

SW 8th Street/SW 7th Street PD&E Study



From SR 9/SW 27th Avenue to SR 5/US 1/Brickell Avenue
Project Development and Environment (PD&E) Study
Miami Dada County Florida

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PROJECT SUMMARY

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

SR 90/US 41/SW 8th/SW 7th Street (Calle Ocho) is a significant west-east corridor that extends from historic little Havana into Miami's Brickell financial district, including interchanges with Interstate 95 (I-95). This dense urban corridor has seen major growth in the last decade with high-density, high-rise developments. The project extends from SR 9/SW 27th Avenue to SR 5/US 1/Brickell Avenue. SW 8th Street and SW 7th Street work as one-way pairs with SW 8th Street traveling east and SW 7th Street traveling west.

The project corridor lies within an area better known as Little Havana. Little Havana is noted as a center of social and cultural activity in Miami. It is characterized by its street life with restaurants, music and other cultural activities as well as small and large businesses, and residential housing.





STUDY PURPOSE

The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) has initiated this Project Development and Environment (PD&E) Study to evaluate potential physical, operational and safety improvements along the project corridor, including the interchange at SW 8th Street and I-95. These improvements will be developed to improve traffic operations, improve the existing and future physical, operational and safety deficiencies, promote a Complete Streets corridor and improve access to the Brickell financial district and urban neighborhood.



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COMMUNITY OUTREACH/PARTICIPATION

The Public Involvement Program (PIP) will allow residents, business owners and other interested parties to contribute their thoughts and concerns regarding the project and to include community input into the decision-making process regarding the proposed transportation improvements for the project corridor. **Your input matters to us.**

Through public meetings and newsletters, we will generate interest in the project scope and schedule, and outline the public involvement process. This will ensure that the general public; local communities, agencies and officials; and other interested parties understand the nature of the project and its benefits by providing an open, two-way line of communication, presenting project information in an easy-to-understand bilingual format, and by making project information easily accessible.

PROJECT PHASES PLANNING PROJECT DEVELOPMENT AND ENVIRONMENTAL (PD&E) PROCESS FINAL DESIGN AND ENGINEERING RIGHT-OF-WAY ACQUISITION CONSTRUCTION MAINTENANCE

PROJECT DEVELOPMENT AND ENVIRONMENT (PD&E) STUDY PROCESS

During the PD&E Study phase, preliminary engineering and environmentally feasible alternatives are developed and evaluated to determine which alternative most effectively addresses the existing deficiencies within the project limits and what the future conditions will be without the proposed improvements. Alternatives are subject to a comprehensive evaluation to determine the best viable option. Engineering, environmental, socioeconomic and cost factors are considered to develop a recommended alternative.

PROJECT SCHEDULE



MORE PROJECT INFORMATION

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For more information about the PD&E Study visit the website at: http://www.fdotmiamidade.com/CalleOchoStudy.html

or in Spanish:

http://www.fdotmiamidade.com/sr-90sw-8-stsw-7-st-from-sw-27-ave-to-sr-5us-1brickell-ave-en-espanol.html