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# QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS