



SR 70 from Peace River to SE Baker Street 441562-1

Project Details	
Work Type	Resurfacing
Phase	Construction
Limits	Peace River to SE Baker Street
Project Start	Mid 2023
Length	3.37 miles
City	Arcadia
County	DeSoto
Road	SR 70
Estimated Completion	Mid 2026



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About

The Florida Department of Transportation will begin work on August 1, 2023, to make improvements to SR 70 from the Peace River to SE Baker Street in DeSoto County. The project length is approximately three miles and will reconstruct approximately 3.4 miles of SR 70 within the City of Arcadia.

Improvements include:

- New drainage facilities.
- New and relocated sanitary and watermain utilities.
- New signals at SR 70 and Polk, Desoto, and Brevard Avenue intersections and Turner Avenue.
- Sidewalk reconstruction along SR 70.
- Street lighting in various locations.

Construction begins August 1, 2023, with an estimated completion by summer 2026.

- Motorists should expect lane closures on SR 70 during construction.
- Temporary pedestrian pathways will be installed for pedestrians during construction.
- Detours will be in place during construction, please follow signage and use caution in these areas.