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**US 41/Tamiami Trail Improvement Project  
from Cross Street to Cochran Boulevard in Charlotte County  
Starts mid-May 2016**

*Public Meeting is April 28*

The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT), District One, is holding a public meeting about improvements to US 41/Tamiami Trail from Cross Street to Cochran Boulevard in Charlotte County. The public meeting “open house” is from 4:30 p.m. to 6 p.m. on Thursday, April 28, 2016 at the Cultural Center of Charlotte County, 2280 Aaron Street, Port Charlotte, FL 33952. FDOT will hold this meeting to give interested people the opportunity to review displays and talk one-on-one with staff.

The Department’s contractor, AJAX Industries of Florida, LLC, is making improvements to 5.8-miles of US 41/Tamiami Trail from Cross Street to Cochran Boulevard. This project also includes signal upgrades at various intersections, milling and resurfacing, miscellaneous shoulder widening and bike lanes. The project will also improve pedestrian access at multiple intersections. This \$14.5 million project begins in May and estimated completion is fall 2017.

FDOT developed this meeting in compliance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and related statutes. FDOT solicits public participation without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, disability or family status. People requiring special accommodations pursuant to the Americans with Disability Act of 1990 or people that require translation services (free of charge) at the meeting should contact Shelly Smith, District One Title VI Coordinator, at 863-519-2761 or by email at [shelly.smith@dot.state.fl.us](mailto:shelly.smith@dot.state.fl.us) at least seven (7) days prior to the meeting.

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# US 41/Tamiami Trail Improvements Project from Cross Street to Cochran Boulevard

Charlotte County



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The Florida Department of Transportation's (FDOT) contractor, AJAX Paving Industries of Florida, LLC., starts an improvements project on Monday, May 9 from Cross Street to Cochran Boulevard. This 5.8 mile project includes signal upgrades at various intersections, milling and resurfacing, miscellaneous shoulder widening and bike lanes. The project will also improve pedestrian access at multiple intersections.

## ★ US 41/Parmely Street

Crews will add a new through/left-turn lane on Parmely Street to accommodate more vehicles turning left onto US 41/Tamiami Trail from Parmely Street.

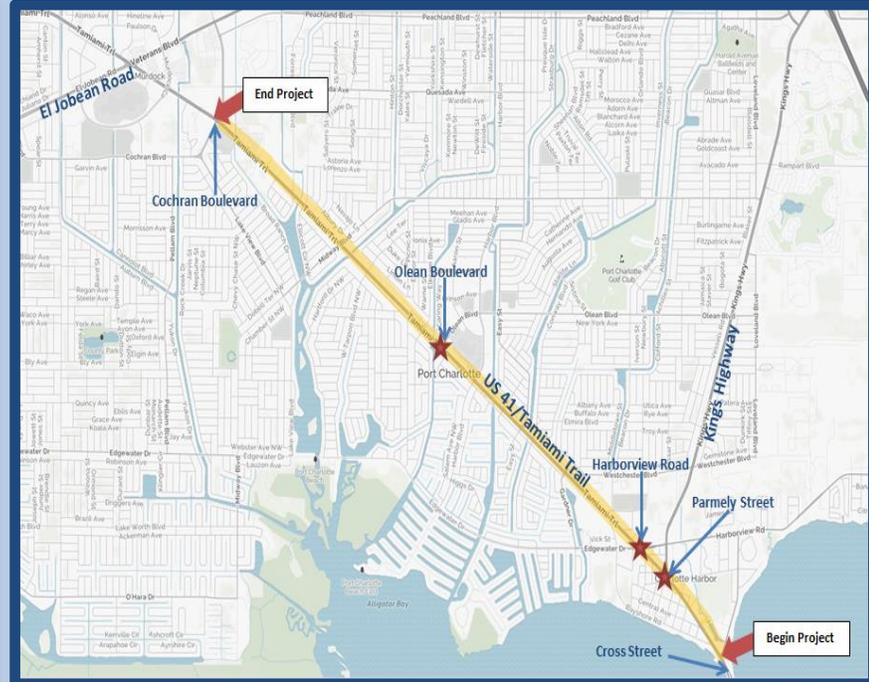
## ★ US 41/Olean Boulevard

Crews will add a new northbound right-turn lane on Olean Boulevard to accommodate more vehicles turning right onto US 41/Tamiami Trail from Olean Boulevard.

## ★ US 41/Harborview Road

Crews will add a new westbound through lane on Harborview Road to accommodate more vehicles heading west toward Edgewater Drive.

Project location map



## What to expect during construction

Lane closures may only occur during the nighttime/overnight hours from 7 p.m. to 6 a.m. Motorists should be aware of heavy machinery and large trucks entering and exiting the roadway. Please use caution and plan extra travel time while driving in this area. Cost of project is \$14.5 million. Project completion is expected fall 2017.

## Fast Facts

Construction Start  
May 2016

Estimated Completion  
Fall 2017

Cost  
\$14.5 million

Contractor  
AJAX Industries of Florida, LLC.

For more information please visit:

[SWFLroads.com/us41/crosstocochran.pdf](http://SWFLroads.com/us41/crosstocochran.pdf)



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## US 41/Tamiami Trail Improvements Project from Cross Street to Cochran Boulevard *Charlotte County*



### Preconstruction Public Information Meeting

The Florida Department of Transportation is holding an open house about the improvements on US 41/Tamiami Trail from Cross Street to Cochran Boulevard in Charlotte County.

**Time:** 4:30 p.m. to 6 p.m. "open house"  
**Date:** April 28, 2016  
**Location:** Cultural Center of Charlotte County  
2280 Aaron Street  
Port Charlotte, FL 33952

Please stop by anytime between 4:30 p.m. and 6 p.m. to discuss the project one-on-one with the project team.

#### **Americans with Disabilities Act**

People with disabilities who may require special accommodations at the meeting under the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 or people who require translation services (free of charge) should contact Shelly Smith, District One Title VI Coordinator, at (863) 519-2761 or by email at [shelly.smith@dot.state.fl.us](mailto:shelly.smith@dot.state.fl.us) at least seven (7) days before the meeting.

#### **Title VI Compliance**

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### Questions?

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