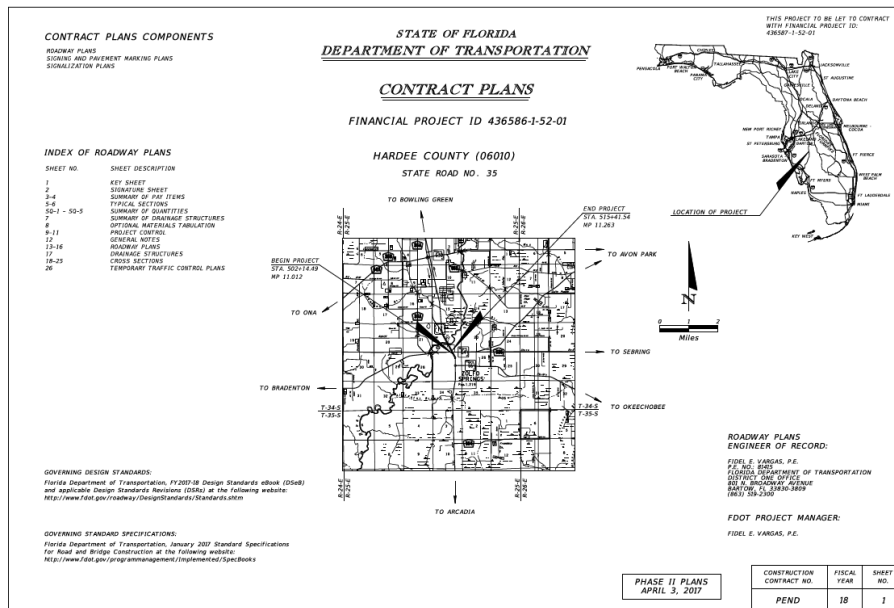


SR 64 MILLING AND RESURFACING: The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) will be implementing Project ID 436587-1-52-01, milling and resurfacing of SR 64 from Taylor Road to West Main Street, in Hardee County. The FDOT has prepared the preliminary construction plans for review and comments. If you have any questions, please contact the FDOT, District 1, Bartow, tel. 863-519-2300.



SR 35 (US 17) and SR 64 INTERSECTION MILLING AND RESURFACING:

The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) will be implementing Project ID 436586-1-52-01, milling and resurfacing of SR 35 and SR 64 intersection, in Hardee County. The FDOT has prepared the preliminary construction plans for review and comments. If you have any questions, please contact the FDOT, District 1, Bartow, tel. 863-519-2300.

HARDEE COUNTY

Construction Projects and Temporary Road Closures!

1. JOHNSTON ROAD - BRIDGE #64112 REPLACEMENT:

The Road and Bridge Department is currently working on the bridge replacement, from a one lane timber bridge, approximately 180 linear feet, with multiple aluminum box culverts. A roadway, with two lanes, will be constructed over the culverts. The roadway will be surfaced with chip seal consisting of four layers of stone and asphalt emulsion.

- COMPLETE.

2. ED WELLS ROAD:

The Road and Bridge Department will perform chip seal work on Ed Wells Road, from West Main Street (SR 636) up to Rhynn Road. One lane of the road will be closed during construction.

- COMPLETE.

3. SASSER ROAD, WEST SIDE:

The Road and Bridge Department will perform chip seal work on Sasser Road, West side, from Merle Langford Road to Moffitt Road. One lane of the road will be closed during construction.

- COMPLETE.

4. SUMNER ROAD, FROM BOYD COWART ROAD TO NORTH CURVE:

The Road and Bridge Department will perform chip seal work within the limits of the project. Leveling work will be performed as needed prior to the chip sealing of the roadway. The leveling work uses hot mix asphalt to fill in potholes and level areas in preparation of the chip sealing. The leveling work, which often looks like patch work, will be allowed to cure at least at a week, then chip seal is placed over the whole roadway. The chip sealing consists of the placement of up to three layers of asphalt emulsion and stones and compacted with a road roller. Loose stones are commonly expected after the chip seal work, which will be swept after a couple weeks. The time prior to sweeping allows additional time for the stones to adhere with the emulsion. The completed chip sealed roadway will be opened to traffic.

- Start Date: On-going.
- Estimated Completion Date: April 30, 2017.
- The road is presently open to public traffic. The road will be closed when the work resumes for the chip sealing. At that time motorists are advised to use other routes during the construction period.

5. SKIPPER ROAD, FROM PARNELL ROAD TO SOUTH HAMMOCK ROAD

The Road and Bridge Department will perform re-grading and chip seal work on Skipper Road, from Parnell Road to South Hammock Road.

- COMPLETE.

6. FARRELL ROAD, FROM SR 66 TO SR 64:

The Road and Bridge Department will perform road surface re-grading and chip seal work, from SR 66 to SR 64.

- COMPLETE.

7. JOHN GILL ROAD - BRIDGE #64098 REPLACEMENT

The Road and Bridge Department will be working on replacing the one lane timber bridge with multiple pipes. The one lane timber bridge, approximately 53 linear feet, will be replaced with multiple aluminum box culverts. A roadway, with two lanes, will be constructed over the pipes. The roadway surface will be chip sealed.

- Start Date: April 10, 2017.
- Estimated Completion Date: June 30, 2017.
- The road is presently open to public traffic. The road will be closed on the week of April 27, 2017 when the work starts for the removal of the timber bridge to allow foundation work and culverts installation. During that time motorists are advised to use other routes during the construction period.

8. JOHN GILL ROAD, FROM SR 64 TO BRIDGE.

The Road and Bridge Department will perform road surface re-grading and chip seal work, from SR 62 to the new bridge replacement.

- Start Date: Road work will commence upon completion of the John Gill Road Bridge Replacement project.
- Estimated Completion Date: July 30, 2017.
- The road is presently open to public traffic. The road will be closed when the work starts for re-grading and chip sealing. During that time motorists are advised to use other routes during the construction period.

9. FUTURE ROADS AND BRIDGE IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS:

The Road and Bridge Department will be performing other road and bridge improvements. The following listed projects will be scheduled for commencement after completion of the above listed on-going projects. For more information, contact: Road and Bridge Department, tel. 863-773-3272.

- Locations:
 - McDonald Road, from Metheny Road to Old Bradenton Road.
 - Doc Coil Road, from CR 664 to Dixiana Drive.
 - Terrell Road, Louisiana Street to Metheny Road.
 - Paula Drive, from Golf View Drive to dead end east.

10. OTHER:

For more information, contact: Road and Bridge Department, tel. 863-773-3272.