

SR 5/US 1/Overseas Highway Seven Mile Bridge Project Development and Environment (PD&E) Study

Little Duck Key (just south of Mile Marker 40) to Knights Key (just north of Mile Marker 47) Financial Management Number: 448207-1-22-01 | ETDM 14513

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Project Information

The Seven Mile Bridge (No. 900101) is an iconic symbol of the Florida Keys and the state of Florida.

The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) is conducting a PD&E Study that will evaluate the potential social, economic, and environmental effects associated with the proposed transportation improvements to SR 5/US 1 Overseas Highway over the Moser Channel.

The project location is the Seven Mile Bridge, which extends from Little Duck Key (just south of Mile Marker 40) to Knights Key (just north of Mile Marker 47), approximately 7.5 miles. The study is located in the City of Marathon and Monroe County, Florida.



Why is this study needed?

The primary purpose for this project is to evaluate alternatives for the Seven Mile Bridge to improve:





Mobility for all users



Structural resiliency



Evacuation & emergency response

Project Timeline

The PD&E Study started in December 2023 and is anticipated to be complete by December 2026. After completion of the PD&E phase, the preferred alternative will move to design, and bridge construction is to be scheduled once funded. The schedule is subject to change.





FDOT is committed to ensuring that the state's infrastructure serves residents, businesses, and visitors, to meet their needs now and in the future. Key areas include safety, resiliency, supply chain, technology, and workforce development.

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