



Memorandum

Memorandum No: 21-097

Date: October 14, 2021

To: Honorable Mayor and Commissioners

From: Chris Lagerbloom, ICMA-CM, City Manager

Subject: New River Crossing Stakeholder Workshop
Broward Commuter Rail (BCR) – Project Development & Environment
(PD&E) Study

On Wednesday October 27, 2021, Broward County together with the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT), will host the New River Crossing Stakeholder Workshop to discuss options for passenger rail crossing to the New River, as part of the Broward County Rail Project. The workshop will take place on Wednesday, October 27, 2021, at the Broward County Governmental Center. Attendees may participate virtually or in-person.

The Workshop will detail several alternatives and solicit feedback from a variety of key stakeholders around and adjacent to the New River. The format of the meeting will include breakout sessions that focus on Aesthetics, Multimodal Connectivity, Marine Navigation and other topics for stakeholders to discuss. The intent of the workshop is to have a focus discussion with stakeholders that are most effected by the alternatives to cross the New River, but all are welcomed. Input received from this workshop and other meetings, will be presented for the project at FDOT's Alternatives Public Workshop.

Attached please find a flyer that includes details to the workshop along with instructions on how to register and attend the meeting. You can also find the most up-to-date information at www.browardcommuterrailstudy.com.

If you have any questions, please contact Phil Schwab, Project Manager, Broward Commuter Rail, In-House Consultant, FDOT at phil.schwab@dot.state.fl.us or 954-777-4524.

Attachment: New River Crossing Stakeholder Workshop Flyer

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John C. Herbst, City Auditor
Department Director
CMO Managers



The Florida Department of Transportation District Four, in partnership with Broward County, will be holding a

NEW RIVER CROSSING STAKEHOLDER WORKSHOP

Come join us for a discussion with other stakeholders about a potential new crossing of the New River for passenger rail. Attendees will be able to **participate online or in-person.**

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2021

6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Broward County Governmental Center

Commission Chambers

115 S. Andrews Avenue

Fort Lauderdale, FL 33301

Parking will be free inside the Governmental Center Garage. The parking voucher will be validated at the workshop.

Please RSVP by email or phone:

agonzalez@mrgmiami.com or **786-280-6645.**

Registration link with additional information will be sent upon RSVP receipt.

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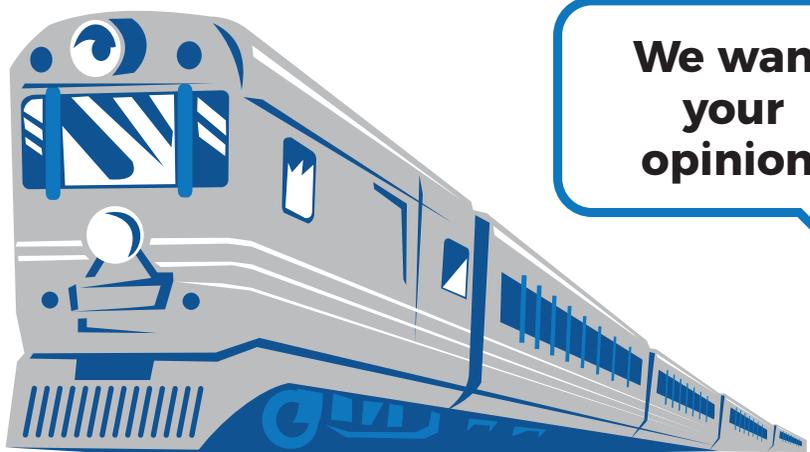
EXISTING CONDITION



AERIAL VIEW OF EXISTING FREIGHT CROSSING OF THE NEW RIVER

Public participation is solicited without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, disability or family status. Persons who require special accommodations under the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) should contact **Phil Schwab, P.E., Project Manager at (954) 777-4524 or toll free at (866) 336-8435, ext.4524**, at least seven (7) days prior to the meeting.

The latest social distancing guidelines will be followed.



**We want
your
opinion!**