



Bradenton-Palmetto CONNECTOR

ALTERNATIVE CORRIDOR EVALUATION STUDY

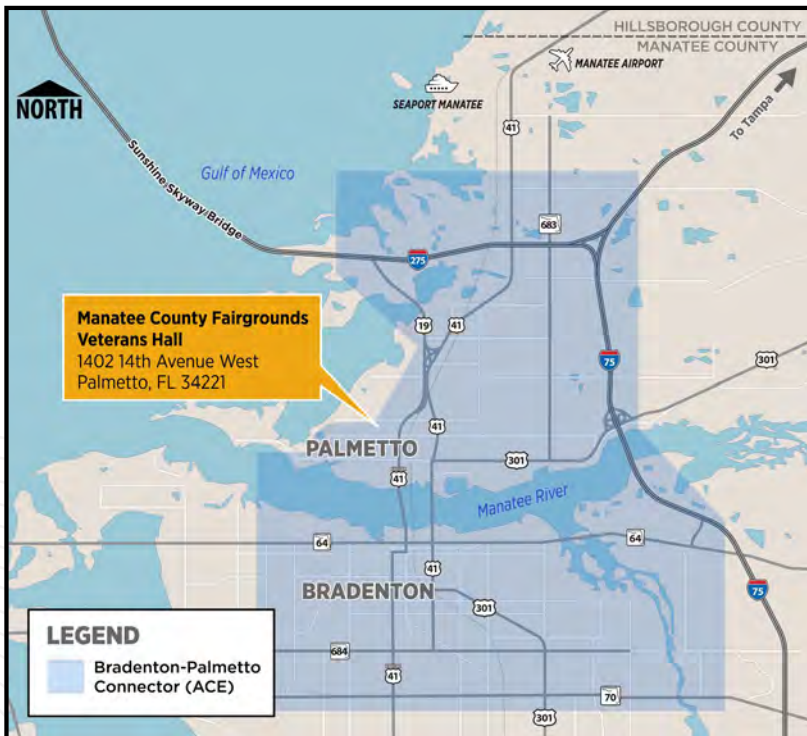
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Bradenton-Palmetto Connector Alternative Corridor Evaluation (ACE) Study

Manatee County, Florida

The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) invites you to a Public Meeting for the Bradenton-Palmetto Connector Alternative Corridor Evaluation (ACE) Study on November 12, 2024 (in-person) or November 14, 2024 (online).

The Bradenton-Palmetto Connector ACE Study public meeting is being conducted to present information about proposed corridor alternatives. The meeting will provide the opportunity for the public to express their views about the project. The same materials will be displayed at both the online and in-person events.



IN-PERSON OPTION

Tuesday, November 12, 2024
Anytime between 5 - 7 p.m.

**Manatee County Fairgrounds
Veterans Hall**
1402 14th Avenue West
Palmetto, FL 34221

ONLINE OPTION

Thursday, November 14, 2024
11 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Register in advance:

<https://register.gotowebinar.com/register/7848443082983452249>

Thursday, November 14, 2024
5 - 7 p.m.

Register in advance:

<https://register.gotowebinar.com/register/6264489930544245595>

*Materials will be posted by
Friday, November 8, 2024 on the
project website <https://www.swflroads.com/project/444843-1>*



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ABOUT THE PROJECT

The purpose of this project is to identify feasible corridor alternatives to connect the Cities of Bradenton and Palmetto across the Manatee River, improving regional multimodal mobility, connectivity, and safety for all users, including motorists, bicyclists, pedestrians, trucks, and transit. The identified corridors will be further evaluated through a Project Development and Environment (PD&E) study.

You can participate in the public meeting online or in-person. The same material will be displayed at both the in-person and online meetings and will be posted on the project website.

PROJECT GOALS

- Evaluate additional capacity and transportation demand across the Manatee River as part of the regional transportation system.
- Enhance safety and multi-modal interrelationships.

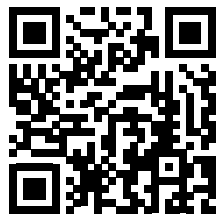
While comments about the project are accepted at any time, they must be received or postmarked by Thursday, November 28, 2024, to be included in the formal record.

FDOT encourages the public to participate in the Bradenton-Palmetto Connector ACE Study public meeting.

If you have questions regarding the meeting, please contact:

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Visit the Project Webpage
[https://www.swflroads.com/
project/444843-1](https://www.swflroads.com/project/444843-1)

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 meeting.

This planning project may be adopted into the environmental review process, pursuant to Title 23 U.S.C. § 168, or the state project development process. 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.

Nos importa mucho la opinión del público sobre el proyecto. Si usted tiene preguntas o comentarios, o si simplemente desea más información, por favor comuníquese con nuestro representante, Karina Della Sera, (863) 519-2750, karina.dellasera@dot.state.fl.us, Departamento de Transportación de la Florida, 801 N. Broadway Avenue, Bartow, FL 33830.