



CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE
City Commission Agenda Memo
REGULAR MEETING

#18-0994

TO: Honorable Mayor & Members of the
Fort Lauderdale City Commission

FROM: Lee R. Feldman, ICMA-CM, City Manager

DATE: September 25, 2018

TITLE: Resolution in Support of the City of Oakland Park's Prospect Road
Improvement Project from Commercial Boulevard to Dixie Highway

Recommendation

It is recommended that the City Commission adopt a resolution in support of the City of Oakland Park's Prospect Road Improvement Project from Commercial Boulevard to Dixie Highway to reconstruct the roadway to include dedicated bicycle facilities and improve safety for all modes of transportation.

Background

This project is a federally funded, regional project within the City of Oakland Park which will increase mobility and safety along Prospect Road. The roadway is owned by Broward County. The Broward County Commission is requesting the adjacent cities acknowledge support for this project in order for the project to proceed into final design. The City of Oakland Park has received letters of "no objection" to the proposed project from the City of Wilton Manors and the City of Tamarac (Exhibit 1). The City of Fort Lauderdale is adjacent to Prospect Road on the north/east side between Commercial Boulevard to NW 21st Avenue and also along the north side between NW 16th Avenue and NW 10th Avenue (Exhibit 2).

The proposed improvements within the City of Fort Lauderdale municipal limits include keeping two vehicular travel lanes in each direction and adding new five-foot bike lanes by reducing the lane widths to ten-feet and eleven-feet. This project would include repaving of the entire roadway and ADA improvements to upgrade curb ramps and crosswalks to current standards.

Resource Impact

There is no fiscal impact associated with this action.

Strategic Connections

This item is a *Press Play Fort Lauderdale Strategic Plan 2018 initiative*, included within the Infrastructure Cylinder of Excellence, specifically advancing:

- Objective 1: Improve transportation options and reduce congestion by working with agency partners
- Objective 3: Improve pedestrian, bicycle, and vehicular safety

This item advances the *Fast Forward Fort Lauderdale 2035 Vision Plan: We Are Connected*.

Attachments

Exhibit 1 - Letters of No Objection from the Cities of Wilton Manors and Tamarac

Exhibit 2 - Proposed Project Map

Exhibit 3 - Resolution

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