S.R. 44 AT KEPLER ROAD ROUNDABOUT

FDOT

From west of Kepler Road to east of Talisman Lane

Financial Project Identification (FPID) No.: 431922-1

PROJECT DESCRIPTION:

The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) is holding a public hearing on **Thursday, January 21, 2021, at 5:30 p.m.** regarding project plans on State Road (S.R.) 44 at Kepler Road in DeLand in Volusia County. The purpose of the project is to replace the traffic signal at S.R. 44 and Kepler Road with a roundabout to improve traffic efficiency and enhance safety at the intersection.

Proposed roundabout plans include two lanes, as well as a right turn bypass lane at three of the four road connections. Dedicated crosswalks for pedestrians and bicyclists are also proposed, along with nighttime lighting at the intersection, landscaping, and resurfacing S.R. 44 from just west of Kepler Road to Talisman Road. Construction for this project is currently unfunded. The public hearing is being held to present information and receive community feedback.

YOU ARE INVITED TO A PUBLIC HEARING:

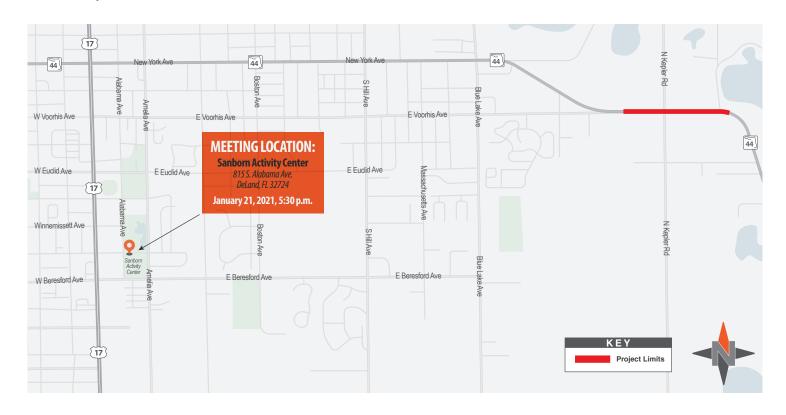
January 21, 2021, at 5:30 p.m.

Online at https://bit.ly/36wQn5g

By Phone 1-866-952-8437

Passcode: 136-505-644 or In Person:

Sanborn Activity Center 815 S. Alabama Ave, DeLand FL 32724









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THE DEPARTMENT IS OFFERING MULTIPLE WAYS FOR THE COMMUNITY TO PARTICIPATE IN THE HEARING. ALL PARTICIPANTS, REGARDLESS OF PLATFORM THEY CHOOSE, WILL PARTICIPATE IN THE SAME LIVE HEARING:

- Virtual Option: Interested persons may join the Virtual Public Hearing (VPH) from a computer, tablet or mobile device. A VPH is a free live presentation or webinar over the internet. For this option, advance registration is required by visiting the link below. Once registered, participants will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the hearing online. Please note, Internet Explorer cannot be used to register or attend this webinar. https://bit.ly/36wQn5g
- **Phone Option (Listen Only):** Participants may join the hearing in listen-only mode by dialing 1-866-952-8437 and entering the passcode 136-505-644 when prompted. Callers may submit comments directly to the project manager by using the contact information at the end of this flyer.
- In-Person Option: Participants may attend in person by going to Wayne G. Sanborn Activity Center, 815 S. Alabama Avenue, DeLand, FL 32724. The Department requests advance registration for this option to ensure all attendees are accommodated safely and according to social distancing guidelines. To register for the in-person option, please contact the project manager by using the contact information listed below. Attendees will be asked to follow all safety and sanitation guidelines as well as adhere to any local ordinances. Persons who are not feeling well should not attend the in-person hearing.

All hearing materials, including the presentation, will be available on the project website located at www.cflroads.com/project/431922-1 prior to the hearing. A recording of the hearing will be posted within a week following the hearing.



FOR MORE INFORMATION:

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Persons who require accommodations under the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) or persons who require translation services (free of charge) should contact Project Manager Todd Helton, P.E., at 386-943-5207 or Todd.Helton@dot.state.fl.us at least seven (7) days prior to the hearing. If you are hearing or speech impaired, please contact us by using the Florida Relay Service, 1-800-955-8771 (TDD) or 1-800-955-8770 (Voice).















Public participation is solicited without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, disability, or family status. Persons wishing to express their concerns relative to FDOT compliance with Title VI may do so by contacting Jennifer Smith, FDOT District Five Title VI Coordinator, at Jennifer. Smith 2@dot.state.fl.us.