State Road (S.R.) 12 (Florida Arts Trail PD&E)

from North Corry Street to S.R. 63 (U.S. 27)

Gadsden County, Florida FPID Number: 433380-1-32-01



CRTPA Briefing September 2015

Today's Presentation

- Evolution of the project
- PD&E Study
- Public Comments and Concerns
- Next Steps



Gadsden
County BikePed Master
Plan
Completed
August 2012

CRTPA
Provided
Funding to
FDOT to
Advance
Project
Late 2012

S.R. 12 PD&E Public Hearing May 2015











August 2012
Florida Arts
Trail
Feasibility
Study
Completed

S.R. 12 (Florida Arts Trail) PD&E Study Began June

2013

Anticipated FHWA approval of the PD&E Late Fall 2015

Project Evolution



Purpose and Need

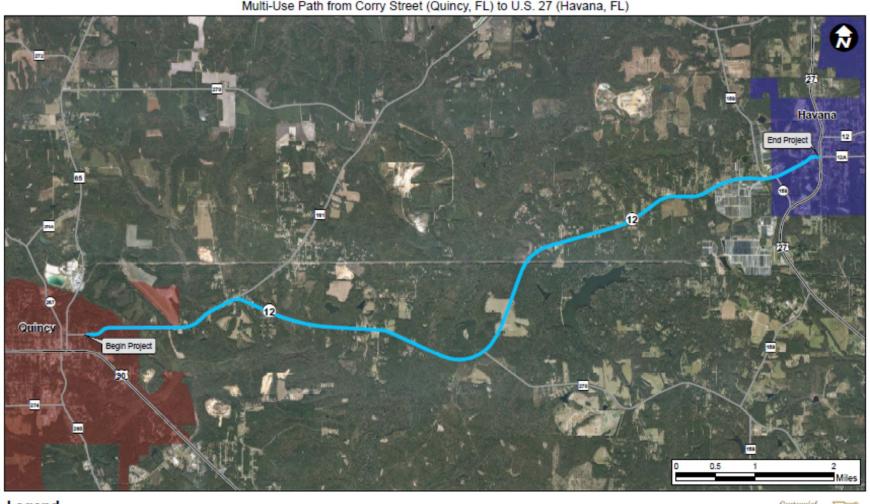
- Evaluate the options for constructing a multi-use connection between the cities of Quincy and Havana that follows the S.R. 12 corridor
- Designated as the Florida Arts Trail in 1997 by the Florida Legislature
- The facility would accommodate local bicyclists, pedestrians, and person with disabilities
- Provide a linkage to recreational, educational, and local economic centers in the area
- Lessens chances of conflict between the motorized and non-motorized users



Project Study Area

STATE ROAD (S.R.) 12 PD&E STUDY

Multi-Use Path from Corry Street (Quincy, FL) to U.S. 27 (Havana, FL)

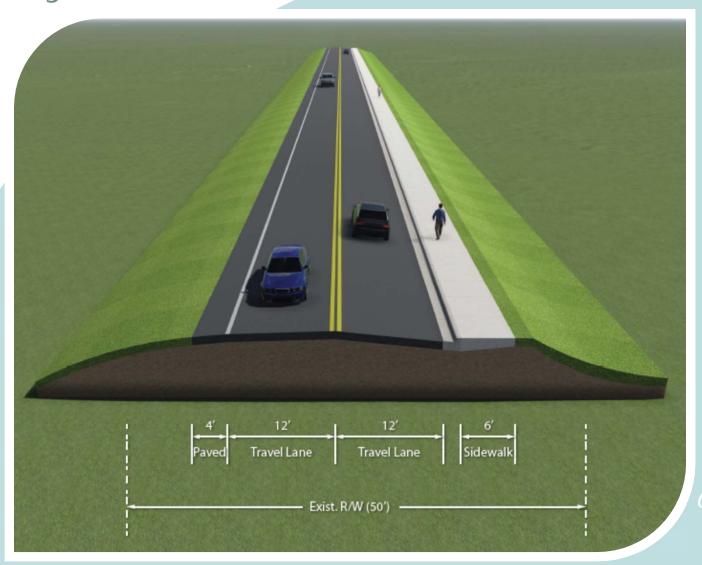


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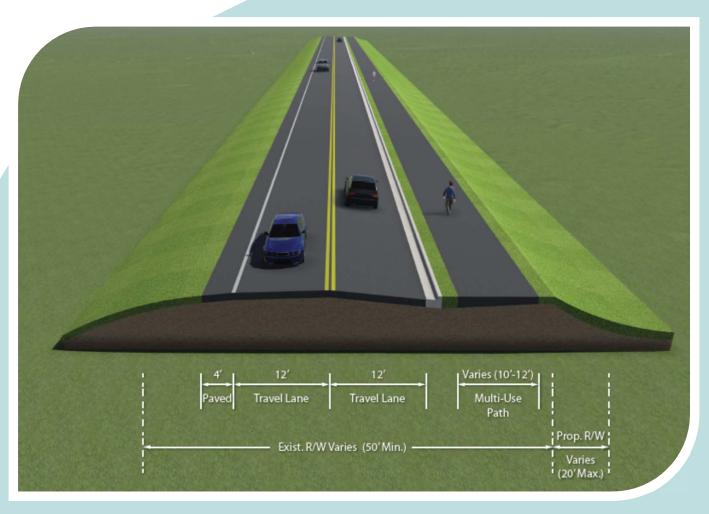
Quincy Study Corridor — U.S. Highway



Proposed Typical Section Quincy Historic District



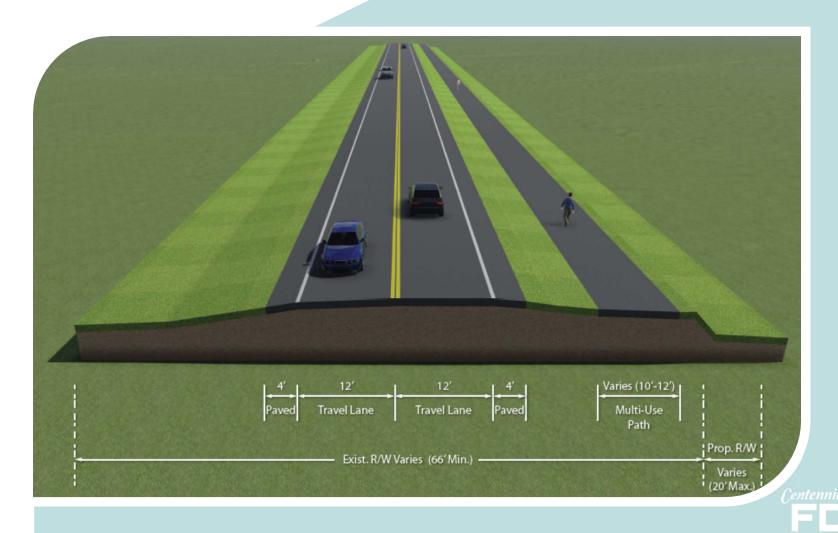
Proposed Typical Section Quincy Area (Outside Historic District)



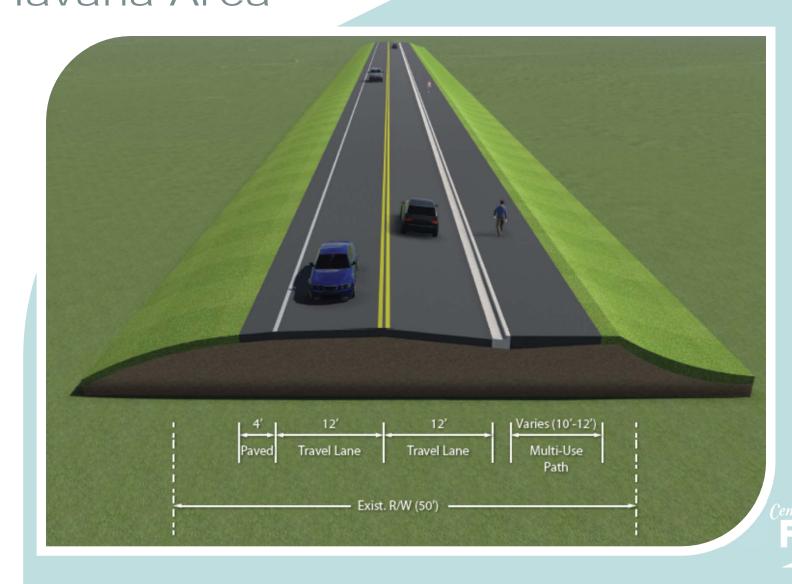


Proposed Typical Section

Between Quincy and Havana



Proposed Typical Section Havana Area



Alternatives Evaluation Matrix

Environmental & Engineering Considerations	Build Alternative	No Build
Land Use Change		
Potential Land Use Change	Minimal	None
Potential Relocations		
Residential Relocations	0	0
Business Relocations	0	0
Total Potential Relocations	0	0
Community Services		
Number of community resources impacted	0	0
Farmlands		
Impacts to prime farmlands	Minimal	None
Potential Right-of-Way Acquisition		
Residential Parcels Affected	31	0
Business Parcels Affected	2	0
Vacant Parcels Affected	3	0
Total Parcels Affected	36	0
Cultural Resources		
Impacts to NRHP Eligible Sites or Resources Groups?	None	None
Wetlands		
Acres of Direct Wetland Impacts	0.11	0
Acres of Direct Surface Water Impacts	0.1	0
Total Impact Acres	0.21	0



Alternatives Evaluation Matrix (Con't)

Environmental & Engineering Considerations	Build Alternative	No Build
Water Quality		
Potential impacts to water quality	Minimal	None
Floodplains		
Impacts to the 100-year floodplain	Minimal	None
Wildlife and Habitat		
Affects to Federally listed species	Minimal	None
Affects to State listed species	Minimal	None
Potential for Encountering Contamination		
Potential involvement with adjacent "High" and "Medium" Ranked Sites	7	0
Number of "high" and "medium" ranked sites needed for ROW	0	0
Utilities and Railroads		
Potential impacts to Utilities and Railroads	Minimal	None
Bicycles and Pedestrians		
Provides dedicated facilities for Bicyclists and Pedestrians	Yes	No
Safety		
Potential reduction of motorized and non-motorized user conflicts	Yes	No
Project Cost		
Estimated Roadway ROW Cost (millions)	\$1.1M	\$0
Estimated Design/CEI/MOT Cost (millions)	\$1.3M	\$0
Estimated Construction Cost (millions)	\$6.6M	\$0
Total Estimated Cost	\$9.0M	\$0



Right-of-way Acquisition and Relocation

- On this project, it is anticipated that right-of-way will be needed from 36 parcels and totals 3.1 acres.
- No business or residential relocations are anticipated.
- Design is the next phase in the project development process, followed by right-of-way acquisition and construction.

Public Comments and Concerns

- Impacts to existing drainage systems and concern over additional runoff
- Impacts to private property access
- Right-of-way requirements
- Location of trail relative to structures
- Safety and crime concerns
- Environmental impacts
- Utility impacts
- Impacts to Quincy Historic District
- Impact to property values
- Cost to local tax payers vs. benefit



Finalizing the PD&E

- Type 2 CE submitted to Federal
 Highway Administration (FHWA):
 - Early Fall 2015
- FHWA Approval and Location Design Concept Acceptance:
 - Late Fall 2015



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