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Harborview Road PD&E Re-evaluation
From Melbourne Street to I-75
Attn: Christopher Speese
Florida Department of Transportation, District One
Southwest Area Office
10041 Daniels Parkway
Fort Myers, FL 33913

#### https://www.swflroads.com/project/434965-2

FDOT is sending notices to all property owners and businesses within a minimum of 300 feet and interested persons and organizations to provide the opportunity to give comments to FDOT regarding this project. While comments about the project are accepted at any time, please send your comments emailed or postmarked by December 15, 2023, to be included in the official public hearing record.

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 e-mail at Cynthia.Sykes@dot.state.fl.us at least seven days prior to the public hearing.

# Harborview Road PD&E Re-evaluation Public Hearing Scheduled December 5, 2023

FDOT encourages the public to participate in the Harborview Road PD&E Re-evaluation public hearing. If you have questions regarding the hearing, please contact the Project Representative, Christopher Speese, at:

Email: Christopher.Speese@dot.state.fl.us

Phone: (239) 225-1973

Mail: Florida Department of Transportation, District One

Southwest Area Office 10041 Daniels Parkway Fort Myers, FL 33913 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 May 26, 2022, and executed by FHWA and FDOT.

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From Melbourne Street to I-75 Charlotte County, Florida



## Public Hearing Scheduled – December 5, 2023

#### ABOUT THE PROJECT

The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT), District One, previously completed a PD&E, or Project Development & Environment, Study for Harborview Road in October, 2019. This study evaluated and documented the benefits, costs, and impacts of widening Harborview Road from the existing two-lane undivided roadway to a four-lane divided highway. These improvements are intended to address the projected number of vehicles that will be generated by future population and economic growth. The current design has changed from what was prepared during the original PD&E Study. This has resulted in changes to proposed right-of-way impacts.

The FDOT invites you to the Harborview Road PD&E Re-evaluation public hearing on Tuesday, December 5, 2023. FDOT is preparing final design plans for this project. The public hearing is held to present information about the changes in design since completion of the PD&E Study. This hearing will also provide information on the re-evaluation of the engineering and environmental analysis completed to date and will provide the opportunity for the public to offer feedback for the official hearing record. For your convenience, FDOT is providing three ways to participate. You can participate live online or in-person. The information presented during either format will be the same and

<u>IN-PERSON OPTION</u>: Tuesday, December 5, 2023 Punta Gorda Isles Civic Association

all attendees will have opportunity to comment.

2001 Shreve Street Punta Gorda, FL 33950

Anytime between 5 - 6 p.m. Open house

6 p.m. Formal presentation and comment

Displays will be available starting at 5 p.m. to review at your own pace and the formal presentation will begin at 6 p.m. The project team will be available for discussion.

**LIVE ONLINE OPTION**: Tuesday, December 5, 2023

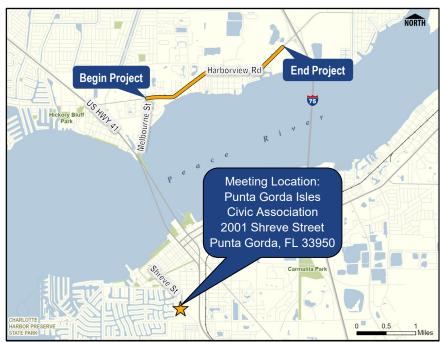
Register in advance: <a href="https://tinyurl.com/harborviewrd">https://tinyurl.com/harborviewrd</a>
5:45 p.m. Overview for how to submit comment
6 p.m. Formal presentation and comment



This event will include a livestream of the in-person presentation and the formal comment portion. *Please review the materials on project webpage before attending the virtual event:* 

https://www.swflroads.com/project/434965-2. Materials will be posted by November 28, 2023.

This hearing gives interested persons the opportunity to express their views about the proposed improvements along Harborview Road from Melbourne Street to I-75 in Charlotte County. Written statements or exhibits submitted at the hearing, emailed, or postmarked by December 15, 2023 will become part of the official public hearing record.



## PROJECT TECHNICAL DOCUMENTS AVAILABLE FOR REVIEW

Project technical documents will be available for public viewing from November 14, 2023 through December 15, 2023 at:

https://www.swflroads.com/project/434965-2

In-person locations:

#### Port Charlotte Public Library

2280 Aaron Street

Port Charlotte, FL 33952

Monday/Tuesday/Friday/Saturday: 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Wednesday/Thursday: 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.

#### Punta Gorda Charlotte Library

401 Shreve Street

Punta Gorda, FL 33950

Monday/Tuesday: 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Wednesday-Saturday: 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Documents will also be displayed at the in-person hearing.