

Evaluation: Request for Crosswalk Seaway Drive at Fernandina St.

City Commission
Conference Agenda Meeting
March 11, 2019



Seaway Drive @ Fernandina Crosswalk

A request has been made to evaluate the need for a crosswalk to be located on Seaway Drive at Fernandina Street. The requested crosswalk would be for pedestrians crossing Seaway Drive at the Manatee Island Restaurant to access the Inlet Linear Walk.

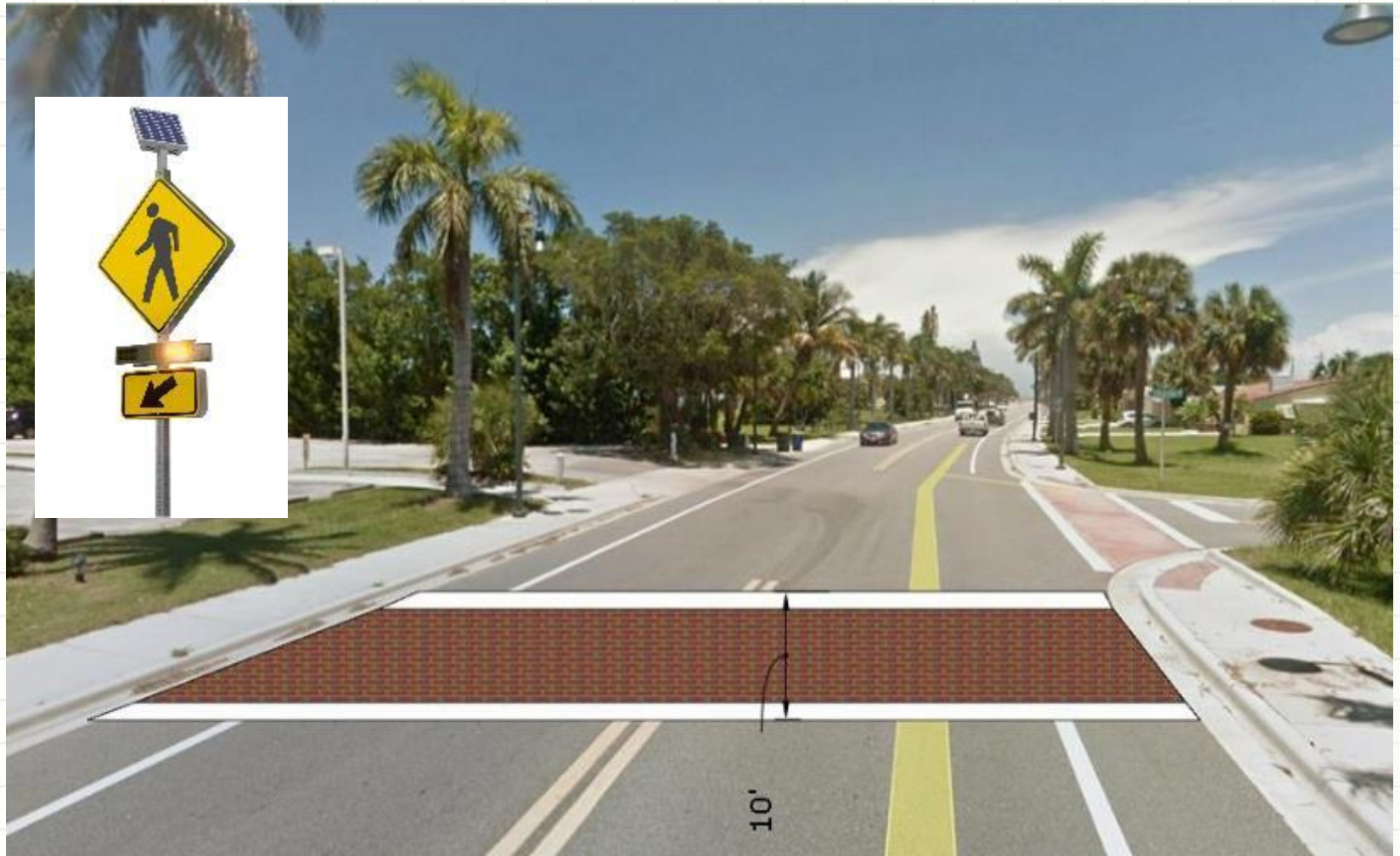


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The challenges facing the placement of a crosswalk at this location are:

- FDOT roadway which requires a detailed engineering study for midblock and uncontrolled approach locations for FDOT approval
- Limited pedestrian volumes – FDOT has minimum levels of pedestrian demand that must be met
- Both ends of the proposed crosswalk would require demolition and replacement of the existing curb and gutter and construction of ADA compliant ramps
- To be consistent with the A1A streetscape appearance, the crosswalk would need to be constructed with colored stamped concrete
- Due to the curvature in the roadway and FDOT's requirements, flashing crossing signs would need to be installed

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The construction cost for this crossing, pending permitting, would be in excess of \$25,000.