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REVISED: FDOT to Host Public Hearings for King Street Transfer and San Sebastian River Bridge Replacement April 20 and April 21

Public comment period at 6 p.m.

ST. AUGUSTINE, Fla. – The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) will host an in-person public hearing Thursday, April 21 to discuss the planned San Sebastian Bridge replacement project and the proposed transfer of State Road 5 (locally known as King Street and Cathedral Place) to the jurisdiction of the City of St. Augustine.

The meeting will be held at the First United Methodist Church of St. Augustine located at 118 King Street, St. Augustine, FL 32084. Department personnel will be available to answer questions and discuss project details from 5 to 6:30 p.m., followed by a formal public comment period at 6 p.m.

Citizens who are unable to participate in person on Thursday, April 21 may attend the virtual hearing scheduled Wednesday, April 20 from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Project staff will be available to answer questions and accept comments online at <u>nflroads.com/VPH</u> or by phone at (914) 614-3221 (enter access code 859-053-332). Both virtual and in-person participants will be given equal opportunity to ask questions and make oral statements that will become part of the public hearing record.

April is Distracted Driving Awareness Month. Remember to keep your hands on the wheel, eyes on the road and your mind on driving. Help save a life; it could be your own!

Stay informed about lane closures and roadwork in your area by following FDOT District 2 at <u>@MyFDOT_NEFL</u> on Twitter or at <u>MyFDOTNEFL</u> on Facebook.

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