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THEA Invites Community to Share Input on US 301 Study

Public engagement meetings will provide opportunities to learn about the study, ask questions and share feedback on the future of US 301

TAMPA, Fla. (November 23, 2026) – The Tampa Hillsborough Expressway Authority (THEA), in coordination with the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT), will host three public meetings in December to share information and gather community input on the future of US 301 in southern Hillsborough County.

With continued population growth placing increasing demands on the region's transportation network, THEA is studying approximately 17 miles of US 301, from the Lee Roy Selmon Expressway (SR 618) to north of State Road 674 (Sun City Center Boulevard). The study will evaluate potential improvements to enhance safety, reduce congestion and improve mobility along this important transportation corridor.

Currently in the feasibility phase, the study focuses on identifying transportation needs, gathering data and exploring potential alternatives. No decisions have been made regarding future improvements, and all options, including a No-Build Alternative, remain under consideration.

Community input will play an important role in shaping the study. During the upcoming meetings, residents, businesses and property owners will have an opportunity to learn more about the study, ask questions and share their perspectives with THEA's project team.



Public Engagement Meeting Schedule

Tuesday, December 1, 2026
5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
Caloosa Golf & Country Club
2115 Caloosa Boulevard
Sun City Center, FL 33573

Thursday, December 3, 2026
5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
Hilton Garden Inn
4328 Garden Vista Drive
Riverview, FL 33578

Tuesday, December 8, 2026
5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.
Virtual Meeting via GoToWebinar
Registration: https://register.gotowebinar.com/register/6548501498732815961

All three meetings will present the same project information. Participants will have an opportunity to review study materials, ask questions and provide feedback to the project team.

Meeting materials will also be available on the project website at selmonstudies.com/us-301-study/ for those unable to attend.

THEA encourages residents, property owners, businesses and other interested stakeholders to participate and share their perspectives. Written comments received or postmarked by December 18, 2026, will be included in the official public meeting record.

Public participation is encouraged without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, disability or family status.

Individuals requiring accommodations under the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) or translation services, provided free of charge, should contact Amy Lettelleir, THEA General Counsel, at (813) 272-6740 or amy.lettelleir@tampa-xway.com at least seven days before the meeting.

For additional information about the US 301 Study, contact THEA Communications Manager Kris Carson at (813) 272-6740 or US301study@tampa-xway.com, or visit **www.selmonstudies.com/us-301-study/**.

About Tampa Hillsborough Expressway Authority (THEA)

Tampa Hillsborough Expressway Authority (THEA) is an award-winning and dynamic transportation agency committed to enriching lives by connecting communities. THEA owns, manages, and operates the Selmon Expressway system, which includes Meridian Avenue,Brandon Parkway, and the Selmon Greenway. As part of its mission, THEA continues to
reinvest revenue generated by its assets back into the community through innovative infrastructure projects, safety enhancements, and economic development initiatives. THEA processes 78 million toll transactions and serves almost 4 million customers annually. For more information, visit www.tampa-way.com.

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