

TOWN OF DAVIE

TOWN COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

TO: Mayor and Councilmembers

FROM/PHONE: Thomas J. Willi, Town Administrator

SUBJECT: Resolution

AFFECTED DISTRICT: District 1

TITLE OF AGENDA ITEM: A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF DAVIE, FLORIDA, REQUESTING THAT THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION'S WIDENING OF THE FLORIDA TURNPIKE INCLUDE SOUND WALLS FROM SOUTHWEST 36TH STREET TO GRIFFIN ROAD.

REPORT IN BRIEF: The Florida Department of Transportation is planning to widen the Florida Turnpike to 10 lanes from Griffin Road to Sunrise Boulevard. Currently this project (FDOT Project # 406094-1) does not include provisions for sound walls or any other types of noise mitigation from SW 36th Street to Griffin Road. The area of greatest impact would be the neighborhood known as Lauderdale Little Ranches. To protect the interests of its residents the Town of Davie formally requests that the scope of the project be amended to include sound walls from along the Florida Turnpike from SW 36th Street to Griffin Road.

PREVIOUS ACTIONS: N/A

CONCURRENCES: N/A

FISCAL IMPACT:

Has request been budgeted? N/A

RECOMMENDATION(S): Motion to approve resolution.

Attachment(s): Resolution.

Resolution _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF DAVIE, FLORIDA, SUPPORTING THE FLORIDA, REQUESTING THAT THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION'S WIDENING OF THE FLORIDA TURNPIKE INCLUDE SOUND WALLS FROM SOUTHWEST 36TH STREET TO GRIFFIN ROAD.

WHEREAS, the Florida Department of Transportation is proposing to widen the Florida Turnpike from Griffin Road to Sunrise Boulevard to 10 lanes; and

WHEREAS, the project includes sound walls along most of the project area except for that area between SW 36th Street and Griffin Road; and

WHEREAS, residents in the surrounding neighborhood known as Lauderdale Little Ranches will be greatly impacted with higher levels of noise as the volume of vehicular traffic increases; and

WHEREAS, the Town formally requests that the scope of Florida Department of Transportation Project 406094-1 be amended to include sound walls along the Florida Turnpike between SW 36th Street and Griffin Road to protect the rural lifestyle enjoyed by residents of the Lauderdale Little Ranches neighborhood.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF DAVIE, FLORIDA:

SECTION 1. That the Town of Davie hereby formally requests that the Florida Department of Transportation amend the scope of the Florida Turnpike widening project to include sound walls along SW 36th Street and Griffin Road.

SECTION 2. The Town Clerk is directed to send a copy of this resolution to the Broward County Commission, the Metropolitan Planning Organization, and the Florida Department of Transportation.

SECTION 3. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage and adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS ____ DAY OF _____, 2003

Mayor/Councilmember

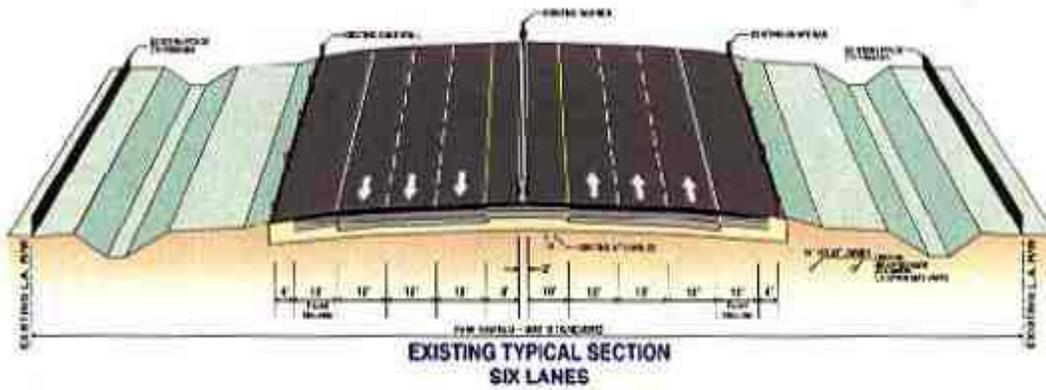
ATTEST:

Town Clerk

APPROVED THIS ____ DAY OF _____ 2003



FLORIDA'S TURNPIKE FROM GRIFFIN ROAD TO NORTH OF SUNRISE BOULEVARD



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