

Traffic Engineering Division Overview

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- Signs, Stripes & Signals
 - Signs
 - Stripes
 - Signals



- Engineering Studies
 - Safety & Operations
 - Traffic Calming
 - Pedestrian Crossings
 - Private Development
 - Capital Improvement Program



- Other Duties
 - MyJax Customer Requests
 - School Safety Committee
 - Staff Support for CPAC, NFTPO, CSSSC
 - Liaison with FDOT, JSO, JTA, JEA
 - Collaborate with Parks, Planning, DIA,
 Engineering, RWSM, Mowing & Landscaping



Countywide Projects (Annual Allocation)

Signs, Stripes & Signals \$2,860,000

Pavement Markings \$1,500,000

• Traffic Signalization \$1,100,000

o Intersections \$300,000

o Traffic Calming \$150,000

Pedestrian Crossings \$300,000

o Fiber Optics \$750,000

Street Lights \$100,000

Pole Painting \$100,000

Crosswalk Murals \$150,000

School Flasher Clocks \$500,000



Pulaski Rd. and Howard Rd.

FY 20-21 = \$0

FY 21-22 = \$0

FY 22-23 = \$0

FY 23-24 = \$0

FY 24-25 = \$0

Beyond 5th = \$600,000

RATING CRITERIA:

Priority #2 (Score 11)

Public Health & Safety

Strategic Priorities

Fiscal Impact

Economic Development

Community Support & LT

Planning

Relationship to Other

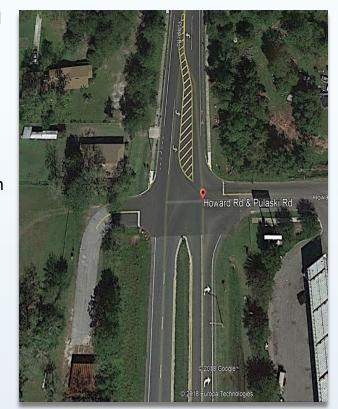
Projects

Service Level Impact

Description: Install traffic signal with pedestrian crossings features.

Justification: During evaluation it was determined that signal warrants are met and a full signal will allow the intersection to operate more safely and efficiently. Pedestrian features such as crosswalks and countdown pedestrian signal heads will be installed to connect existing sidewalk along both roadways.

Useful Life: 25 years





distance, a shorter crossing distance, and a better pedestrian crossing.

Timeline: Awarded to contractor and **c**onstruction to begin in 4-5 months.

Cost: \$101,000





Traffic Signal - Argyle Forest Blvd. & Loch Highlands Blvd.

Description: New traffic signal.

Justification: It meets Warrant 7 indicating that there are high number of crashes that could be prevented by a signal. It also meets Warrant 3 indicating that operations and efficiency will be improved during the peak hour. Once a third business is built at this location it is likely that volume will increase justifying the installation of a signal.

Useful Life: 25 years

RATING CRITERIA:

Priority #4 (Score 18)

Public Health & Safety

Strategic Priorities

Fiscal Impact

Economic Development

Community Support & LT

Planning

Relationship to Other

Projects

Service Level Impact

- Council District 14
- Mobility Zone 6Planning District 4
- Community Redevelopment Area (None)
- Fair Share Sector 4.1

Budget:

Land Acquisition

\$0

Engineering & Design

\$135,000

Construction

\$765,000





AC Skinner Charter School – School Zone

Request funding for FY22-23

Description: Children must walk across a 5-lane road to get to Duval Charter School at Southside, a K-8 school. This project will install a reducedspeed school zone on AC Skinner so that children can safely walk to school. It includes mast armmounted flashers and a marked crosswalk. The design is finished. These funds are needed for construction.

Justification: School safety

Useful Life: 20 years

Council District 11

Mobility Zone

Planning District

Community Redevelopment Area (None)

Fair Share Sector



Budget:

•	Land Acquisition	\$ 0
•	Engineering & Design	\$0
•	Construction	\$300,000
•	Total Budget	\$300,000



1)San Pablo Prkwy. and San Pablo Rd. S. 2)San Pablo Prkwy. and San Yepez Rd.

FY 20-21 = \$0

FY 21-22 = \$0

FY 22-23 = \$0

FY 23-24 = \$0

FY 24-25 = \$0

Beyond 5th = \$2,400,000

RATING CRITERIA:

Priority #4 (Score 7)

Public Health & Safety

Strategic Priorities

Fiscal Impact

Economic Development

Community Support & LT

Planning

Relationship to Other

Projects

Service Level Impact

Description: Install traffic two (2) signals and fiber-optic interconnect cable.

Justification: During evaluation it was determined that signal warrants are met and full signals will allow the intersections to operate more safely and efficiently. Fiber-optic communication cable is needed to interconnect all signals from W. M. Davis Prkwy. to Beach Blvd. Pedestrian features such as crosswalks and countdown pedestrian signal heads will be installed to connect existing sidewalk along both

roadways.

Useful Life: 25 years





1)Hodges Blvd. and Hunt Club Rd. 2)Hodges Blvd. and Montebello Way / Danforth Dr. W.

FY 19-20 = \$0

FY 20-21 = \$0

FY 21-22 = \$0

FY 22-23 = \$0

FY 23-24 = \$0

Beyond 5th = \$2,200,000

Description: Install two (2) traffic signals and fiber optic interconnect

Justification: During evaluation it was determined that signal warrants are met and full signals will allow the intersection to operate more safely and efficiently. Pedestrian features such as crosswalks and countdown pedestrian signal heads will be installed to connect existing sidewalk along both roadways.

Useful Life: 25 years

RATING CRITERIA:

Priority #1 (Score 12)

Public Health & Safety

Strategic Priorities

Fiscal Impact

Economic Development

Community Support & LT

Planning

Relationship to Other

Projects

Service Level Impact







Traffic Signal - Baymeadows Rd. E. & Stonebridge Village Condos

Description: Two-way traffic signal. Meets warrants 1-Eight Hour Volume, Warrant 2-Four Hour Volume, Warrant 3-Peark Hour Delay,

and Warrant 8-Roadway Network.

Justification: Improved operation. Improved safety.

Useful Life: 25 years

RATING CRITERIA:

Priority #6 (Score 11)

Public Health & Safety

Strategic Priorities

Fiscal Impact

Economic Development

Community Support & LT

Planning

Relationship to Other

Projects

Service Level Impact

Council District
 11

Mobility Zone

Planning District

Community
 Redevelopment Area
 (None)

Fair Share Sector

3.1



Budget:

Land Acquisition

\$0

Engineering & Design

\$105,000

Construction

\$595,000



Traffic Signal - Baymeadows Rd. E. & Hampton Park Blvd.

Description: New Traffic signal.

Justification: This traffic signal will improve the operations and efficiency of this intersection during all hours of the day. The signal is justified because of the high traffic volumes at this location. Warrants 1,2, and 3 are met indicating that there is consistent congested throughout the day that can be reduced by a signal.

Useful Life: 25 years

RATING CRITERIA:

Priority #7 (Score 10)

Public Health & Safety

Strategic Priorities

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Fiscal Impact

Economic Development

Community Support & LT

Planning

Relationship to Other

Projects

Service Level Impact

- Council District 11
- Mobility Zone 1
- Planning District
 3
- Community Redevelopment Area (None)
- Fair Share Sector 3.1



Budget:

Land Acquisition

Engineering & Design

\$105,000

Construction

\$595,000

\$0



Airport Center Dr. and Gillespie Ave.

FY 20-21 = \$0

FY 21-22 = \$0

FY 22-23 = \$0

FY 23-24 = \$0

FY 24-25 = \$0

Beyond 5th = \$700,000

RATING CRITERIA:

Priority #3 (Score 10)

Public Health & Safety

Strategic Priorities

Fiscal Impact

Economic Development

Community Support & LT

Planning

Relationship to Other

Projects

Service Level Impact

Description: Install traffic signal with pedestrian crossings features.

Justification: Citizens requested a signal at this location due to growth in the area. During evaluation it was determined that signal warrants are met and a full signal will allow the intersection to operate more safely and efficiently. Pedestrian features such as crosswalks and countdown pedestrian signal heads will be installed to connect existing sidewalk along both roadways.

Useful Life: 25 years





Traffic Signal - New Berlin Rd. & Cedar Point Rd.

Description: New Traffic Signal

Justification: The study of this intersection showed that a signal will improve traffic operations during the morning and afternoon peak hours. It meets Warrants 1 and 2 indicating that it the signal will help to reduce congestion during busy times.

Useful Life: 25 years

RATING CRITERIA:

Priority #8 (Score 6)

Public Health & Safety

Strategic Priorities

Fiscal Impact

Economic Development

Community Support & LT

Planning

Relationship to Other

Projects

Service Level Impact

Council District 2

Mobility Zone

Planning District 6

Community Redevelopment
Area (None)

Fair Share Sector 6.1



Budget:

Land Acquisition

\$0

Engineering & Design

\$150,000

Construction

\$850,000



- Sub-Projects
 - Signal Rebuilds
 - Highway Ave. & Ellis Rd.
 - Palmdale & Lake Park
 - Roselle & King
 - Signal Retiming



Questions?

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