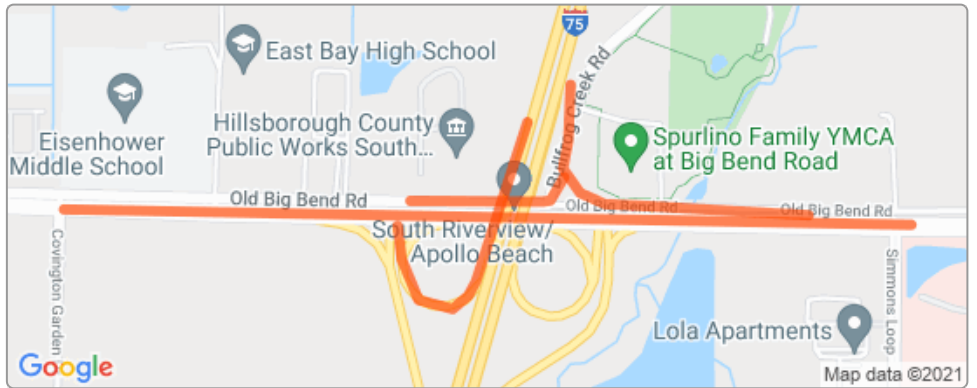


## I-75 Interchange Improvements at CR 672 (Big Bend Road) 424513-3-52-01

Project Details	
<b>Work Type</b>	Interchange Improvements
<b>Phase</b>	Construction
<b>Limits</b>	I-75 at CR 672 (Big Bend Rd)
<b>Project Start</b>	December 6, 2021
<b>City</b>	Apollo Beach Riverview
<b>County</b>	Hillsborough
<b>Road</b>	Big Bend Road I-75
<b>Construction Cost</b>	\$81.7 million
<b>Estimated Completion</b>	Summer 2025
<b>Contractor</b>	Skanska USA Civil Southeast, Inc.



### About

Due to the rapid growth in the South County area, the Florida Department of Transportation has partnered with Hillsborough County to develop long-term solutions to help alleviate traffic congestion by reconstructing the I-75 interchange at CR 672 (Big Bend Road) Exit 246.

Improvements on this design-build project include:

- adding a new northbound I-75 entrance ramp from westbound Big Bend Road
- adding a new southbound I-75 exit ramp to westbound Big Bend Road
- increasing the storage area at the base of the northbound I-75 exit ramp by adding a left-turn lane onto westbound Big Bend Road
- extending the southbound I-75 exit ramp lane approaching Big Bend Road and adding dual right-turn lanes to westbound Big Bend Road
- adding a triple right-turn lane controlled by a signal from the southbound I-75 exit ramp to eastbound Big Bend Road
- adding signalized dual left-turn movements from westbound Big Bend Road to southbound I-75 and eastbound Big Bend Road to northbound I-75
- widening Big Bend Road between Covington Garden Drive and Simmons Loop from a 4-lane divided road to 6 lanes featuring enhanced pedestrian, bicycle, and bus facilities
- rebuilding the Old Big Bend Road and Big Bend Road bridges

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