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The
Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT)
 has scheduled
I-75 Relief Community Open Houses

See Map for Detailed Dates, Times, and Locations

I-75 Relief Task Force

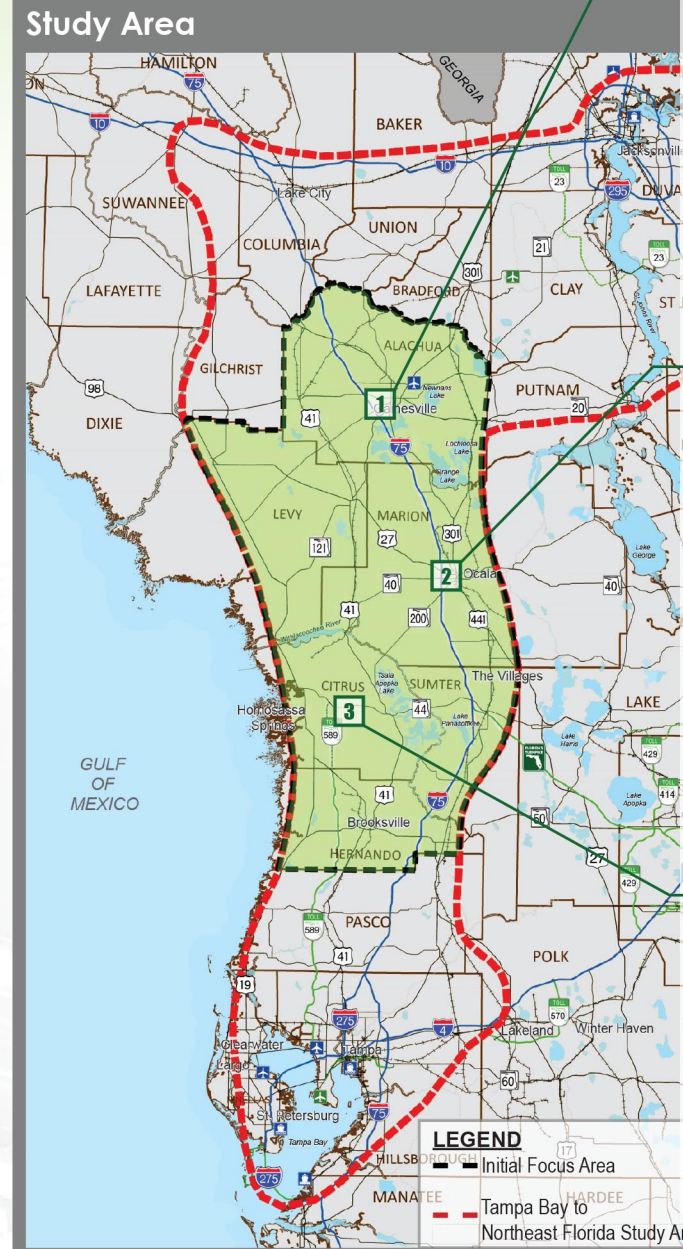
FDOT is hosting **Community Open Houses** to share information and work to date including recent Task Force and Agency Coordination meetings.

The Task Force was established to develop consensus recommendations for maximizing existing and developing new high-capacity transportation corridors to serve the Tampa Bay to Northeast Florida area, with initial emphasis along and to the west of I-75 in Alachua, Citrus, Hernando, Levy, Marion, and Sumter counties.

Community Open Houses

Community Open Houses are scheduled on **March 29, 30 & 31st, 2016 from 5:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.** to provide the public with an opportunity to give input on purpose and need, environmental and community resources, and the approach to evaluating potential corridor options. The Community Open Houses are scheduled at three separate locations (shown to the right) to provide multiple opportunities for interested individuals to attend.

The same information and displays will be shown at each Open House. During the Open Houses, a pre-recorded overview presentation and display boards will be available for viewing. Please stop by anytime during the Open House to review information and provide input. FDOT Staff will be available to answer any questions you may have.



Open House Location Maps

March 29, 2016 at 5:30 - 8 p.m.

**Hilton University of Florida
 Conference Center**
 1714 SW 34th Street
 Gainesville, FL 32607



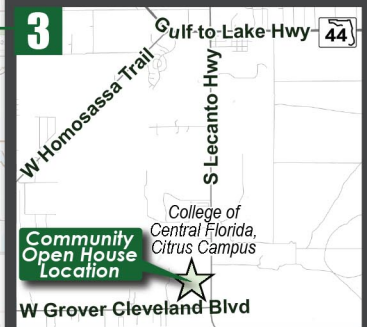
March 30, 2016 from 5:30 - 8 p.m.

Hilton Ocala
 3600 SW 36th Ave
 Ocala, FL 34474



March 31, 2016 from 5:30 - 8 p.m.

**College of Central Florida
 Citrus Conference Center**
 3800 S. Lecanto Highway
 Lecanto, FL 34461



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Your input will be shared with the I-75 Relief Task Force for their consideration and to support the development of their recommendations. All meeting information and materials will be posted on the project website (www.i75relief.com) prior to the Community Open Houses for review.

Houses for review.

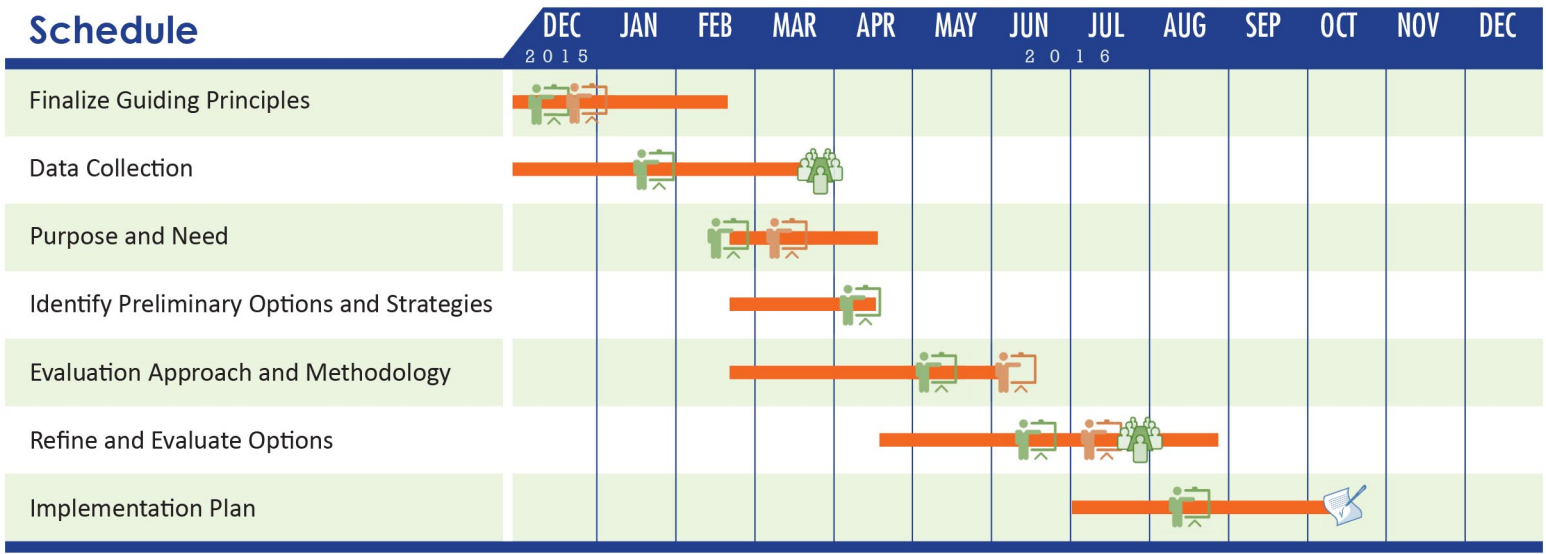
Background

FDOT initiated the I-75 Relief Study as part of FDOT's Future

Corridor Planning Process to envision and plan the future of Florida's major statewide transportation corridors over the next 50 years.

As a part of this effort, the FDOT completed a high level concept study of the area from Tampa Bay to Northeast Florida which identified long-term mobility and connectivity needs for this part of the state. The I-75 Relief Task Force was initiated to further evaluate the need and potential improvements within the Initial Focus Area (6 county).

Schedule



- Task Force Meeting
- Agency Coordination Meeting

- Community Open Houses / Workshops
- Report to Secretary

In addition to the scheduled Community Open Houses, a public comment period will be scheduled for each Task Force and Agency Coordination Meeting.

Public participation is solicited 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 Alison Stettner, by phone: (407) 264-3023 or by email: Alison.Stettner@dot.state.fl.us, at least 7 days prior to the meeting.

If you have any questions or would like to provide comments concerning this project, please contact the FDOT Project Manager, Huiwei Shen or visit the project website (www.i75relief.com) to provide your comments directly to Huiwei.

For information in Spanish, please contact Henry Pinzon by phone at 407-264-3802 or by email: Henry.Pinzon@dot.state.fl.us.

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