



SR 934/NE 79 ST PD&E Study

Presentation starts at 6:30 p.m.





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West of Pelican Harbor Drive to East of Adventure Avenue

Miami-Dade County, FL

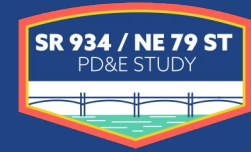
November 29, 2022

Bridge No. 870083;-549;-084;-550

FM No. 449007-1-22-01



Rules of Engagement



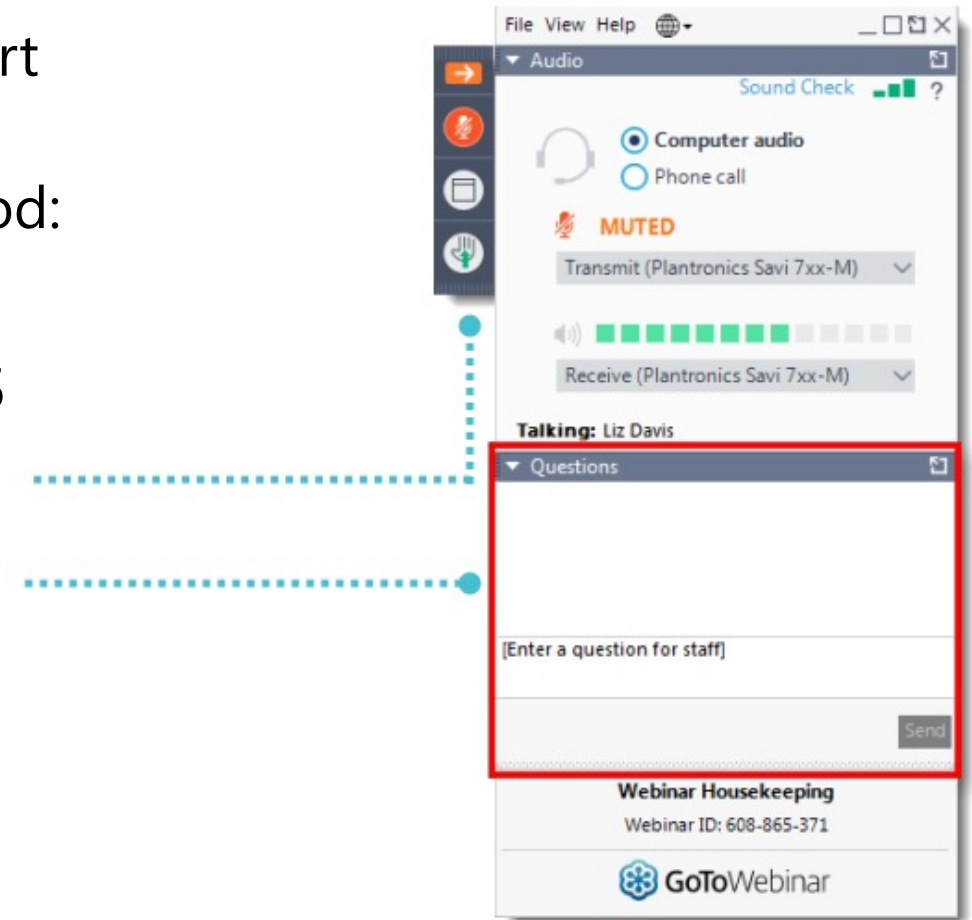
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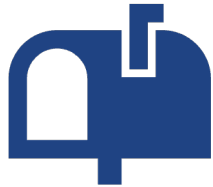
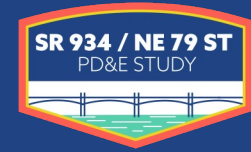
- In-person attendees form a line
- Call 1 (562) 247-8422; access code: 181-987-895
- Raise hand during comment period, you will be unmuted in order of raising hands
- Submit comments via the "Questions" Box

Get Technical Assistance

- **Call Manny Costales 786-352-4351**



Public Notice



Property owner/tenant letters



Emails to project contacts list



FDOT website



Florida Administrative Register

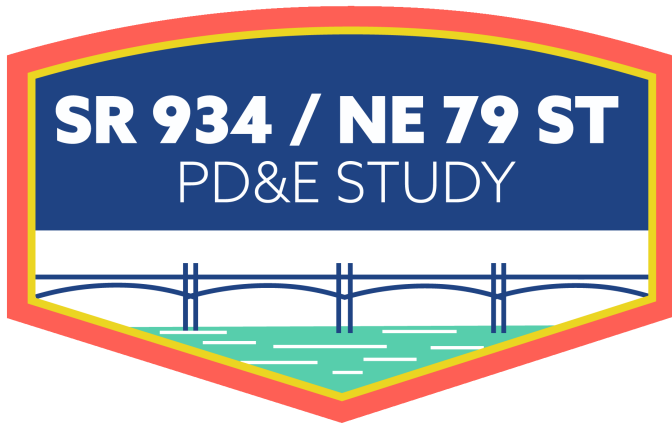
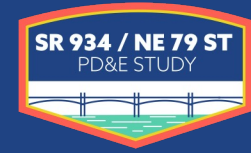


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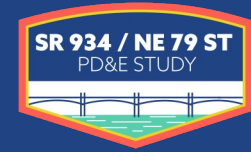
Social media

Presenters/Panelists



- FDOT Project Manager: Hector Di Donato, P.E.
- Consultant Project Manager: Steve Schnell, AICP
- Community Outreach Specialist: Jeanette Gorgas

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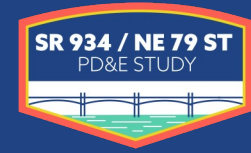
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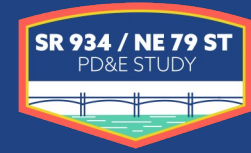
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NEPA Assignment Statement

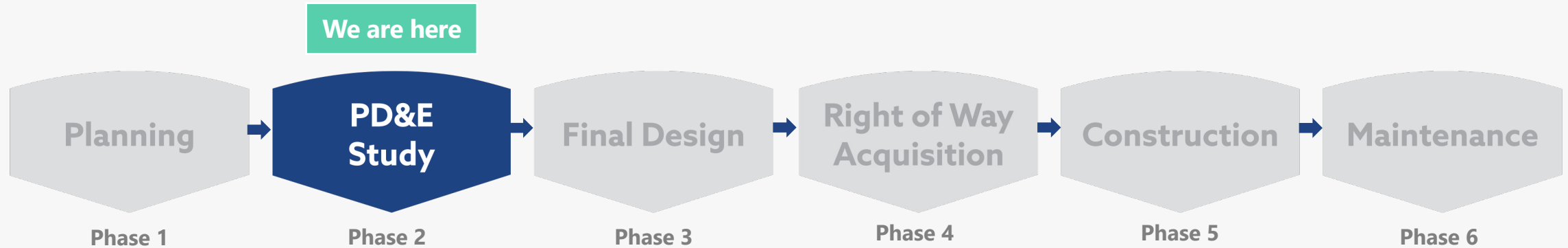
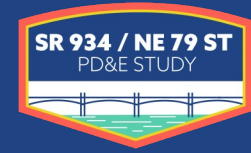


The environmental review, consultation, and other actions required by applicable federal government laws for this project are being, or have been, carried out by the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) pursuant to 23 U.S.C § 327 and a Memorandum of Understanding dated May 26, 2022, and executed by the Federal Highway Administration and FDOT.

Project Location



FDOT Transportation Delivery Process



The PD&E Process is followed by FDOT

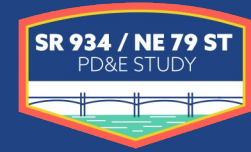
To evaluate:

- Engineering Alternatives
- Environmental Impacts

To comply with:

- National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA)
- Federal and State environmental laws
- Requirements involving federal funding

What is a PD&E Study?



A PD&E Study is *a process to analyze a transportation project.*

It consists of 3 elements:



Engineering

Identify potential design solutions



Environmental

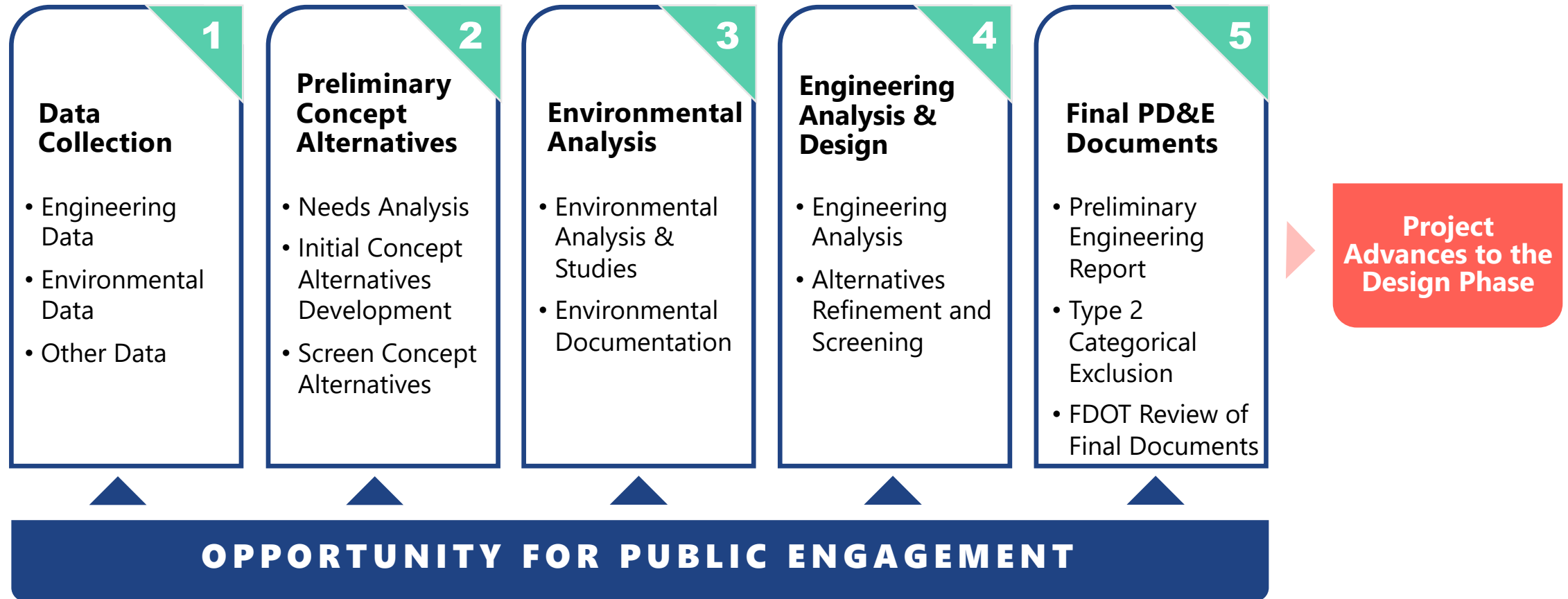
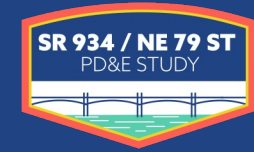
Evaluate potential impacts to the social, cultural, natural, and physical environments



Public Involvement

Seek public input

PD&E Study Process



Project Background

**Bridges constructed
in the early
1970s**



4 total bridges
(Project consists of bridges
west and east of Harbor Island)



Recent rehabilitation efforts:

2004 and 2010
Structural Repairs

2015
Traffic and Pedestrian Railing

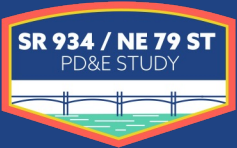
**As of November 2020, the
bridge inspection reports
indicate the bridges are
candidates for repair or
replacement.**

	Bridge ID
Bridges West of Harbor Island	870083 (WB)
	870549 (EB)
Bridges East of Harbor Island	870084 (WB)
	870550 (EB)

WB – westbound
EB - eastbound



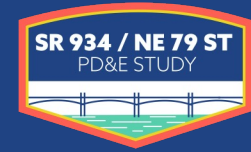
Existing Conditions



	Bridge ID	Lane Widths	Sidewalks	Bike Lane
Bridges West of Harbor Island	870083 (WB)	Four 11 ft. inside lanes Two 13 ft. outside lanes	5 ft. Raised	Shared
	870549 (EB)			
Bridge East of Harbor Island	870084 (WB)	Six 10 ft. lanes	< 5 ft. with Barrier	4 ft.
	870550 (EB)			



Purpose and Need



- **What is the purpose of the study?**
 - Identify the best solution for replacement of the existing bridges
- **Why is the project needed?**



Address
Aging
Infrastructure

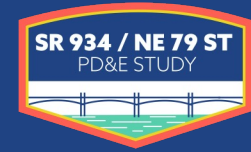


Improve
Bike/Ped
Safety



Maintain
Emergency
Evacuation

Engineering Considerations



Bridge

- Horizontal Alignment
- Type & Superstructure
- Clearances
- Bicycle and Pedestrian Facilities



Roadway

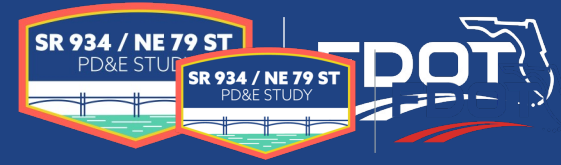
- Roadway Geometry
- Right-of-Way
- Signalized Intersections
- Roadway Shared Use Path and Bicycle Facilities
- Temporary Traffic Control



Other Project Areas

- Utilities
- Drainage
- Lighting
- Geotechnical
- Constructability

Environmental Considerations



Socio-Cultural

- Mobility
- Archaeological Sites
- Historic Properties
- Recreation and Section 4(f) Resources



Natural

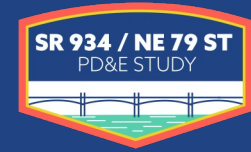
- Wetlands & Water Quality
- Aquatic Preserve
- Wildlife and Habitat
- Essential Fish Habitat
- Outstanding Florida Water



Physical

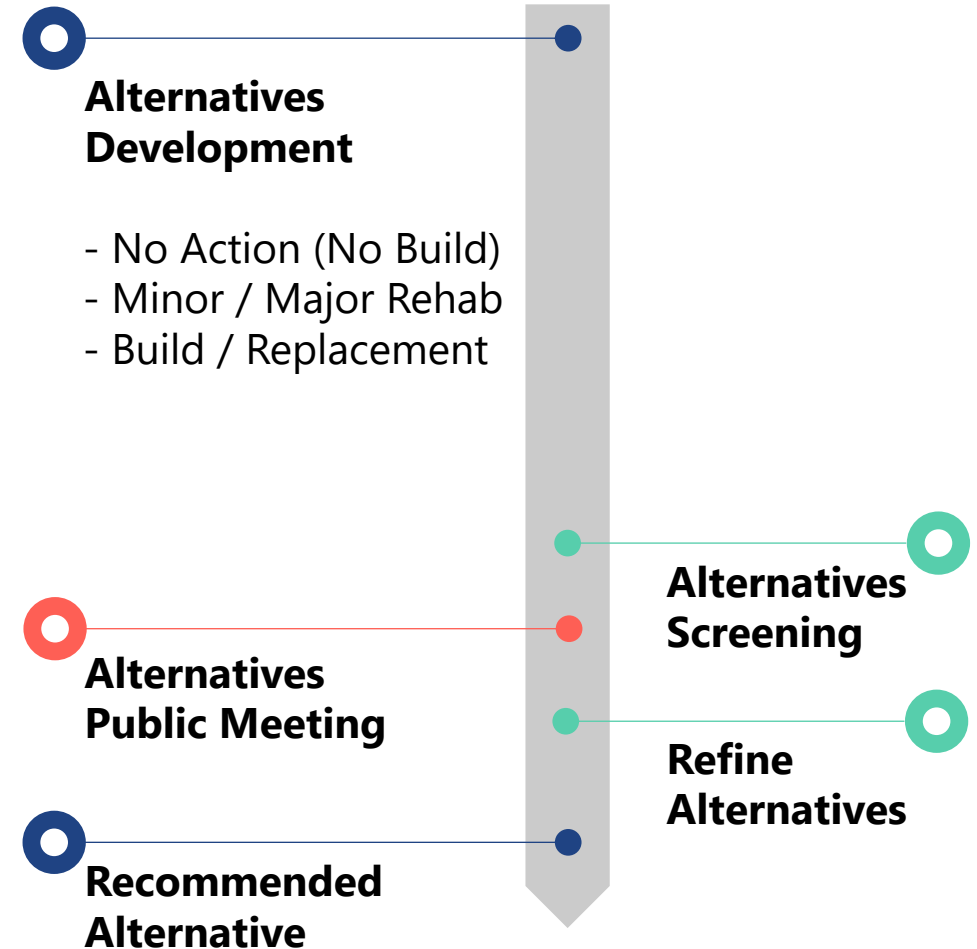
- Traffic Noise
- Air Quality
- Contamination
- Utilities
- Navigation

Alternatives to be Considered

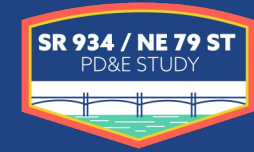


Alternatives Development & Evaluation

- Understand goals and objectives
- Understand project constraints
- Establish Evaluation Criteria
- Develop Alternatives
- Prepare Evaluation Matrix
- Screen Alternatives against criteria
- Hold Alternatives Public Meeting
- Refine Alternatives
- Recommend Alternative



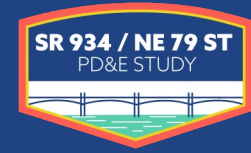
Schedule



	2022				2023				2024			
PROJECT MILESTONE	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Begin PD&E Study												
Data Collection												
Public Kickoff Meeting												
Develop and Evaluate Alternatives												
Environmental Analysis												
Alternatives Public Workshop												
Refine Alternatives												
Prepare PD&E Study Reports												
Public Hearing												
Finalize Type 2 CE & Reports												
FDOT Reviews / Approves Reports												
Study Complete												

*Schedule is Subject to Change

Public Involvement – Stay Informed



Public Meetings

- Kick-Off Meeting
- Alternatives Public Meeting
- Project Advisory Group Meetings



Informing the Public

- Press Release
- Public Notices
- Newsletters
- Mailings



Public Hearing

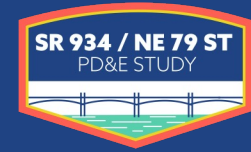
- Formal Presentation
- Comments by the Public



Website

<https://www.fdotmiamidade.com/79thstreetbridgespdestudy>

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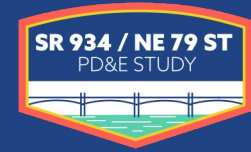
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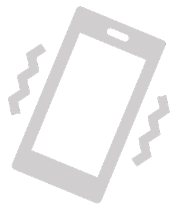
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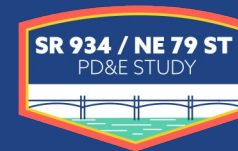


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Thank you for attending!

