



International Drive Resort Area Chamber of Commerce

I-4 / Sand Lake Road Interchange Oversight Committee

September 18, 2024

Meeting Purpose:	Weekly International Drive Resort Area Chamber of Commerce – I-4 and Sand Lake Road Interchange Oversight Committee Meeting #35
Meeting Date/Time:	Wednesday, September 18, 2024, 3:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.
Location:	Zoom Meeting
Attendees:	I-Drive: David Vallillo (Host), Brian Small, Maria Triscari, Fernando Ching FDOT: Ryan Flipse, Rafael Rodriguez, Seta Koroitamudu, Esther Montoya HNTB: Jim Moulton, Leeland Shelton, Faisal Waseem RK&K: Lindsey Barnwell Orange County: Carter Gresham, Krista Taraszewski, Duke Energy: James Robinson Global-5: Dom Scalise, Mike Wacht

Meeting called to order at 3:02 p.m.

Ryan: Not much has changed on the look ahead schedule. You will see we are working in Area 1 relating to bridge work.

1. FDOT to Review past 7 days.
 - i. Bridge deck installation (Area 1)
 - ii. Continue installing MSE walls (Area 1)
 - iii. Grade sod on the westbound I-4 embankment
 - iv. Excavate loop ramp (Area 3)
 - v. Install permanent drainage (Area 3)
 - vi. Maintain temp drainage (Areas 3 and 4)
 - vii. Ongoing mowing and litter pickup

Ryan: I think we have done an ok job on mowing and litter pickup. As far as eastbound I-4, we are going to try to get them to do that portion. They start on the west end and work eastbound. When I drove by, they were mowing eastbound, and they will slowly start moving up. It has not rained the last week, so we are starting to get ahead of the curve.

2. Committee's Comments & Suggestions



David: No comments that I have heard. The mowing is definitely needed. Regarding the schedule, I know you put Halloween Horror Nights there, have you heard any feedback?

Ryan: No, I have not heard anything.

Leeland: We have been avoiding any work that has lane diversions.

2. FDOT to Review next 7-Days.

- i. Bridge deck installation (Areas 1, 2 and 3)
- ii. Continue installing MSE walls (Area 1)
- iii. Excavate loop ramp (Area 3)
- iv. Maintain temp drainage (Areas 3 and 4)
- v. Ongoing mowing and litter pickup

Leeland: We are working on the bridge decks. Monday and Tuesday night we will be doing contraflow closures.

Ryan: Similar to what we did for the DDI implementation.

2. Committees Comments & Suggestions

David: Further out, make sure January 24 is on your schedule, Universal Studios begins their Rock the Universe event. It closes each night at 1 a.m. of the event.

Ryan: That might be around the ProBowl.

3. Future Major Milestones

1. FDOT to review next 14 – 21 days.

- i. Bridge deck installation (Areas 1, 2 and 3)
- ii. Continue install MSE walls (Areas 1 and 3)
- iii. Excavate loop ramp (Area 3)
- iv. Install permanent drainage (Areas 1 and 3)
- v. Ongoing mowing and litter pickup

Ryan: Same items on this look ahead. Nothing really different. We will be doing a traffic shift, but we do not see any full diversions.

Leeland: We are doing directional bore tonight that will not result in any diversions, but you will see activity.

2. Committee's Comments & Suggestions

4. Cleanliness Review

1. Committees Observations over past 7-Days

5. Condition Review

1. Recent items of concern include:



- i. Committee's observation over past 7 days (fencing, wraps, barricades, temporary signage)

6. Old Business

1. Public Input or Comments
2. Commitments Update
 - i. List of business for vegetation on I-4
 - ii. Fencing and screening
 - New screen design in review
 - iii. Banners
 - iv. Mowing and cleaning
 - v. Clean Team
 - vi. Ponds

David: Under the agreement, what is the schedule for the mowing? It would be helpful to answer comments and questions that we field.

Ryan: Seta and I will have a conversation about this and provide you with what we find out.

Carter: The water will most likely be reclaimed. There is a reclaim line right there. Utility wise, we are having conversations to extend our meters. Esther, did you guys have any comments?

Esther: We are still looking into it. As soon as I have their info, I will let you know.

- vii. Westbound I-4 ramp to S.R. 528 diversion (Ramp widening work)
 - September 17-20

Ryan: Did anyone hear anything or notice this from last night?

David: No

Ryan: I did not either, so I assume it went well.

7. New Business

1. Diversions for the S.R. 528 project
 - i. Westbound I-4 from Sand Lake Road to Central Florida Parkway
 - September 22-27
 - ii. Eastbound and westbound I-4 exit ramps to eastbound S.R. 528
 - September 29-October 4
2. Next meeting 9/25/24.

David: Regarding the project further down on I-4 between 528 and Lake Buena Vista. From what I have heard that portion will be under construction. Can you give us any heads up?

Ryan: Is it the Daryl Carter area?

David: Yes, in that area.



Lindsay: I think he is referring to Moving Florida Forward.

Ryan: That one is being managed outside of our district office so I cannot speak on behalf of it. We do coordinate with them, but it is being handled by the Central Office.

Rafael: We do not know exact dates, David, but we can find out that information from the team and we can give you those updates. I think they are advertising early work right now.

Seta: You may also be referring to the accelerated work for congestion lanes. While they do not have dates they are trying to accelerate the work.

Ryan: We can add a link for the Moving Florida Forward website to pass that onto you when we send the concierge email.

Meeting adjourned at 3:22 p.m.