



DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

Biscayne Drive Bicycle Lanes Extension Project - Local Agency Program Agreement

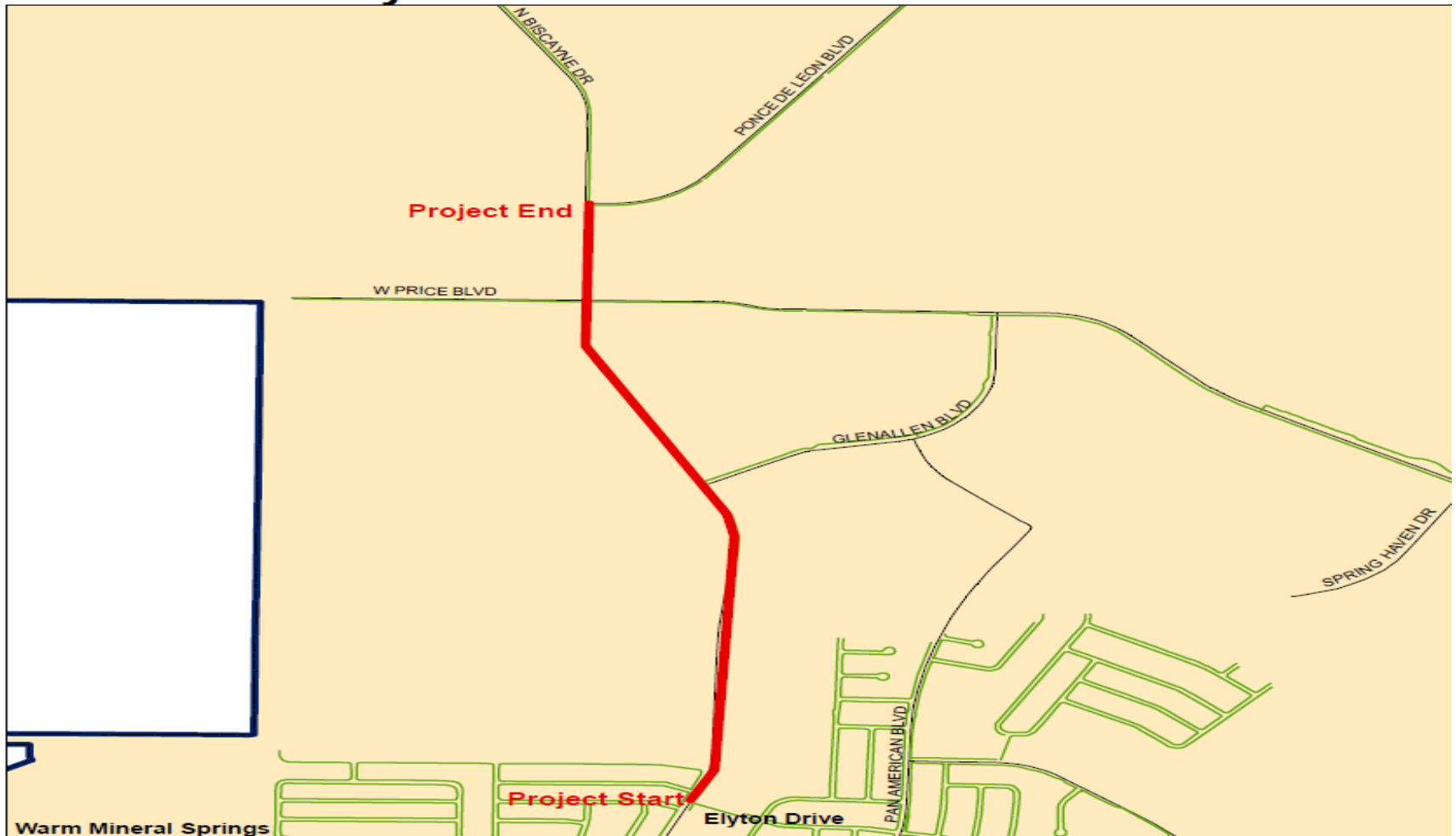
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Background

- At their February 24, 2014 meeting, the Road & Drainage District approved submittal of a Transportation Alternatives Grant application for extension of bicycle lanes five feet in width on Biscayne Drive, from the northerly terminus of the existing bicycle lanes at Elyton Drive to Ponce de Leon Boulevard to the Sarasota-Manatee Metropolitan Planning Organization.
- The Transportation Alternatives Grant project application was not selected for funding.

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**Biscayne Bicycle Lane Project
Elyton Dr. to Ponce de Leon Blvd.**



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Background

- In 2016 the Florida Department of Transportation revised their guidelines for the design of bicycle lanes to improve their safe use.

A buffered bike lane is...

- On street
- Just a bike lane
- At least 6' wide (7' standard)
- But it looks wide enough to drive in...
- The buffer is only there to make it look too skinny to drive in...



Background

- Also in 2016 the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) informed the City of North Port staff that funding for the Biscayne Drive Bicycle Lanes Extension Project has been identified.
- In coordination with FDOT and the Sarasota-Manatee Metropolitan Planning Organization staff, the project was revised to comply with the up-dated bicycle lane guidelines and the project limits changes to extend the new bicycle lanes from Elyton Drive to Glenallen Boulevard.

Background

Biscayne Bicycle Lane Project Elyton Dr. to GlenAllen Blvd.



Legend

- Sidewalks
- Retention Ditch
- Waterway
- City Boundary

Route Map



Prepared by Engineering Division
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Local Agency Program Project Agreement

- The project is included in the adopted Sarasota-Manatee Metropolitan Planning Organization's (2017/18 – 2021/22) Transportation Improvement Program in the amount of \$1,342,351 for the design and construction phases of the project.
- The Local Agency Project Agreement allows the City of North Port to advertise, award professional services agreements for design phase services and construction engineering and inspection services and a construction contract and administer the construction of the Biscayne Drive Bicycle Lanes Extension, Elyton Drive to Glenallen Boulevard, Project, with certain Florida Department of Transportation approvals.

QUESTIONS?