

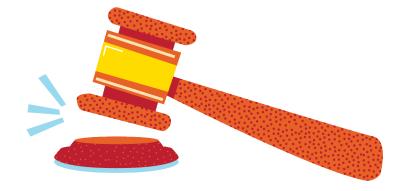
# **VISION ZERO** TASK FORCE MEETING

September 23, 2025



# AGENDA

- I. Welcome
- II. FHWA-Led RSAs: Overview & Findings
- III. Speed Setting Exercise
- IV. Annual Report Roundtable
- V. Member Spotlight
- VI. Wrap Up





# FHWA-LED RSAs: Overview & Findings





### Poinciana Boulevard

Study Area Overview

### N. Poinciana Boulevard

From Siesta Lago Drive to US 192

JURISDICTION	Osceola County
TRAVEL LANES	4-lane / Grass median
LENGTH	1.28 miles
POSTED SPEED	40-45 mph
85TH PERCENTILE SPEED	64 mph
MULTIMODAL FACILITIES?	Partial sidewalks, no transit





### **RSA Team**

- Orange County
  - Transportation Planning
  - Traffic Engineering
- MetroPlan Orlando
- Seminole County Commissioner
- Bike/Walk Central Florida
- FHWA Resource Center
- Consultant Support

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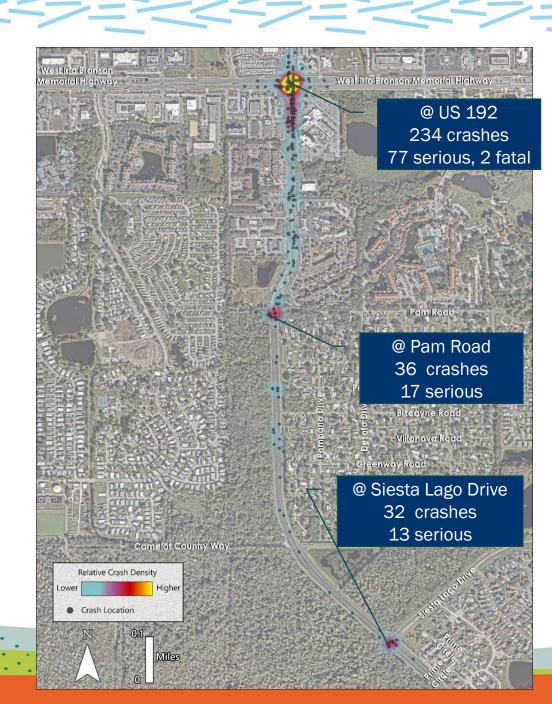
# **Roadway Characteristics**

Characteristics	Description
Orientation	North-South
<b>Functional Classification</b>	Principal Arterial
Estimated Annual Average Daily Traffic (AADT)	33,000 vehicles per day
Speed Limit (miles new hour)	40 mph (north of Howison Road)
Speed Limit (miles per hour)	45 mph (south of Howison Road)
Number of Lanes	4 (two in each direction)
Lane Widths (feet)	11' (typical)
Roadway Features	Divided roadway with landscaped median with left- and right-turn lanes for most access points and at intersections throughout the corridor.
Land Uses	Medium- to High-Density Residential, Resorts and Hotels, Commercial (stores and restaurants on US-192). Low- to Medium Density Residential south of Pam Road.
Typusit Bussess	1 stop in each direction at Siesta Lago Drive
Transit Presence	Lynx: Route 306
Pedestrian Facilities	Sidewalk present on east side of the road for the entire corridor and on the west side from US 192 to Florida Vacation Villas Driveway). Signalized, marked crosswalks are provided at the US 192 at Poinciana Boulevard intersection.
Bicycle Facilities	No bicycle facilities located within the study area.

# Crash Overview (2019-2023)

	Fatality	Serious Injury	Injury	No Injury	Grand Total
Angle			9	6	15
Bicycle		1	1		2
Head On			1	2	3
Left Turn	1	4	36	37	78
Off Road		3	14	25	42
Other		1	7	30	38
Pedestrian	1	1	3		5
Rear End		2	69	123	194
Right Turn			4	18	22
Rollover				2	2
Sideswipe			7	80	87
Unknown			1	5	6
<b>Grand Total</b>	2	12	152	328	494



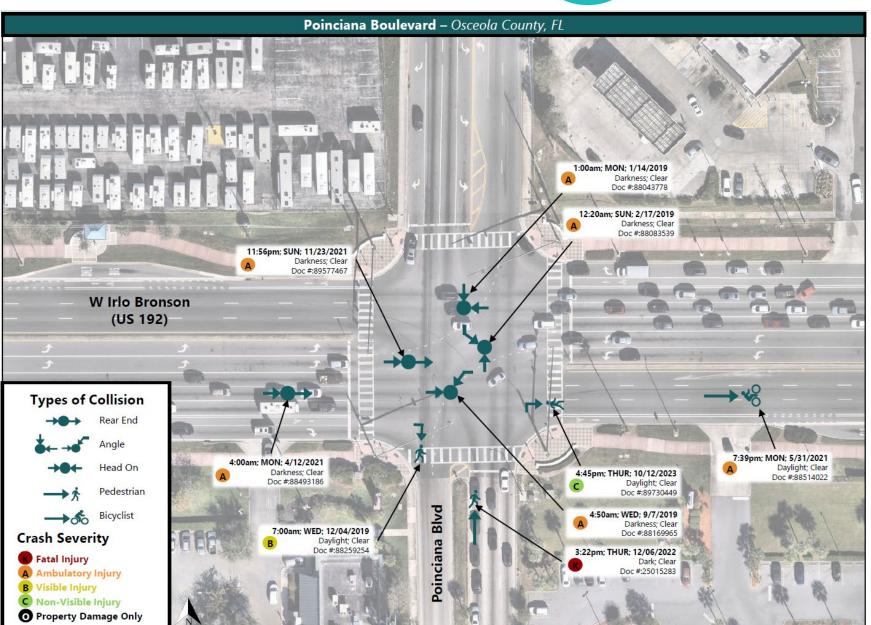


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# Pedestrian, Bicyclist, Fatal, and Serious Injury Crashes

CRASH DATE	TIME	LOCATION	KABCO SEVERITY	CRASH TYPE	LIGHT	WEATHER
1/14/2019	1:00	POINCIANA BOULEVARD & US 192	SEVERE INJURY (A)	LEFT ENTERING	DARKNESS	CLEAR
2/17/2019	12:20	POINCIANA BOULEVARD & US 192	SEVERE INJURY (A)	LEFT ENTERING	DARKNESS	CLEAR
9/7/2019	4:50	POINCIANA BOULEVARD & US 192	SEVERE INJURY (A)	LEFT ENTERING	DARKNESS	CLEAR
12/4/2019	7:00	POINCIANA BOULEVARD & US 192	MINOR INJURY (B)	PEDESTRIAN	DAYLIGHT	CLEAR
4/12/2021	4:00	POINCIANA BOULEVARD & US 192	SEVERE INJURY (A)	REAR END	DARKNESS	CLEAR
5/31/2021	19:39	POINCIANA BOULEVARD & US 192	SEVERE INJURY (A)	BICYCLE	DAYLIGHT	CLEAR
11/23/2021	23:56	POINCIANA BOULEVARD & US 192	SEVERE INJURY (A)	REAR END	DARKNESS	CLEAR
12/6/2022	21:38	POINCIANA BOULEVARD & US 192	FATAL INJURY (K)	PEDESTRIAN	DARKNESS	CLEAR
10/12/2023	16:45	POINCIANA BOULEVARD & US 192	POSSIBLE INJURY (C)	PEDESTRIAN	DAYLIGHT	CLEAR
9/21/2022	9:31	2800 BLOCK OF POINCIANA BOULEVARD	FATAL INJURY (K)	LEFT ENTERING	DAYLIGHT	CLEAR
6/30/2019	10:09	2800 BLOCK OF POINCIANA BOULEVARD	SEVERE INJURY (A)	LEFT ENTERING	DAYLIGHT	CLEAR
12/15/2022	15:22	2700 BLOCK OF POINCIANA BOULEVARD	MINOR INJURY (B)	BICYCLE	DAYLIGHT	CLEAR
5/22/2019	7:15	2700 BLOCK OF POINCIANA BOULEVARD	SEVERE INJURY (A)	OFF ROAD	DAYLIGHT	CLEAR
2/6/2021	16:37	2700 BLOCK OF POINCIANA BOULEVARD	MINOR INJURY (B)	PEDESTRIAN	DAYLIGHT	CLEAR
12/24/2023	13:10	POINCIANA BOULEVARD & PAM ROAD	SEVERE INJURY (A)	OFF ROAD	DAYLIGHT	CLEAR
8/17/2020	15:17	POINCIANA BOULEVARD & SANTOS ROAD	SEVERE INJURY (A)	PEDESTRIAN	DAYLIGHT	RAIN
4/24/2021	3:45	POINCIANA BOULEVARD NORTH OF CAMELOT COUNTRY WAY	SEVERE INJURY (A)	OFF ROAD	DARKNESS	CLEAR
4/29/2021	22:50	POINCIANA BOULEVARD NORTH OF SIESTA LAGO DRIVE	SEVERE INJURY (A)	PARKED VEHICLE	DARKNESS	CLEAR





- Review conditions in the field
- Review crash report narratives
- Review prompt lists





### Example Prompt Questions

Lasation	Physical Environment / Infrastructure						
Location	Presence/Placement	Quality/Condition	Connectivity/ Consistency	Visibility	Lighting	Transit	
Universal Considerations for Study Area	Toroposed to the Taccommodate users with the		<ul> <li>Are safe, continuous, and convenient ped and bike routes provided throughout the study area?</li> <li>Do obstructions block the view of roadway users?</li> <li>What obstructions block the view of pedestrian and bicycle facilities (e crosswalks, traffic condevices, signs)?</li> <li>Does the sun create visibility issues at certain times of day?</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>Are ped and bike facilities well-lit?</li> <li>Can peds and bikes be seen by motorists during dark conditions?</li> </ul>	How does transit infrastructure interact with ped and bike facilities?	
Along Street (including driveways)	How are peds and bikes accommodated on both sides of the road?     Are facilities shared, separate, or buffered?     What is the comfort level for users?     Are ped and bike facilities appropriate for the adjacent land use?     Do parked vehicles obstruct ped paths?     Does parking adversely affect bike safety?	<ul> <li>Are the bike/ped facilities in good condition and well-maintained?</li> <li>Are there obstacles (e.g. utility poles or signs) in the pedestrian travel path?</li> <li>Are the sidewalks wide enough for two people to walk together?</li> <li>Does vegetation or debris infringe on pedestrian or bicyclists facilities?</li> <li>Is the pavement free of obstacles (e.g., potholes, drainage grates, longitudinal joints)?</li> </ul>	How are peds accommodated at driveways/ access points?     Are ped walkways continuous?     Are bike routes continuous?	Are there obstructions blocking the driver's view of peds and bikes?     Are driveways designed with peds and bikes in mind (e.g., less driveway density, access management, proper signage, pavement markings)?	Are sidewalks and bicycle facilities adequately lit?	Are there sufficient boarding areas (5 feet along curb, 8 feet perpendicular to curb line) and visibility at transit stops?     Do ped and bike facilities connect to transit stops?	

# **Existing Positive Safety Features**

- Landscaping and amenities on US 192
- Ped recall on Poinciana Boulevard/US 192 crosswalk + pedestrian timing
- Landscaped median allows for crossing opportunities
- Pedestrian and bicyclist activity
- Lighting was sufficient for corridor
- Portions of sidewalk in southern part of corridor are comfortably set back from the roadway
- Sightlines in southern portion allow for easier access to Poinciana Blvd (though result in high-speed conflict points)
- Working pushbuttons present at each signal, placed in line with PROWAG requirements (though APS is needed)





### Overarching Roadway Safety Concerns:

### **Prioritized Issues**

- 1. Lack of sidewalk facilities/gaps
- 2. Lack of crosswalks and midblock crossings
- 3. Operations/queuing impacts from Poinciana Boulevard and US 192
- 4. High overall corridor speeds
- Lack of crossing opportunities at transit stops

### **Other Concerns**

- Lack of bicyclist facilities on Poinciana Boulevard
- Access management
  - Potential ped/bike conflict points at driveways
  - Sight lines
  - Unsignalized access across multiple lanes
- Permissive left turn phasing for NB/SB Poinciana Blvd at US 192
- Sight lines of left turns/U-turns at Poinciana Blvd and Siesta Lago Drive
- Pavement marking visibility (nighttime)



# Suggestions for Improvements: Guidelines

- Constructive and realistic
- Appropriate for stage of project
- Appropriate for all road users
- Short term suggestions
  - Changing signage pavement markings, removing vegetation, enforcement, etc.
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# Issue 1: Lack of sidewalk facilities/gaps

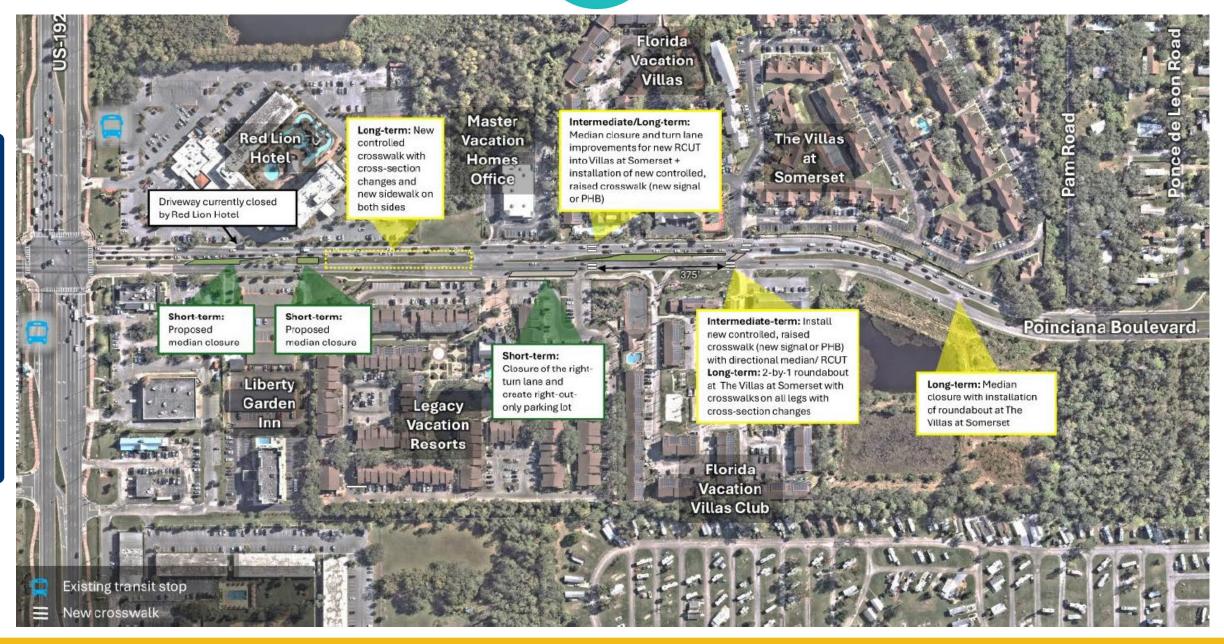
**RSA Team Brainstorming** 

- Short Term: No immediately implementable recommendations can be made, though pedestrians have made use of the existing Red Lion Hotel parking lot and narrow grass strip on west curb.
- Intermediate Term: Coordinate with Red Lion Hotel property owner to acquire ROW for sidewalk within existing parking lot.
- Long Term: Reconfigure cross-section to minimize median width and gain space for a 5' minimum sidewalk.















### Other Recommendations

- Roadway Maintenance
  - Pavement marking upgrades
  - Sidewalk repairs
- Speed Management
  - Dynamic Speed Feedback Signs
  - High Visibility Enforcement
  - Raised Crosswalks
- Curb Extensions
- Driveway Improvements

- Site Specific Recommendations
  - Poinciana Boulevard @ US 192
  - 2700/2800 Block of Poinciana Boulevard
  - Poinciana Boulevard and Pam Road
  - Poinciana Boulevard and Biscayne Blvd
  - Poinciana Boulevard between Palmetto Road & Villanova Road
  - Poinciana Boulevard and Siesta Lago Drive

# Moving into Implementation

				Responsible
Location	Recommendation	Action	Cost	Party
	New Controlled Crosswalks		Medium to High	
	Pavement Marking Upgrades		Low	
	Sidewalk Repairs		Medium to High	
	Dynamic Speed Feedback Signs		Low	
	High Visibility Enforcement		Low	
Corridor-Level	Raised Crosswalks		Low	
	Curb Extensions		Varies	
	Driveway Improvements		Low to Medium	
	Access Management		Low to Medium	
	Separated Bike Lanes		High	
	Sidewalk Network Improvements		High	
	Backplates with Retroreflective		Low	
	Borders			
Poinciana	ITS Improvements		Medium	
Boulevard and	Leading Pedestrian Interval		Low	
US-192	No Turn on Red / Flashing Arrow		Low to Medium	
03-192	for Right Turns			
	Protected Left-Turn Phasing		Low	
	Bus Rapid Transit on US-192		High	
	Median Opening Closure /		Low to Medium	
2700 and 2800	Consolidation			
Block of	Roundabout or RCUT at The		High	
Poinciana Boulevard	Villas of Somerset and Florida			
	Vacation Club			
	Right Turn Lane Consolidation		Low	
	High Friction Surface Treatment		Low	



## **University Boulevard**

Dean Road to Alafaya Trail - Study Area Overview

#### HIGH INJURY NETWORK (HIN) FACTS

JURISDICTION

#### **ORANGE COUNTY**

**FUNCTIONAL CLASSIFICATION** 

#### **URBAN MINOR ARTERIAL**

CONTEXT CLASSIFICATION

#### SUBURBAN COMMERCIAL (C3C)

CORRIDOR LENGTH

#### **2.24 MILES**

AVERAGE POSTED SPEED

#### **45 MPH**

AVERAGE PREVAILING SPEED

#### 55.7 MPH

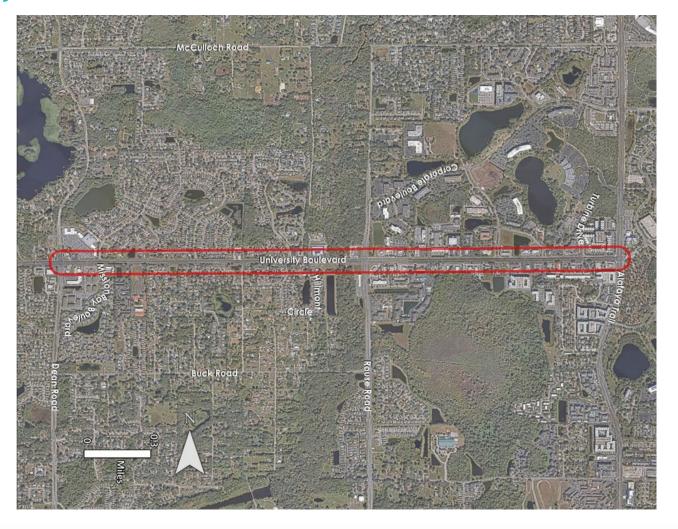
% OF CORRIDOR IN TRANSPORTATION DISADVANTAGED AREA

TRANSIT ROUTES /ANNUAL BOARDINGS & ALIGHTINGS (2022)

#### LINK 13/58,224

TRAVEL LANES / MEDIAN TYPE

**6 LANES / CURB & VEGETATION** 





### **RSA Team**

- Osceola County –
   Transportation and Transit
  - Transportation Planning
  - Traffic Engineering
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- City of Kissimmee
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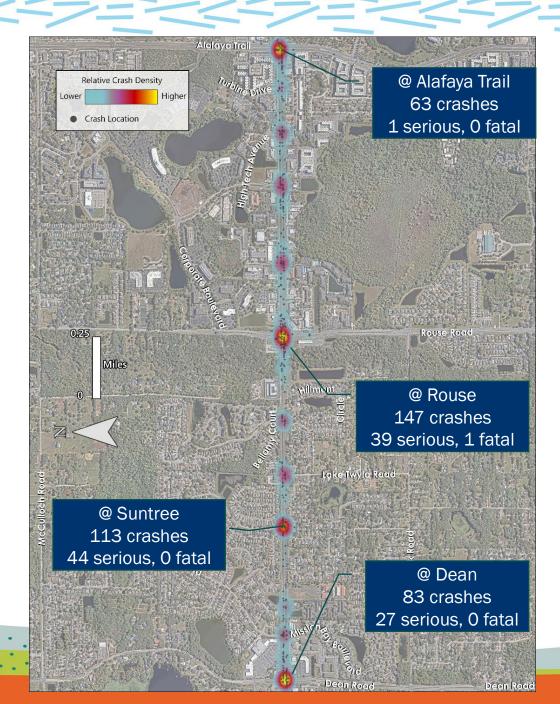
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Characteristics	Description
Orientation	East-West
<b>Functional Classification</b>	Principal Arterial
Estimated Annual Average Daily Traffic (AADT)	45,000 vehicles per day
Speed Limit (miles per hour)	45 mph
Number of Lanes	6 (3 in each direction)
Lane Widths (feet)	11' (typical)
Roadway Features	Divided roadway with landscaped median with left- and right-turn lanes for access points and at intersections throughout the corridor.
Land Uses	Medium- to High-Density Residential, Commercial (Shopping plazas and stores), Institutional (University of Central Florida).
<b>Transit Presence</b>	10 stops in each direction  Lynx: Route 13 & 104
Pedestrian Facilities	Sidewalk present along both sides for the entire corridor.  Marked crosswalks are provided at signalized intersection and several side streets.
Bicycle Facilities	Bike lanes on intersecting Rouse Road.

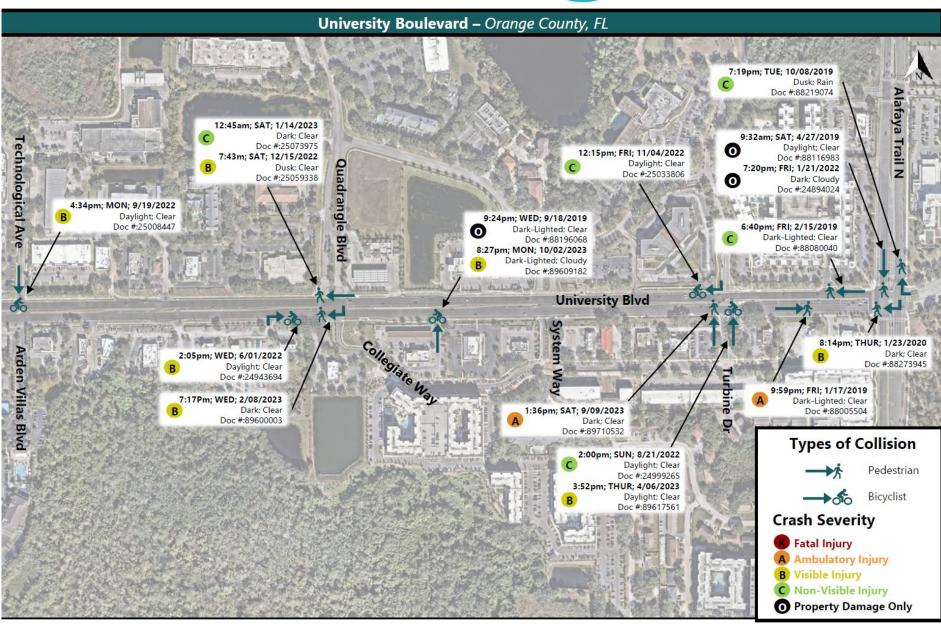
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Angle	racarrey	211,01.	15	22	37
Bicycle		1	8	1	10
Head On			2	6	8
Left Turn		7	37	50	94
Off Road			5	26	31
Other		3	20	44	67
Pedestrian	4	2	9	3	18
Rear End		11	128	275	414
Right Turn		1	8	30	39
Rollover		1			1
Sideswipe			10	74	84
Unknown			4	6	10
<b>Grand Total</b>	4	26	246	537	813









- Review conditions in the field
- Review crash report narratives
- Review prompt lists



### **Existing Positive Safety Features**

- Landscaped center median (where present)
  - Median was wide enough for pedestrian refuge
- Sidewalks along both sides
- RCUTs/Directional Medians
- New crosswalk at Turbine Drive
- Pedestrian signals and pushbuttons present (though not PROWAG compliant)
- New fencing consolidating multiple desire lines
- Transit stops with shade and amenities

- Good sidewalk separation from road (landscape buffer)
- Red light cameras
- Speed feedback sign installed previously (needs fixed)
- Pedestrian beacons
- New lighting at University Boulevard and Alafaya Trail
- Connection between the parcels and access on side streets
- Sight lines from straight road (aside from speed effects)

# **Overarching Roadway Safety Concerns:**

### **Prioritized Issues**

- 1. High overall corridor speeds
- 2. Lack of midblock/marked crossings
- Bicyclist facilities (lacking/mixing with peds)
- 4. Ped/Bike interaction at driveways (and driver sightlines)
- 5. Lack of marked crosswalks at transit stops

### **Other Concerns**

- Pavement marking visibility (nighttime)
- Large curb radii
- Lighting conditions
- Drivers not stopping/yielding for ped/bikes
- Indicators of roadway departures
- Pavement condition (potholes)
- Pavement marking conditions



## Overarching Roadway Safety Concerns:

### **Other Concerns**

- None of the intersections have PROWAG compliant curb ramps, ped pushbuttons, or signals
- Low landscaping/foliage/branches blocking sidewalk and pushbutton at Turbine Drive
- Sidewalk conditions on south curb near Dean Road

- Crosswalk condition/texture/rutting
- Cycle lengths and signal phasing
- Open electrical boxes
- Sightlines for WBR at Rouse Road
- Context change between western and eastern portion
- Repaving timeline many markings are not thermoplastic





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## Issue: Lack of midblock/marked crossings

- Eastern Portion between Alafaya Trail and Rouse Road: Potential for 3 new marked crosswalks with installation of new signals/PHBs
- Opportunity for additional crosswalks at intersections with existing signals



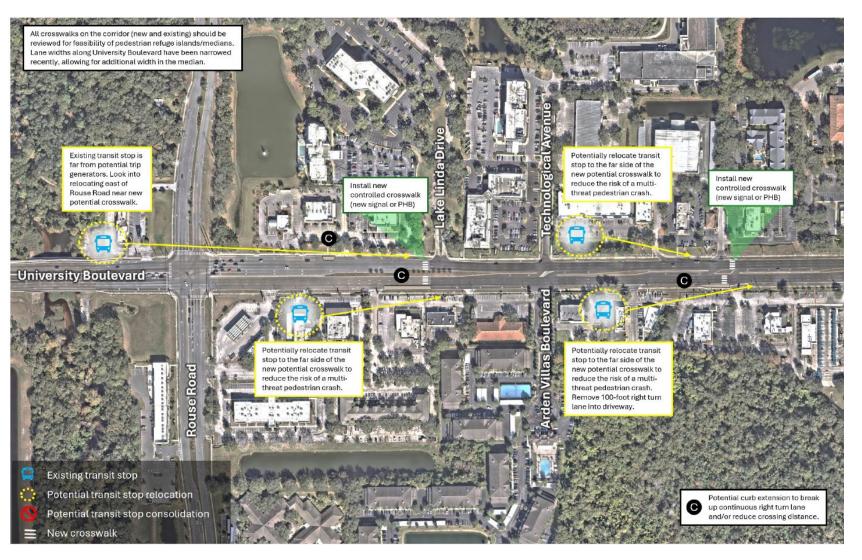
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### Other Recommendations

- Access Management
- Roadway Maintenance
  - Landscape Maintenance
  - Pavement Maintenance
  - Signage
- Speed Management
  - MM Context and Target Speeds
  - Dynamic Speed Feedback Signs
  - Speed Limit Pavement Markings
  - Gateway Treatments
- Curb Extensions

- Signal Strategies
  - Backplates w/retroreflective borders
  - Leading Pedestrian Intervals (LPIs)
  - No Turn on Red (right turns)
  - Flashing Yellow Arrows (FYAs) (left turns)
- Driveway Improvements
- Lighting Improvements
- PROWAG Upgrades
- Site Specific Recommendations @ each intersection



# Moving into Implementation

Location	Recommendation	Action	Cost	Responsible Party
Location	Landscaping Maintenance	Action	Low	raity
	Pavement Maintenance		Medium	
Corridor-wide	Pavement Marking Upgrades		Low	
	Lighting Improvements		High	
	Curb Ramp Improvements		Low (per location)	
	High visibility crosswalk markings		Low	
	Retroreflective signal backplates		Low	
University Boulevard and	ADA/PROWAG improvements		Low to Medium	
Dean Road	(including APS)			
Dean Road	Street name sign maintenance		Low	
	LPI and NTOR		Medium	
University	Fix dynamic speed feedback sign		Low	
Boulevard and	Relocate transit stops shelter out of		High	
Mission Bay	Publix driveway sightline or look to			
Drive	make driveway one-way in			
2	Install new controlled crosswalk		High	
University	Consolidate transit stops with new		High	
Boulevard and	controlled crosswalk			
Gathering				
Drive	Little Colonial Colonia		1	
Date and the	High visibility crosswalk markings		Low Low to Medium	
University Boulevard and	ADA/PROWAG improvements (including APS)		Low to Medium	
Suntree	LPI and NTOR		Medium	
Boulevard	Use extra space in median for new		Medium	
Doulevalu	pedestrian refuge		MEGIGITI	
University	High visibility crosswalk markings		Low	
Boulevard and	ADA/PROWAG improvements		Low to Medium	
Lake Twylo	(including APS)		2011 to Integral	
Road	I PI and NTOR		Medium	



### SPEED LIMIT SETTING TOOLS



### MetroPlan Orlando Region

Speed & Speeding KSI Statistics

8% of Fatalities
and
3% of KSI Crashes
are "Speeding Related"

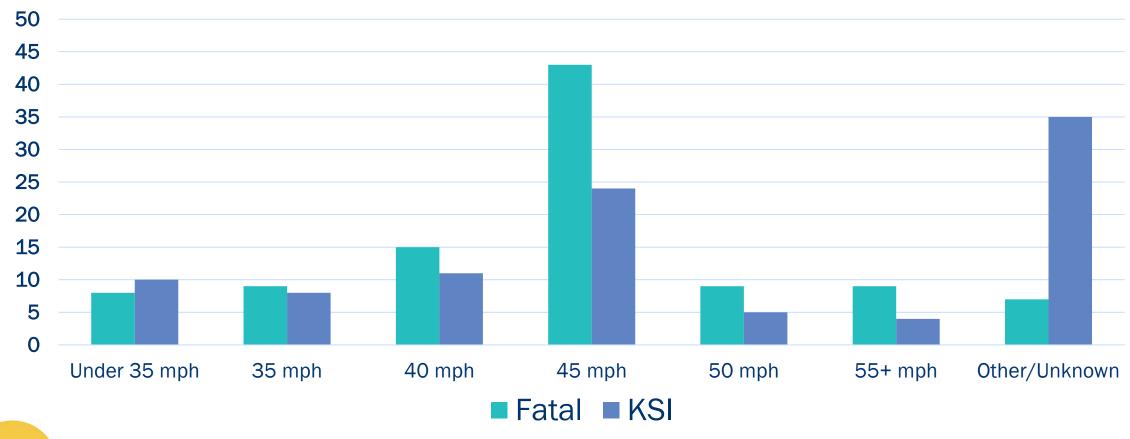
3% & 1% "Exceeding Posted" 2% & 1% "Too Fast for Conditions"



Source: Signal Four Analytics based on data from 2014 through 2024.

#### Percent of Crashes by Posted Speed

Speed & Speeding KSI Statistics



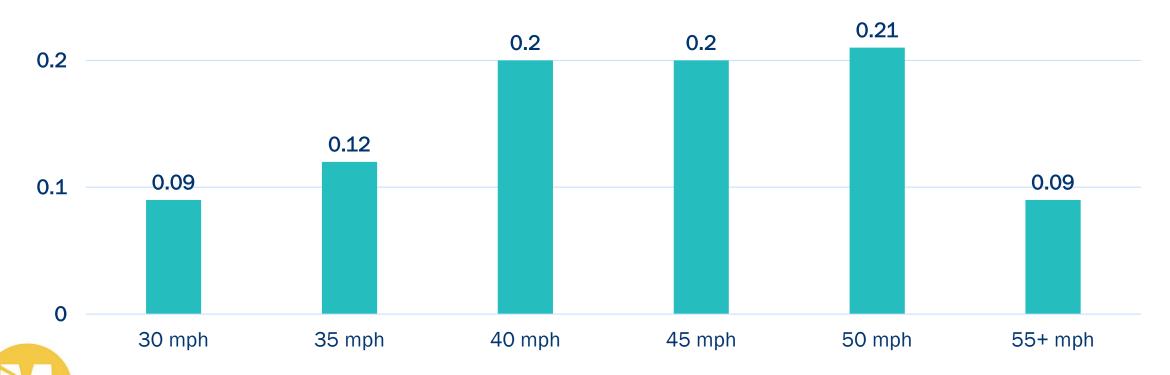


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#### KSI Crash Rate Per Centerline Mile

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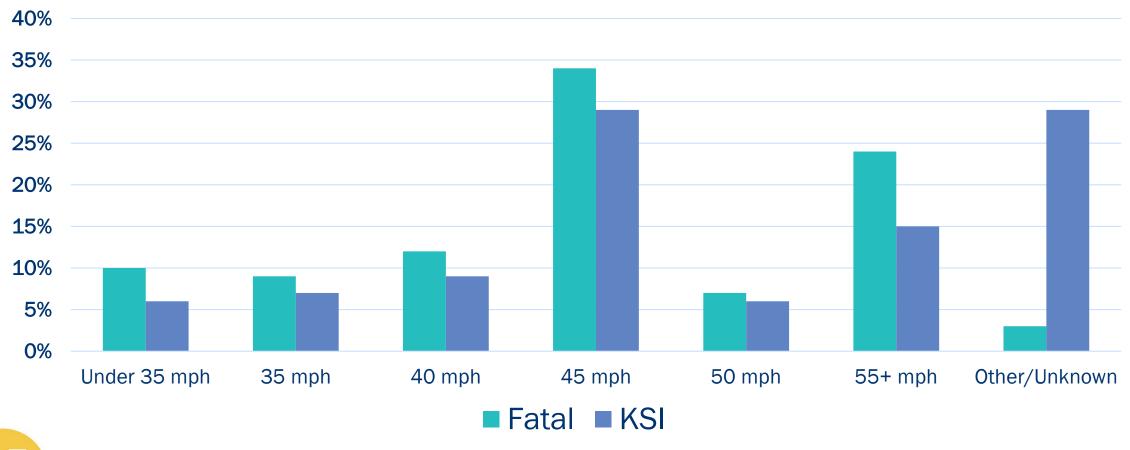
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#### Percent of Non-Motorist Crashes by Posted Speed

Speed & Speeding KSI Statistics

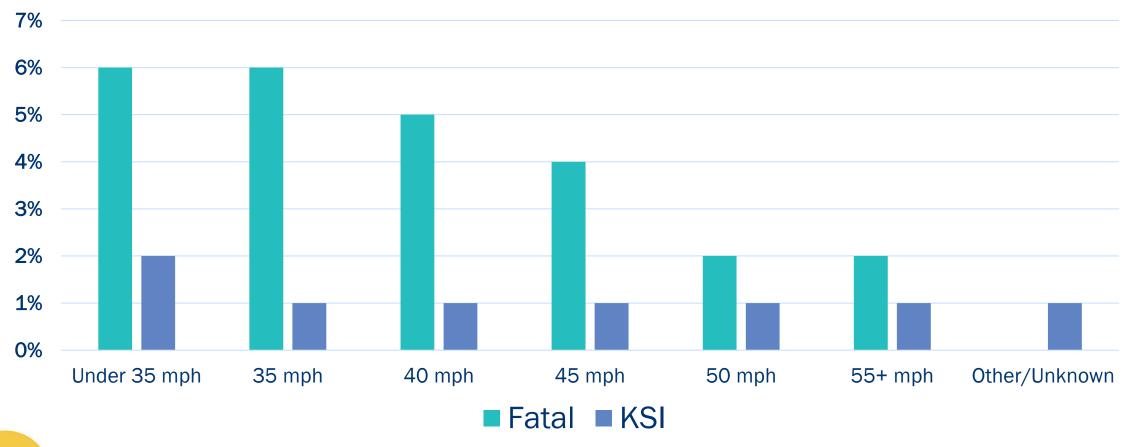




Source: Signal Four Analytics based on data from 2014 through 2024.

#### Percent Involving Driver Exceeding Posted Speed

Speed & Speeding KSI Statistics





Source: Signal Four Analytics based on data from 2014 through 2024.

#### FHWA Speed Limit Setting Handbook

**Speed Limit Setting Handbook** 

- How to conduct an engineering study to set an appropriate nonstatutory speed limit based on
  - Roadway environment and roadway characteristics
  - Geographic context
  - Crash experience
  - Speed distribution of free-flowing vehicles
  - Past studies to identify trends in operating speeds







## FHWA Speed Limit Setting Handbook

- MUTCD requires that non-statutory speed limits be established based on an engineering study
  - Changes to road context and land use
  - Changes in road-user patterns or volumes
  - Changes in road geometry
  - Safety concerns identified from crash history, systemic safety study, or road safety audit findings
  - Construction or modification of multimodal facilities
  - Changes in road access management





## FHWA Speed Limit Setting Handbook

#### Refine Speed Limit Recommendation

- Target speed policy
  - Jurisdiction has already set a target speed for a roadway or for its combination of functional and context classifications
- Outreach
  - Identify any non-apparent conditions that the engineering study did not uncover
  - Share the engineering study findings and recommendations with affected jurisdictions and the public
  - Input from partner agencies law enforcement, city/county traffic engineers

#### Target Speed

The target speed is the highest desired operating speed given land-use contexts, multimodal activity, and vehicular mobility.





## FDOT Speed Zoning Manual

**Speed Zoning Manual** 

- Provide guidelines and recommended procedures for establishing uniform speed zones on State, Municipal, and County roadways
  - Florida Statutes require an engineering and traffic investigation to be conducted for any alteration of speed limits

#### Target speed

Highest speed at which vehicles should operate in a specific context, consistent with the level of multi-modal activity to provide mobility for motor vehicles and a safe environment for pedestrians, bicyclists, and public transit users.





## FDOT Speed Zoning Manual

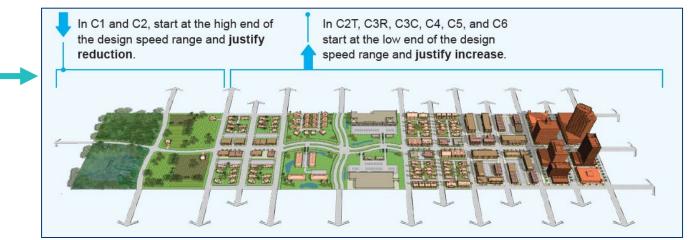
Zone Type	Typical Speed Range	Example Scenario	
Standard Speed Zone	Based on 85th percentile	Urban arterial with posted 45 mph	
Transition Zone	Stepped reductions (10 mph max drop per step)	$55 \rightarrow 45 \rightarrow 35$ approaching a town	
School Speed Zone	15-20 mph (specific hours)	Road near elementary school	
Municipal / Residential Area Zone	Typically 25 mph	City subdivision	
Special Area Zone	15-35 mph (varies)	State park road or manatee zone	
Work Zone Speed Limit	Typically 10-20 mph lower than normal	Road under resurfacing	
Subdivision Streets	20-25 mph	Gated community or cul-de-sac street	
Area-Wide Speed Zone	25-35 mph (set by city/county)	Downtown business district	
Advisory Speed Zone	Varies (non-regulatory)	Curve with 25 mph advisory	



#### **FDOT Context Classification Guide**

Steps to Determine Target Speed

- Florida Design Manual consistency
- Identify starting point for target speed
- Identify project needs
- Document target speed
- Review potential countermeasures and design speed





#### **Speed Limit Setting Tools**

FHWA Speed Limit Setting Handbook Tools

- USLIMITS2 Safety | Federal Highway Administration
  - Web-based expert system developed under for recommending the maximum speed limit for a given stretch of roadway.
- Speed Limit Setting (SLS) Tool
  - NCHRP Research Report 966: Posted Speed Limit Setting Procedure and Tool: User Guide
  - Spreadsheet-based tool that applies research-based decision rules to recommend a speed limit for a roadway section.



#### **City Limits NACTO**

City Limits - NACTO

- Provides a consistent, rational, scalable approach to urban speed limit setting, from citywide strategies to corridor-bycorridor methods
- Includes a Safe Speed Study methodology that is consistent with a safe systems approach

The technical guidance and recommended maximum speed limits in this document are based on input from NACTO member agencies, academic studies about speeds that minimize conflict and risk, and best practices in cities across the world







## **Speed Limit Setting Tools Comparison**

Tool	Analysis Factors	Applicability	Additional Considerations
City Limits	Conflict density Activity level	Urban	Speed management Post implementation evaluation
USLIMITS2	Crash data Speed distribution Roadway characteristics Geographic Context	Limited Access Freeway Develop Area Undeveloped Area	If crash rate above critical implement corrective actions for engineering and traffic control deficiencies. Speed limit should only be reduced as a last measure
SLST		Rural Suburban Urban	Recommended speed should always be evaluated against the overall study objective and the local roadway context to check that the recommended speed would result in safe conditions for all users

Note: Florida Statutes require an engineering and traffic investigation to be conducted for any alteration of speed limits









# ANNUAL REPORTING ROUNDTABLE



#### **Annual Report**

Monitor progress to improve outcomes.

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Crash Data Update

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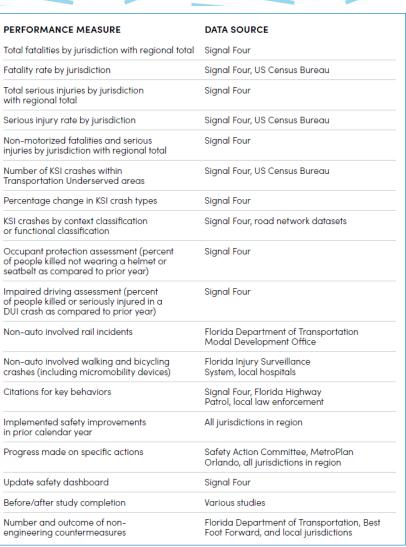
Actions and Strategies Progress

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Next Steps and Lessons Learned







Source: MetroPlan Orlando, 2024.



#### **Annual Report – Agency Coordination**

- Projects or safety initiatives that have been implemented since Plan adoption
- Follow up on actions in the plan
  - Missing information
  - Current status for each action
- Opportunities for collaboration
- Lessons learned thus far
- Planned next steps





#### **Action Plan Consolidation Database**

MetroPlan Orlando Action	Description	Jurisdictions with Similar Action	MetroPlan Orlando Timeframe
Advance a regional 20 mile per hour residential speed limit	Research and guidance for <b>20</b> is <b>Plenty</b> efforts to help local jurisdiction understand the process for establishing 20 miles per hour as the defacto speed limit on residential streets.	Altamonte Springs Kissimmee Longwood Oviedo St. Cloud Winter Springs	Within three years of plan adoption
Develop a complete streets policy template	Development of a <b>Complete Street</b> resolution that can be adapted and then adopted by local jurisdictions, pivoting from the Complete Streets resolution that MetroPlan Orlando already has developed.	Casselberry Kissimeee Longwood Oakland Ocoee Oviedo Sanford St. Cloud Winter Garden Winter Park	Within two years of plan adoption
Pilot use of signal timing to regulate speeds / Formalize target speed setting	Compilation of best practices related to traffic calming, target speed setting and speed management to help jurisdictions set appropriate target speeds and identify engineering and other countermeasures to help achieve the target speed.	All jurisdictions	Within three years of plan adoption / within one year of plan adoption
Report on annual crash data and serve as a regional data clearinghouse	Continued compilation and updates to regional crash data. Most jurisdictions have some action related to monitoring crash outcomes, evaluating effectiveness of different countermeasures and reporting back to the public.	All jurisdictions	Annually / within three years of plan adoption







# MEMBER SPOTLIGHT: CASSELBERRY



## ENVISIONING CASSELBERRY:

ACHIEVING ZERO WHILE BECOMING CENTRAL FLORIDA'S MOST WALKABLE, ROLLABLE, & BIKEABLE CITY

Vision Zero Task Force Meeting September 23, 2025

Presented by

Kelly Hans Brock, Ph.D., P.E., ENV SP Public Works Director City of Casselberry







• Less than 10 miles north of Orlando

Population approximately 30,000

Approx 7.5 square miles

Numerous parks, trails, and quiet streets





#### THIS IS ALSO CASSELBERRY

- Land use: suburban form, no traditional Town Center, autocentric
- Stroads galore (SR 436, US 17-92, SR 434)



# CASSELBERRY'S SAFETY INITIATIVES ARE INTERWOVEN WITH COMPLETE STREETS

- 2016: first ever Multimodal Transportation Master Plan (MTMP) included Complete Streets Policy and Design guidelines
- 2019: MTMP received major update to Policy
  - Healthy Community Complete Streets Policy and Design Guidelines
  - New goal





#### **Connecting Casselberry**

The Casselberry Multimodal Transportation Master Plan



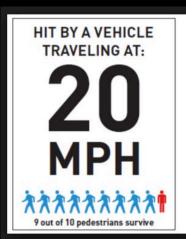
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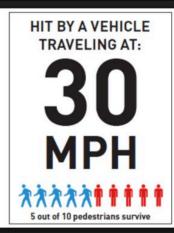
#### COMPLETE STREETS POLICY: GOAL

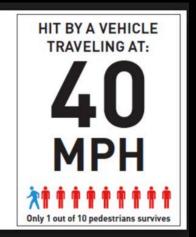
By 2040, with a balanced multimodal transportation system, the City of Casselberry will become the most walkable, rollable, and bikeable City in Central Florida, where active transportation becomes a viable and routine choice for daily mobility needs, thereby increasing community health, equity, economic vitality, and environmental stewardship.

# CASSELBERRY COMPLETE STREETS POLICY

- 2019 updated Policy
  - Recognized influence of built environment on physical activity levels/community health
  - Clarified broad applicability to both public and private development and streets
  - Enhanced design guidelines with design speed = posted speed = target speed approach, 10 ft default travel lane width, and 25 mph default target speed

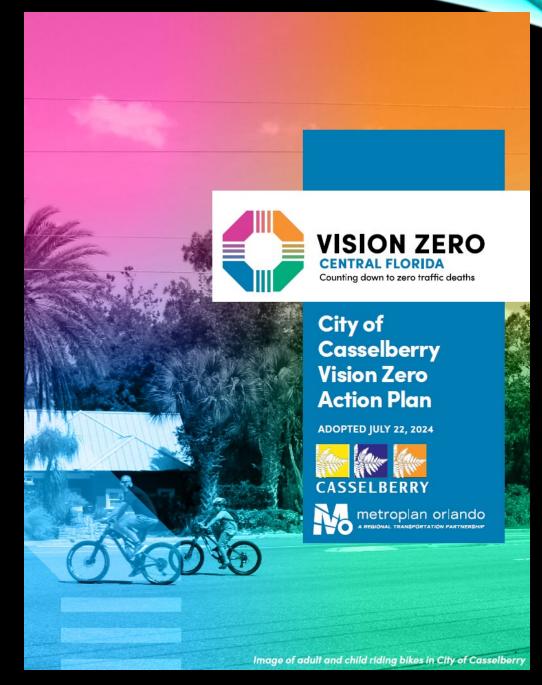






# RECENT MOBILITY & SAFETY PLANNING

- 2023: began developing the Mobility and Access Plan (MAP), a successor to the MTMP
- 2024: adopted a Vision Zero Goal and Vision Zero Action Plan to achieve zero fatalities and severe injuries on Cityowned streets by 2030 and all streets in the City by 2040
  - Part of a concerted effort with the entire MetroPlan Orlando region



# CASSELBERRY MOBILITY & SAFETY PROJECTS

• 2019: N Oxford Road

• 2019: Casselton Drive

• 2021: Concord Drive

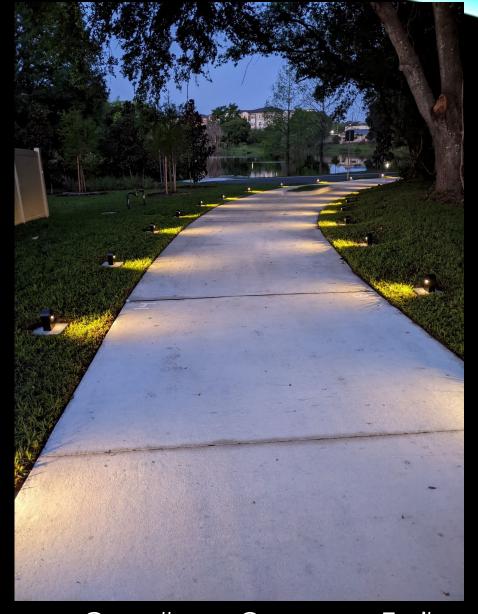
• 2022: Quail Pond Circle

• 2023: Lake Kathryn Circle

• 2024: Sunset Drive

2024: Southcot Drive

• 2025+: Winter Park Drive & more...

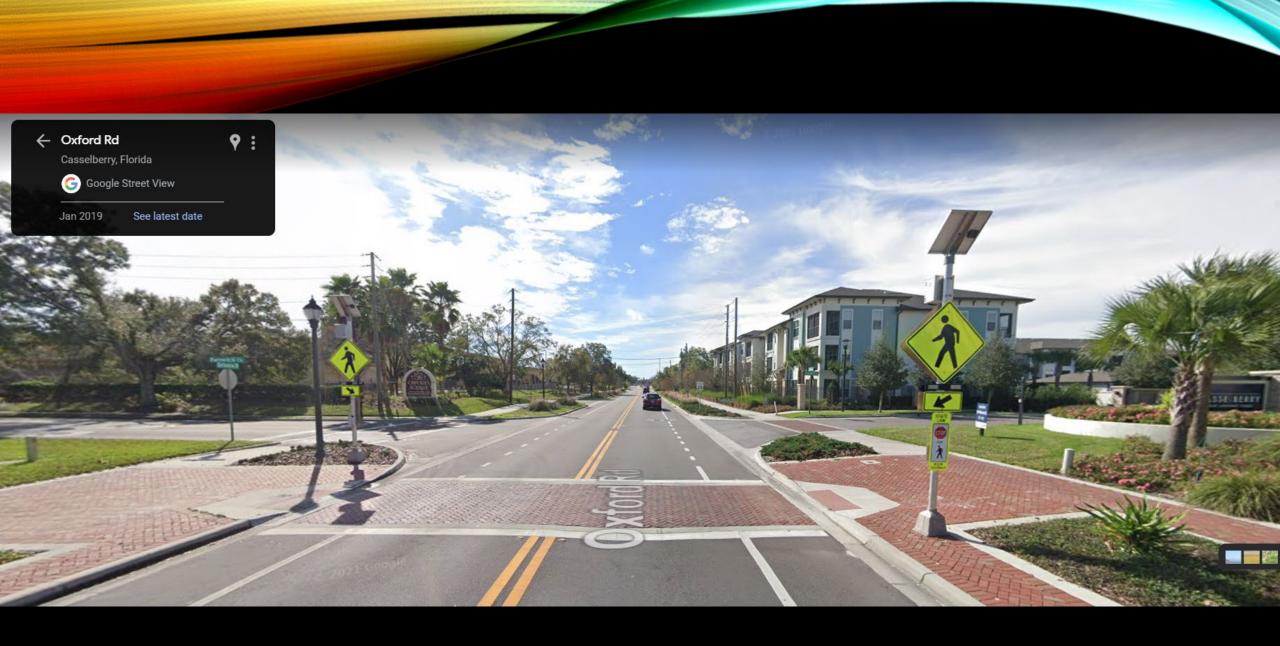


Casselberry Greenway Trail at Quail Pond



Source: Google Streetview

2015



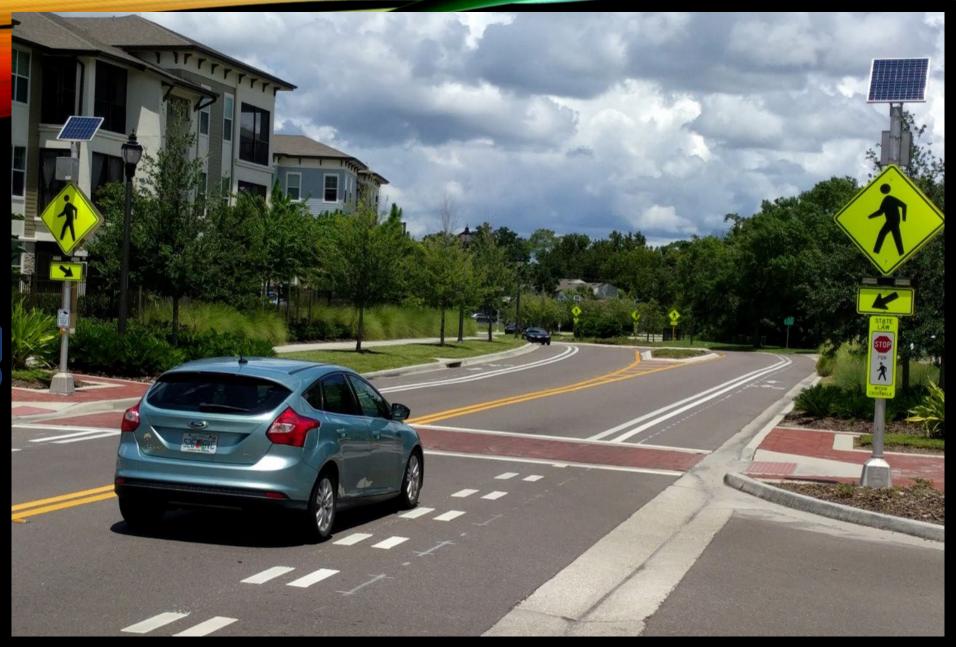
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2019

N Oxford Rd



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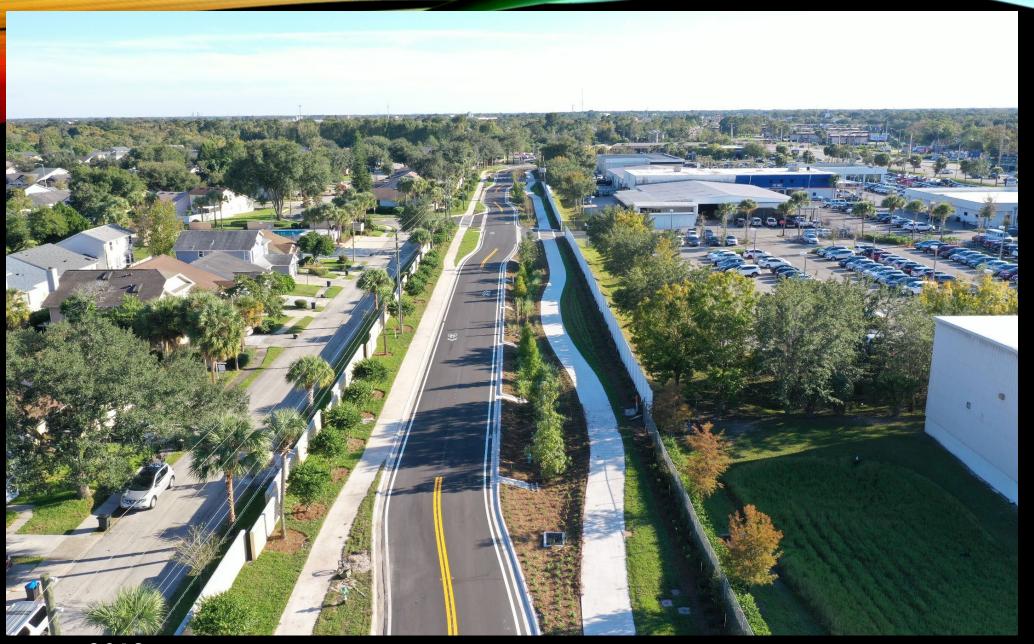


WINNER

N Oxford Rd

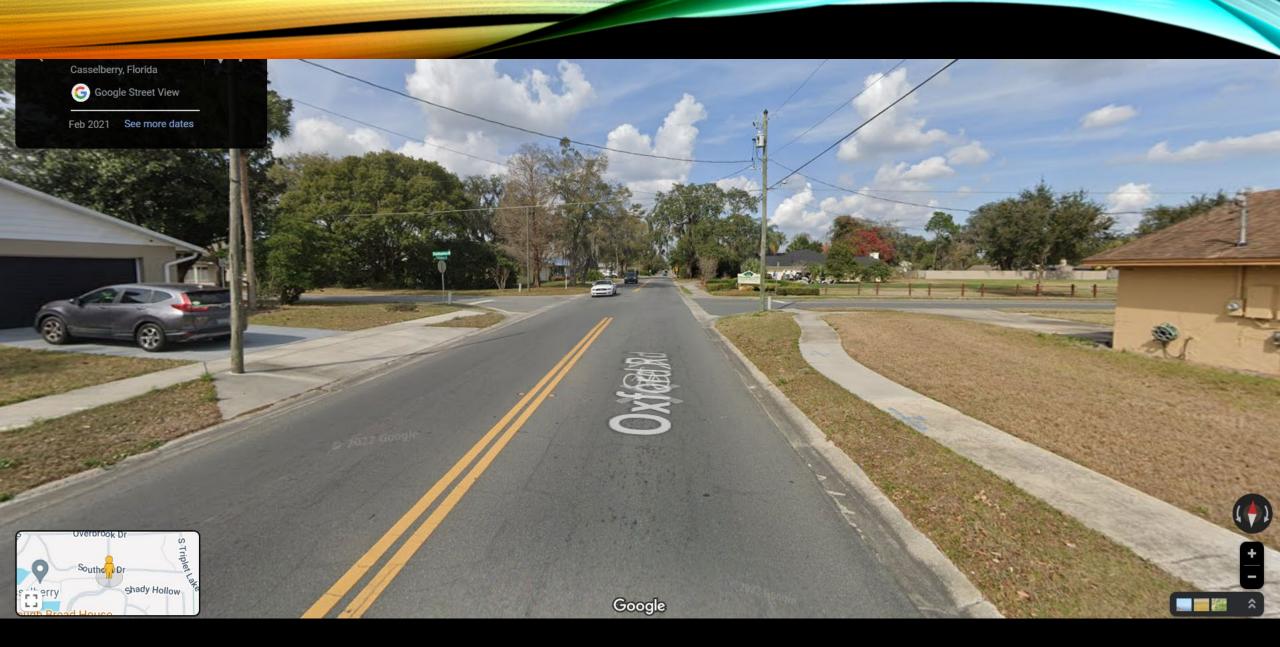


2014 Casselton Dr



2019

Casselton Dr



Source: Google Streetview

2021



2024 S Sunset Dr



Source: Google Streetview

2023

Southcot Dr



2024 Southcot Dr

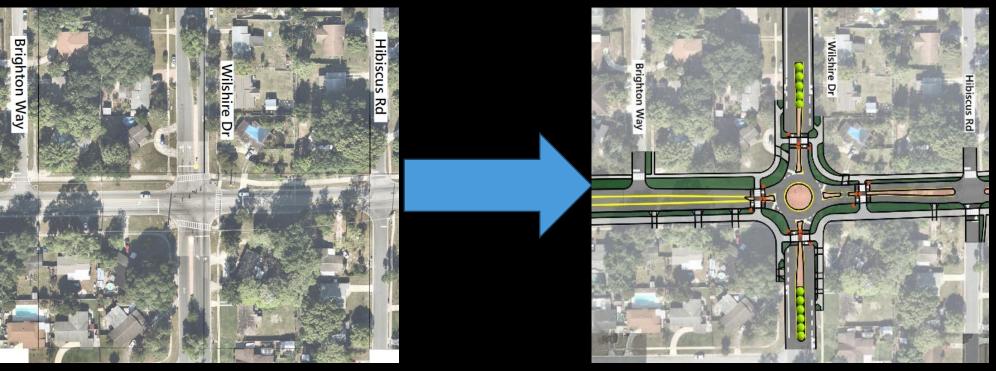
November 2019 Average speed:27 mph

November 2024
 Average speed:
 22 mph



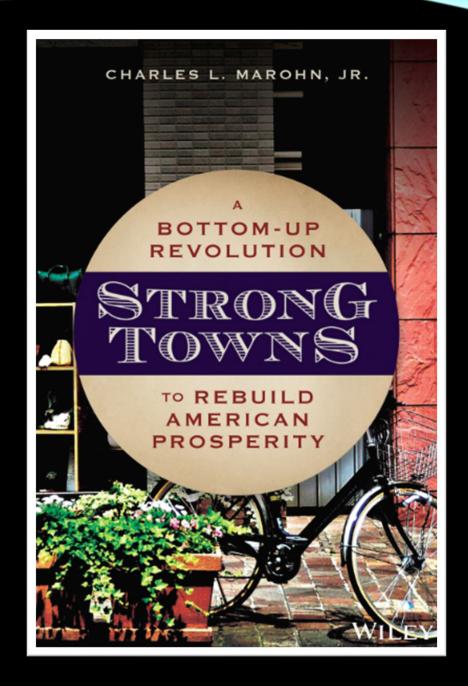
Southcot Dr





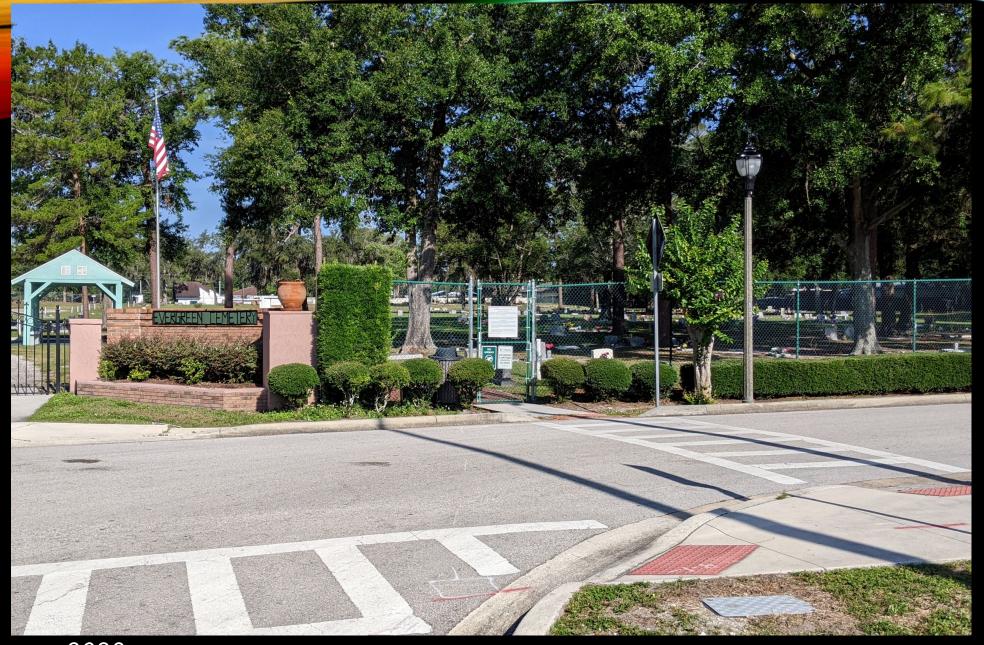
Winter Park Drive Complete Street Improvements (Red Bug Lake Rd to SR 434)

# THE VALUE OF INCREMENTAL CHANGE





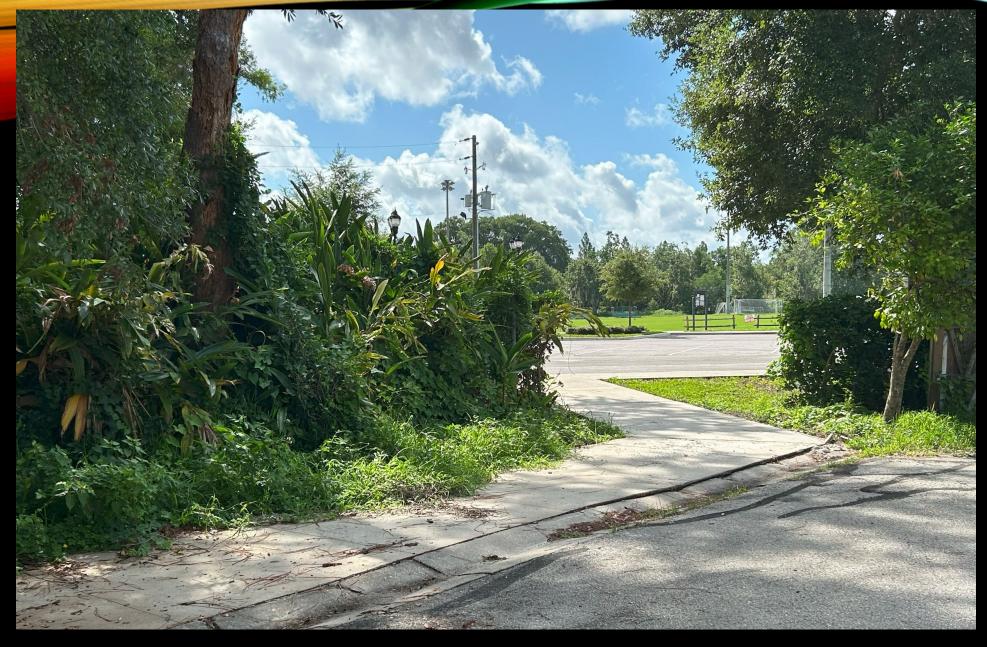
2017



2023

Evergreen Cemetery @ S Cypress Way





July 2025

Bay St @ Secret Lake Park



Source: Google Streetview

Wyndham Way @ Bridle Path



2025 (Construction in progress)

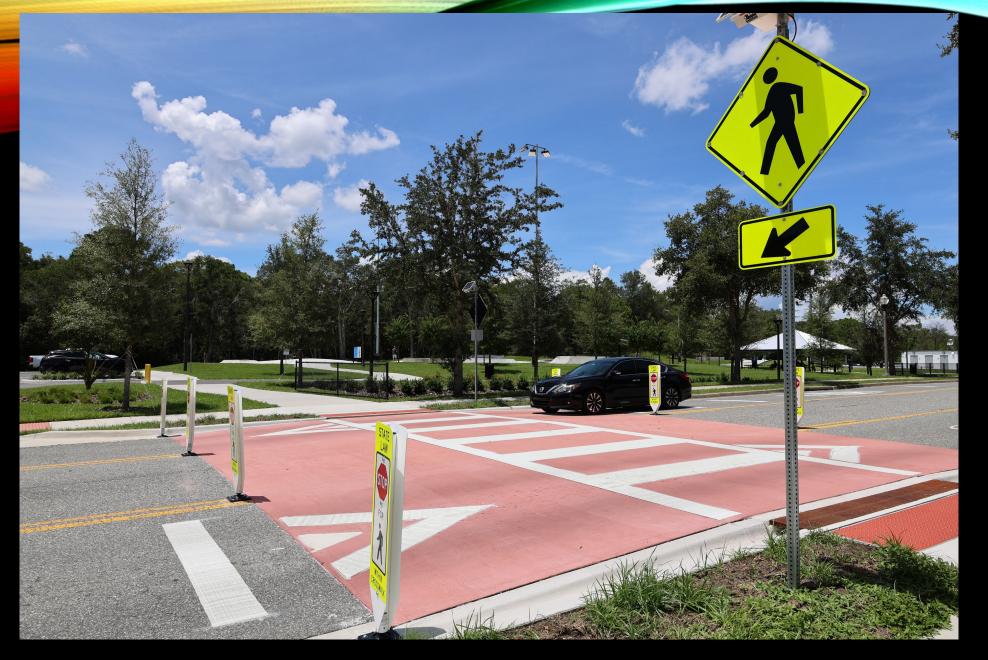
Wyndham Way @ Bridle Path



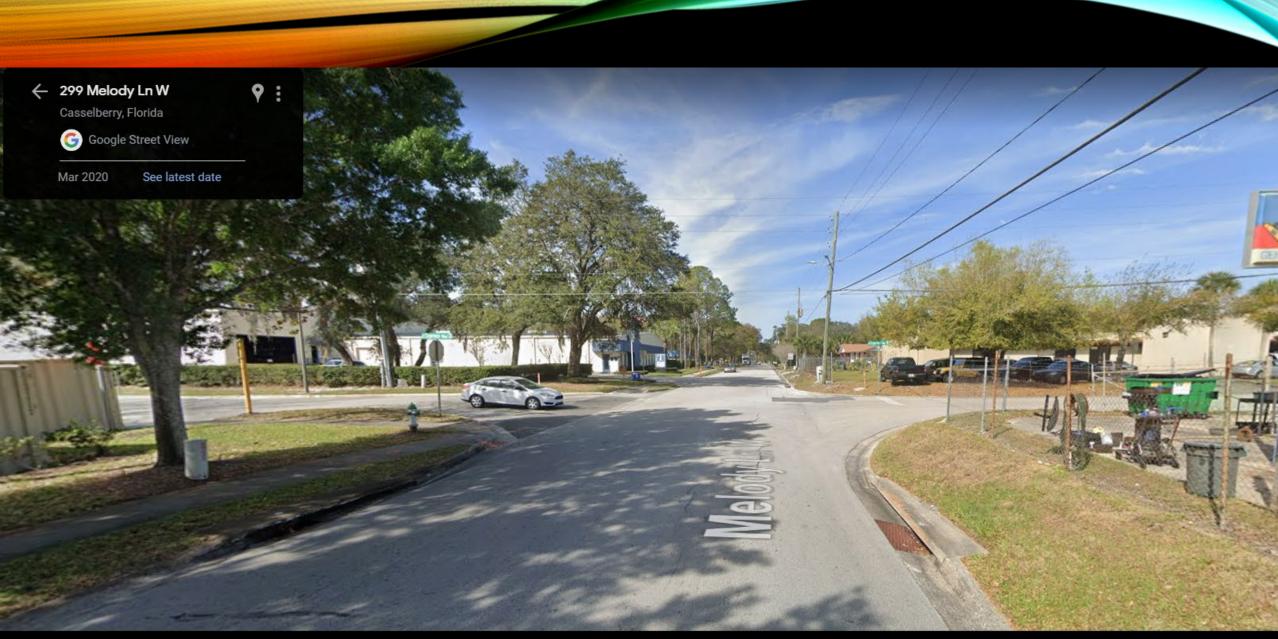
Source: Google Streetview

April 2025

N Winter Park Dr @ Wheel Park



August 2025 N Winter Park Dr @ Wheel Park



Source: Google Streetview

2020

W Melody Ln



2023

W Melody Ln

# BFF+CASSELBERRY POLICE & PUBLIC WORKS: EVALUATION, EDUCATION, ENFORCEMENT, & ENGINEERING

- Cooperative effort gets us out of "silos"
- Education, outreach, and enforcement raise awareness and influence behavior
- Data collection helps verify issues and efficacy of engineering solutions to further change behavior



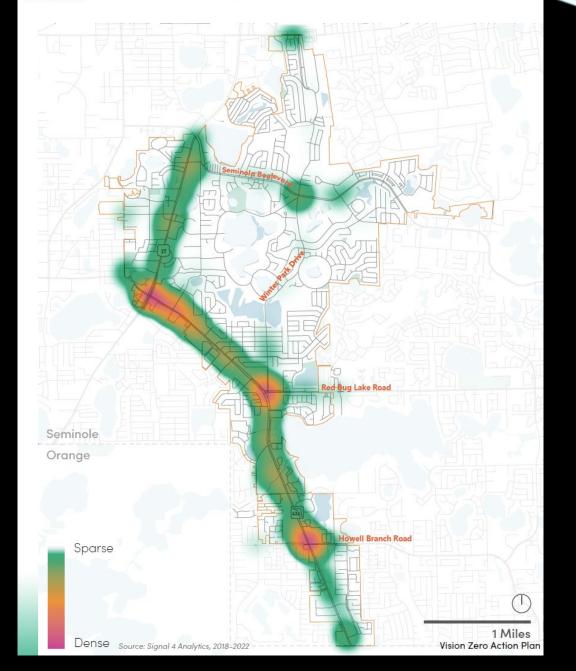


# IMPLEMENTING VISION ZERO

- Completion of the new Mobility and Access Plan (MAP)
  - SS4A funding awarded
  - Policy Updates
  - New Projects to complete the City's active transportation network
- Implement & evaluate Quick-build Demonstration Projects
  - SS4A funding awarded
- Implement Winter Park Drive
- Track implementation and update the Vision Zero Action Plan
- Coordinate with partners and leverage local funds to help "fix" SR 436 and other arterials



#### Heat map of all KSIs



# MANY CHALLENGES, MANY STRENGTHS

- Community values safety
- Small size + stable Commission + trust in Staff + passionate Staff = Ability to adapt quickly
- Partnerships (MetroPlan Orlando, FDOT, Seminole County, Bike/Walk Central Florida, nearby Cities)
- Funding (Sales Tax, Federal Funding through MPO process & grants)



#### THANK YOU

Find our Complete Streets Policy, Vision Zero Action Plan, Winter Park Drive Study, and more at:

www.casselberry.org/go





### **MEETING WRAP UP**



## Vision Zero Safety Speaker Series

• Next Session: October 14, 2025

Noon-1:15PM

Topic: e-Micromobility Safety

https://bit.ly/VZplaylist





### Call for CyclingSavvy Instructors

 Requirement for teaching Middle School Bike Club Program

- Able to teach CyclingSavvy courses through ABEA
- Basic CyclingSavvy course 10 hours
- Advanced Certification (Instructor Training)
  - Six online modules
  - Optional Zoom sessions
  - Three-day in-person weekend certification seminar





#### RSA – Call for Projects - Deadline is 9/30!

- Supplemental Planning Grant Activities
  - Step up outreach activities
  - Data refinements/updates
  - Road Safety Audits/Evaluations
    - Goal is to advance near-term projects
    - Projects on any HIN are eligible
    - Projects on multiple HINs desirable
  - Updates to Regional VZAP

- Project Sponsor Requirements
  - Local Project Manager
  - Walk Audit Availability
  - Location for kick-off and findings review meetings
  - Timely reviews
- Seeking volunteers
  - Inform outreach approach
  - Review RSA requests

#### **MEMBER COMMENTS**

Additional Member Discussion



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#### How to Make a Public Comment



#### Virtually

Use "Raise Hand" feature (Or dial \*9 if on the phone)

Fill out electronic card at: MetroPlanOrlando.gov/SpeakerCard

After you are recognized, state your name and address and give your comment within 2 minutes







## Questions? Thank you!

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