

US 41 IMPROVEMENTS PHASE 2 CONSTRUCTION UPDATE



US 41 planned improvements include new sidewalk pathways, curbs, landscaping along the road and a functional traffic roundabout at US 41 and Mezzo Drive (west).

The improvements will reduce the speed of traffic and enhance safety for motorists, pedestrians and bicyclists along US 41 in an area that is growing rapidly with new residential and commercial construction. Reduced speed will also help mitigate noise impacts associated with US 41 traffic.

Construction will take place on US 41 immediately east of the State College of Florida campus entrance on US 41 to Mezzo Drive (east)/ Tortuga Cay Drive.

There is no fee or cost impact to homeowners via the WVID annual assessments for the initial planning, design, permitting and construction of the planned improvements.

October 23-30, 2023 Construction Update

Beginning Monday, October 23, crews will be painting pavement markings and installing reflectors, traffic delineators and a barrier wall in preparation for US 41 traffic to be moved to the existing southbound lanes in early November. During this time, we will be adjusting the location of the left turn lane from US 41 southbound to Brimstone Hill Blvd.

Attention: From Monday, October 23 to Monday, October 30, it may be necessary to temporarily close the left turn lane overnight, from 9 p.m. to 5 a.m. We will issue an update as soon as possible each day that an overnight lane closure will be necessary. Closures may not be needed during these dates, but it is possible. During nights when the left turn lane is temporarily closed overnight, US 41 southbound traffic should continue to the Tortuga neighborhood entrance at Tortuga Cay Drive and complete a U-turn to turn right into the Oasis neighborhood at Brimstone Hill Blvd.

Thank you for your patience and understanding as we complete this stage of construction for Phase Two of the US 41 Improvements Project.

Construction Timeline

Late October 2023

- Mezzo Drive (east) construction will be completed.
- US 41 northbound traffic can make left turns onto Mezzo Drive (east).

Early November 2023

- US 41 traffic is moved to existing southbound lanes and reduced to one lane in each direction northbound/southbound from State College of Florida campus entrance to Mezzo Drive (east) until January 2024. Speed limit is reduced to 45 mph.

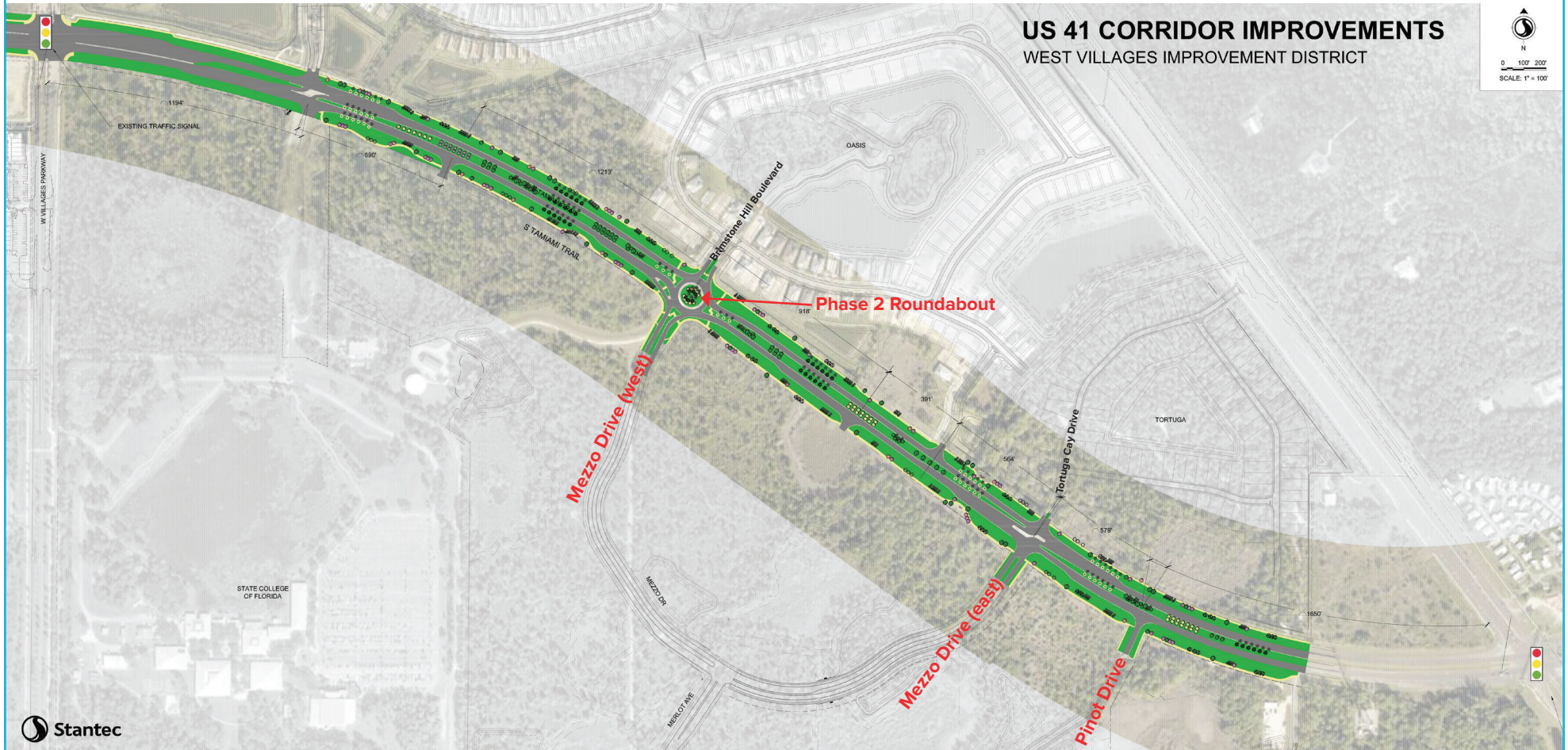
January 2024

- US 41 traffic is moved to northbound lanes, maintaining one lane in each direction northbound/southbound from State College of Florida campus entrance to Mezzo Drive (east) until work completed in May 2024.

Speed Reduction

To ensure safety, the speed limit will be reduced to 45 miles per hour throughout the work zone. Upon completion of Phases 1 & 2, the speed limit will remain at 45 miles per hour along US 41 from Mezzo Drive (east) to Preto Boulevard to maximize pedestrian and cyclist safety.

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