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SR 82 & SR 29 ROUNDABOUT

Construction on the roundabout at State Road 82 and State Road 29 is nearing completion. The roundabout construction started in 2019 as part of the SR 82 Road Widening Project. Additional improvements include:

- 5-foot wide paved shoulders that serve as bike lanes
- a 10-foot multi-use pathway on the south side
- a 5-foot sidewalk on the north side
- LED lighting
- a 54-foot-wide median

Visit www.SR29Roundabout.com to learn how to drive the roundabout in English and Spanish

MPO BOARD APPROV

- Addition of CAT Maintenance Building Reconstruction to 2021 Transit Priorities
- Amendment #4 to the FY 2022-2026 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) and Authorizing Resolution
 Amendment 4 to FY 20/21-21/22 Unified Planning Work Program

- New Member to the Citizens Advisory Committee (CAC)
 Re-appointments to the Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee (BPÁČ)
- Re-appointment to the Local Coordinating Board (LCB) for Transportation Disadvantaged (TD)
- Changing the MPO Board meeting start time to 9:30 am

NEW MPO BOARD START TIME



CONGESTION CAUSES:

- According to RITIS (Regional Integrated Transportation Information System) signals were the cause of 35% of congestion in Collier County, while incidents caused 29% of congestion
- Holidays only accounted for 1% of congestion
- Signals and recurrent traffic caused less congestion outside of the seasonal months
- Learn more at congestion-causes.ritis.org/

BRIDGE DESIGN ENTRIES

We received two entries, pictured below. Look out for more interactive items in our future newsletters!



The left bridge design was created by the MPO's very own Executive Director, Anne McLaughlin. Ms. McLaughlin's design was inspired by the native plants of Collier County. The right bridge design was created by Danielle Bates, another MPO team member. She was inspired by the beautiful and often large alligator friends seen all over the County. You'll also recognize it as an example from the last newsletter. If you still want to submit a bridge design we'd love to see and publish them!

Safety Spotlight

Last month our safety spotlight video focused on pedestrian safety by using crosswalks. Now watch this video from SAAQ (the organization in Quebec responsible for drivers licenses, license plates, and public personal injury insurance) about what happens when you jaywalk. "Bone vs. steel, you don't stand a chance."





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