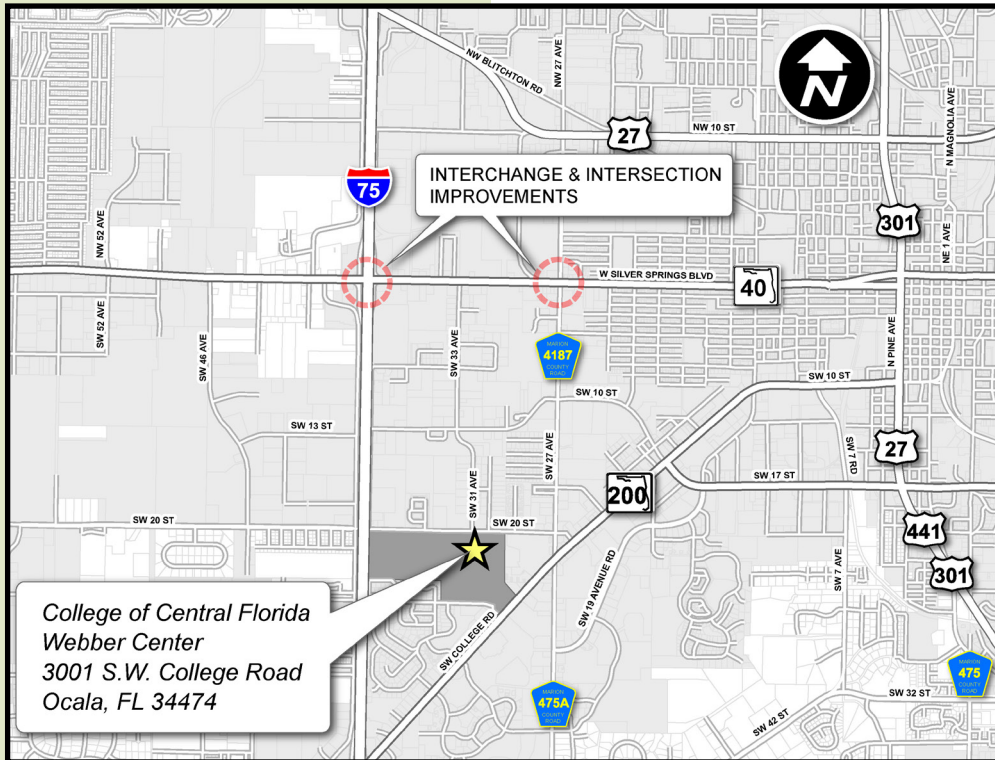




# DESIGN PROJECT PUBLIC HEARING

S.R. 40 at the S.W. 27th Avenue Intersection and  
S.R. 40 at the I-75 Interchange in Marion County

Financial Project ID Number: 433652-1-32-01



## PUBLIC HEARING

**Date:** Thursday, July 27, 2017  
**Time:** 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.  
**Where:** College of Central Florida  
Webber Center  
3001 S.W. College Road  
Ocala, Florida 34474

The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT), District Five is holding a public hearing on Thursday, July 27, 2017. The purpose of this hearing is to present information and receive public input regarding the proposed access management changes to State Road (S.R.) 40 at the S.W. 27th Avenue intersection in the City of Ocala. Information regarding the proposed improvements to S.R. 40 at the Interstate 75 (I-75) interchange will also be discussed. It begins with an open house at 5:30 p.m., where participants may review project information and discuss the project with staff. There is a brief presentation at 6:30 p.m., after which participants may provide comments to all present. The hearing ends at 7:30 p.m.

## PROJECT LOCATION MAP

## PROJECT FACTS

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- Proposed improvements to S.R. 40 at the S.W. 27th Avenue intersection include:
  - Widening the intersection to provide for dual left turn lanes to all approaches
  - An exclusive right turn lane for eastbound S.R. 40 to southbound S.W. 27th Avenue
  - Safety Improvements
    - Add traffic separators along S.W. 27th Avenue to prevent left turns from driveways near the intersection
- Proposed improvements to S.R. 40 at the I-75 interchange will improve traffic operations by:
  - Extending the existing left turn lanes along eastbound and westbound S.R. 40
  - Providing dual left turn lanes and a right turn lane for northbound and southbound exit ramps
- Design is scheduled for completion in January 2018
- Right-of-Way acquisition is funded in Fiscal Years 2018 through 2022
- Construction is currently not funded

*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, by phone at 386-943-5367, or via e-mail at [Jennifer.Smith2@dot.state.fl.us](mailto:Jennifer.Smith2@dot.state.fl.us).*

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