



# **NORTH LAKE TRAIL – PHASE 3**

## **PROJECT DEVELOPMENT AND ENVIRONMENT STUDY**



# **WELCOME**

## **ALTERNATIVE CONCEPTS**

### **PUBLIC WORKSHOP**

**June 8, 2023**  
5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

**First Baptist Church of Umatilla**  
550 Hatfield Drive, Umatilla, FL 32784

The environmental review, consultation, and other actions required by applicable federal environmental laws for this project are being, or have been, carried out by Lake County pursuant to 23 U.S.C. §327 and a Memorandum of Understanding dated May 26, 2022, as executed by the Federal Highway Administration and the Florida Department of Transportation.



# **TITLE VI**

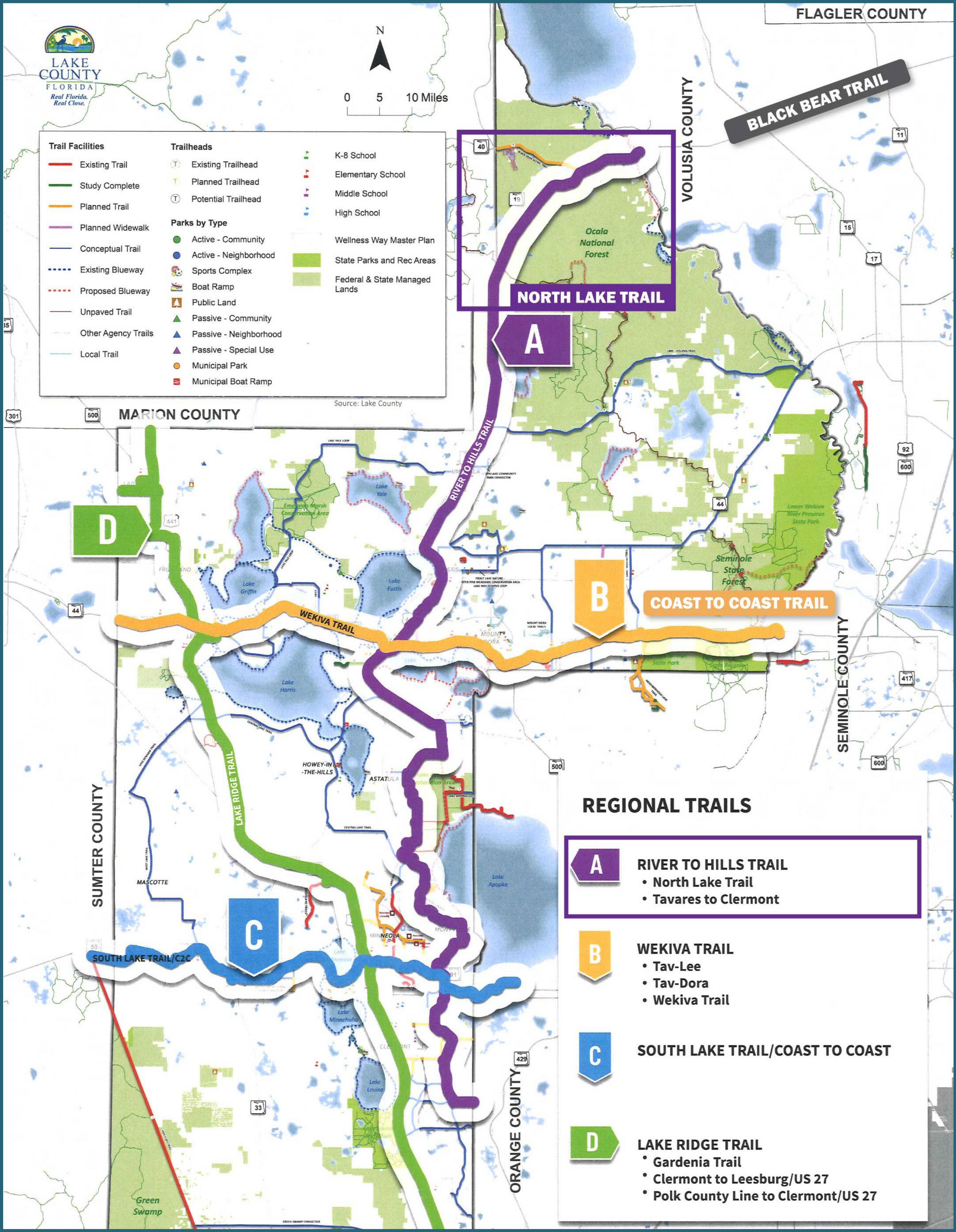
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# COUNTY TRAILS MASTER PLAN



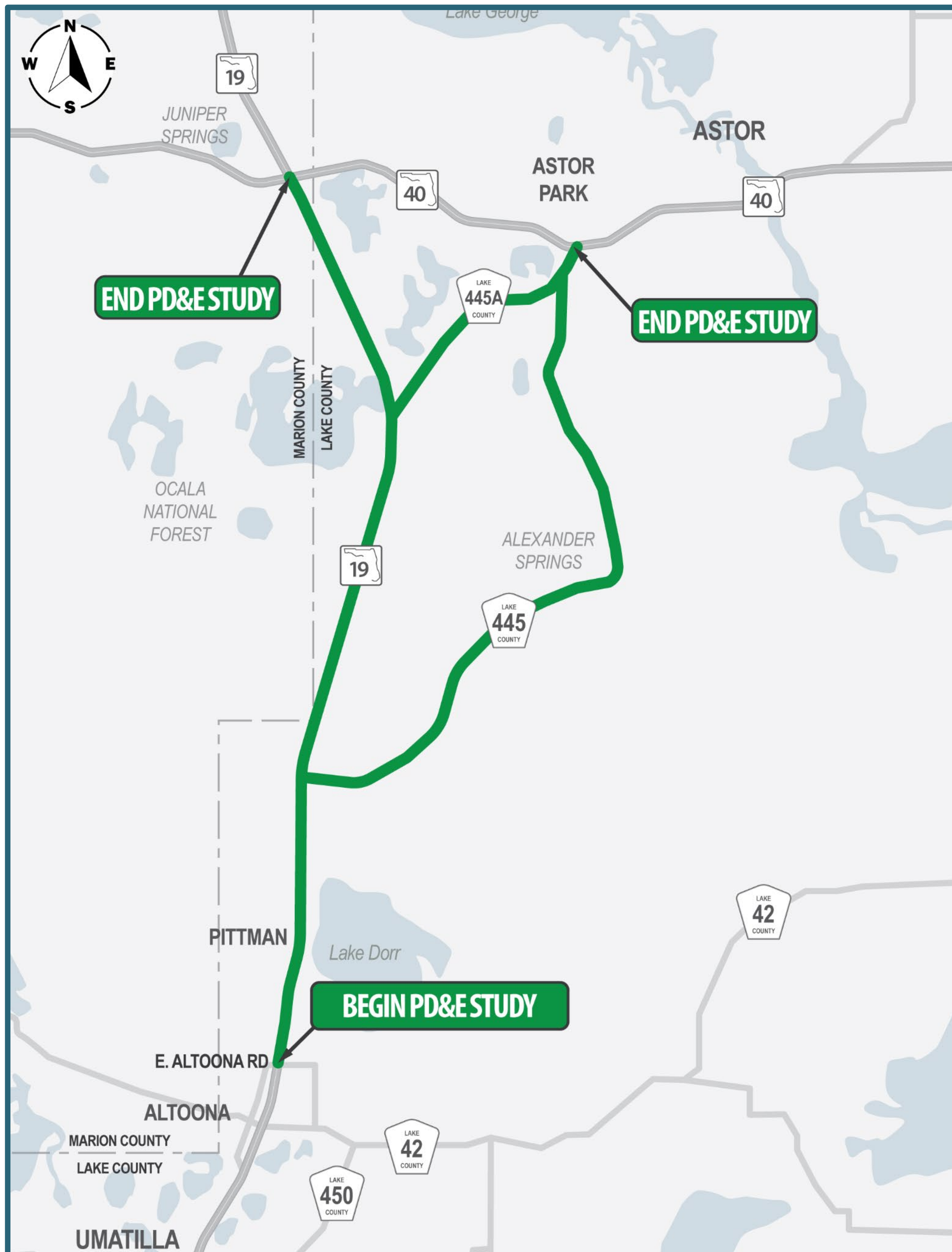
Regional Multi-Use Trail Connections



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## PURPOSE & NEED



PROJECT LOCATION

### PURPOSE

Provide a safe, comfortable, and accessible paved facility for:

- Bicyclists and pedestrians
- Other non-motorized users
- Connect gaps in regional trail network

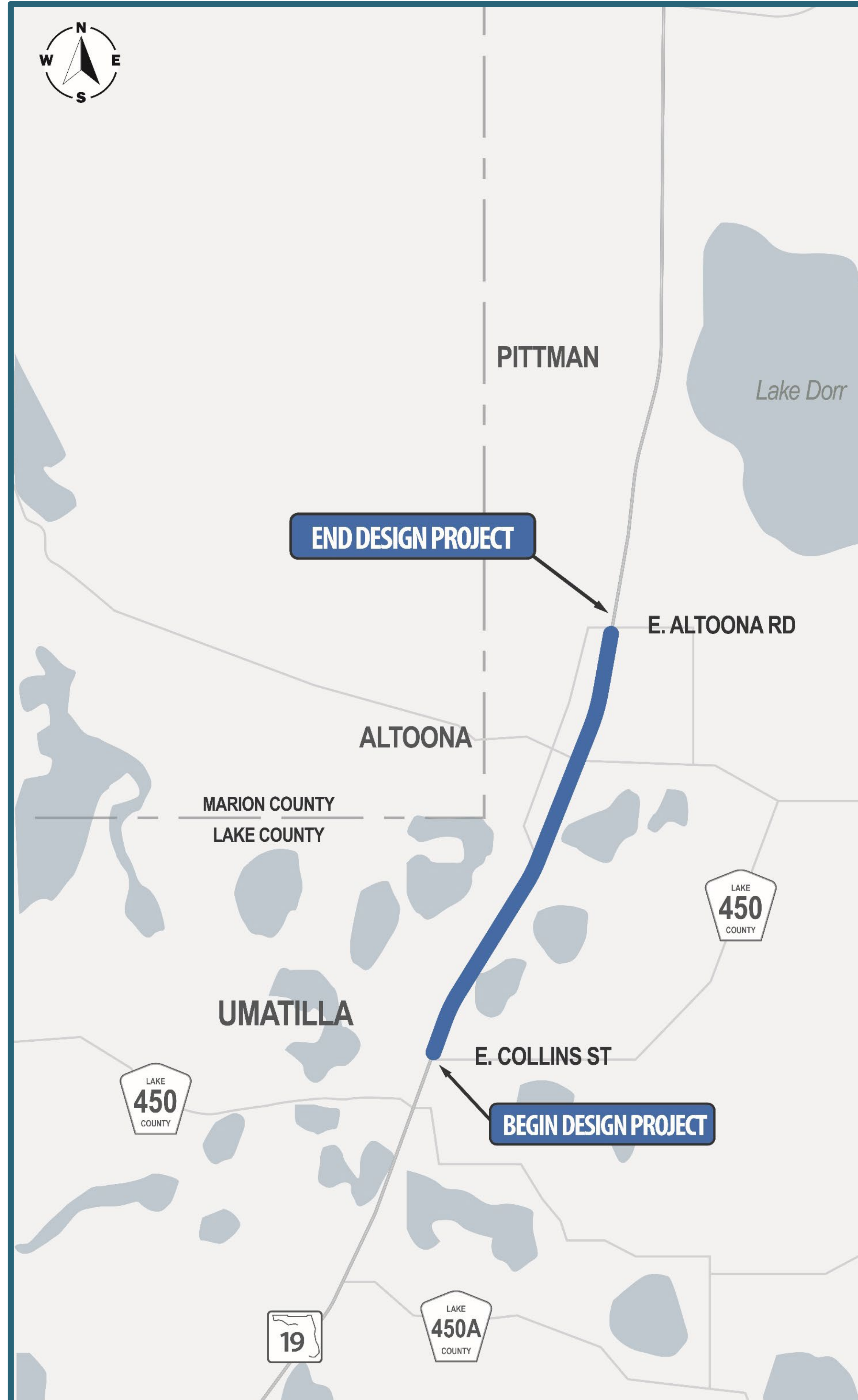
### NEED

- Gaps in the regional trail network
- Lack of safe, comfortable and accessible pedestrian bicycle facilities



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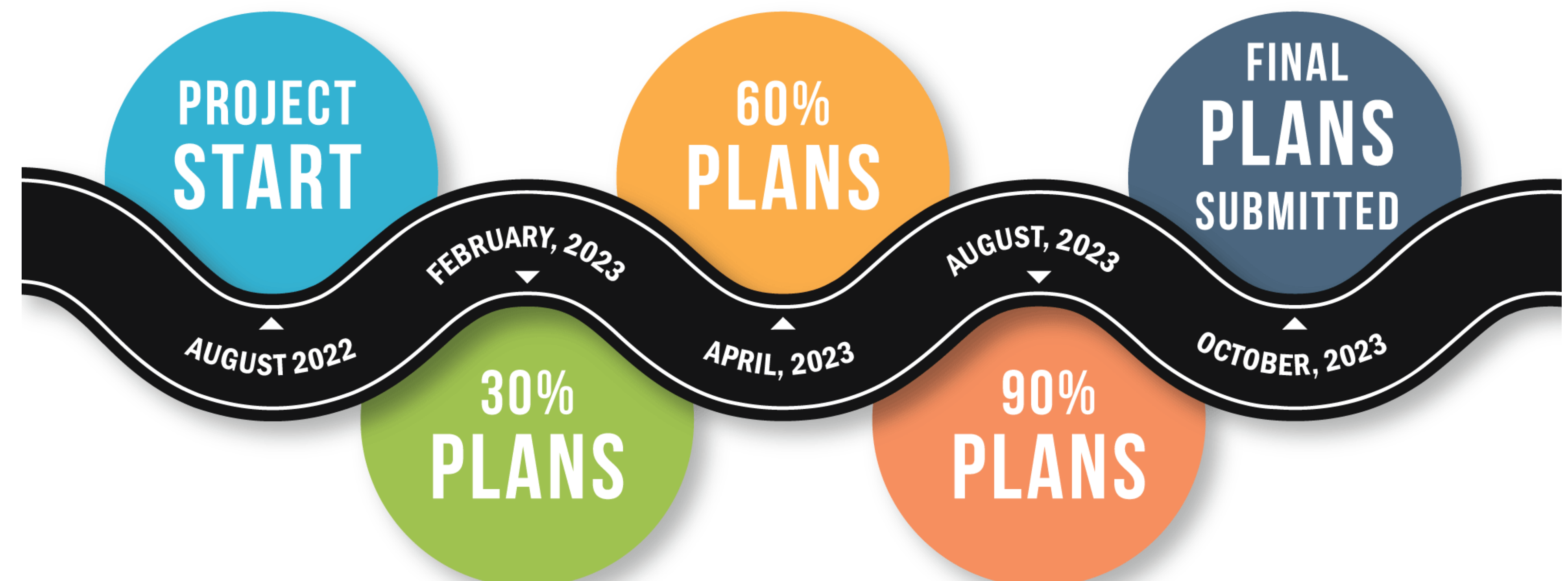
DESIGN SEGMENT LOCATION

## DESIGN SEGMENT

In 2022, Lake County initiated the design phase for the North Lake Trail segment that generally follows State Road 19 from E. Collins Street (in Umatilla) to E. Altoona Road (in Altoona) as presented in the map.

This segment is approximately 3 miles in length. The northern terminus of this project (E. Altoona Road) is also the southern terminus for the North Lake Trail segment that is undergoing the **Project Development and Environment (PD&E) Study**.

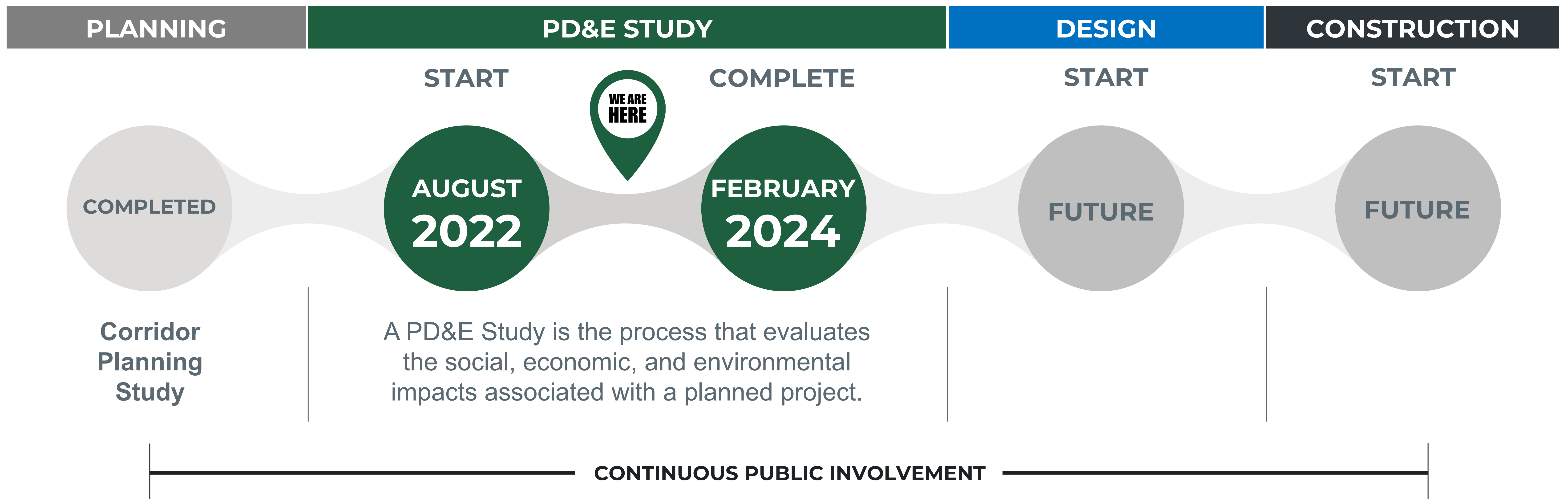
### DESIGN SEGMENT TIMELINE



Note: At this time, it is unknown as to when activities beyond the design phase (right-of-way acquisition and construction) will be completed.



## PROJECT DEVELOPMENT PROCESS









SEGMENT EVALUATION MATRIX

EVALUATION CRITERIA	SEGMENTS					
	SEGMENT A	SEGMENT B	SEGMENT C	SEGMENT D	SEGMENT E	SEGMENT F
TRAIL PLANNING						
Consistent with Lake County Trails Master Plan						
Consistent with Ocala National Forest Recreation Plan						
Consistent with Lake County Comprehensive Plan						
Supported by Local Governments						
Supported by Local Bicycle Organizations						
TRAIL DESIGN						
Meets County Trail Design Standards						
Meets FDOT FDM Trail Design Standards						
Bridge Crossing Required						
Parcels Impacted						
Required Right-of-Way						
Additional Forest Service Land Required						
Forest Service Permit Modification Required						
TRAIL SAFETY						
Driveway Crossings						
Street Crossings						
Midblock/Non-signalized Crossings						
Signalized Crossings						
SOCIO-ECONOMIC RESOURCES						
Connectivity to Area Parks, Schools						
Connectivity to Area Communities (Altoona, Astor, Umatilla)						
Ocala National Forest Service Activities Operations Impacts						
Ocala National Forest Service Activities Revenue Impacts						
CULTURAL RESOURCES						
Archaeological Sites						
Historical Sites						
Section 4(f)						
RECREATIONAL RESOURCES						
Connectivity to Other Area Trails						
Public Hunting Area Impacts						
Connectivity to Ocala National Forest Service Recreation Areas						
Creates Opportunity to Connect to Other/Future Ocala National Forest Service Recreation Areas						
NATURAL RESOURCES						
Wetlands / Surface Waters						
Floodplains						
Wildlife / Habitat						
PHYSICAL RESOURCES						
Utility Relocations						
Contamination Sites						
Sidedrains and Crossdrains						
COSTS	TO BE DETERMINED					

	MOST FAVORABLE
	FAVORABLE
	LEAST FAVORABLE

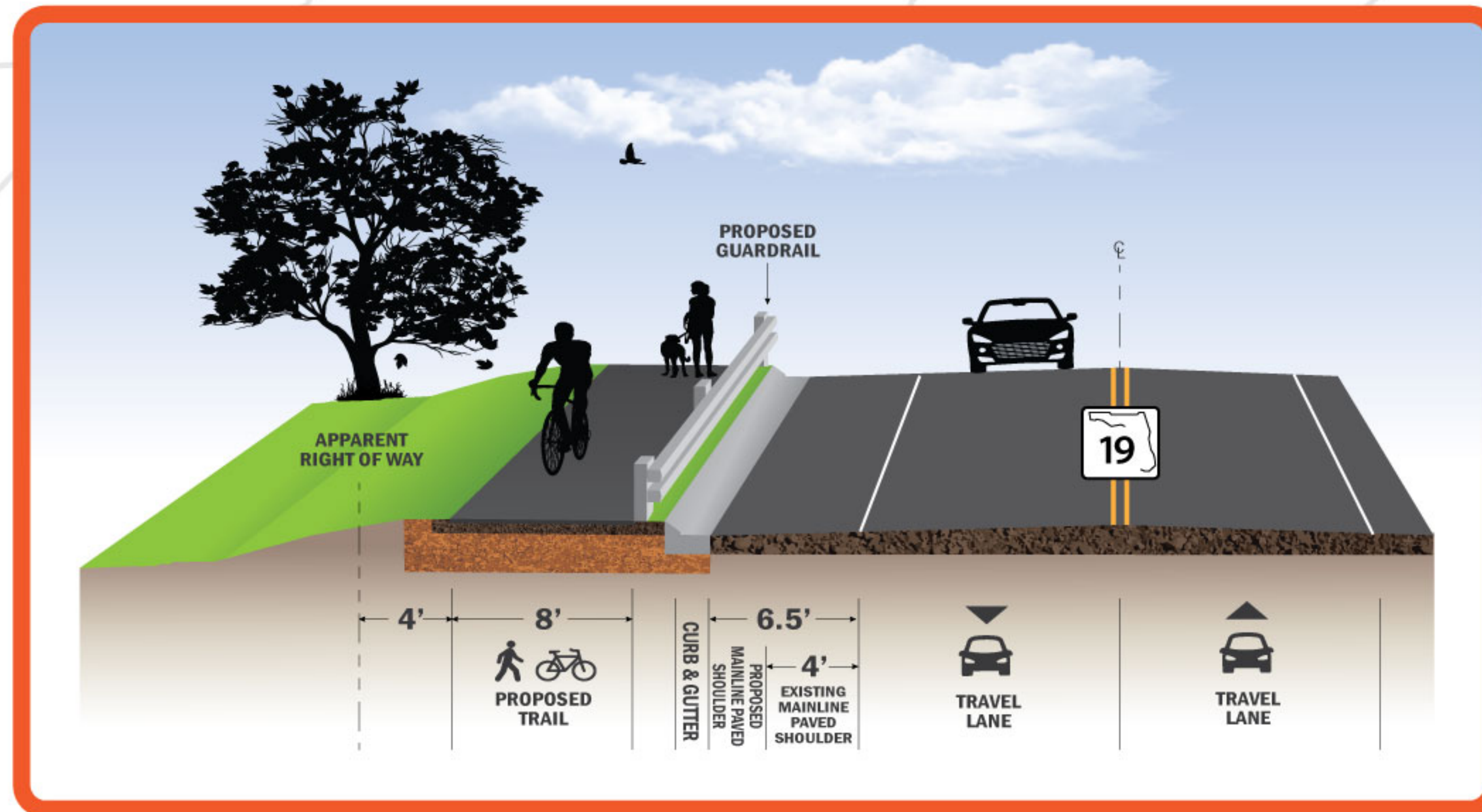


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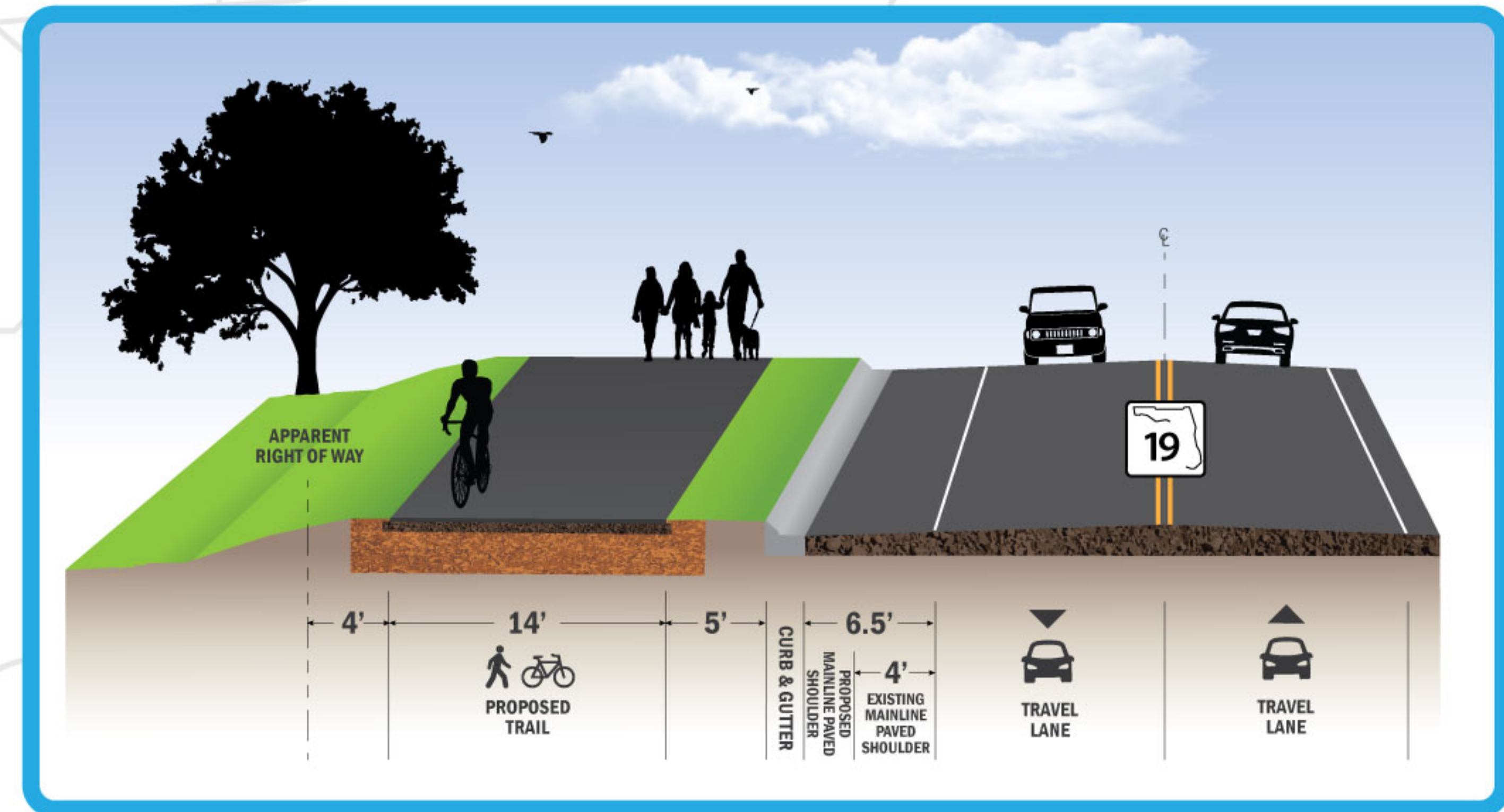
## PROJECT DEVELOPMENT AND ENVIRONMENT STUDY



**PROPOSED 8' WIDE TRAIL WITH CURB & GUTTER & GUARDRAIL**



**PROPOSED 14' WIDE TRAIL WITH CURB & GUTTER**



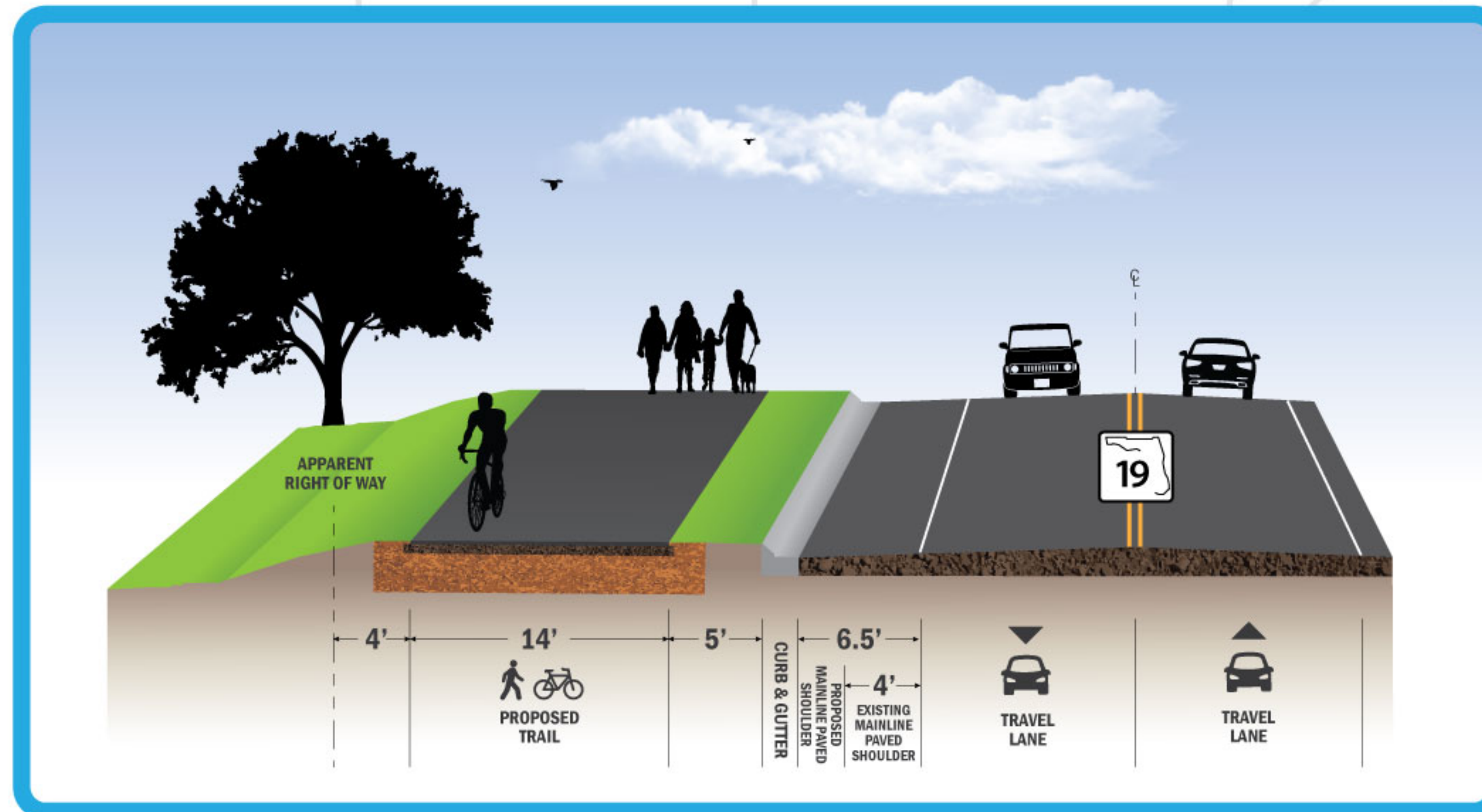
**SEGMENT A: SR 19 FROM E ALTOONA RD TO CR 445**



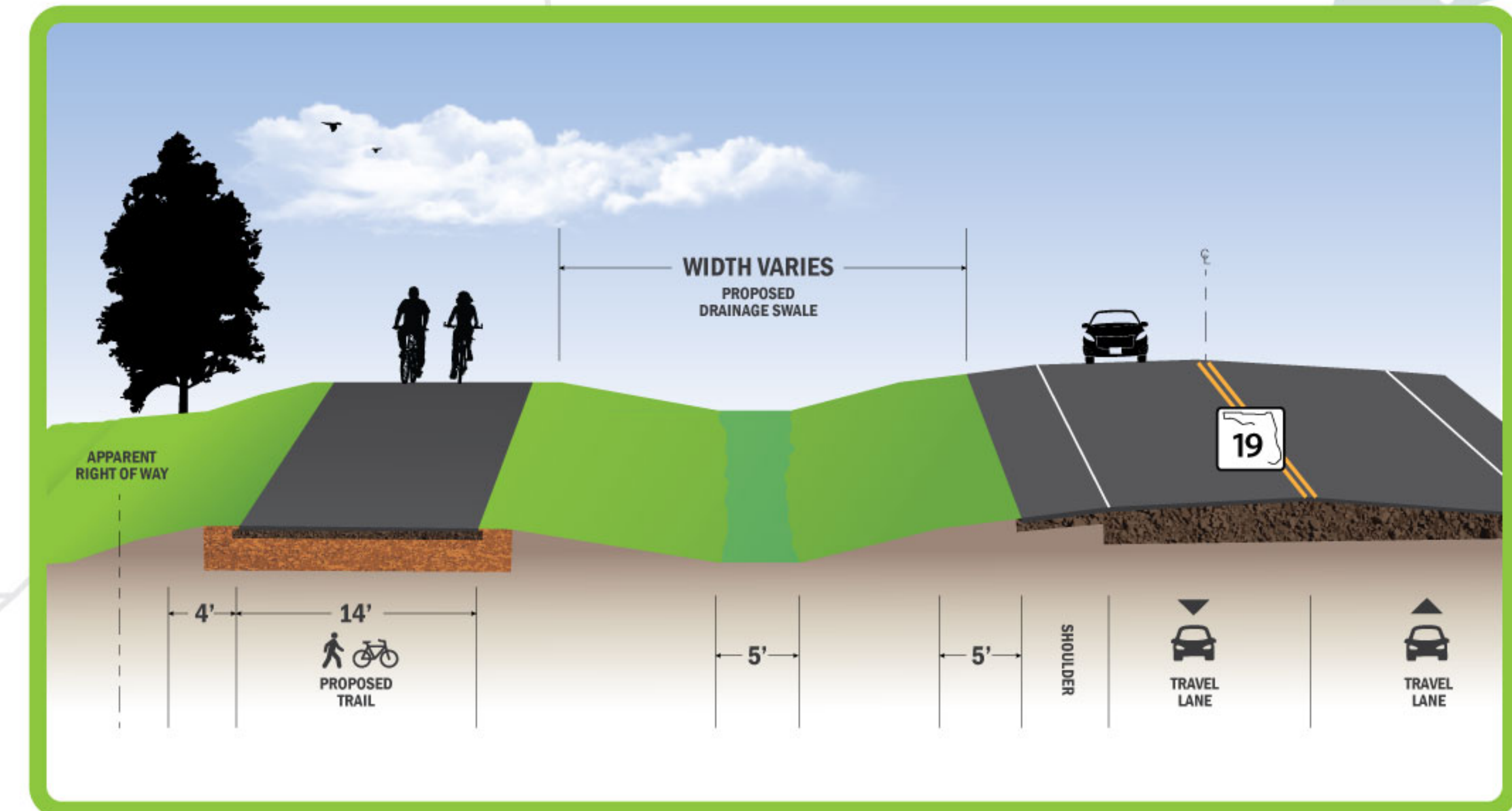
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**PROPOSED 14' WIDE TRAIL WITH CURB & GUTTER**



**PROPOSED 14' WIDE TRAIL WITH DRAINAGE SWALE**

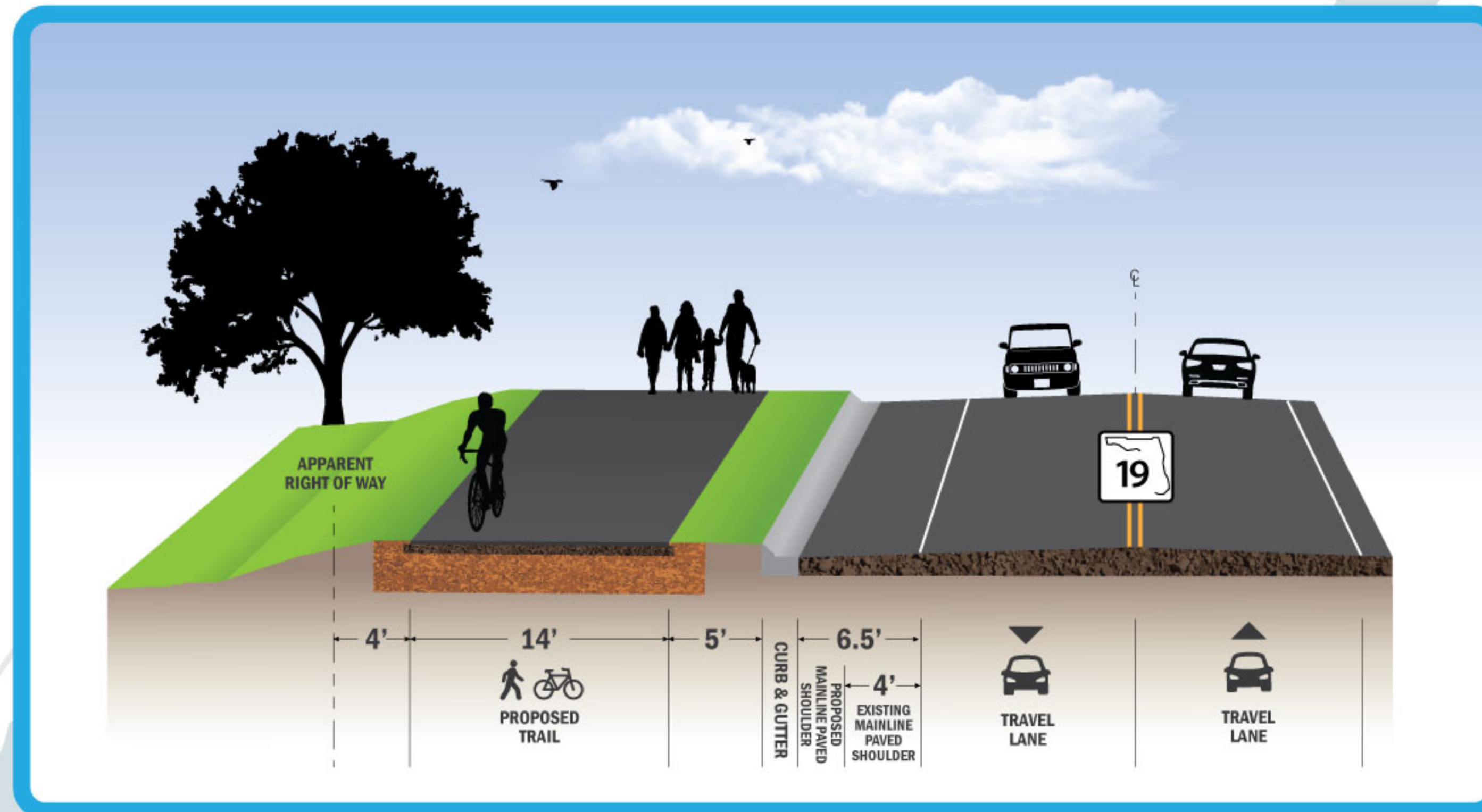




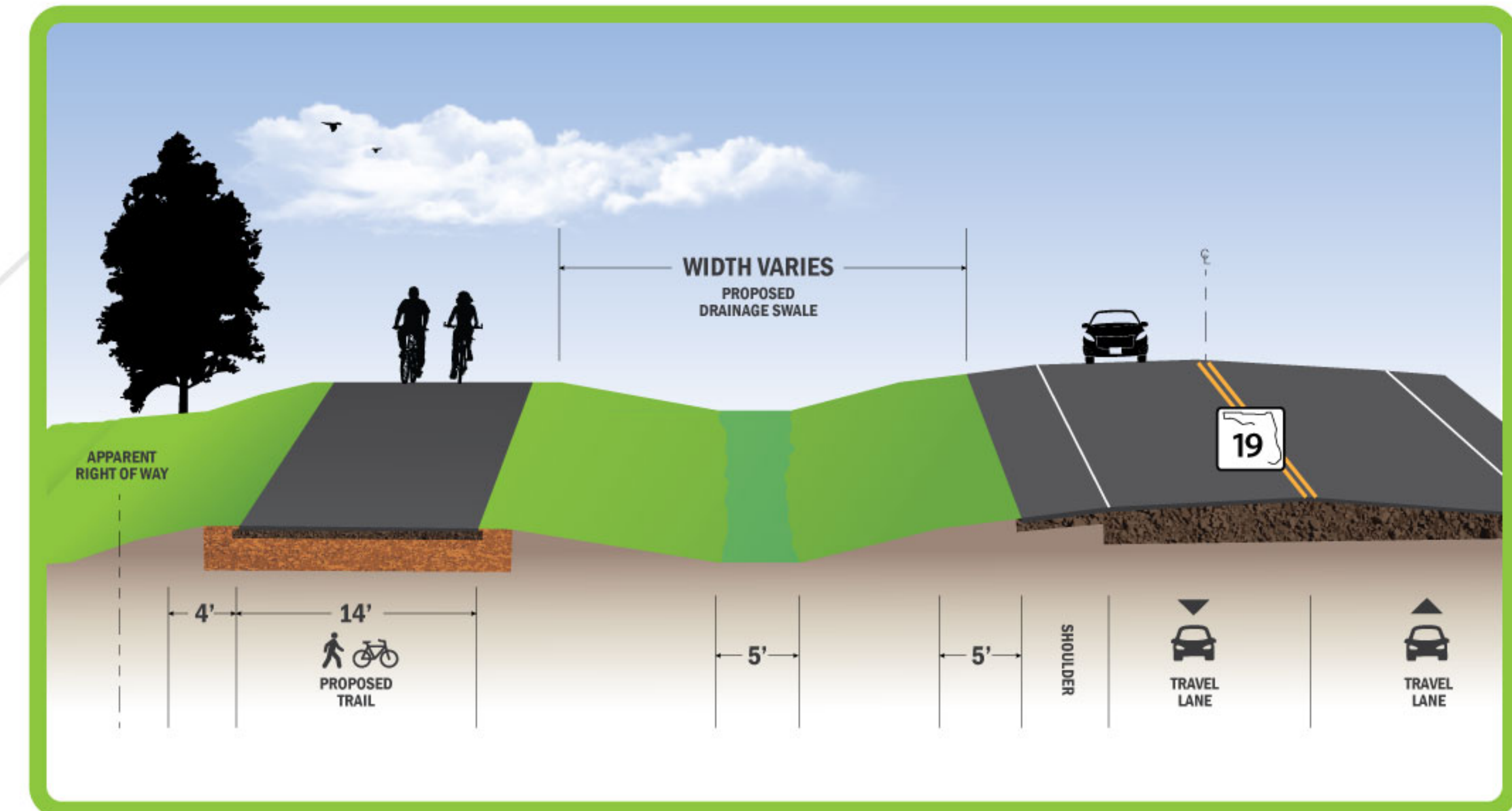
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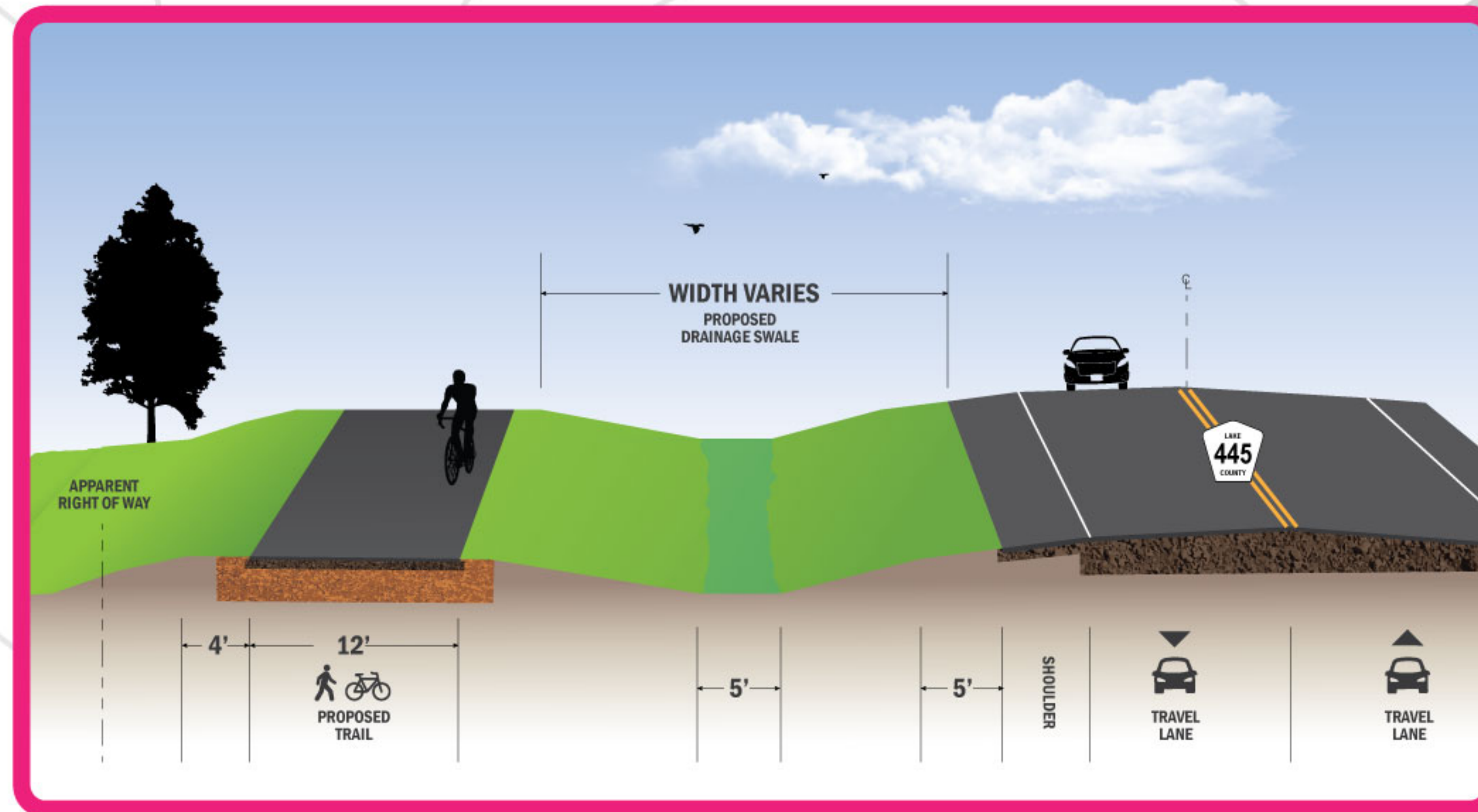




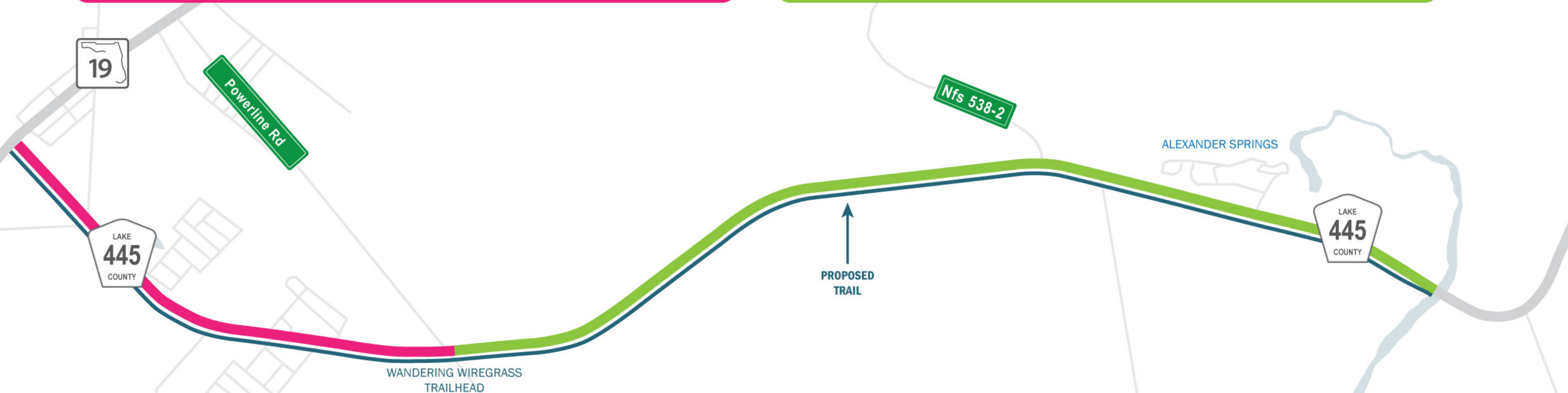
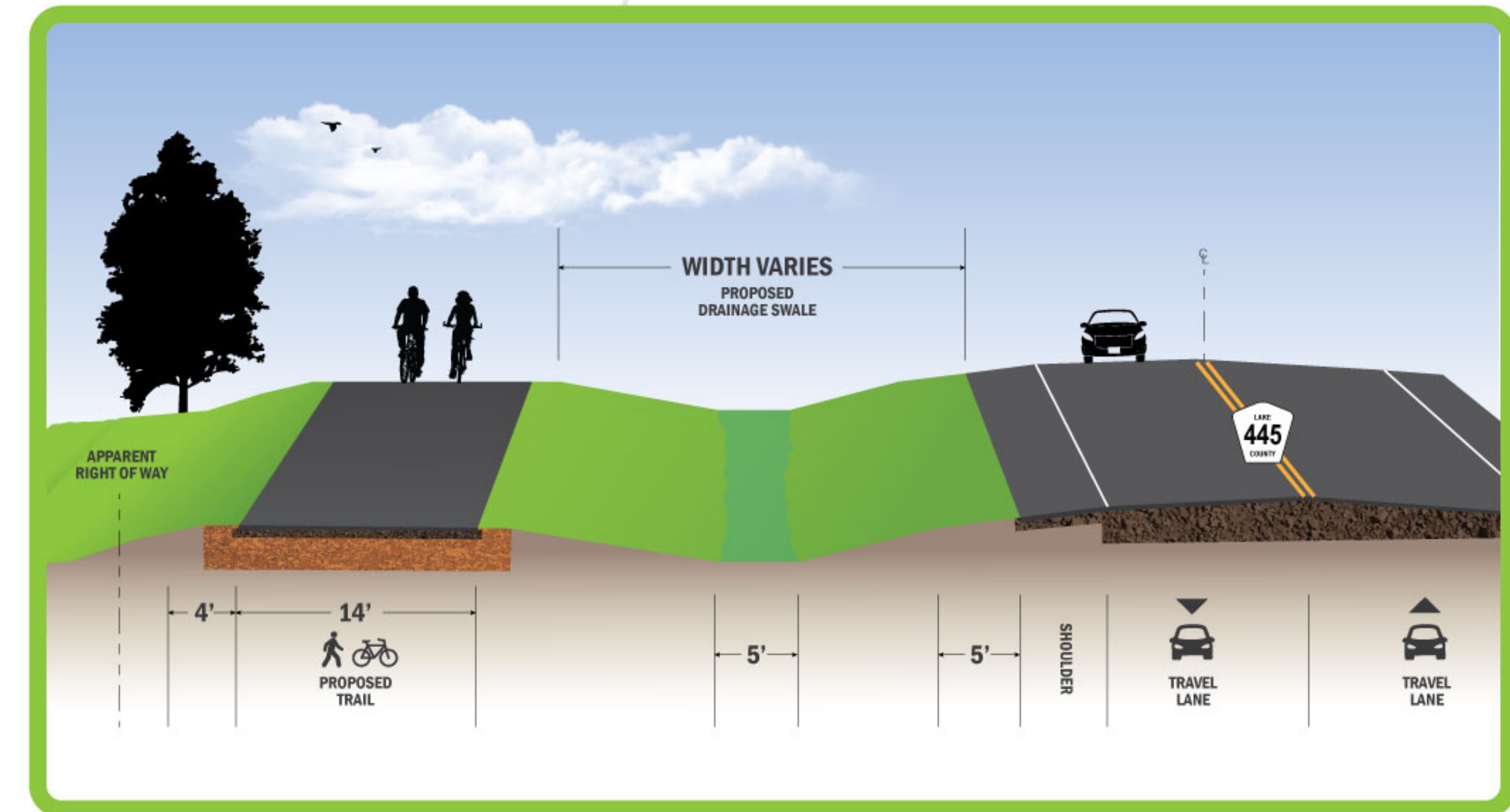
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**PROPOSED 12' WIDE TRAIL WITH DRAINAGE SWALE**



**PROPOSED 14' WIDE TRAIL WITH DRAINAGE SWALE**

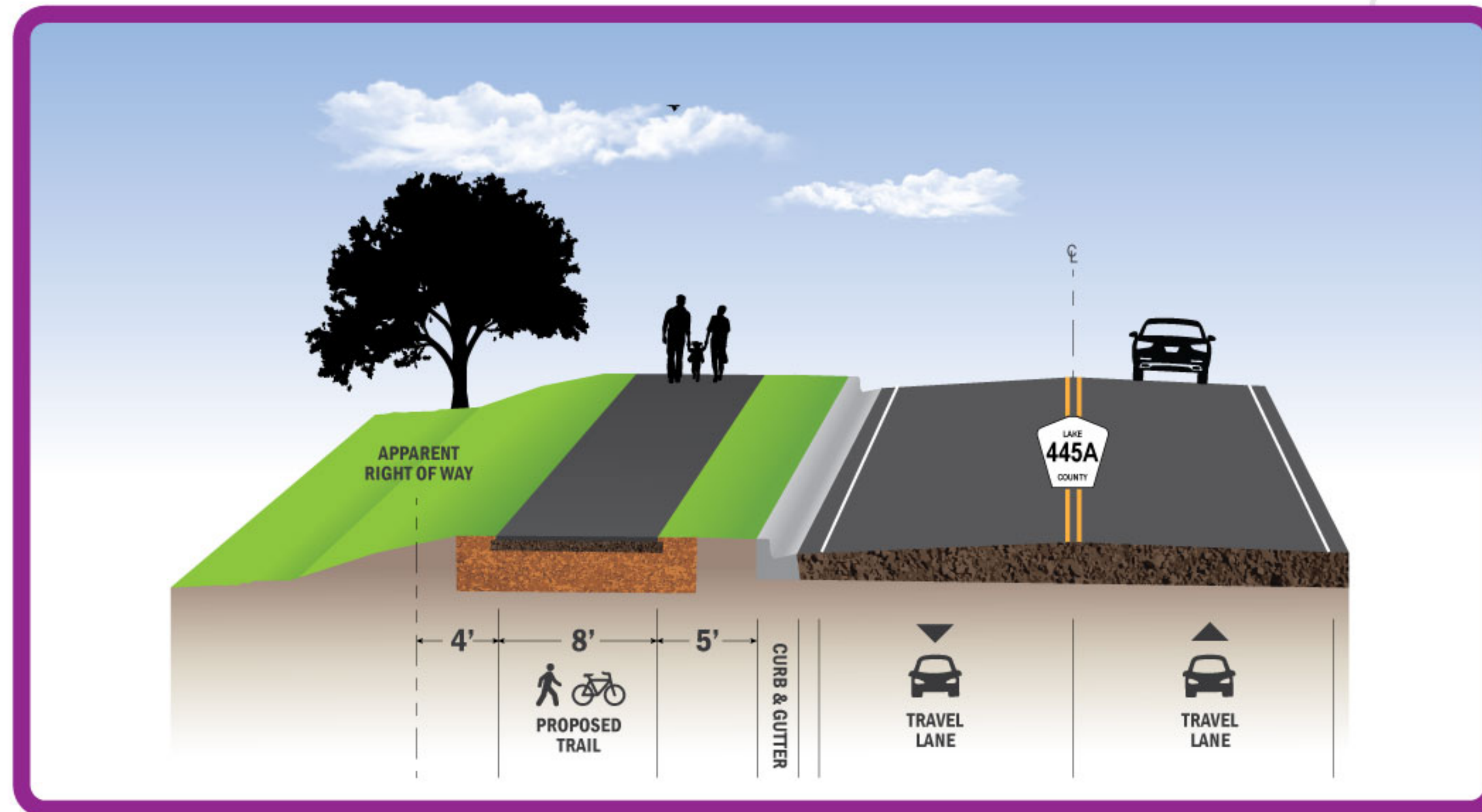




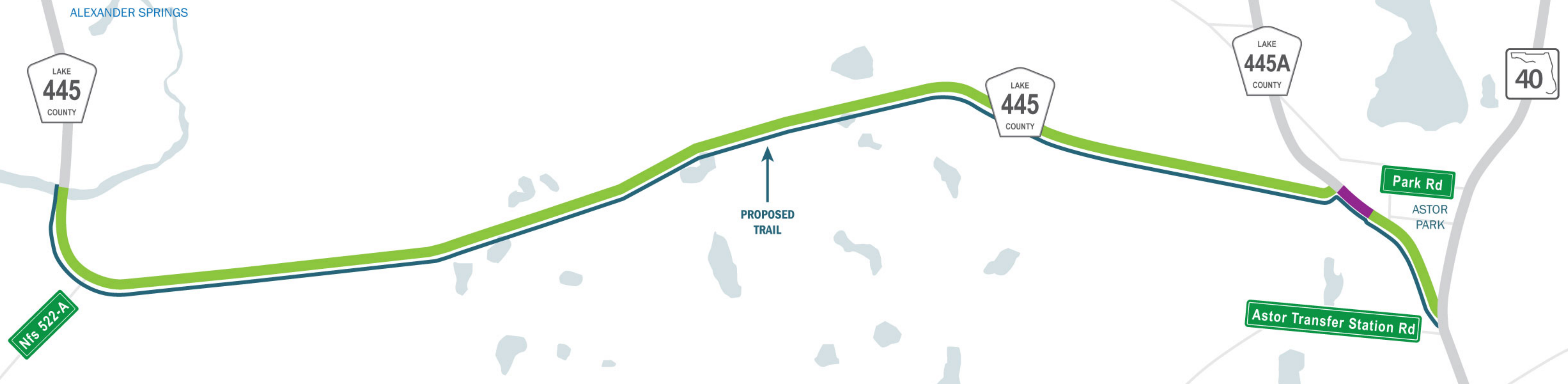
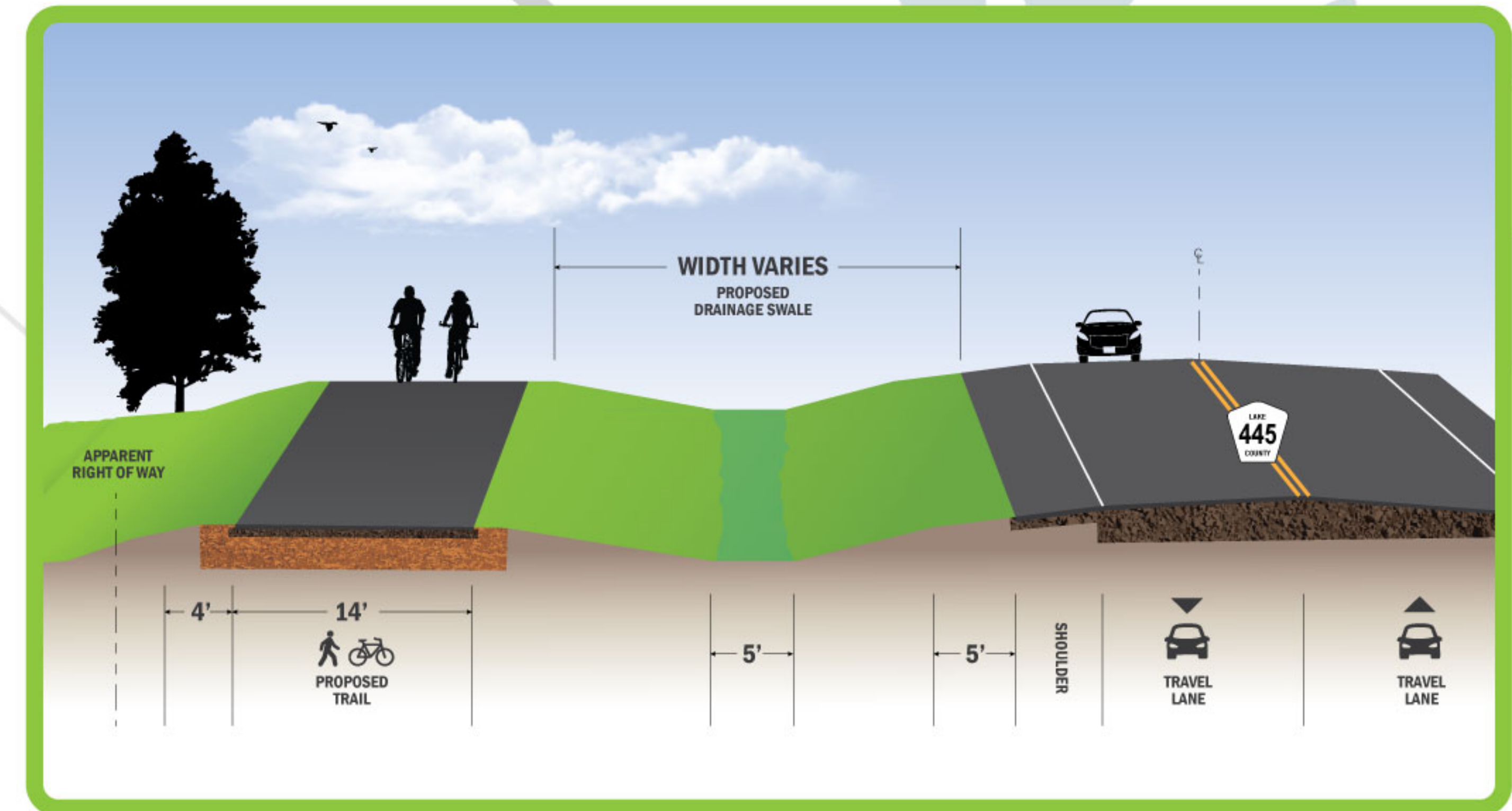
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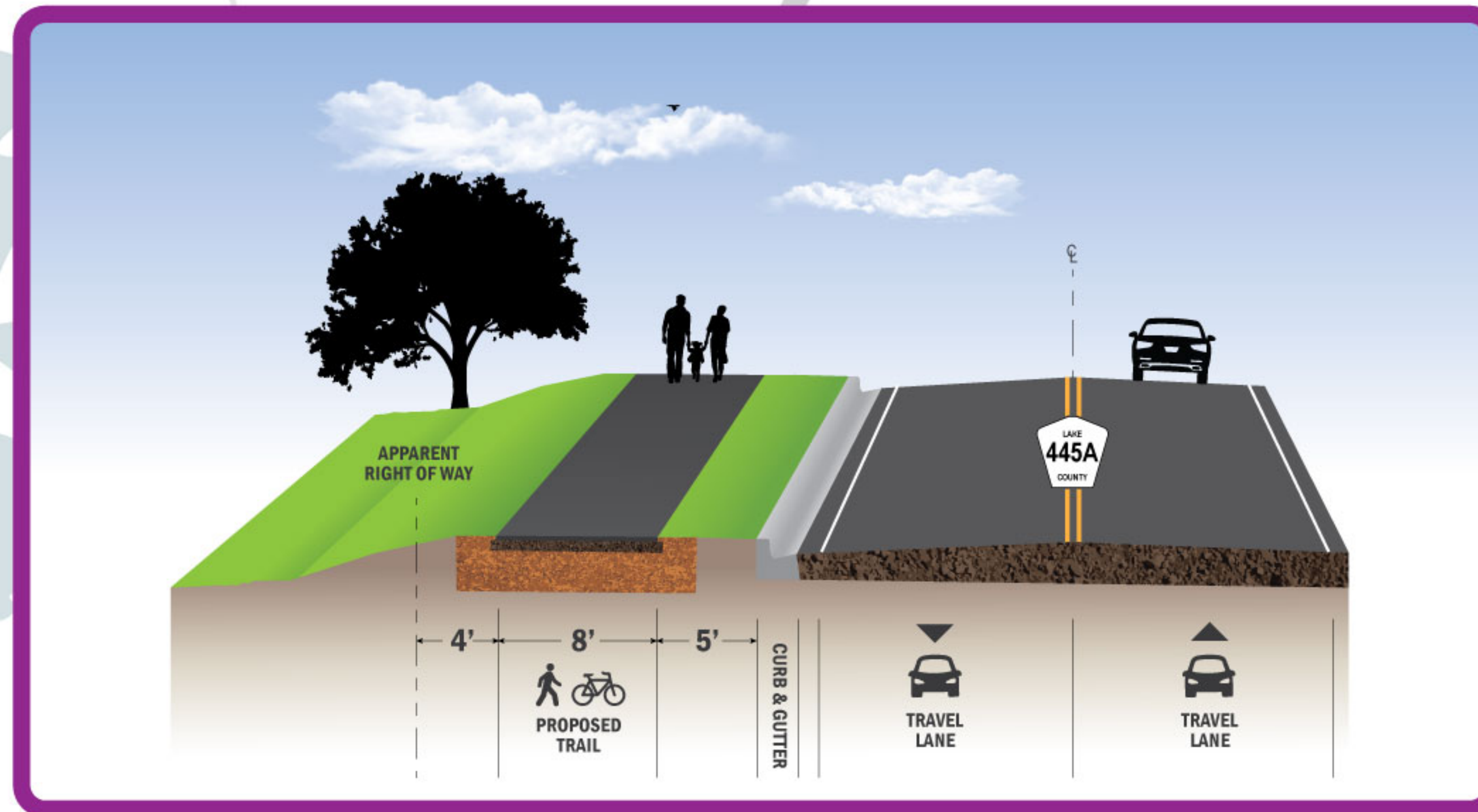
**SEGMENT E:** CR 445 FROM SPRING CREEK BRIDGE TO CR 445A - CR 445A TO SR 40



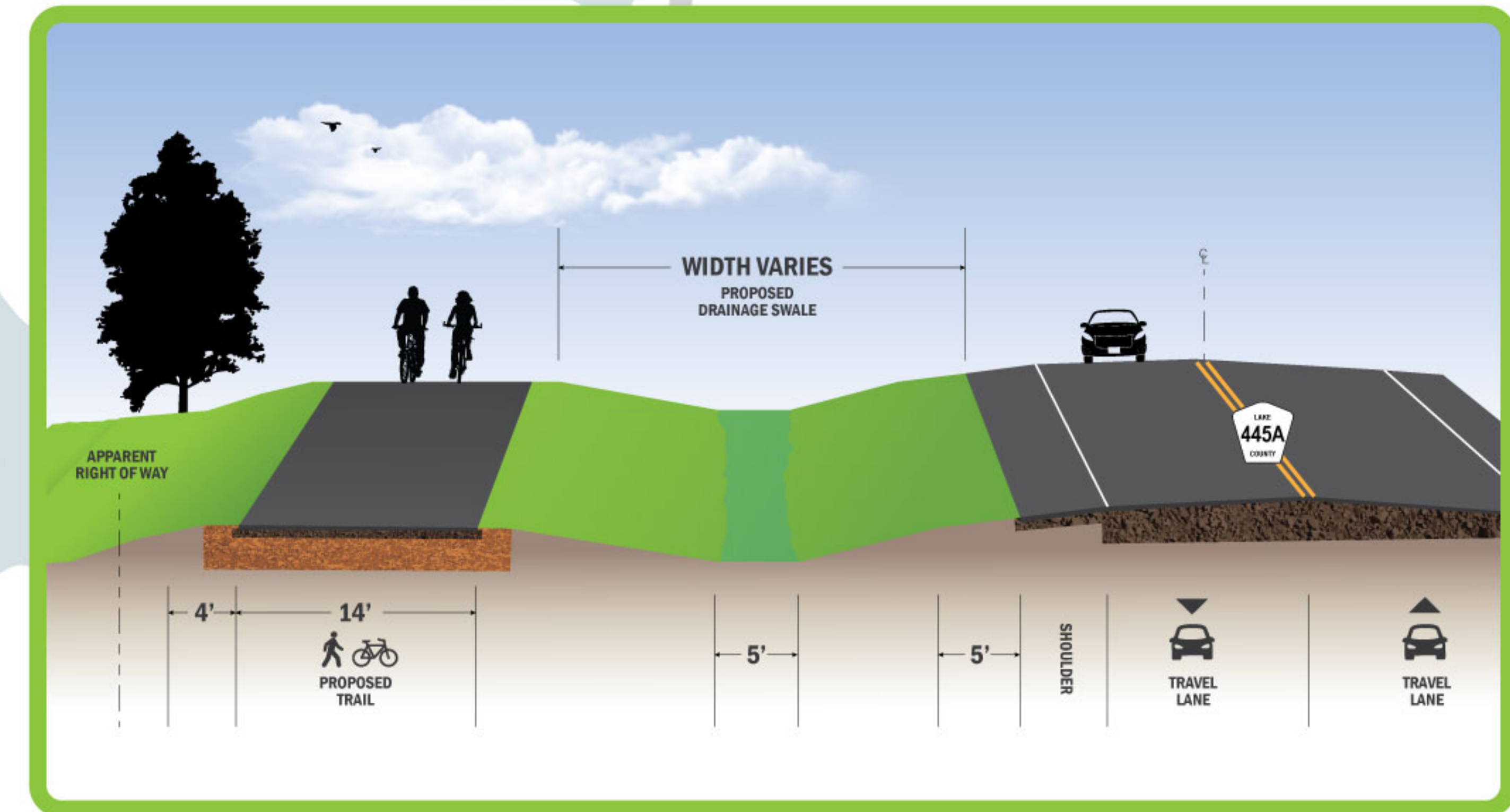
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**SEGMENT F: CR 445A FROM SR 19 TO SR 40**



# WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU

## THERE ARE SEVERAL WAYS TO LEAVE A COMMENT

1

Drop the comment form in the comment box at this meeting.

2

Mail or email your comments to:

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**Lake County Project Manager**

Lake County Public Works


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Tavares, Florida 32778

Phone: (352) 253-9092

Email: [George.Gadiel@lakecountyfl.gov](mailto:George.Gadiel@lakecountyfl.gov)

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