



## Courtney Campbell Causeway

### Minutes

Courtney Campbell Scenic Highway Corridor Advisory Committee

March 17, 2017 – 10:00am

AECOM 5<sup>th</sup> Floor Conference Room  
7650 W. Courtney Campbell Causeway, Tampa, Florida

1. Welcome and Introductions
2. Public Comments
3. Jan 20, 2017 Meeting Minutes were approved
4. Old Business
  - a. The annual report was submitted
  - b. Ron Gregory went over a quick presentation that DOT gave to a community meeting regarding the Causeway modification project.
  - c. Pedestrian overpass- no construction funds current. Would like to have aesthetics match city monument. Have to make sure the overpass construction won't violate lease agreement with DEP.
5. New Business
  - a. Patel College of Osteopathic Medicine- Goal is to open 8/2019, after licensing and building renovations. Emphasis will be in training in Hillsborough (2 years in classroom and 2 years of training). Hiring

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anticipated in June. Anticipated that when fully up and running there will be ~500 students.

- b. Update on Tampa amenities implementation- hoping to go to bid soon.
  - c. Outreach to residents and businesses along Causeway
    - i. There is a gap in the side walk on the northern side of the Bahama Breeze section, DOT will look into options to close the gap.
  - d. Options for Pinellas County amenities- County wants to be involved in efforts. Will look at conceptual plans to see what can be moved forward to Commission.
  - e. Subgroup of members will meet to strategize future ideas, to identify future partner and funding needs.
6. Next Meeting will be May 19, 2017 at 10:00 am at AECOM