

Project Description

The purpose of the project is to enhance pedestrian safety and mobility along West Silver Springs Boulevard (State Road (S.R.) 40) between NW 27th Avenue and SW 7th Avenue in Ocala. The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) proposes to replace the existing 4.5-foot-wide concrete sidewalk and 4-foot-wide asphalt path with a new 8-foot-wide concrete sidewalk on the north side of the roadway. Sections of the 4-foot-wide sidewalk on the south side of the road will be removed and replaced with 5-foot-wide sections to match adjacent sidewalk.

Also planned is the removal of unused driveways and the reconstruction of other driveways as needed to create safe connections to the new sidewalk. The sidewalk curb ramps will also be reconstructed in accordance with Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) standards.

Project Status and Estimated Costs*

Design: Ongoing - completion spring 2022 \$407,000

Right of Way: Within existing —

Construction: Funded - fall 2022 \$1 Million

* subject to change

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