

Mobility Department

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July 20, 2020

RE: Green ARTery – Segment E Bicycle and Sidewalk Project (Sligh Avenue to Florida Avenue); CIP#1001517

Dear Residents, Property and Business Owners, and Interested Individuals:

Due to executive orders declaring a state of emergency related to the coronavirus disease (COVID-19), the City of Tampa Mobility Department will hold an interactive live event online instead of holding an in-person public meeting for this project. This virtual meeting will be of no charge. Details for this virtual meeting are below:

Date: Thursday, August 6, 2020

Time: Online presentation begins at 6:00 p.m. followed by questions/comments

until 7:30 p.m.

Location: The link to the virtual public meeting will be posted on the project's web page

https://www.tampagov.net/tss-transportation/info/projects/GreenSpineSegE

During the virtual meeting, questions and comments will be received through the online chat bar, you may also email questions and comments to GreenARTery-SegmentEProject@tampagov.net.

The Green ARTery – Segment E Bicycle and Sidewalk Project online Public Meeting will include a narrated presentation. City staff will be available to respond to project-related questions and concerns following the presentation. All meeting materials will be available on the project website, https://www.tampagov.net/tss-transportation/info/projects/GreenSpineSegE, beginning July 21, 2020. The website also provides the email link for submitting your feedback to the City.

The project consists of 1) Widening the existing 6-foot sidewalk on the west side of Florida Avenue to an 8-foot sidewalk from Bird Street to River Shore Drive, (2) Provide bicycle boulevard markings on River Shore Drive & Kirby Street from Florida Avenue to North Blvd., (3) Provide Share-the-Road markings on North Blvd. from Kirby Street to Sligh Ave., (4) Provide new 5-foot sidewalks on the northwest side of River Shore Drive from Florida Ave. to Kirby Street and the north side of Kirby Street from River Shore Drive to North Blvd., and (5) Provide new crosswalks with bicycle/pedestrian crossing signage at the intersections of (i) Kirby Street & North Blvd., (ii) North Blvd. & Lowry Lane, and (iii) North Blvd. & Clinton Street.

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In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) and Section 286.26, Florida Statutes, persons with disabilities needing reasonable accommodation to participate in this public meeting should contact the City of Tampa's ADA Coordinator at least 48 hours prior to the proceedings. The ADA Coordinator may be contacted by phone at 813-274-3964, email at TampaADA@tampagov.net, or by submitting an ADA - Accommodations Request form available online at www.tampagov.net/ADARequest.

Any person who decides to appeal any decision(s), made with respect to any matter considered at this meeting, is advised that they will need a record of the proceedings. For such a purpose, they may need to hire a court reporter to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

Please submit any project-related questions, concerns and comments regarding the **Green ARTery – Segment E Bicycle and Sidewalk** project, to the Project Manager, Nina Mabilleau, E.I., by e-mail at GreenARTery-SegmentEProject@tampagov.net

Sincerely,

Calvin Hardie, P.E., Capital Projects Manager

City of Tampa Mobility Department

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Enclosure – Project Fact Sheet

cc: Mayor Jane Castor

Tampa City Council Members
John Bennett, Chief of Staff
Jean Duncan, P.E., Infrastructure and Mobility Administrator Engineer
Vik Bhide, Mobility Department Director

Miray Holmes, Manager-Community Partnerships and Neighborhood Engagement

Nina Mabilleau, E.I., Project Management

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