



# Florida's Turnpike Enterprise



Florida's Turnpike Enterprise, part of the Department of Transportation (FDOT), owns and operates a 460-mile system of limited access toll highways. The Turnpike Mainline (SR 91) is 265 miles long and passes through 11 counties from north Miami-Dade County to its junction with Interstate 75 near Wildwood.

In addition to the Turnpike Mainline, the Turnpike includes:

### South Florida

- 47 mile Homestead Extension of Florida's Turnpike (HEFT)/Toll 821
- 23 mile Sawgrass Expressway/Toll 869

### Central Florida

- 18 mile Seminole Expressway/Toll 417
- 8 mile portion of the Beachline West Expressway/Toll 528
- 6 mile Southern Connector Extension/Toll 417
- 11 mile Western Beltway/Toll 429

### West Central Florida

- 15 mile Veterans Expressway/Toll 589
- 42 mile Suncoast Parkway/Toll 589
- 25 mile Polk Parkway/Toll 570

The Turnpike is within:

- 5 of 7 FDOT Districts
- 52 of 120 House Districts
- 26 of 40 Senate Districts



## Turnpike Investments

In addition to the FDOT Districts, the Florida's Turnpike Enterprise 5-Year Work Program for FY 2012-2016 totals \$2.9 B.

## Turnpike Funding Process

- User financed (not funded by fuel taxes, only Turnpike customers pay)
- Estimates of future revenues form the basic building block in developing the 5-Year Work Program
- Capital projects with a useful life of 30 years or more are bond funded
- Annual bond debt service payments (principal and interest) are paid with future revenue sources over a 30-year period

## South Florida Equity, F.S. 338.231(3)(a)

- Covers Miami-Dade, Broward and Palm Beach Counties
- Requires Turnpike expenditures to be  $\geq 90\%$  of net toll revenues in these counties
- Ensures substantial future commitments in South Florida

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## Upcoming Advanced Projects

- Sections of the Wekiva Parkway in Orange and Seminole Counties
- Widening of the Homestead Extension of Florida's Turnpike in Miami-Dade County
- Widening the Turnpike Mainline in Osceola and Orange Counties
- Widening the Veterans Expressway in Hillsborough County