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AGENDA

Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) – District Six Community Traffic Safety Team (CTST)

Miami Lakes Community Traffic Safety Team

February 3, 2026

10:00 a.m.

Shieda Castillo, Community Safety Traffic Specialist, FDOT

Maria Camacho, Consultant

Susana Alonso, Principal Town Planner, Fair Housing Coordinator, AICP

Justin Telleria, Transportation Coordinator, Town of Miami Lakes

I. Greeting/New Member Introductions

II. CTST Report

- A. Current campaign - Put it Down (Distracted Driving)
- B. Target Zero - Statewide Campaign



- C. CTST resources/tools: www.fdotsafetyresources.com

III. Member Reports

Members from each entity/organization will have an opportunity to provide an update on their activities or status of the organization.

- FDOT Updates: Ms. Castillo provided the following updates -
 - Put it Down (Distracted Driving) – January through April
 - Virtual Partner Kick-off held
 - Special Guest Speaker – Melissa Hamrick with Kiefer Foundation featured virtual VR Goggles – passenger perspective
 - Applications still available
 - April is Distracted Driving Awareness Month



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- Please continue to share our message with Evergreen PSAs
 - CTST Newsletter available on website
- Ms. Alonso provided the following updates about the Design Reconstruction Project in Miami Gardens:
 - Widen Miami Gardens Drive (NW 186) - East of I-75 to NW 79 Place to six lanes
 - Sound wall did not get approved, said Ms. Castillo
 - Mall (NW area) project is stalled.
 - Median to be installed.
 - Swales to be removed on residential side.
 - Adding shared use path (suggestion to put it on the residential side – south)
 - Pedestrian traffic is currently difficult
 - 5 feet of sidewalk – utilities
 - Ms. Castillo suggested requesting renderings to send to Ms. Alonso who lives in the neighborhood
 - Crosswalk with signalized timings
 - Second left turning lane at NW 87 Avenue is part of the project
 - Ms. Alonso said traffic congestion begins at NW 79 Place
 - Letting date 3/28/2029, construction begins Summer 2029, cost \$26 million
 - Ms. Alonso asked about traffic data, based on new mall traffic?
 - To be discussed again at next meeting
- Town of Miami Lakes Update - Ms. Alonso provided the following update:
 - Freebee is making rounds in the town.
 - Transportation plan adoption, finalizing Vision Zero (April/May), complete streets masterplan, March adoption
 - Sending copies to Ms. Castillo for comments/recommendations
 - She also thanked FDOT for the new shared use path on 77 Court (north side) state roadway – connected to 170 Street. Functions as safe route to school path – Bob Graham Elementary. Included crosswalk, added sidewalk that connects to intersection farther north. More pedestrian friendly. The contractor is still there, finishing up. She is looking for trees and painting. Green paint is costly. Residents are using the new path. The team scanned the project via google maps.

IV. Project Status/Traffic Safety

Issues

V. Old/New Business

VI. Adjournment



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2026 CTST Meetings – Next Meeting: March 3, 2026 - 10 a.m.

The Miami Lakes CTST plans to meet bi-monthly on the **first Tuesdays, at 10 am** (virtually).

For questions or concerns, please feel free to contact:

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Thank you for your partnership!