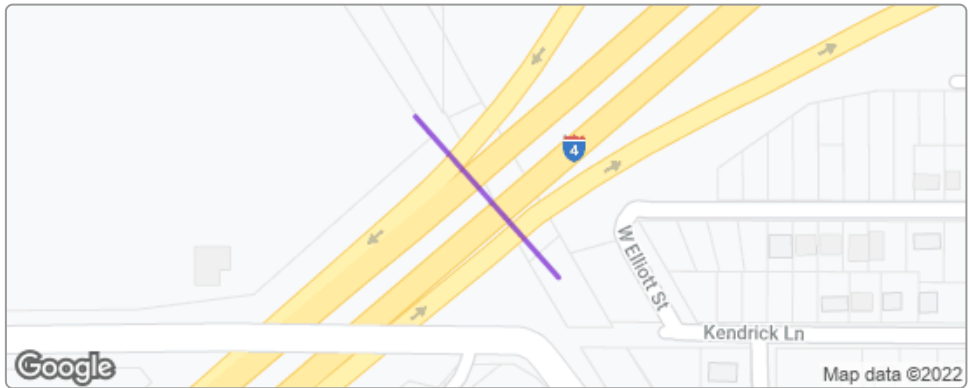




CSX Bridge over I-4 Replacement 201217-8

Project Details	
<b>Work Type</b>	Bridge Construction
<b>Phase</b>	Construction
<b>Project Start</b>	Early 2021
<b>City</b>	Lakeland
<b>County</b>	Polk
<b>Road</b>	I-4
<b>Construction Cost</b>	\$26 million
<b>Estimated Completion</b>	Late 2026



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**About**

The Florida Department of Transportation along with CSX Railroad is replacing the railroad bridge crossing over I-4 in Lakeland. The bridge is located 1200 feet west of the Kathleen Road (SR 539)/I-4 interchange (Exit 31) and about 400 feet east of the West Bella Vista Street overpass.

The existing 250-foot bridge will be demolished and two new 400-foot parallel bridges will be built in its place. The longer dual bridges provide for CSX double tracking and will accommodate future expansion of I-4 without the need to disrupt traffic and reconstruct the bridges again.