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## I. Introduction

The Orange County Traffic Engineering Division conducted a comprehensive traffic safety audit in the northwest region of District 2. Members of the audit team were:

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The safety audit consisted of daytime and night-time drives of the identified study area roadways, a review of past citizen complaints in the study area, analysis of crash records for study area roadways and intersections, the collection of citizen concerns at two community meetings, and input from District 2 County Commissioner Fred Brummer and the City of Apopka staff.

Identified traffic safety issues were evaluated and appropriate improvements were determined. The improvements were classified as either short-term high priority safety risk, short-term low and medium priority safety risk, or long-term capital improvements. The results of the audit are presented herein.

## II. Purpose

The purpose of this traffic safety audit is to evaluate the rural roads in Northwest Orange County from a safety perspective and recommend improvement strategies.

According to the Federal Highway Administration "a Road Safety Audit (RSA) is the formal safety performance examination of an existing or future road or intersection by an independent, multidisciplinary team. It qualitatively estimates and reports on potential road safety issues and identifies opportunities for improvement in safety for all road users.

The aim of an RSA is to answer the following questions:

- What elements of the road may present a safety concern: to what extent, to which road user, and under what circumstances?
- What opportunities exist to eliminate or mitigate identified safety concerns?"


## III. Study Area

The study area boundaries are Ponkan Road on the south, Rock Springs Road on the east, and the Lake County line on both the west and the north. The location of the study area is presented in Figure 1.


The roads that were identified to be audited are listed in Table 1. The top section of the table lists roadways in the study area that are included in the Concurrency Management System (CMS). The bottom section of the table lists roadways in the study area that are not in the CMS, but are roadways for which the Traffic Engineering Division has received citizen complaints or otherwise provide for travel between CMS roadways.

Signalized intersections that were evaluated as part of the study are:
Jones Avenue \& US 441
Plymouth Sorrento Road \& Kelly Park Road
Ponkan Road \& Plymouth Sorrento Road
Rock Springs Road \& Kelly Park Road
Rock Springs Road \& Ponkan Road
Rock Springs Road \& Rock Ridge Boulevard
Sadler Road \& US 441

## IV. Data Collection

## A. Citizen Complaint History

As part of the data collection process, citizen complaints from 2006 through the present were collected. The purpose was to identify areas of repeated traffic complaints and issues so that on-going issues in the area were not overlooked. These citizen complaints are summarized in Table 2 along with the resolution to the complaint.

## B. Crash History

Although the road safety audit process is intended to be proactive in its approach by anticipating safety hazards and implementing improvements prior to crashes occurring, the analysis of crash data is equally important in order to address existing safety problems.

Crash data for three years from 2006 to 2008 were collected and analyzed in order to identify patterns in crashes and areas for improvement. Crash data were separated into roadway segment crashes and intersection crashes. An intersection crash was defined to be a crash occurring within 500 feet of the intersection, as stated in the crash report. All other crashes were classified as roadway segment crashes.

Figure 2 shows the number of segment crashes and intersection crashes on study area roadways for years 2006 through 2008. An in-depth analysis of intersections with three or more crashes within the three-year analysis period was conducted, consisting of a crash summary table and a conflict diagram. The tables and conflict diagrams are included in Section V under the appropriate roadway.
C. School Locations and School Safety Studies

Locations of schools within the study area are presented in Figure 3. School Safety Studies had previously been conducted for the schools within the study area as part of a

Table 1
Northwest Orange County Traffic Safety Audit Study Roadways

| Cnt Sta. | CMS | Roadway | From | To | Distance | Jrsdct | Func. | AT | Ln | 2008 AADT | Spd |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 325 | 206 | Jones Avenue | N. Orange Blossom Trail | Lake County Line | 3.2 | County | Collector | Rural | 2 | 8,152 | 55 |
| 9 | 212 | Kelly Park Road | Round Lake Road | Plymouth Sorrento Road | 2.0 | County | Collector | Rural | 2 | 2,568 | 55 |
| 12 | 213 | Kelly Park Road | Plymouth Sorrento Road | Rock Springs Road | 3.1 | County | Collector | Rural | 2 | 10,408 | 45 |
| 17 | 286 | Mt. Plymouth Road | Lake County Line | Kelly Park Road | 2.3 | County | Collector | Rural | 2 | 7,493 | 45 |
| 405 | 321 | Old 441 | N. Orange Blossom Trail | Lake County Line | 1.1 | County | Collector | Rural | 2 | 4,316 | 45 |
| 14 | 357.9 | Plymouth Sorrento Road | Lake County Line | Kelly Park Road | 2.0 | County | Collector | Rural | 2 | 7,671 | 55 |
| 11 | 358 | Plymouth Sorrento Road | Kelly Park Road | Ponkan Road | 2.0 | County | Collector | Rural | 2 | 8,308 | 55 |
| 13 | 360 | Ponkan Road | N. Orange Blossom Trail | Plymouth Sorrento Road | 2.6 | County | Collector | Rural | 2 | 4,093 | 45 |
| 326 | 361 | Ponkan Road | Plymouth Sorrento Road | N. Rock Springs Road | 3.2 | County | Collector | Rural | 2 | 5,039 | 35 |
| 18.1 | 383 | Rock Springs Road | Ponkan Road | Kelly Park Road | 2.0 | County | Collector | Rural | 4 | not available | 45 |
| 6 | 387.1 | Round Lake Road | Lake County Line | W. Kelly Park Road | 2.0 | County | Collector | Rural | 2 | 3,222 | 55 |
| 8 | 387 | Round Lake Road | W. Kelly Park Road | W. Ponkan Road | 2.0 | County | Collector | Rural | 2 | 3,618 | 50 |
| 324 | 391 | Sadler Road | Lake County Line | N. Orange Blossom Trail | 2.4 | County | Collector | Urban | 2 | 6,023 | 45 |
| 3 | 392 | Sadler Road | N. Orange Blossom Trail | Round Lake Road | 1.7 | County | Collector | Urban | 2 | 2,174 | 45 |


| Cnt Sta. | CMS | Roadway | From | To | Distance | Jrsdet | Func. | AT | Ln | 2008 AADT | Spd |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| N/A | N/A | Cemetery Road | Sadler Road | end of Cty maintenance | 1.1 | County |  |  | 2 | not available | n/a |
| N/A | N/A | Dora Drive | Sadler Road | Beauclair Avenue | 2.2 | County |  |  | 2 | not available | 50 |
| N/A | N/A | Golden Gem Road | Ponkan Road | Kelly Park Road | 2.0 | County |  |  | 2 | not available | 30 |
| N/A | N/A | Haas Road | Plymouth Sorrento Road | Mount Plymouth Road | 2.1 | County |  |  | 2 | not available | 40 |
| N/A | N/A | Jones Avenue | Round Lake Road | N. Orange Blossom Trail | 0.8 | County |  |  | 2 | not available | 30 |
| N/A | N/A | Lake Ola Drive | Earlwood Avenue | N. Orange Blossom Trail | 0.9 | County |  |  | 2 | not available | 25 |
| N/A | N/A | Laughlin Road | Jones Avenue | Sadler Road | 1.3 | County |  |  | 2 | not available | 45 |
| N/A | N/A | Ondich Road | Round Lake Road | Plymouth Sorrento Road | 2.2 | County |  |  |  | not available | 30 |

Table 2
Northwest Orange County Traffic Safety Audit
Citizen Concerns 2006-2009

| Date | Main Street | Cross Street | Citizen | Concern | resolution |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Jun-07 | Ponkan Rd | Rock Springs Rd to Plymouth Sorrento Rd | City of Apopka | Speed Limit review | Performed Speed Study |
| Jul-07 | Ponkan Rd | Rock Springs Rd to Orange Blossom TI |  | Speed Limit review | Performed Speed Study |
| Jun-09 | Ponkan Rd | Ponkan Summit Dr |  | Accident | Performed Speed Study |
| Jun-08 | Rock Springs Rd | Ponkan Rd to Kelly Park Rd |  | Night Time Evaluation | missing sign replaced |
| Dec-08 | Rock Springs Rd | Spring Hollow Dr | Steve Madole, resident | Screen Wall blocked sight distance | redesign to improve sight distance |
| Jan-09 | Rock Springs Rd | Kelly Park Rd | Shirley Sharpe-Terrell, commissioner aide | Signal Timing | reviewed timing |
| Jun-09 | Rock Springs Rd | Rock Springs Ridge | Eric, resident | Signal | Signal installed as part of road project |
| Apr-09 | Oak Hollow Dr | Rock Springs Rd | Larro Groebel, resident | Sight Distance | field review, met sight distance requirements |
| Apr-09 | Kentucky Blue Circle | Rock Springs Rd | Fred Brummer, commissioner | Sight Distance | Under construction |
| Jun-06 | Kelly Park Rd | e/o Rock Springs Rd |  | parking on roadway when park is full | Signs installed |
| Jan-07 | Kelly Park Rd | Mt Plymouth Rd |  | Signal request | Not Warranted |
| Oct-07 | Kelly Park Rd | Mt Plymouth Rd | Evan Gardner, resident | Illuminated stop sign | Flasher has been installed at this location |
| Jun-08 | Kelly Park Rd | Rock Springs Rd to Round Lake Rd |  | Night Time Evaluation | missing sign replaced |
| Feb-09 | Kelly Park Rd | e/o Mt Plymouth Rd |  | Remove "Use Turn Signal" sign | sign removed |
| Jun-09 | Kelly Park Rd | near park entrance |  | sign request to notify when park is full | Reviewed, not warranted |
| Jul-09 | Kelly Park Rd | at Mt Plymouth Rd | William, resident | Signal | Not Warranted |
| Aug-09 | Kelly Park Rd | Kati Lynn Dr | James, resident | Signal | Not Warranted |



separate county contract, therefore an in-depth analysis of school routes and crossings was not required.

## D. Field Data Collection

The audit team spent several days in the field driving study area roadways. Preparation for the field work included the development of forms and field notation sheets, a prompt list, and gathering of equipment.

Forms and field notation sheets were developed to make the data collection easier and to help organize the data collected. Straight line diagrams of study roadways, which consisted of distances to the tenth of a mile and cross streets, had been prepared in advance to use as field data collection forms. Aerial photographs of study area roadways were also prepared for use in locating and noting specific concerns. Photo log forms were developed to note the photo number and location of the photograph. A field prompt list was developed for reference in the field to ensure that important aspects were not overlooked. This field prompt list is included as Figure 4. An intersection field inspection form, Figure 5, was also used in auditing signalized intersections.

Equipment used included a county vehicle with a flashing rooftop hazard light, safety vests, camera, camcorder, memory cards, and clipboards. Video was recorded for all study area roadways for reference in the office.

## E. Community Meetings

Two community meetings were conducted during the month of November 2009 to gather community input for the project. A community meeting notice, presented as Figure 6, was mailed to the mailing addresses of all parcels within the study area boundaries. The first meeting was conducted on November $9^{\text {th }}$ at Zellwood Elementary School and the second meeting was conducted on November $11^{\text {th }}$ at Wolf Lake Middle School. The sign-in sheets are included in the Appendix.

As part of the community meeting the study area was divided into six maps, with a different map provided at each table. Citizens were asked to sit at a table and note any safety concerns by completing a comment form describing the issue or concern. The comment form was to be numbered. The citizen was then asked to place a sticker with the same number at the location of the concern. The concerns submitted by citizens as part of the community meetings are summarized in Table 3.

Some citizens were not able to attend the community meetings, but phoned or emailed their concerns. The list of concerns submitted by citizens by phone or email is summarized in Table 4.

## F. Speed Studies and Traffic Counts

Some of the comments from citizens were related to speeding and/or requests for changes to speed limits. In order to determine the proper countermeasures speed studies were conducted to determine the 85th percentile speed and the speed range.

Figure 4

## Northwest Orange County Traffic Safety Audit Field Review Prompt List

## I. Pavement

a. poor surface condition
b. poor shoulder condition
c. pavement edge deterioration/drop offs
d. evidence of ponding and/or flooding
e. need for pavement widening along curve
II. Visibility
a. vegetation obstructing traffic control devices
b. vegetation obstructing sight distance
c. obstructions to the sight distance triangle
d. inadequate stopping sight distance
e. passing may need to be restricted
f. hidden driveway
III. Signing
a. poor sign face legibility
b. poor sign face retroreflectivity
c. poor condition of sign supports
d. sign clutter
e. need for advance warning sign
f. need for advisory speed plate
g. need for object markers/delineators
h. need for chevrons
i. need for guide signing
j. need for regulatory signing
k. not appropriate height, offset, or distance

## IV. Pavement Markings

a. need to be refreshed
b. need edge line
c. need RPM's
d. need intersection markings
e. need rumble strips
f. not visible at night
g. old pavement markings still visible

## V. Intersections

a. maneuvers/lane use not obvious
b. insufficient length of auxiliary/turn lanes

## VI. Posted Speed

a. speed limit appropriate?
b. advisory speed needed on curve
c. traffic observed to be speeding
d. improper transition between speed limits
VII. Pedestrians and Bicyclists
a. high usage/need for facilities
b. inadequate facilities
c. need signing for facilities
d. need pavement markings for facilities
e. need maintenance of facilities
VIII. Barriers and Clear Zone
a. need for guardrail
b. poor condition of guardrail
c. need for delineation of guardrail or barrier
d. presence of fixed object within clear zone
e. sign within clear zone not break-away
f. barrier needs proper end treatment

Intersection Identification: $\qquad$ with $\qquad$
Approach Name: $\qquad$ Direction Heading: $\qquad$
PART 1. CHECK SIGNAL VISIBILITY
Type of Signal Mounting: Span Wire Mast Arm Pole Structure
Sight Distance to the Signal: $\qquad$
Requires Advance Warning Sign? Y N
Advance Signal Warning Sign Present: Y N
Is anything blocking the view of the signals? Y If yes, describe $\qquad$
Can signal faces on other approaches be seen? Y N If yes, do these signals have visors, shields, or programmable lenses? Y N
PART 2. CHECK SIGNAL CONSPICUITY

Could visual clutter detract from the signal? $\mathbf{N}$
Are the signal indications confusing? Y N
If yes, explain: $\qquad$

Are backplates present? $\mathbf{Y}$
Are backplates necessary? $\mathbf{Y}$
Are other glare-reducing steps needed? Y
Signal lens type: Incandescent LEDs

Signal Lens Size Adequate?:
Red signal lens size: 8 inch 12 inch
Distance from stop line to signal: $\qquad$ feet
Near side signal? $\quad$ Y
Is existing size adequate? $\quad \mathbf{N}$
Number of Signal Heads Adequate?
Total number of signal heads for major movement:
Total number of lanes for major movement:
Is existing number adequate? $\quad \mathbf{N}$
Signal Heads Placement Adequate? Y N

PART 3. CHECK SIGNAL CONTROL PARAMETERS


PART 4. CHECK OTHER FACTORS
Is horizontal location adequate? $\quad \mathbf{N}$ Pavement condition on approach: Adequate Polished Severely Rutted Should signal warranting study be conducted? Y N Other concerns:

## PART 5. IDENTIFY PROMISING COUNTERMEASURES

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    Visibility Deficiency
Install additional signals on near side
Change signal mounting Install SIGNAL AHEAD sign Install Advance Warning Flashers Remove/relocate sight obstruction Install programmable lenses Install shields and visors Other
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## Conspicuity Deficiency

Add signals to achieve one per lane Replace with LED lens type Replace with 12 " signal head Install double red signal Install/enhance backplates Install rumble strips on approach Install near side signal

Signal Timing Operation Deficiency
Change yellow interval Add/change all-red interval

Other Measures
Determine if signal is warranted Consider roundabout or innovative design Improve pavement condition
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GOVERNMENT

# Northwest Orange County Traffic Safety Audit 

November 9, 2009 at 6:00 pm Zellwood Elementary School cafeteria
3551 N. Washington St., Zellwood, Florida 32798
OR
November 11, 2009 at 6:00 pm Wolf Lake Middle School cafetorium 1725 W. Ponkan Rd., Apopka, Florida 32712 (select one meeting to attend)

Orange County is conducting a traffic safety audit of northwest Orange County roads. Please join your County Commissioner, Orange County staff, and your neighbors at one of the two scheduled community meetings to discuss traffic safety issues and possible solutions within the study area.

Study Area
Purpose:
The staff of the Orange County Traffic Engineering Division would like to receive input from you regarding traffic safety issues within the study area. At this meeting, representatives from Orange County will present the roads to be audited and the focus of the study. Property owners will have an opportunity to provide comments and ask questions. You are strongly encouraged to attend as your input is very important.

If you have questions regarding this community meeting, please call Christine Lofye, P.E. of the Orange County Traffic Engineering Division at (407) 836-8682 or via e-mail at Christine.Lofye@ocfl.net.


Para más información acerca de esta reunión, favor de comunicarse con Sr . Hector Bertran de la División de Ingeniería de Tránsito al número (407) 836-7763.

This project is located in District \# 2 Commissioner Fred Brummer

Table 3

## Northwest Orange County Traffic Safety Audit

 Community Meeting Citizen Concerns (2009)| Map | Main Street | Cross Street | Citizen | Concern | Jurisdiction |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Lake Ola Drive | Dora Dr. to US 441 | H Buckkee | requests sheriff's deputy to patrol for speeding | O.C. study roadway |
| 1 | Dora Dr | north of Sadler Rd | H Buckkee | requests sheriff's deputy to patrol for speeding | O.C. study roadway |
| 1 | OBT/441 | Stoneybrook Hills Pkwy | Richard Welch | Need signal ahead advance warning sign | FDOT |
| 1 | Stoneybrook Hills Pkwy | OBT/US 441 | Richard Welch | Magnolia trees need trimming | private roadway |
| 1 | US 441 | Old 441 | H Buckkee | NB left turn lane isn't long enough | FDOT |
| 2 | Effie Dr | not provided | Larry LaForest | $\begin{array}{\|c\|} \hline \begin{array}{c} \text { increase speed limit } 25 \mathrm{MPH} \\ \text { to } 40 \mathrm{MPH} \end{array} \\ \hline \end{array}$ | O.C. non-study roadway |
| 2 | Effie Dr | Paulette St | Neil McKenzie | $\begin{array}{\|c\|} \hline \text { Speeding--should speed limit } \\ \text { be increased? Requests } \\ \text { speed trailer } \\ \hline \end{array}$ | O.C. non-study roadway |
| 2 | Effie Dr | Ondich Rd | Neil McKenzie | Is there a speed limit sign missing? | O.C. non-study roadway |
| 2 | Haas/Ondich Rd | Plymouth Sorrento Rd | not provided | Vehicles heading WB/EB can't see vehicles heading NB due to speed | O.C. study roadway |
| 2 | Kelly Park Rd | Plymouth Sorrento Rd | Willie Schultz | Need SB left turn lane onto Kelly Park | O.C. study roadway |
| 2 | Ondich Rd | Round Lake Rd | Bridget Dickens | Visibility reduced by trees on SE corner and by hill on Round Lake S. of Ondich Rd | O.C. study roadway |
| 2 | Ondich Rd | Effie Dr | David \& Jean Emmel | Speed enforcement between 6-8am \& 4-6pm | O.C. study roadway |
| 2 | Paulette St | Effie Dr | Rosa Lee Ondich | street needs to be paved | O.C. non-study roadway |
| 2 | Paulette St | Effie Dr | Larry LaForest | street needs to be paved | O.C. non-study roadway |
| 2 | Plymouth Sorrento Rd | US 441 to Lake County | Larry LaForest | pavement condition poor shoulders need widening | O.C. study roadway |
| 2 | Round Lake Rd | Ondich Rd | Rosa Lee Ondich | Visibility hindered by trees on SE corner | O.C. study roadway |
| 2 | Round Lake Rd | Kelly Park Rd | not provided | Trees need to be trimmed NB / add rumble strips prior to stop sign WB | O.C. study roadway |
| 2 | Round Lake Rd | Ponkan to Lake County Line | Bridget Dickens | Request Widening of Round Lake Road | O.C. study roadway |
| 2 | Round Lake Rd | Kelly Park Rd | Laurie Staples | Speeding--afraid to turn into my driveway | O.C. study roadway |
| 2 | Round Lake Rd | Kelly Park Rd | Laurie Staples | Need a speed zone in front of Valley Trailer Park for disabled children | O.C. study roadway |
| 2 | Round Lake Road | Kelly Park Road | Willie Schultz | need intersection sign/hard to know where Kelly Park Rd. is | O.C. study roadway |
| 3 | Kelly Park Rd | Holstein Rd | Diane Burkholder | Need a traffic light/poor visibility at "hilly" intersection | O.C. study roadway |
| 3 | Kelly Park Rd | Mt. Plymouth Rd | Karen Bowers | need a traffic light | O.C. study roadway |
| 3 | Kelly Park Rd | Plymouth Sorrento Rd | not provided | Need plants trimmed to improve view at light | O.C. study roadway |
| 3 | Kelly Park Rd | Mt. Plymouth Rd | not provided | Need a traffic light | O.C. study roadway |
| 3 | Ondich Rd | Plymouth Sorrento Rd | not provided | Dark at night--need flashing light to warn of stop. | O.C. study roadway |
| 4 | Dora Dr | Sadler/County Line | Margie Grinnell | Cyclists endangered by 2-way traffic and dips or holes | O.C. study roadway |
| 4 | Holly | OBT/US 441 | Eugene Mason | High speed on OBT, hard to make right turn on Holly; request NB right turn lane | FDOT |

Table 3
Northwest Orange County Traffic Safety Audit
Community Meeting Citizen Concerns (2009)

| Map | Main Street | Cross Street | Citizen | Concern | Jurisdiction |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 4 | Laughlin Rd | OBT/US 441 | Rosa Lee Ondich | Bus Bench blocks view for SB left | O.C. study roadway |
| 4 | Sadler Rd | US 441 to Dora Dr. | H Buckkee | Lower speed limit to 35 | O.C. study roadway |
| 4 | Sadler Rd | between Sloewood Dr and Sloewood Ct | John Henns | Cut Bamboo Trees back to ROW line | O.C. study roadway |
| 4 | Sadler Rd | Sloewood Dr | John Henns | SB on Sloewood Dr, Stop Sign visibility to west is limited | O.C. study roadway |
| 4 | Sadler Rd | OBT/US 441 | John Henns | request right turn lane EB on Sadler @ OBT | O.C. study roadway |
| 4 | Sadler Rd | between Sloewood Dr and Sloewood Ct | Steve Mellich | Cut Bamboo Trees back to ROW line | O.C. study roadway |
| 4 | Sadler Rd | OBT/US 441 | Steve Mellich | request right turn lane EB on Sadler @ OBT | O.C. study roadway |
| 4 | Sloewood Dr | near Dora Dr. | Margie Grinnell | vegetation blocks speed limit on west side of road | O.C. non-study roadway |
| 4 | Sloewood Dr | between Sadler Rd and Dora Dr | Steve Mellich | Sloewood used as a cut through--need speed control | O.C. non-study roadway |
| 4 | Sloewood Dr | Sadler Rd | Steve Mellich | Turning EB onto Sadler, vegetation needs to be trimmed | O.C. study roadway |
| 5 | 3336 Round Lake Rd | King Ave | Margaret Shuman | Repaved road does not meet end of driveway- pot holes/tire damage | O.C. study roadway |
| 5 | 5331 Jones Ave | Union St | Antoinette Valenson | Water from road washes away land owner dirt | O.C. non-study roadway |
| 5 | Jones Ave | OBT/US 441 | Marvin Barrett | Limit trucks from cutting thru residential area to go to SR 46 | O.C. study roadway |
| 5 | Kelly Park Rd | Round Lake Rd | not provided | Running stop sign due to horizontal sight distance | O.C. study roadway |
| 5 | Plymouth Sorrento | Ponkan Rd | Niles Urfer | speed on curve/straighten road/widen to 4 lanes | O.C. study roadway |
| 5 | Ponkan Rd | Junction St | not provided | Improve signage - people miss turn onto Junction | O.C. study roadway |
| 5 | Ponkan Rd | Round Lake Rd | Marvin Barrett | Stop sign use to have caution lights | O.C. study roadway |
| 5 | Round Lake Rd | north of King Ave | not provided | Difficult curve-speed limit too fast | O.C. study roadway |
| 5 | Round Lake Road | Ponkan Rd | Laurie Staples | Winding curve, lots of people lose control/speed limit | O.C. study roadway |
| 6 | Holstein Rd | Kelly Park Rd | Carolyn McCarty | Visibility- can't see cars on Kelly Park due to hill | O.C. study roadway |
| 6 | Jason Dwelley Pkwy | Kelly Park Road | Willie Schultz | Bike route sign blocks Stop Sign-poor visibility at intersection | City of Apopka |
| 6 | Kelly Park Rd | Foliage Way | Richard Brooks | County tore out driveway-sloppy repair in area | O.C. study roadway |
| 6 | Kelly Park Rd | Plymouth Sorrento Rd | Howard Washington | cannot see EB traffic when attempting NB "Right on Red" | O.C. study roadway |
| 6 | Kelly Park Rd | Foliage Way | Richard Brooks | Water remains in EB roadway after rain; fixed once before, but problem returned after UG utilities/shoulder work | O.C. study roadway |
| 6 | Kelly Park Rd | Plymouth Sorrento Rd | Latricia Even | Trees block visibility | O.C. study roadway |
| 6 | Kelly Park Rd | Jason Dwelley Pkwy | Latricia Even | Visibility- need sign warning of intersection w/ Jason Dwelley | O.C. study roadway |
| 6 | Mt. Plymouth Rd | Kelly Park Rd | Carolyn McCarty | Need traffic light-difficult to enter Kelly Park Rd. | O.C. study roadway |

Table 3
Northwest Orange County Traffic Safety Audit
Community Meeting Citizen Concerns (2009)

| Map | Main Street | Cross Street | Citizen | Concern | Jurisdiction |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 6 | Pittman Rd | Ponkan Rd | Kenneth Peck | Rock Springs Ridge residents trespassing to get to Pittman Rd | City of Apopka |
| 6 | Plymouth Sorrento Rd | Berry Oak Dr | Howard Washington | flooding on SB lane after rain | O.C. study roadway |
| 6 | Plymouth Sorrento Rd | Berry Oak Dr | Howard Washington | Speeding | O.C. study roadway |
| 6 | Ponkan Rd | Pittman Rd to Vick Rd | Kenneth Peck | Dangerous curve (vehicles/school walkers) needs to be straightened | O.C. study roadway |
| 6 | Ponkan Rd | Pittman Rd | Kenneth Peck | Dangerous intersection | O.C. study roadway |
| 6 | Ponkan Rd | Pittman Rd | Annette Peck | No visual coming out from Stop-Straighten curve | O.C. study roadway |
| 6 | Ponkan Rd | Jason Dwelley Pkwy | Willie Schultz | Need street lighting for parks and schools | O.C. study roadway |
| 6 | Rock Springs Rd | Kelly Park Rd | Carolyn McCarty | speeding thru new intersection-warning signs/rumble strips down hill? | O.C. study roadway |
| 6 | Rock Springs Rd | Kelly Park Rd | Carolyn McCarty | enter/exit private driveways are concerns/some residents must cross rd to get mail | O.C. study roadway |
| 6 | Rock Springs Rd | throughout | Carolyn McCarty | speeding on new road | O.C. study roadway |
| 6 | Rock Springs Rd | Ponkan Rd | Howard Washington | view of SB Traffic is blocked by Utility Pole in NW cornerEB right on red issue | O.C. study roadway |
| 6 | Rock Springs Rd | Rock Ridge Blvd | Dale Blake | New Trees in median obstruct sight at intersection for NBL | O.C. study roadway |
| n/a | Vick Rd | Lester rd | E.T. Agard | Stop sign not clearly seen on SB approach; need warning | City of Apopka |
| n/a | Yothers Rd | Plymouth Sorrento Rd | Willie Schultz | poor visibility trying to cross Plymouth Sorrento heading EB | O.C. non-study roadway |

Table 4
Northwest Orange County Traffic Safety Audit
Citizen Concerns by Phone or Email (2009)*

| Main Street | Cross Street | Citizen | Concern | Jurisdiction |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 18th St | between Lake Ave and <br> Central Ave | Alberta Gilbert | No Parking signs missing | O.C. non-study roadway |
| Kelly Park Rd | Mt. Plymouth Rd | William Uebel | Wants a signal for safety <br> reasons | O.C. study roadway |
| Laughlin Rd | US 441 | Alberta Gilbert | No speed limit sign | O.C. study roadway |
| Plymouth Sorrento Rd | Kelly Park Rd | Alberta Gilbert | NB 55 mph sign is missing | O.C. study roadway |
| Plymouth Sorrento Rd | Ponkan Rd and Kelly <br> Park Rd | Alberta Gilbert | reduce speed signs are still <br> posted | O.C. study roadway |
| Rock Springs Rd | Rock Ridge Blvd | Karen Bowers | Does not think the <br> intersection should have a <br> signal | O.C. study roadway |
| Round Lake Rd | King Ave | Raymond M. Strickland, Sr. | Round Lake Rd curves need <br> to be straighted out | O.C. study roadway |
| Round Lake Rd | throughout | Rose Cloyd | Wants the speed limit <br> reduced | O.C. study roadway |
| Round Lake Rd | throughout | Joan Holmes | Does NOT want the speed <br> limit reduced | O.C. study roadway |

* Resulting from Community Meeting Notice

The following are locations where speed studies were conducted:

- Dora Dr, between Sloewood Drive and Claire Rose Court
- Effie Dr, between Kelly Park Rd and Ondich Rd
- Kelly Park Rd, between Mt. Plymouth Rd and Rock Springs Rd, west of Plymouth Sorrento Rd, and east of Plymouth Sorrento Rd
- Lake Ola Dr, west of Lake St
- Laughlin Rd, north of Jones Ave
- Ondich Rd, west of Effie Dr
- Plymouth Sorrento Rd, south of Berry Oak Rd, north of Kelly Park Rd, and north of Haas Rd
- Rock Springs Rd, just south of Kelly Park Rd
- Round Lake Rd, south of Sadler Rd ( 50 mph zone), between Sadler Rd and Kelly Park Rd ( 55 mph zone), and north of Oak Hill Street ( 55 mph zone)
- Sadler Rd, between US 441 and Dora Dr
- Sloewood Dr, north of Sadler Rd

Volume approach counts were taken at the following locations for determination of the proper improvement:

- Round Lake Rd/Ponkan Rd - Approach counts w/ breakdown for SB rights
- Dora Dr/Sadler Rd - Approach counts by direction (TMC's)

Vehicle classification counts were taken at the following location for determination of the types of vehicles using the roadway (passenger vehicles, motorcycles, trucks, busses, etc.):

- Jones Road - between Union Street and Winifred Avenue


## V. Findings and Recommended Countermeasures

This section includes a description of existing conditions for each study area roadway, a review of speed limits, and a summary of findings from the crash history and analyses. A spreadsheet was developed for each study area roadway which tabulates issues the audit team found while in the field, issues raised by citizens at the community meetings, and issues raised by citizens by phone or email. The description of the problem as well as the proposed solution is included.

Issues listed in the spreadsheet are rated by safety priority. The following describes the meaning of these ratings:

High-Safety Risk - Items where immediate safety improvements should be made
Medium- and Low-Safety Risk - Items where low-cost improvements could have a positive impact on safety and should be considered in a reasonable period of time

Following the sections for each roadway, capital improvements are listed for the long term. These are defined below:

Capital Improvements - Items that should be considered as funds become available for major reconstruction of the roadway or intersection.

## A. Dora Drive

## Existing Conditions

Dora Drive is a two-lane roadway running north-south from Sadler Road to Beauclair Avenue, entirely through unincorporated Orange County. The cross section is rural and serves mostly residential land uses, with some citrus rural land at the south end of Dora Drive. Lake Carlton and Lake Beauclair are located to the west of Dora Drive and Lake Ola is located to the east.

Pavement markings consist of double yellow centerline and edge line striping throughout, as well as reflective pavement markers on the centerlines. The speed limit is 50 mph throughout. Sidewalks exist on the east side of the road from Sadler Road to Dora Estates and center left turn lanes are provided at Claire Rose Court and at Laurel View Drive. There are no bike lanes.

Overhead utilities are provided beginning at Sloewood Drive on the east side of the road through to Beauclair Avenue with street lighting from Sloewood Drive to Franklin Road and on either side of the entrance to the subdivision at Laurel View Drive. Guardrail exists on the west side of the road for a short section between Dudley Avenue and Beauclair Avenue at approximately 6300 Dora Drive.

Trimble Park is located off of Dora Drive, after a left turn onto Earlwood Avenue.

## Crash History and Analysis

No crashes were reported for Dora Drive from 2006 to 2008.

## Recommended Countermeasures

The following table lists the areas for improvement for Dora Drive. Items believed to be a high priority were located at the north end of the roadway where a 90 degree curve turns into Beauclair Avenue. Pavement markings needed to be refreshed and visibility improved for warning signs. These items were addressed immediately.

At the south end of the roadway, there exists an unusual intersection configuration for the intersection of Dora Drive and Sadler Road. The improvements identified in the table should increase the understanding of the permitted traffic movements and improve compliance.

## Dora Drive

## Rural Road Safety Audit

Road: Dora Drive from Sadler Road to Beauclair Avenue
Date: 11/5/09 Number of lanes: 2LU
Speed limit: $\quad 50 \mathrm{mph}$

| No. | From | To | Cross Street | Direction | Problem | Type of Work | Solution | Priority |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | approaching Dora | n/a | from Beauclair Avenue | WB | Tree branch reduces visibility of turn warning sign just east of Dora Drive | Roads \& Drainage | trim trees | high |
| 2 | turn to | n/a | Beauclair Avenue | both | Double yellow centerline and RPM's are completely faded and missing | Traffic Engineering Markings | re-stripe dbl yellow centerline and add RPM's | high |
| 3 | approaching | n/a | Sadler | SB | confusing intersection with split to EB and WB Sadler | Traffic Engineering Signing and Markings | Add yield lines at all yields. <br> Remove W1-7 w/ object marker at island. Replace with W12-1, <br> Double Arrow Sign. Install guide sign "Sadler Rd East" and "Sadler Rd West" w/ 45 degree arrows 200 ft in advance of split. | low |
| 4 | north of | n/a | Sadler | both | Citizen request - speed enforcement | OCSO | Request enforcement of posted speed limit. Speed study found minimual speeding. | low |
| 5 | Sadler | Beauclair | throughout | both | Citizen complaint - bicyclists endangered by 2 -way traffic and dips and holes. | Traffic Engineering Admin | Pavement condition found to be adequate; edges recently reinforced; bike lanes are out of scope of study. | low |
|  | Sadler | Beauclair | throughout - except for portion recently resurfaced | both | Centerline markings are faded and RPM's missing sporadically | Traffic Engineering Markings | re-stripe centerline and add RPM's | medium |

## B. Golden Gem Road

## Existing Conditions

Golden Gem Road is a two-lane rural roadway running north-south from Ponkan Road to Kelly Park Road. Golden Gem Road is the western border for part of the city limits for the City of Apopka. There is curb and gutter from Ponkan Road north to the Mid-Florida Materials Corporation driveway. From this point north, the cross section becomes rural, serving citrus rural land.

A double yellow centerline with reflective pavement markers exists throughout. Edge line striping is provided only through the section with curb and gutter and then the edge lines drop for the rural section. The speed limit is 30 mph throughout. There are no sidewalks or bike lanes, and no center left turn lanes.

Overhead utilities are provided on the east side of the road for the entire length.

## Crash History and Analysis

No crashes were reported for Golden Gem Road segments (not located within 500 feet of an intersection) from 2006 to 2008. Two crashes were reported for the intersection of Golden Gem Road and Ponkan Road during the three-year period.

## Recommended Countermeasures

The following table lists the areas for improvement for Golden Gem Road. The few improvements recommended were not considered to be high priority, but were low-cost, low-safety risk improvements.

## Golden Gem Road

Date Issued:
Requested By:
Prepared By:

| No. | From | To | Cross Street | Direction | Problem | Type of Work | Solution | Priority |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | in intersection | at | Ponkan Road | SB | road termination treatment is not standard | type W1-7 | Replace center object marker with a double arrow sign and relocate object marker east of existing object marker. | low |
|  | 75' | 75' north of | Ponkan Road | SB | second to last "No Parking on R/W" sign is bent at an angle | Traffic Engineering signs | reset sign | low |
|  | in intersection | at | Kelly Park Road | NB | road termination treatment is not standard | type OM1-1 | Install (2) object markers west of double arrow and relocate existing object marker north of double arrow. | low |

## C. Jones Avenue

## Existing Conditions

Jones Avenue is a two-lane roadway running east-west and was audited from Round Lake Road to the Lake County line, entirely within unincorporated Orange County. West of US 441 the cross section is rural and serves mostly rural farmland and industrial land uses with a posted speed limit of 55 mph . East of US 441 the land use is residential in nature with a posted speed limit of 30 mph . The cross section is urban with curb from US 441 to Union Street, transitioning back to a rural cross section east of Union Street to Round Lake Road.

Pavement markings consist of yellow centerline and edge line striping throughout, as well as reflective pavement markers on the centerlines. Sidewalks exist on the east side of the road from US 441 to Round Lake Road. There are no bike lanes.

Overhead utilities are provided for the length of the roadway with no street lighting. There is a railroad crossing just west of US 441 and there are school crossings at US 441 and at Washington Street due to the proximity of Zellwood Elementary School.

## Crash History and Analysis

Ten crashes were reported along Jones Avenue segments (not located within 500 feet of an intersection) for the years 2006-2008. One crash was reported at the intersection of Jones Avenue and Round Lake Road.

Thirty-four crashes were reported at the intersection of Jones Avenue and US 441. The following pages include a detailed summary of the crashes at this skewed intersection and a collision diagram to show the approximate location and types of crashes. Thirty-two percent of the crashes were left turn crashes and $44 \%$ were rear-end collisions.

## Recommended Countermeasures

The following table lists the areas for improvement for Jones Avenue. Many of the recommended countermeasures were due to pavement conditions and faded pavement markings. Since the beginning of this project Jones Avenue has been resurfaced, which included the installation of new pavement markings and reflective pavement markers.

| Crash Summary |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Location: |  | JONES AVENUE |  |  |  | Intersection Control: Signalized |  |  |  |  |  |
| Intersecting Route: |  | US 441 |  |  |  | M.P.: |  | Engineer: CNL |  |  |  |
| Study Period From: |  | 2006 |  | To: |  | 2008 |  | County: Orange |  |  |  |
| NO. | DATE | DAY | TIME | TYPE | FATAL | INJURY | PROPERTY DAMAGE | $\begin{gathered} \text { DAYI } \\ \text { NIGHT } \end{gathered}$ | WET/DRY | CONTRIBUTING CAUSE | ACCIDENT REPORT \# |
| 1 | 1/21/2006 | Sat | 11:28 AM | Right angle | No | No | \$5,000 | Day | Dry | Careless driving | FHPD06OFF007046 |
| 2 | 2/6/2006 | Mon | 1:35 PM | Left Turn | No | No | \$3,000 | Day | Dry | Failed to Yield R/W | FHPD06OFF013065 |
| 3 | 4/1/2006 | Sat | 3:10 PM | Left Turn | No | No | \$11,000 | Day | Dry | Failed to Yield R/W | FHPD06OFF034547 |
| 4 | 4/10/2006 | Mon | 8:18 AM | Left Turn | No | Yes | \$10,000 | Day | Dry | Failed to Yield R/W; improper passing | FHPD06OFF038009 |
| 5 | 5/31/2006 | Wed | 11:59 AM | Left Turn | No | No | \$3,500 | Day | Dry | Red light running | FHPD06OFF057737 |
| 6 | 8/28/2006 | Mon | 6:45 AM | Rear end | No | No | \$10,300 | Day | Dry | Careless driving | FHPD06OFF092184 |
| 7 | 9/7/2006 | Wed | 12:48 PM | Rear end | No | Yes | \$2,050 | Day | Dry | Careless driving | FHPD06OFF096183 |
| 8 | 9/26/2006 | Tue | 6:07 PM | Rear end | No | No | \$6,000 | Day | Wet | Careless driving | FHPD06OFF103492 |
| 9 | 10/3/2006 | Tue | 8:05 AM | Rear end | No | No | \$600 | Day | Dry | Careless driving | FHPD06OFF105845 |
| 10 | 11/2/2006 | Thu | 3:56 PM | Right Turn | No | No | \$10,000 | Day | Dry | Failed to Yield R/W | FHPD06OFF116737 |
| 11 | 12/2/2006 | Sat | 10:16 AM | Rear end | No | Yes | \$12,500 | Day | Dry | Careless driving | FHPD06OFF127784 |
| 12 | 2/16/2007 | Fri | 2:29 PM | Sideswipe | No | Yes | \$7,000 | Day | Dry | Improper Lane Change; Failure to Yield R/W | FHPD07OFF016287 |
| 13 | 2/19/2007 | Mon | 8:21 AM | Rear end | No | No | \$125 | Day | Dry | Careless driving | FHPD07OFF017256 |
| 14 | 2/20/2007 | Tue | 4:29 PM | Rear end | No | No | \$10,000 | Day | Dry | Careless driving | FHPD07OFF017742 |
| 15 | 3/24/2007 | Sat | 4:25 AM | Run off road | No | No | \$3,500 | Night | Dry | Unknown, hit house | FHPD07OFF030234 |
| 16 | 5/14/2007 | Mon | 9:42 AM | Sideswipe | No | No | \$10,000 | Day | Wet | Improper Lane Change | FHPD07OFF049364 |
| 17 | 6/11/2007 | Mon | 1:51 PM | Sideswipe | No | No | \$2,200 | Day | Dry | Improper Lane Change | FHPD07OFF059465 |
| 18 | 8/2/2007 | Thu | 6:51 PM | Right Angle | No | No | \$8,500 | Day | Wet | Improper Turn | FHPD07OFF079061 |
| 19 | 8/8/2007 | Wed | 6:11 AM | Rear end | No | Yes | \$6,500 | Night | Dry | Failed to Yield R/W; Careless | FHPD07OFF081088 |
| 20 | 8/23/2007 | Thu | 10:03 AM | Rear end | No | Yes | \$500 | Day | Dry | Careless driving | FHPD07OFF086897 |
| 21 | 9/2/2007 | Sun | 8:58 PM | Rear end | No | No | \$2,000 | Night | Dry | Careless driving | FHPD07OFF091095 |
| 22 | 10/18/2007 | Thu | 4:16 PM | Left Turn | No | No | \$7,000 | Day | Dry | Failed to Yield R/W | FHPD07OFF107749 |


| 23 | 10/24/2007 | Wed | 6:39 AM | Rear end | No | Yes | \$6,000 | Day | Dry | Careless driving | FHPD07OFF109983 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 24 | 11/5/2007 | Mon | 8:42 AM | Left Turn | No | No | \$1,500 | Day | Dry | Failed to Yield R/W | FHPD07OFF114718 |
| 25 | 11/6/2007 | Tue | 3:16 PM | Other | No | No | \$3,000 | Day | Dry | Tires came off axle and struck other car | FHPD07OFF115171 |
| 26 | 11/7/2007 | Wed | 10:31 PM | Rear end | No | No | \$1,000 | Night | Dry | Careless driving | FHPD07OFF115604 |
| 27 | 11/11/2007 | Sun | 6:36 PM | Left Turn | No | Yes | \$3,000 | Night | Dry | Failed to Yield R/W | FHPD07OFF116907 |
| 28 | 2/21/2008 | Thu | 9:00 AM | Rear end | No | Yes | \$2,500 | Day | Wet | Careless driving | FHPD08OFF017267 |
| 29 | 2/22/2008 | Fri | 6:54 AM | Left Turn | No | Yes | \$16,000 | Day | Dry | Failed to Yield R/W | FHPD08OFF017651 |
| 30 | 3/14/2008 | Fri | 2:09 PM | Left Turn | No | Yes | \$17,500 | Day | Dry | Red Light Running | FHPD08OFF025324 |
| 31 | 7/25/2008 | Fri | 4:28 PM | Left Turn | No | Yes | \$17,000 | Day | Dry | Both stated they had the green | FHPD08OFF071340 |
| 32 | 7/27/2008 | Sun | 10:25 AM | Rear end | No | Yes | \$3,000 | Day | Dry | DUI, careless driving | FHPD08OFF071882 |
| 33 | 10/23/2008 | Thu | 7:51 PM | Rear end | No | No | \$1,200 | Night | Dry | Careless driving | FHPD08OFF099026 |
| 34 | 12/13/2008 | Sat | 7:02 AM | Left Turn | No | No | \$5,000 | Day | Dry | Both stated they had the green | FHPD08OFF114627 |
| TOTAL |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL NO. |  | FATAL | INJURY | PROPERTY DAMAGE | ANGLE | LEFT <br> TURN | RIGHT TURN | REAR END | SIDE SWIPE | HEAD ON |  |
|  | 34 | 0 | 13 | 34 | 2 | 11 | 1 | 15 | 3 | 0 |  |
| \% |  | 0\% | 38\% | 100\% | 6\% | 32\% | 3\% | 44\% | 9\% | 0\% |  |
| $\begin{array}{\|c} \hline \text { ONE } \\ \text { VEHICLE } \end{array}$ |  | $\begin{array}{\|c\|} \hline \text { PED/BT } \\ \text { KE } \end{array}$ | DAY | NIGHT | WET | DRY | EXCESS SPEED | FTY R/W | DUI |  |  |
| 0 |  | 0 | 28 | 6 | 4 | 30 | 0 | 10 | 1 |  |  |
|  | 0\% | 0\% | 82\% | 18\% | 12\% | 88\% | 0\% | 29\% | 3\% |  |  |
| TOTAL VEHICLES ENTERING/ADT: |  |  |  |  |  | CRASH |  |  | MEV |  |  |



## Jones Avenue

Rural Road Safety Audit
Road: Jones Avenue from Round Lake Road to Lake County Line
Date: 10/29/09
Number of lanes:
2LU

Speed limit: $\quad 30 \mathrm{mph}$ east of US $441,55 \mathrm{mph}$ west of US 441

| No. | From | To | Cross Street | Direction | Problem | Type of Work | Solution | Priority |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 100' | 150' east of | US 441 | WB | tree branch reduces visibility of outermost signal head | Roads \& Drainage | trim tree branch | high |
| 2 | $0^{\prime}$ | west of | Union St | EB \& WB | Water from road washes away dirt on citizen property | Roads \& Drainage | Review water flow | low |
| 3 | 300' | 380' west of | US 441 | WB | pavement edge crumbling | Roads \& Drainage | reinforce pavement edge | high |
| 4 | 250' | 250' | US 441 | WB | no speed limit sign | type R2-1 ( 55 mph ) | add 55 mph speed limit sign | medium |
| 5 | in intersection | at | Laughlin Road | WB | pavement edge drop-off due to trucks running off pavement on NW corner. | Roads \& Drainage | check radius, reinforce pavement edge | medium |
| 6 | 125' | 200' west of | US 441 | EB | school, railroad crossing pavement markings are faded | Traffic Engineering Markings | refresh pavement markings | high |
| 7 | 130' | 130' west of | US 441 | EB | stop bars before and after RR crossing are faded | Traffic Engineering Markings | refresh pavement markings | high |
| 8 | 220' | 325' west of | US 441 | EB | pavement edge drop-off | Roads \& Drainage | reinforce pavement edge | high |
| 9 | $0^{\prime}$ | at | Lake Co. line | EB | Speed limit sign too close to "Entering Orange County" sign | Traffic Engineering Signs | Relocate existing speed limit sign $50^{\prime}$ east of current location. | low |
| 10 | $0^{\prime}$ | at | Lake Co. line | EB | Speed limit sign too low | Traffic Engineering Signs | set sign to proper height | low |
| 11 | $0^{\prime}$ | at | Lake Co. line | EB | Missing "Entering Orange County" sign. Post exists. | Traffic Engineering Signs | Install "Entering Orange County" sign opposite Lake County sign. | low |
| 12 | US 441 | at | Round Lake Rd | EB \& WB | High truck traffic travelling from US 441 to Round Lake Rd | Traffic Engineering Admin | Perform Classification Study; results show only approx. 4\% trucks. | low |
| 13 | US 441 | Lake Co. line | throughout | EB \& WB | pavement surface is very rough | Roads \& Drainage | needs re-surfacing | low |
| 14 | US 441 | Lake Co. line | throughout | EB \& WB | RPM's are missing sporadically throughout, mostly on double yellow lines. | Traffic Engineering Markings | replace RPM's | medium |

## D. Kelly Park Road

## Existing Conditions

Kelly Park Road is a two-lane collector running east-west, audited from Round Lake Road to Rock Springs Road. Parts of the roadway are in the city limits and parts are in unincorporated Orange County. The cross section is rural except for a small section with curb and gutter from Holstein Road through Rock Springs Road. Kelly Park Road serves agricultural and residential land uses.

Pavement markings consist of centerline and edge line striping throughout, as well as reflective pavement markers on the centerlines. Rumble strips exist on a shoulder on only the north side of the road from Pierce Arrow Drive to Jason Dwelley Parkway. The speed limit is 55 mph from Round Lake Road to Pierce Arrow Drive, 45 mph from Pierce Arrow Drive to Holstein Road, and 30 mph from Holstein Road through the Rock Springs Road intersection. There are no sidewalks or bike lanes present. Center left turn lanes are provided at Jason Dwelley Parkway and Kati Lynn Drive.

Overhead utilities are provided on the north side of the road with street lighting throughout.

An interchange with the SR 429 extension is proposed on Kelly Park Road west of Plymouth Sorrento Road.

## Speed Limits

The current drop in posted speeds from 45 mph to 30 mph in the eastbound direction does not meet the MUTCD requirement of no more than a 10 mph reduction. Due to many citizen complaints related to speeding along Kelly Park Road between Rock Springs Road and Mt. Plymouth Road and visibility of oncoming vehicles from cross streets due to vertical alignment, a speed study was conducted and sight distance was evaluated. It was determined that speeding is occurring, with an 85 th percentile speed of 49.03 mph , but that the hill west of Holstein Road decreases sight distance such that a speed limit of 40 mph is recommended. This speed is to be implemented from west of Mt. Plymouth Road to the 30 mph zone east of Holstein Road.

## Crash History and Analysis

Eight crashes were reported along Kelly Park Road segments (not located within 500 feet of an intersection) for the years 2006-2008. The following number of crashes was reported at each intersection:
Round Lake Road - 4
Plymouth Sorrento Road - 18
Chandler Road - 1
Foliage Way - 1
Pierce Arrow Drive - 2
Mt. Plymouth Road - 9
Florence Street - 2
Holstein Road - 2

The following pages include detailed summaries and collision diagrams for the intersections with three or more crashes during the three year analysis period.

At the intersection of Kelly Park Road with Round Lake Road three of the four crashes appear to be caused by drivers not stopping at the stop sign.

At the intersection of Kelly Park Road with Plymouth Sorrento Road 22 percent of the crashes are right angle crashes caused by red light running. Twenty-eight percent of the crashes are rear-end crashes.

At the intersection of Kelly Park Road and Mt. Plymouth Road 56 percent of the crashes were related to left turns and a failure to yield right of way; however, they occur on all approaches. Misjudging the speed of on-coming through traffic is likely a contributing cause of these crashes, as well as speeding for the through vehicles.

There have been several citizen requests for a signal at the intersection of Kelly Park Road and Mt. Plymouth Road. A signal warrant analyses was conducted in August of 2009 and the signal was not found to be warranted either for volumes or for crash history. It is anticipated that when the SR 429 extension is constructed with an interchange at Kelly Park Road volumes may meet warrants.

The intersection of Kelly Park Road with Rock Springs Road has been recently reconfigured. The previous intersection configuration was stop control on Rock Springs Road, but now the intersection is signalized with the main movement occurring between Kelly Park Road west of Rock Springs Road and Rock Springs Road. The crash analyses shown for this intersection is related to pre-construction conditions.

## Recommended Countermeasures

The following table lists the areas for improvement for Kelly Park Road. The identified high-priority safety risk issues are mainly related to pavement edge drop-offs and visibility of traffic control devices. These issues were corrected immediately. Most issues were classified as low-cost, low- or medium-priority safety risks.

Speed studies were conducted for all approaches to the Kelly Park Road/Plymouth Sorrento Road intersection to evaluate and adjust clearance timings in an effort to reduce high-priority right angle red light running crashes and rear-end crashes at this intersection. It was evident by field observation, and confirmed by citizens, that vehicles are leaving the pavement edge to maneuver around left turning vehicles waiting to turn. As the pavement edge deteriorates, it becomes a safety hazard that requires ongoing maintenance. As funds become available for intersection improvement projects it is recommended that turn lanes be added on all approaches.

A "Hill Blocks View" warning sign will be installed in the eastbound direction on the approach to Holstein Road. The reduction in the posted speed limit from west of Mt.

Plymouth Road to Holstein Road, along with the addition of the warning sign, should help to reduce speeds thought to contribute to left turn crashes at the Kelly Park Road/Mt. Plymouth Road intersection, as well as increase the safety of vehicles attempting to enter Kelly Park Road traffic from Holstein Road and from residential driveways west of Mt. Plymouth Road.


| Orange County Traffic Engineering Division COLLISION DIAGRAM |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| LOCATION ID: Kelly Park Rd and Round Lake Rd     <br> COUNTY: Orange CITY: Unincorporated   <br> PERIOD 2006 TO: 2008 PREPARED BY: CNL |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| COLLISION SYMBOLS ${ }^{\text {a }}$ (CONDITION CODES |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 4 \\ & 4 \\ & \square \\ & x \\ & 0 \\ & x \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | VEHICLE PATH BACKING VEHICLE NON-INVOLVED VEH. PEDESTRIAN PATH FIXED OBJECT PARKED VEHICLE PERSONAL INJURY FATALITY |  | REAR-END C HEAD-ON CO SIDE SWIPE OUT OF CON OVERTURNE LEFT TURN RIGHT ANGL | OLLISION LLISION <br> TROL ED VEHICLE COLLISION E COLLSION | PAVEMENT D=DRY W=W WEATHER C C=CLEAR R LIGHT COND L=DAYLIGHT TIME OF DAY | $\begin{aligned} & \text { COND } \\ & \text { NET I } \\ & \text { ONDI } \\ & \text { =RAIN } \\ & \text { OTION } \\ & \text { Y N }=N \\ & \text { Y (MIL } \end{aligned}$ |
| CRASH SUMMARY |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| DAYTIME | 0 |  | 3 |  | 0 |  |
| NIGHTTIME | 0 |  | 1 |  | 0 |  |
| TOTAL | 0 |  | 4 |  | 0 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |


| Crash Summary |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Location: |  | KELLY PARK ROAD |  |  |  | Intersection Control: Signalized |  |  |  |  |  |
| Intersecting Route: |  | PLYMOUTH SORRENTO ROAD |  |  |  | M.P.: |  | Engineer: CNL |  |  |  |
| Study Period From: |  | 2006 |  | To: |  | 2008 |  | County: Orange |  |  |  |
| NO. | DATE | DAY | TIME | TYPE | FATAL | INJURY | PROPERTY DAMAGE | $\begin{aligned} & \text { DAYI } \\ & \text { NIGHT } \end{aligned}$ | WET/DRY | CONTRIBUTING CAUSE | ACCIDENT REPORT \# |
| 1 | 5/20/2006 | Sat | 8:49 PM | Rear End | No | No | \$5,000 | Night | Dry | Careless Driving | FHPD06OFF053832 |
| 2 | 7/21/2006 | Fri | 3:56 PM | Rear end | No | No | \$3,600 | Day | Wet | Careless Driving | FHPD06OFF077699 |
| 3 | 9/7/2006 | Thu | 5:20 PM | Rear end | No | Yes | \$3,000 | Day | Wet | Careless Driving | FHPD06OFF096329 |
| 4 | 11/04/2006 | Sat | 9:53AM | Left turn | No | No | \$1,000 | Day | Dry | Failure to Yield R/W | FHPD06OFF117348 |
| 5 | 11/29/2006 | Wed | 8:30AM | Out Of Control | No | Yes | \$7,000 | Day | Wet | Careless driving/brakes locked | FHP06OFF126466 |
| 6 | 12/28/2006 | Thu | 6:43 AM | Right Angle | No | Yes | \$19,000 | Day | Dry | Red Light Running | FHPD06OFF137169 |
| 7 | 3/31/2007 | Sat | 1:05 AM | Left turn | No | No | \$5,000 | Night | Dry | Failure to Yield R/W | FHPD07OFF033034 |
| 8 | 7/15/2007 | Sun | 5:02 PM | Right Angle | No | Yes | \$20,000 | Day | Dry | Red Light Running | FHPD07OFF071968 |
| 9 | 8/31/2007 | Fri | 8:17 PM | Right Angle | No | No | \$8,000 | Day | Dry | Red Light Running | FHPD07OFF090339 |
| 10 | 9/28/2007 | Fri | 8:33PM | Rear end | No | Yes | \$6,000 | Night | Dry | Careless Driving | FHPD07OFF100567 |
| 11 | 12/12/2007 | Wed | 7:57 AM | Right Turn | No | No | \$2,000 | Day | Dry | Failure to Yield R/W | FHPD07OFF127364 |
| 12 | 12/30/2007 | Sun | 7:42 AM | Out Of Control | No | No | \$200 | Day | Wet | Unknown/single motorcycle | FHPD07OFF133901 |
| 13 | 5/5/2008 | Mon | 5:22 PM | Left turn | No | Yes | \$10,000 | Day | Dry | Failure to Yield R/W | FHPD08OFF044185 |
| 14 | 8/3/2008 | Sun | 2:05 AM | Out Of Control | No | Yes | \$0 | Night | Dry | Careless/hit pedestrian | FHPD08OFF073954 |
| 15 | 8/23/2008 | Sat | 6:30 PM | Rear end | No | No | \$250 | Day | Wet | Careless Driving | FHPD08OFF080648 |
| 16 | 8/27/2008 | Wed | 11:17 PM | Out Of Control | No | Yes | \$5,000 | Night | Dry | Careless Driving | FHPD08OFF81981 |
| 17 | 10/24/2008 | Fri | 7:02 AM | Right Angle | No | Yes | \$12,500 | Day | Wet | Red Light Running | FHPD08OFF099160 |
| 18 | 12/21/2008 | Sun | 12:23 PM | Side swipe | No | No | \$8,000 | Day | Dry | Passing on shoulder | FHPD08OFF117106 |
| TOTAL |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL NO. |  | FATAL | INJURY | $\begin{aligned} & \text { PROPERTY } \\ & \text { DAMAGE } \end{aligned}$ | ANGLE | $\begin{aligned} & \text { LEFT } \\ & \text { TURN } \end{aligned}$ | RIGHT TURN | REAR END | SIDE SWIPE | HEAD ON |  |
| 18 |  | 0 | 9 | 17 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 0 |  |
| \% |  | 0\% | 50\% | 94\% | 22\% | 17\% | 6\% | 28\% | 6\% | 0\% |  |
| ONE VEHICLE |  | $\begin{array}{\|c\|} \hline \text { PEDIBT } \\ \text { KE } \\ \hline \end{array}$ | DAY | NIGHT | WET | DRY | $\begin{aligned} & \text { EXCESS } \\ & \text { SPEED } \end{aligned}$ | FTY R/W | DUI |  |  |
| 3 |  | 1 | 13 | 5 | 6 | 12 | 0 | 3 | 0 |  |  |
|  | 17\% | 6\% | 72\% | 28\% | 33\% | 67\% | 0\% | 17\% | 0\% |  |  |
| TOTAL VEHICLES ENTERING/ADT: |  |  |  |  |  | CRASH RATE: |  |  | MEV |  |  |







## Kelly Park Road

## Rural Road Safety Audit

Road: Kelly Park Road from Round Lake Road to Rock Springs Road
Date: 10/15/09
Number of lanes:
2LU

Speed limit:
EB- 55 mph from Round Lake Road to Pierce Arrow Drive, 45 mph from Pierce Arrow Drive to before Rock Springs Road, 30 mph approaching Rock Springs
WB- 30 mph from Rock Springs Road to Mt. Plymouth Rd, 45 from Mt. Plymouth Rd to Pierce Arrow Drive, 55 mph from Pierce Arrow Drive to Round Lake Rd

| No. | From | To | Cross Street | Dir. | Problem | Type of Work | Solution | Priority |
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| 1 | 650' | 650' east of | Rock Springs Rd | WB | Cross street warning sign (W2-2 L) is not correct configuration after intersection redesign | Traffic Engineering signs-Type W3-3 | Replace with (W3-3) signal ahead. | medium |
| 2 | 650' | 650' east of | Rock Springs Rd | WB | Cross street warning sign (W2-2 L) has a regulatory no parking sign on the same post. | Traffic Engineering Admin | Establish separate no parking zone if needed. | low |
| 3 | 500' | 500' west of | Rock Springs Rd | EB | Construction signing still in place after construction complete. | Highway Construction (message sent 11/11) | Remove "Speeding Fines Doubled" signs and O.C. BCC improvement sign | low |
| 4 | 500' | 500' east of | Rock Springs Rd | WB | Construction signing still in place after construction complete. | Highway Construction (message sent 11/11) | Remove "Speeding Fines Doubled" signs | low |
| 5 | 100' | 600' west of | Rock Springs Rd | EB | Signal ahead warning sign is placed $100^{\prime}$ NW of Rock Springs; not adequate distance for advance warning sign. | Traffic Engineering signs | relocate signal ahead warning sign 100 ft to the west | high |
| 6 | 200' | 200' east of | Holstein Rd | WB | Hidden Driveway sign at Holstein Road | $\begin{aligned} & \text { TE signs-Type W2-2R w/ W16 } \\ & 8 \text { (sub) Holstein Rd } \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | Replace hidden driveway sign with intersection sign. | low |
| 7 | in intersection | at | Holstein Rd | both | Citizen requested Traffic Light; poor visibility due to hill | TE signs - W7-6 | Signal not warranted; Install advance "Hill Blocks View" warning sign 675' west of Holstein Rd in the EB direction. Remove existing 30 mph warning sign west of Holstein Rd. | medium |
| 8 | Mt. Plymouth | to | Holstein Rd | WB | Eastbound and westbound speed limits are inconsistent | TE signs - R2-1 (40 mph) | Install 40 mph speed limit sign WB 100 ft west of Holstein Rd | medium |
| 9 | 100' | 100' east of | Mt. Plymouth Rd | EB | Speed limit sign of 45 mph violates MUTCD 10 mph speed reduction rule. | TE signs - R2-1 (40 mph). | Remove existing R2-1 ( 45 mph ) sign in the EB direction. Install 40 mph speed limit sign in the EB direction 700 ft west of Mt. Plymouth Rd. | medium |
| 10 |  | 670' west of | Mt. Plymouth Rd | WB | Vehicles have difficulty entering Kelly Park Rd from driveways west of Mt. Plymouth due to SB to WB ramp. | Traffic Engineering signs | Relocate existing WB R2-1 (45 mph ) sign to 700 ft west of Mt. Plymouth Rd. | medium |

## E. Lake Ola Drive

## Existing Conditions

Lake Ola Drive is a two-lane residential roadway running northwest-southeast from Earlwood Avenue to US 441, entirely through unincorporated Orange County. The cross section is rural for most of the roadway with a short section of curbing west of US 441 and from Lake Street to the east. Lake Ola is located to the south of Lake Ola Drive.

Pavement markings consist of double yellow centerline and edge line striping throughout, as well as reflective pavement markers directly on the centerlines (instead of to the outside of the centerlines). The speed limit is 25 mph throughout. There are no sidewalks or bike lanes on either side of the road.

Overhead utilities are provided for the length of the roadway. Also, a weight limit of 3 tons exists on Lake Ola Drive.

## Crash History and Analysis

No crashes are reported for Lake Ola Drive segments (not located within 500 feet of an intersection) from 2006 to 2008. During the three-year period six crashes were reported for the intersection of Lake Ola Drive and US 441 and one crash was reported for the intersection of Lake Ola Drive and Earlwood Avenue. The following pages include a detailed summary and a collision diagram of the crashes at the intersection of Lake Ola Drive and US 441 to show the approximate location and types of crashes. Thirty-three percent of the crashes were sideswipes and $33 \%$ were out of control vehicles in wet conditions.

## Recommended Countermeasures

The following table lists the areas for improvement for Lake Ola Drive. Only one area of a pavement edge drop-off was considered to be a high safety risk. This risk was addressed immediately. Most improvements recommended were not considered to be high-priority, but were low-cost, low-safety risk improvements.

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| Location: |  | US 441 |  |  |  | Intersection Control: stop control on Lake Ola/Terrell |  |  |  |  |  |
| Intersecting Route: |  | Lake Ola Drive/Terrell Road |  |  |  | M.P.: |  | Engineer: CNL |  |  |  |
| Study Period From: |  | 2006 |  | To: |  | 2008 |  | County: Orange |  |  |  |
| NO. | DATE | DAY | TIME | TYPE | FATAL | INJURY | PROPERTY DAMAGE | $\begin{gathered} \text { DAYI } \\ \text { NIGHT } \end{gathered}$ | WET/DRY | CONTRIBUTING CAUSE | ACCIDENT REPORT \# |
| 1 | 1/11/2006 | Wed | 10:25 AM | sideswipe | No | No | \$7,000 | Day | Dry | Improper Lane Change | FHPD06OFF003432 |
| 2 | 4/14/2006 | Fri | 11:00 AM | out of control | No | Yes | \$6,000 | Day | Dry | Vehicle cut in front of | FHPD06OFF039536 |
| 3 | 9/7/2006 | Thu | 3:11 PM | out of control | No | No | \$5,000 | Day | Wet | Careless Driving | FHPD06OFF096252 |
| 4 | 10/18/2006 | Wed | 3:11 PM | sideswipe | Yes | Yes | \$22,500 | Day | Dry | Improper Lane Change | FHPD06OFF111148 |
| 5 | 10/22/2006 | Sun | 3:57 PM | right angle | No | Yes | \$10,000 | Day | Dry | Failure to Yield R/W | FHPD06OFF112715 |
| 6 | 10/22/2007 | Mon | 7:31 AM | out of control | No | No | \$2,000 | Day | Wet | Careless Driving | FHPD07OFF109277 |
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| $\begin{gathered} \text { TOTAL } \\ \text { NO. } \end{gathered}$ |  | FATAL | INJURY | PROPERTY DAMAGE | ANGLE | $\begin{aligned} & \text { LEFT } \\ & \text { TURN } \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | RIGHT TURN | REAR END | SIDE SWIPE | HEAD ON |  |
| 6 |  | 1 | 3 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 |  |
| \% |  | 17\% | 50\% | 100\% | 17\% | 0\% | 0\% | 0\% | 33\% | 0\% |  |
| ONE VEHICLE |  | $\begin{array}{\|c\|} \hline \text { PED/BI } \\ \text { KE } \\ \hline \end{array}$ | DAY | NIGHT | WET | DRY | $\begin{aligned} & \text { EXCESS } \\ & \text { SPEED } \end{aligned}$ | FTY R/W | DUI |  |  |
| 3 |  | 0 | 7 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 |  |  |
|  | 50\% | 0\% | 117\% | 0\% | 33\% | 67\% | 0\% | 17\% | 0\% |  |  |
| TOTAL VEHICLES ENTERING/ADT: |  |  |  |  |  | CRASH <br> RATE: |  |  | MEV |  |  |



## Lake Ola Drive

Rural Road Safety Audit
Road: Lake Ola Drive from Earlwood Avenue to US 441
Date: 11/5/09
Number of lanes:
2LU

Speed limit:
25 mph

| No. | From | To | Cross Street | Direction | Problem | Type of Work | Solution |  |
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| 1 | $0^{\prime}$ | $70^{\prime}$ east of | US 441 | EB | pavement edge drop-off | Roads \& Drainage | reinforce pavement edge |  |
| 2 | 35 | $35^{\prime}$ west of | Earlwood Avenue NB | WB | street name sign is missing from top of <br> stop sign | Traffic Engineering Signs | add street name sign |  |
| 3 | $50^{\prime}$ | 100 east of | Lake Ola | NE | flex stake is missing on NW side of <br> Earlwood Av at drainage structure | Traffic Engineering Signs | add flex stake |  |
| 4 | Dora Dr | US 441 | throughout | EB \& WB | citizen requests speed enforcement of <br> area | OC Sheriffs Office | medium |  |
| 5 | Lake Ola Dr | Earlwood Ave | throughout | both | RPM's on centerline are missing <br> sporadically | Reflective Pavement Markers | add RPM's OCSO for response | medium |

## F. Laughlin Road

## Existing Conditions

Laughlin Road is a two-lane roadway running north-south, which was audited from Ponkan Road to Sadler Road. Laughlin Road is a dirt road north of Sadler Road. The entire road is located in unincorporated Orange County.

The cross section is rural and serves industrial land uses south of US 441. Pavement markings consist of double yellow centerline and edge line striping, as well as reflective pavement markers on the centerlines south of US 441. There is no posted speed limit for this section.

Between US 441 to Holly Street the area is residential and has an urban cross section with curb and gutter. From Holly Street to Sadler Road the cross section is rural, serving agricultural land. For the section north of US 441, there are no pavement markings and the posted speed limit is 45 mph . There is a sidewalk on the west side of the road between US 441 to Holly Street and a Lynx bus stop at the intersection of Laughlin Road and Holly Street. There are no bike lanes.

Overhead utilities are provided for the length of the roadway.

## Crash History and Analysis

Two crashes were reported along Laughlin Road segments (not located within 500 feet of an intersection) for the years 2006-2008. One crash was reported at each of the intersections at Holly Street and at Jones Avenue.

Seven crashes were reported at the intersection of Laughlin Road and US 441. The following pages include a detailed summary of the crashes at this skewed intersection and a collision diagram to show the approximate location and types of crashes. Fifty-seven percent of crashes were left turn crashes and 86 percent were caused by a failure to yield right of way.

## Recommended Countermeasures

The following table lists the areas for improvement for Laughlin Road.
Since the speed limit is not posted for Laughlin Road between Jones Avenue and US 441 and the roadway is maintained by Orange County, a consent agenda was prepared to post a speed limit of 35 mph on this segment.

The high-priority risk concerns are related to pavement edge drop-offs and visibility of a stop sign. These problems were corrected immediately. All other safety issues were considered low-cost, low- or medium-risk concerns and these will be addressed.

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| Location: |  | US 441 |  |  |  | Intersection Control: stop control on Laughlin |  |  |  |  |  |
| Intersecting Route: |  | Laughlin Road |  |  |  | M.P.: |  | Engineer: CNL |  |  |  |
| Study Period From: |  | 2006 |  |  | To: 2008 |  |  | County: Orange |  |  |  |
| NO. | DATE | DAY | TIME | TYPE | FATAL | INJURY | PROPERTY DAMAGE | $\begin{gathered} \text { DAYI } \\ \text { NIGHT } \end{gathered}$ | WET/DRY | CONTRIBUTING CAUSE | ACCIDENT REPORT \# |
| 1 | 2/10/2006 | Fri | 1:38 PM | Left Turn | No | Yes | \$3,000 | Day | Dry | Failure to Yield R/W | FHPD06OFF014464 |
| 2 | 10/3/2006 | Tue | 6:16 PM | Right angle | No | Yes | \$4,000 | Day | Dry | Failure to Yield R/W | FHPD06OFF106076 |
| 3 | 4/14/2007 | Sat | 11:38 AM | Left Turn | No | No | \$13,000 | Day | Dry | Failure to Yield R/W; unlicensed driver | FHPD07OFF038617 |
| 4 | 4/30/2007 | Mon | 11:47 AM | Rear End | No | No | \$5,500 | Day | Dry | Failure to Yield R/W (vehicle not in collision); careless (collision) | FHPD07OFF044324 |
| 5 | 5/29/2007 | Tue | 7:06 AM | Left Turn | No | Yes | \$19,300 | Day | Dry | Failure to Yield R/W | FHPD07OFF054594 |
| 6 | 9/25/2007 | Tue | 7:46 AM | Right angle | No | Yes | \$8,000 | Day | Dry | Careless Driving | FHPD07OFF099221 |
| 7 | 8/12/2008 | Tue | 3:13 PM | Left Turn | No | Yes | \$15,000 | Day | Wet | Failure to Yield R/W | FHPD08OFF076890 |
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| $\begin{array}{\|l} \hline \text { TOTAL } \\ \text { NO. } \\ \hline \end{array}$ |  | FATAL | INJURY | PROPERTY DAMAGE | ANGLE | $\begin{aligned} & \text { LEFT } \\ & \text { TURN } \end{aligned}$ | RIGHT TURN | REAR END | SIDE SWIPE | HEAD ON |  |
| 7 |  | 0 | 5 | 7 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |  |
| \% |  | 0\% | 71\% | 100\% | 29\% | 57\% | 0\% | 14\% | 0\% | 0\% |  |
| ONE VEHICLE |  | $\begin{array}{\|c\|} \hline \text { PED/BI } \\ \text { KE } \end{array}$ | DAY | NIGHT | WET | DRY | $\begin{aligned} & \text { EXCESS } \\ & \text { SPEED } \end{aligned}$ | FTY R/W | DUI |  |  |
| 0 |  | 0 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 6 | 0 |  |  |
|  |  | 0\% | 100\% | 0\% | 14\% | 86\% | 0\% | 86\% | 0\% |  |  |
| TOTAL VEHICLES ENTERING/ADT: |  |  |  |  |  | CRASH <br> RATE: |  |  | MEV |  |  |



## Laughlin Road

Rural Road Safety Audit
Road: Laughlin Road from Jones Avenue to Sadler Road
Date: 11/5/09
Number of lanes:
2LU

Speed limit: $\quad 45 \mathrm{mph}$ SB from Sadler Road (no other speed limit signs)

| No. | From | To | Cross Street | Direction | Problem | Type of Work | Solution | Priority |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 35' | 50' north of | Sadler Road | NB | stop sign is offset too far | Traffic Engineering Signing | reset stop sign at radius return | medium |
| 2 | 200' south of | 200' north of | Holly Street | both | Road is offset through intersection with no pavement markings or lighting | Traffic Engineering Markings | install dbl yellow 200 ft . on approach to and departure from Holly St. with yellow guideline through intersection | medium |
| 3 | at |  | Holly Street | both | stop sign for Holly Street is not perpendicular | Traffic Engineering Signing | reset stop sign | low |
| 4 | north of |  | US 441 | NB | no speed limit posted | R2-1 (45 mph) | replace missing 45 mph speed limit sign | medium |
| 5 | approach to |  | US 441 | SB | Citizen concern - bus bench blocks view of SB left | Traffic Engineering Admin | Field review indicates visibility is adequate | low |
| 6 | at |  | US 441 | SB | crosswalk is faded | Traffic Engineering Markings | refresh crosswalk | low |
| 7 | approach to |  | US 441 | SB | palm tree branch limits visibility of stop sign | Roads \& Drainage | trim palm tree | medium |
| 8 | $35^{\prime}$ | $50^{\prime}$ south of | US 441 | NB | stop bar for left/through movement is faded | Traffic Engineering Markings | refresh stop bar | medium |
| 9 | $35^{\prime}$ | 50 south of | US 441 | NB | stop signs have low retro-reflectivity | R1-1 | replace stop signs | medium |
| 10 | just south of |  | US 441 | SB | no speed limit posted | R2-1(35 mph) | install 35 mph speed limit sign | medium |
| 11 | south of |  | US 441 | SB | pavement edge drop off for 65 ft south of 2nd driveway between US 441 and Jones | Roads \& Drainage | eliminate drop-off | high |
| 12 | north of |  | Jones Avenue | NB | no speed limit posted | R2-1(35 mph) | install 35 mph speed limit sign | medium |
| 13 | in intersection | NW corner | Jones Avenue | SB | pavement edge drop-off on corner | Roads \& Drainage | eliminate drop-off | high |
| 14 | at |  | Jones Avenue | NB | palm tree branches block visibility of stop sign | Roads \& Drainage | trim palm tree | high |
| 15 | 35' | 50' south of | Jones Avenue | NB | stop sign has no retro-reflectivity | R1-1 | replace stop sign | high |
| 16 | US441 | Jones Avenue | throughout | both | pavement markings slightly faded | Traffic Engineering Markings | refresh pavement markings | low |
| 17 | US441 | Jones Avenue | throughout | both | RPM's missing | Traffic Engineering Reflective Pavement Markers | replace RPM's | medium |

## G. Mt. Plymouth Road

## Existing Conditions

Mt. Plymouth Road (CR 435) is a two-lane roadway running north-south, audited from Kelly Park Road to the Lake County line. The Apopka city limit borders the west side of the road for portions south of Haas Road. Most of the section north of Haas Road is within the city limits. The cross section is rural and serves residential and agricultural land uses.

Pavement markings consist of double yellow centerline and edge line striping throughout, as well as reflective pavement markers on the centerlines. The speed limit is 45 mph for the entire section and there are no sidewalks or bike lanes. North of Haas Road there is a reverse curve followed by a section of winding road and then a sharp turn. Guardrail is provided throughout the section of winding road and the sharp turn on the outside of the curves.

A center turn lane and right turn lane are provided at a stub-out to an unnamed dirt road between the reverse curve and the section of winding road.

Overhead utilities are provided for the length of the roadway.
The SR429 extension is proposed to cross Mt. Plymouth Road on the north end of the reverse curve before curving to the north into Lake County.

An improvement to Mt. Plymouth Road is listed in the Orange County Capital Improvement Program as a partnership project; however, no funding is identified to begin the Roadway Conceptual Analysis (RCA).

## Crash History and Analysis

Twenty-six crashes were reported along Mt. Plymouth Road segments (not located within 500 feet of an intersection) for the years 2006-2008, with twenty-two of these crashes occurring north of Haas Road through curves. The following number of crashes was reported at each intersection:
Haas Road - 1
Stanwin Drive - 1
Prevo Drive - 1
Longhorn Drive - 1
Kelly Park Road - 9
The crash summary table and collision diagram for the intersection of Mt. Plymouth Road and Kelly Park Road can be found under Kelly Park Road.

## Recommended Countermeasures

Due to the high number of crashes in the curves north of Haas Road safe curve speed studies were conducted using a ball-bank indicator. The advisory speeds on the curves
were reduced based on these studies. These high-priority safety risk issues were identified and addressed immediately.

In addition, previous to the start of this study and in response to citizen complaints, Orange County Traffic Engineering installed two advance stop warning signs and an oversized stop sign with a flasher for the southbound direction of Mt. Plymouth Road approaching Kelly Park Road.

The following table lists the areas for improvement for Mt. Plymouth Road.

## Mt. Plymouth Road

Rural Road Safety Audit
Road: Mt. Plymouth Road from Kelly Park Road to Lake County Line
Date: 10/15/09 Number of lanes: 2LU
Speed limit:
45 mph

| No. | From | To | Cross Street | Direction | Problem | Type of Work | Solution | Priority |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 85' | 100' south of | Longhorn Road | SB | tree branch reduces visibility of 45 mph speed limit sign | Roads \& Drainage | trim tree branch | low |
|  | 280' | 350' south of | Haas Road | SB | pavement edge drop-offs running approximately 80 ft between Haas Rd and 6528 Mt. Plymouth | Roads \& Drainage | eliminate drop-off | high |
| 3 | 900' | 2260' north of | Haas Road | NB \& SB | Speed of 45 mph cannot be comfortably maintained through reverse curve | Traffic Engineering signs | Add type W13-1 35 mph subplate to existing curve warning sign. | high |
| 4 | 1000' | 1000' north of | Haas Road | NB | Second chevron on west (left) side heading NB through curve is bent at an angle. | Traffic Engineering signs | reset chevron sign | medium |
| 5 | 5000' | 5000' north of | Haas Road | NB | Tree branch reduces visibility of advance right turn warning sign for last curve before entering Lake County | Roads \& Drainage | trim tree branch | medium |
| 6 | 4550' | 4000' north of | Haas Road | NB \& SB | 25 mph advisory speed on curves is too high | Traffic Engineering signs | replace Type W13-1 25 MPH advisory speed with 15 MPH advisory speed | high |
| 7 | 380' | 1000' south of | Lake County Line | NB \& SB | 25 mph advisory speed on curves is too high | Traffic Engineering signs | replace Type W13-1 25 MPH advisory speed with 15 MPH advisory speed | high |
|  | 1000' | 1050' south of | Lake County Line | SB | Right turn warning sign is followed by more curves | Traffic Engineering signs | replace type W1-1R right angle warning sign with type W1-5R warning sign. | high |

## H. Old 441

## Existing Conditions

Old 441 is a two-lane roadway running northwest-southeast from US 441 to the Lake County line entirely through unincorporated Orange County and leading into Mount Dora. The cross section is mostly rural and serves a mixture of residential, planned development, agricultural, and a small amount of commercial land uses.

Pavement markings consist of double yellow centerline and edge line striping throughout, as well as reflective pavement markers on the centerlines. The speed limit is 45 mph , changing to 40 mph just south of the Lake County line. No sidewalks or bike lanes are provided. A center turn lane is provided at Chesterhill Lane and the entrance to St. Patrick's Catholic Church. Curb and gutter exists for a short section of roadway between the beginning of the taper for the entrance to St. Patrick's Catholic Church and Chesterhill Lane.

Overhead utilities are located on the northeast side of the road throughout with no street lighting.

## Crash History and Analysis

Two crashes are reported for Old 441 segments (not located within 500 feet of an intersection) from 2006 to 2008. During the three-year period two crashes were reported for the intersection of Old 441 and Chesterhill Lane and one crash was reported for the intersection of Old 441 and US 441.

## Recommended Countermeasures

The following table lists the areas for improvement for Old 441. Only faded centerline pavement markings was considered to be a high safety risk. This risk was addressed immediately. Most improvements recommended were not considered to be high-priority, but were low-cost, low- or medium-priority safety risk improvements.

Old 441
Rural Road Safety Audit
Road: Old 441 from US 441 to Lake County Line
Date: 11/5/09 Number of lanes: 2LU
Speed limit: $\quad 45 \mathrm{mph}$, changing to 40 mph just before Lake Co. line

| No. | From | To | Cross Street | Direction | Problem | Type of Work | Solution | Priority |
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| 1 | 700' | 700' south of | Lake Co. line | NW | oversized 40 mph speed limit sign is faded, not reflective at night | $\begin{aligned} & \hline \hline 40 \mathrm{mph} \text { R2-1 (oversized } 36 \text { " } \\ & \text { X 48") } \end{aligned}$ | Replace 40 mph speed limit sign | medium |
|  | $0^{\prime}$ | at | Lake Co. line | SE | Entering Orange County sign is missing | Traffic Engineering Signs | install Entering Orange County sign | low |
| 3 | US 441 | Lake Co. Line | throughout | both | pavement along centerline is cracked approx. $1 / 2$ to $3 / 4$ inch deep | Roads \& Drainage | refer to Roads \& Drainage | low |
|  | US 441 | Lake Co. Line | throughout | both | Pavement markings are very faded on all but short newer sections | Traffic Engineering Markings | re-stripe yellow centerline striping | high |

## I. Ondich/Haas Road

## Existing Conditions

Ondich/Haas Road is a two-lane roadway running east-west from Round Lake Road to Mt. Plymouth Road. It is named Ondich Road from Round Lake Road to Plymouth Sorrento Road, and Haas Road from Plymouth Sorrento Road to Mt. Plymouth Road. Portions of the roadway are within the city limits. The cross section is rural and serves farmland and citrus rural land uses. Ondich Road has a winding curve around Lake Chaudoin and a reverse curve east of Round Lake Road.

Pavement markings consist of yellow centerline and edge line striping throughout, as well as reflective pavement markers on the centerlines. The speed limit is 30 mph along Ondich Road and 40 mph along Haas Road. There are no existing sidewalks or bike lanes. Rumble strips and an advance stop warning sign exist on the westbound approach to Plymouth Sorrento Road.

Overhead utilities are provided throughout, mostly on the south side of the road. However, there is no street lighting.

The SR 429 extension is proposed to cross Ondich Road west of Plymouth Sorrento Road.

## Crash History and Analysis

Only two crashes are reported for Ondich/Haas Road segments (not located within 500 feet of an intersection) from 2006 to 2008. During the three-year period eight crashes were reported for the intersection of Ondich/Haas Road and Plymouth Sorrento Road and one crash was reported for the intersection of Haas Road and Mt. Plymouth Road. The following pages include a detailed summary and a collision diagram of the crashes at the intersection of Ondich/Haas Road and Plymouth Sorrento Road to show the approximate location and types of crashes. Sixty-three percent of the crashes were right angle crashes. Three of these were running the stop sign, two in the eastbound direction and one in the westbound direction. Two of the right angle crashes were due to not seeing an oncoming northbound vehicle.

## Recommended Countermeasures

Due to the high percentage of right angle crashes at the intersection of Ondich/Haas Road and Plymouth Sorrento Road the same treatment as the westbound approach to Plymouth Sorrento Road (signing and rumble strips) is recommended for the eastbound approach. Also, two crashes were due to not seeing an oncoming northbound vehicle, likely due to the vertical curve south of Ondich/Haas Road. Therefore, an advance warning sign with reduced advisory speed is recommended.

The following table lists the areas for improvement for Ondich/Haas Road. The need for warning to stop on the eastbound approach to the Plymouth Sorrento Road intersection was considered to be a high safety priority and was addressed immediately. Other
improvements recommended were not considered to be high-priority, but were low-cost, low- to medium-safety risk improvements.



## Ondich/Haas Road

Rural Road Safety Audit
Road: Ondich/Haas Road from Round Lake Road to Mount Plymouth Road
Date: 10/21/09 Number of lanes: 2LU
Speed limit: 40 mph between Mount Plymouth and Plymouth Sorrento Road; 30 mph between Plymouth Sorrento Rd and Round Lake Rd

| No. | From | To | Cross Street | Direction | Problem | Type of Work | Solution | Priority |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 0' | at | Round Lake Road | WB | Sight distance to oncoming NB traffic is approx. 440 ft . due to hill south of Ondich; NB traffic posted speed is 55 mph | Traffic Engineering Signing | Post "Hill Blocks View" sign (W7-6) w/ oversized advisory speed subplate 24"X24" (W13-1), 45 mph , 600 ft in advance of Ondich Rd in the NB direction | medium |
| 2 | 35' | 50' east of | Plymouth Sorrento Rd | EB | Placement of stop sign is past radius return and only offset 4 ft from pavement edge. | Traffic Engineering signs | reset stop sign at radius return and proper offset | low |
| 3 | 35' | 50' east of | Plymouth Sorrento Rd | EB | Stop sign has a bullet hole | Traffic Engineering signs | replace stop sign | low |
| 4 | 0' | at | Plymouth Sorrento Rd | EB | Sight distance to oncoming NB traffic is approx. 350 ft . due to hill south of Ondich; NB traffic posted speed is 45 mph | Traffic Engineering Signing | Post "Hill Blocks View" sign (W7-6) w/ oversized advisory speed subplate 24"X24" (W13-1), 40 mph , 500 ft in advance of Ondich Rd in the NB direction | medium |
| 5 | 35' | 50 east of | Plymouth Sorrento Rd | EB\&WB | Stop bar is faded | Traffic Engineering Pavement Markings | refresh stop bar | medium |
| 6 | near | n/a | Plymouth Sorrento Rd | EB\&WB | skid marks on the pavement | OCSO | address possible street racing | medium |
| 7 | approach to | n/a | Plymouth Sorrento Rd | EB | history of right angle crashes due to not stopping at stop sign | Traffic Engineering Signing and Pavement Markings | treat approach same as WB: advance stop ahead (W3-1) w/high intensity stop in center of sign, distance subplate ( 600 ft ) and and 4 sets of rumble strips according to Index 518. | high |
| 8 | 200' west of | 200' east of | Effie Dr | EB \& WB | Citizen request for speed enforcement | OCSO | address speeding concern | low |
| 9 | 35' | 50' east of | Mt. Plymouth Rd | EB | faded stop bar | Traffic Engineering Pavement Markings | refresh stop bar | medium |
| 10 | Round Lake Rd | Plymouth- <br> Sorrento Rd | throughout | EB\&WB | grass growing over the edgeline intermittently | Roads \& Drainage | edge grass | low |

## J. Plymouth Sorrento Road

## Existing Conditions

Plymouth Sorrento Road was audited from Ponkan Road to the Lake County line. It is a two-lane roadway running north-south with the city limits bordering portions of the roadway south of Kelly Park Road. The cross section is rural and serves mostly rural farmland, citrus, and agricultural residential land uses.

Pavement markings consist of yellow centerline and edge line striping throughout, as well as reflective pavement markers on the centerlines.

The current posted speed limit is:
Ponkan Road to Ponkan Pines Road - 45 mph
Ponkan Pines Road to Berry Oak Drive - 55 mph
Berry Oak Drive to south of Dowman Drive - 45 mph
Dowman Drive to the Lake County line - 45 mph northbound and 55 mph southbound
Sidewalks exist on the east side of the road from Ponkan Road to Ponkan Pines Road. A center turn lane is provided at Berry Oak Drive. No bike lanes are present.

Overhead utilities are provided on the east side of the road from Ponkan Road to Boch Road and on both sides of the road north of Boch. No street lighting exists for the length of the audited section. Guardrail exists on the east side of the road for five short sections north of Berry Oak Drive.

The SR 429 extension is proposed to run parallel to Plymouth Sorrento Road on the west side of the road and cross Plymouth Sorrento Road north of Ondich Road.

## Speed Limit

The speed limit for Plymouth Sorrento Road is inconsistent from south of Dowman Drive to the Lake County line, posted as 45 mph in the northbound direction and 55 mph in the southbound direction. It is likely that a 55 mph speed limit sign was missing for the northbound direction so a speed study was conducted north of Haas Road to confirm the correct speed limit. The 85th percentile speed at this location was found to be 57.45 mph , which confirms that the posted speed of 55 mph is correct for this section of roadway. A 55 mph speed limit sign will be posted in the northbound direction across from the 45 mph sign in the southbound direction near 5130 Plymouth Sorrento Road.

## Crash History and Analysis

Sixteen crashes were reported along Plymouth Sorrento Road segments (not located within 500 feet of an intersection) for the years 2006-2008. The following number of crashes was reported at each intersection:
Boch Road - 1
Ondich/Haas Road - 8
Kelly Park Road - 18
Saffell Loop - 2

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Appy Lane - 1
Lent Road - 1
Joey McGuckin - 1
Ponkan Pines Drive - 2
Ponkan Road - 13
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Intersections with three or more crashes during the three year period were analyzed in detail. The Ondich/Haas Road intersection information is included under Ondich/Haas Road and the Kelly Park Road intersection information is included under Kelly Park Road. The pages following include a detailed summary and collision diagram for the intersection of Plymouth Sorrento Road with Ponkan Road.

Thirty-eight percent, or five of the crashes at the intersection of Plymouth Sorrento Road and Ponkan Road were rear-end crashes. Four of the crashes occurred when vehicles lost control or otherwise departed the road and hit fixed objects.

## Recommended Countermeasures

The following table lists the areas for improvement for Plymouth Sorrento Road. All of the high-priority safety risk issues along Plymouth Sorrento Road were related to the condition of the pavement edge. Plymouth Sorrento Road is scheduled to be milled and resurfaced from US 441 to the Lake County line. This maintenance project will correct these poor pavement conditions which contribute to roadway departure crashes.

In addition, at the intersection of Plymouth Sorrento Road with Ponkan Road severe pavement rutting was evident in all four corners. This is likely the result of heavy truck traffic and drivers leaving the pavement edge to navigate around queued left turning vehicles. As funds become available for intersection improvements it is recommended that turn lanes be added on all approaches.

All other safety risks were considered low-cost, low- to medium-priority safety risks.



## Plymouth Sorrento Road

$\begin{array}{ll}\text { Road: } & \text { Plymouth Sorrento Rd from Ponkan Road to Lake Co. Line } \\ \text { Date: } & 9 / 25 / 2009\end{array}$
\# Lanes: 2LU
Speed Limit:
NB-45 mph through curve, 55 mph north of Ponkan Pines Dr., 45 mph north of Berry Oak Dr to Lake Co. line
SB-55 mph from Lake Co. line to south of Dowman Dr., 45 mph south of Dowman Dr., 55 mph south of Berry Oak Dr., 45 mph south of Ponkan Pines Dr.

| No. | From | To | Cross Street | Direction | Problem | Type of Work | Solution | Priority |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | in intersection | at | Ponkan Rd | NB | countdown ped head on NE corner needs better visibility on crossing from SE corner | Traffic Engineering Signals | adjust/swivel head to align with crossing | low |
| 2 | at intersection | at | Ponkan Rd | both | pavement rutting in NE and NW corners of intersection | Roads \& Drainage | reinforce pavement edge | high |
| 3 | 0' | 40' south of | Ponkan Rd | SB | stop bar is faded | Traffic Engineering markings | refresh stop bar | medium |
| 4 | 300' | 1000' north of | Ponkan Rd | SB | RPM's are missing from edge line | Reflective Pavement Markings | replace RPM's | medium |
| 5 | 800' | 500' north of | Ponkan Rd | SB | need to increase awareness of signal ahead | Type W3-3 w/ W16-2a (sub.) | add additional signal ahead sign with subplate for distance | medium |
| 6 | 800' | 500' north of | Ponkan Rd | SB | pavement edge drop offs | Roads \& Drainage | reinforce pavement edge | high |
| 7 | 800' | 200' north of | Ponkan Rd | NB \& SB | Citizen concern-dangerous curve | Traffic Engineering Admin | Ball bank study performed; confirms advisory speed is appropriate | low |
| 8 | $0^{\prime}$ | 250 ' south of | Ponkan Pines Rd | SB | tree branch reduces visibility of curve warning sign | Roads \& Drainage | trim tree branch | medium |
| 9 | 320' | 90' south of | Hideaway Rd | NB | pavement edge dropoff running 225 ft north from 3501driveway | Roads \& Drainage | reinforce pavement edge | high |
| 10 | 550' | 330' south of | Hideaway Rd | SB | pavement edge dropoff running 220 ft between 3560 and 3500 driveways | Roads \& Drainage | reinforce pavement edge | high |
| 11 | 600' | 600' north of | Lent Rd | SB | tree branch reduces visibility of Lent Rd cross street warning sign | Roads \& Drainage | trim tree branch | low |
| 12 | 500' | 500' south of | Kelly Park Rd | NB | tree branch reduces visibility of Red Light Running sign | Roads \& Drainage | trim tree branch | low |
| 13 | 500' | 0' north of | Kelly Park Rd | SB | SB LT traffic blocks through traffic - Citizen concern | Trraffic Engineering Admin | Perform warrant study for possible future intersection improvements. | medium |
| 14 | in intersection | at | Kelly Park Rd | NB | Citizen concern - difficulty seeing EB traffic to make right turn on red. | Traffic Engineering Admin | Sight distance evaluated. Vehicle must stop at stop bar and inch forward. | low |

## Plymouth Sorrento Road

Road:
Plymouth Sorrento Rd from Ponkan Road to Lake Co. Line
Date: 9/25/2009
\# Lanes: 2LU
Speed Limit:
NB-45 mph through curve, 55 mph north of Ponkan Pines Dr., 45 mph north of Berry Oak Dr to Lake Co. line
SB-55 mph from Lake Co. line to south of Dowman Dr., 45 mph south of Dowman Dr., 55 mph south of Berry Oak Dr., 45 mph south of Ponkan Pines Dr.

| No. | From | To | Cross Street | Direction | Problem | Type of Work | Solution | Priority |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 15 | in intersection | at | Kelly Park Rd | both | pavement rutting all four corners of intersection, evidence of drivers leaving pvmt. | Roads \& Drainage | short term: reinforce pavement edge. Long term: investigate whether the radii can be increased to accommodate high truck traffic or turn lanes added | medium |
| 16 | in intersection | at | Kelly Park Rd | all bounds | crash history of red light running and rearend crashes | Traffic Engineering Signals | Adjust clearance timings for 85th percentile speeds of 53.00 mph NB and 57.73 mph SB | high |
| 17 | 200' | 550' north of | Kelly Park Rd | SB | tree branches reduce visibility of red light running sign, signal ahead warning sign, and signal head | Roads \& Drainage | trim tree branches | high |
| 18 | 825' | 825' north of | Kelly Park Rd | NB | missing speed limit sign | Type R2-1 | install 55 mph speed limit sign | low |
| 19 | near |  | Berry Oak Dr | NB \& SB | Speeding, citizen concern | OC Sheriff's Office | Enforce speed limit | low |
| 20 | 200' south of | 200 north of | Berry Oak Dr | SB | Flooding on SB lane after rain | Roads \& Drainage | Review drainage water flow | medium |
| 21 | US 441 | County line | throughout | NB \& SB | Wants the current speed limit enforced. Citizen Concern. | OC Sheriff's Office | Enforce speed limit | low |
| 22 | US 441 | County line | throughout | NB \& SB | pavement condition poor, citizen concern | Roads \& Drainage | Scheduled to be milled \& resurfaced | low |
| 23 | in intersection | at | Ondich/Haas Rd | NB \& SB | pavement rutting in the NW and SW corners | Roads \& Drainage | reinforce pavement edges as was done in the SE and NE corners | medium |

## K. Ponkan Road

## Existing Conditions

Ponkan Road was audited from US 441 to Rock Springs Road. It is a 2-lane rural collector that runs east-west through both unincorporated Orange County and the City of Apopka. The cross section is rural except for a small section where curb is provided at the "No Parking" zone near Golden Gem Road. Existing land uses abutting the road include residential, agricultural residential, citrus, and rural farmland. The Northwest Orange County Improvement Association (NOCIA) building is located on Ponkan Road and is the home of the Zellwood Sweet Corn Festival.

Pavement markings consist of centerline and edge line striping throughout, as well as reflective pavement markers on the centerlines. Center left turn lanes are provided at Ponkan Pines Road, the Wolf Lake school entrances, Vick Road, Florida Power Corp. entrance, and Raeth Road. No turn lanes are provided at signalized intersections except for Vick Road.

School zones exist at the western limits for Zellwood Elementary School and from west of Plymouth Sorrento Road to east of Vick Road for Wolf Lake Elementary School and Wolf Lake Middle School. Sidewalk is provided on the north side of the road from US 441 to east of Junction Road and from Plymouth Sorrento Road to Vick Road. From Vick Road to Rock Springs Road sidewalk is provided on the south side of the road. Across from the entrances to the Wolf Lake schools guardrail is located on the south side of the road. No bike lanes are present.

Overhead utilities with street lighting is provided from US 441 to east of Ponkan Pines Road. East of Jason Dwelley Parkway overhead utilities continue to Rock Springs Road with no street lighting.

The SR 429 extension is proposed to cross Ponkan Road west of Plymouth Sorrento Road.

## Speed Limits

As a major concern of Commissioner Brummer, a thorough review of speed limits along Ponkan Road was conducted. It was discovered that the existing 50 mph posted speed between Golden Gem Road and Ponkan Pines Road was inconsistent with the speed posted on adjacent segments, dropping to 35 mph east of Ponkan Pines Road and violating the 10 mph consistency in accordance with the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices. It was also discovered that the posted speed from Rock Springs Road westbound was 50 mph , inconsistent with the posted speed of 35 mph in the eastbound direction and the 35 mph posted speed west of Carmona Road. As such, consent agenda items were prepared for approval by the Board of County Commissioners (BCC) to reduce the speed between Carmona Road and Rock Springs Road from 50 mph to 35 mph and to reduce the speed between Golden Gem Road and Ponkan Pines Road from 50 mph to 45 mph .

## Crash History and Analysis

Five crashes were reported along Ponkan Road segments (not located within 500 feet of an intersection) for the years 2006-2008. The following number of crashes was reported at each intersection:
US 441-6
Union Avenue - 1
Round Lake Road - 2
Planck Road - 2
Golden Gem Road - 2
Poverty Lane - 1
Phils Lane - 1
Plymouth Sorrento Road - 13
Jason Dwelley Parkway - 1
Pittman Road-1
Evelyn Scott Street - 1
Rock Springs Road - 10
Intersections with three or more crashes during the three year period were analyzed in detail. The Ponkan Road/Plymouth Sorrento Road intersection information is included under Plymouth Sorrento Road. The pages following include detailed summaries and collision diagrams for the intersection of Ponkan Road with US 441 and Ponkan Road with Rock Springs Road.

Thirty-three percent of the crashes at the intersection of Ponkan Road and US 441 were sideswipe crashes caused by carelessness. One crash involved a pedestrian and one crash involved a bicyclist.

The intersection of Ponkan Road and Rock Springs Road has been recently improved with the widening of Rock Springs Road. The crash analyses shown for this intersection is related to pre-construction conditions. Crashes were related to a variety of types and causes. No clear pattern of crashes exists.

## Recommended Countermeasures

The following table lists the areas for improvement for Ponkan Road. All of the highpriority safety risk issues along Ponkan Road were related to visibility of traffic control devices due to tree branches. These high-priority safety risk issues were corrected immediately. All other safety risks were considered low-cost, low- to medium-priority safety risks.

Some citizens requested that Ponkan Road be re-aligned to remove the curves for the section of roadway within the city limits. Another citizen requested highway lighting in this area. This would be considered a major reconstruction project and is not within the scope or budget of this project. However, re-alignment to improve safety through this area should be considered during the Roadway Conceptual Analysis (RCA) phase of any future widening of Ponkan Road. In addition, highway lighting could be considered as part of a roadway improvement project.





## Ponkan Road

Road: Ponkan Road, from US 441 to Rock Springs Road
Date: 9/25/2009
\# Lanes:
2LU
Speed Limit:
EB - 35 mph , just past Junction Rd increases to 45 mph , just past Golden Gem increases to 50 mph , past Ponkan Pines decreases to 35 mph
WB - 50 mph west of Rock Springs Rd, decreases to 35 mph past Evelyn Scott St., increases to 50 mph past Plymouth Sorrento, decreases to 45 mph past
Golden Gem, decreases to 35 mph past Planck Rd.

| No. | From | To | Cross Street | Direction | Problem | Type of work | Solution | Priority |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 0' | 40' east of | US 441 | EB | vegetation blocking drainage in SE corner | Roads \& Drainage | refer to Roads and Drainage division | low |
| 2 |  | 0 200' east of | US 441 | both directions | missing RPM's | Reflective Pavement Markings | replace RPM's | low |
| 3 | 38' east of | 38' east of | US 441 | EB | School Crosswalk sign too low | type W11-2 sign | reset sign to minimum vertical clearance | low |
| 4 | in intersection | at | Beck Ct. | WB | standing water crossing Beck at crosswalk | Roads \& Drainage | refer to Roads and Drainage division | medium |
| 5 | 0' | 400' east of | Beck Ct. | EB | grass covering edge line | Roads \& Drainage | edge grass to expose the edge line | low |
| 6 | in intersection | at | Round Lake Rd. | center island | white/red RPM's are missing on the island striping | Reflective Pavement Markings | replace RPM's | medium |
| 7 | in intersection | at | Round Lake Rd. | center island | stop sign is very high and unprotected and is in back of the school crossing | type R1-1 sign | long-term: remove right turn lane, bring stop sign to stop bar. | medium |
| 8 | in intersection | at | Round Lake Rd. | center island | metal is sticking out of base of stop sign | sign installation | remove metal | medium |
| 9 | in intersection | at | Round Lake Rd. | SB right | stop sign for the SB right movement is too low and close to the sidewalk | type R1-1 sign | place stop sign at a minimum 6 ft offset from travel lane and minimum 7 ft clearance height. | low |
| 10 | $0^{\prime}$ | 75' west of | Round Lake Rd. | SB right | poor drainage of NW corner of intersection | Roads \& Drainage | refer to Roads and Drainage division | low |
| 11 | 500' east of | 500' west of | Junction Rd. | EB \& WB | Cannot see Junction Rd, citizen concern | type W2-2 R sign w/ W16-8 (sub) EB, type W2-2 L sign w/ W16-8 (sub) WB | Install intersection warning sign with Junction Rd name plate, both bounds 500' from Junction Rd | medium |
| 12 | in intersection | at | Junction Rd. | EB right | rutting of pavement in the SW corner | Roads \& Drainage | request Roads and Drainage division to increase turning radius to 50 ft . | medium |
| 13 | 350' west of | 50' west of | Plymouth Sorrento Rd. | EB | grass covering edge line | Roads \& Drainage | edge grass to expose the edge line | low |
| 14 | 100' west of | 40' west of | Plymouth Sorrento Rd. | EB | tree branches reduce visibility of signal heads | Roads \& Drainage | trim tree branch | high |
| 15 | 40' east of | 80' east of | Plymouth Sorrento Rd. | WB | tree branches reduce visibility of left signal head | Roads \& Drainage | trim tree branch | high |
| 16 | 34' east of | 34' east of | Plymouth Sorrento Rd. | WB | school crossing sign is slanted | type S1-1 | reset sign | low |
| 17 | n/a | n/a | Plymouth Sorrento Rd. | WB | signal ahead sign bent over | Traffic Engineering signs | reset with a 5 ft minimum vertical clearance | low |
| 18 | 700' east of | 750' east of | Plymouth Sorrento Rd. | EB | grass covering edge line | Roads \& Drainage | edge grass to expose the edge line | low |

## Ponkan Road

Road: Ponkan Road, from US 441 to Rock Springs Road
Date: 9/25/2009
\# Lanes:
2LU
Speed Limit:
EB - 35 mph , just past Junction Rd increases to 45 mph , just past Golden Gem increases to 50 mph , past Ponkan Pines decreases to 35 mph
WB - 50 mph west of Rock Springs Rd, decreases to 35 mph past Evelyn Scott St., increases to 50 mph past Plymouth Sorrento, decreases to 45 mph past
Golden Gem, decreases to 35 mph past Planck Rd.

| 19 | east of | n/a | Ponkan Pines Rd. | EB | speed limit drops from 50 mph to 35 mph ; transition greater than 10 mph | type R2-1 45 MPH | Change 50 mph zone to 45 mph | low |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 20 | 1545' west of | 1800' west of | Jason Dwelley Rd. | WB | 35 mph speed limit sign 100 feet after winding road warning sign w/ 30 mph advisory speed | City of Apopka | recommend that City switch warning and regulatory speed limit signs | low |
| 21 | 1700' west of | 1700' west of | Jason Dwelley Rd. | EB | across from Wolf Lake Elem., speed limit sign is bent over | City of Apopka | notify City; recommend to reset speed limit sign | low |
| 22 | 500' west of | 500' west of | Jason Dwelley Rd. | EB | across from Wolf Lake Elem., signal ahead sign has reduced visibility from tree branch | City of Apopka | notify City; recommend to trim tree branch | medium |
| 23 | 400' west of | 100' west of | Jason Dwelley Rd. | EB | tree branch reduces visibility for right-most signal head | City of Apopka | notify City; recommend to trim tree branch | high |
| 24 | 100' east of | 200' east of | Pittman Rd | EB | two chevrons are not visible at all times along curve | City of Apopka | notify City; recommend to add 2 additional chevrons at beginning of curves in the EB direction | medium |
| 25 | in intersection | at | Pittman Rd | EB\&WB | citizen concern; visibility from stop sign | Traffic Engineering Admin | Sight distance evaluated; found to be acceptable. | low |
| 26 | in intersection | at | Vick Rd. | all | intersection pavement markings are faded | Traffic Engineering Markings | refresh intersection pavement markings | medium |
| 27 | $75^{\prime}$ west of | $75^{\prime}$ west of | Vick Rd. | WB | Speed limit sign and curve warning sign mounted on the same post | City of Apopka | notify City; recommend to mount on separate posts | low |
| 28 | east of | n/a | Vick Rd. | WB | tree branches reduce visibility for "trucks entering highway" sign | City of Apopka | notify City; recommend to trim tree branch | low |
| 29 | in intersection | at | Vick Rd. | WB | bottom right green bulb on outside signal head is partially black | City of Apopka | notify City; recommend to replace bulb | medium |
| 30 | 500' west of | 2300' west of | Rock Springs Rd. | WB | speed limits are inconsistent; curve warning sign at 45 within 35 mph speed zone | City of Apopka | Notify City; recommend to remove advisory speed subplate on warning sign | low |
| 31 | 500' west of | 2300' west of | Rock Springs Rd. | WB | speed limits are inconsistent; 50 drops to 35 | Type R2-1 35 MPH | Change 50 mph speed limit to 35 . | medium |
| 32 | 450' west of | 50' west of | Rock Springs Rd. | EB | tree branch reduces visibility for overhead street name sign | Roads \& Drainage | trim tree branch | low |
| 33 | 50' east of | 250' east of | Rock Springs Rd. | WB | tree branch reduces visibility for right-most signal head | Roads \& Drainage | trim tree branch | high |
| 34 | in intersection | at | Rock Springs Rd. | WB | post-mounted street names signs show City; overhead street name signs show County | Traffic Engineering signs | remove City street name signs | low |
|  | in intersection | at | Rock Springs Rd. | EB | Right turn sight distance blocked by pole on NW corner of intersection, citizen concern | Traffic Engineering signs/signals | Install type R10-11a "No turn on red" sign overhead EB Ponkan Rd mast arm | medium |

## L. Rock Springs Road

## Existing Conditions

Rock Springs Road was audited from Ponkan Road to Kelly Park Road and was recently widened from two to four lanes. It is a collector running north-south with portions of the city limits bordering the roadway. The cross section is urban curb and gutter and serves residential development, agricultural farmland and citrus land uses. There is a small amount of commercial land use at the intersections of Rock Springs Road with Kelly Park Road and Lewis Avenue.

From Ponkan Road to 1300 feet south of Kentucky Blue Circle and from Kentucky Blue Circle to West Road the typical section is a four-lane roadway with a raised landscaped median. Median openings are provided at Westford Drive, Spring Hollow Boulevard, Rock Ridge Boulevard, Oak Hammock Lane, and Oak Hollow Drive. There are signalized intersections at Ponkan Road, Rock Ridge Boulevard, and Kelly Park Road.

From 1300 feet south of Kentucky Blue Circle to Kentucky Blue Circle and from West Road to Kelly Park Road the cross section changes from four-lane divided to a five-lane section with a center bi-directional turn lane.

Pavement markings consist of dashed lane lines and yellow and white edge line striping throughout, as well as reflective pavement markers on the dashed lane lines. The speed limit is 45 mph throughout. Sidewalks and bike lanes exist on both sides of the road.

Overhead utilities are provided on the west side of the road with street lighting on both sides of the road throughout.

## Crash History and Analysis

Two crashes were reported along Rock Springs Road segments (not located within 500 feet of an intersection) for the years 2006-2008. The following number of crashes was reported at each intersection:
Ponkan Road - 10
Westford Drive - 3
Spring Hollow Boulevard - 3
Kentucky Blue Circle - 1
Oak Hollow Drive - 1
Lewis Avenue - 2
Pine Street - 2
Kelly Park Road - 10
Intersections with three or more crashes during the three year period were analyzed in detail. The Rock Springs Road/Ponkan Road intersection information is included under Ponkan Road. The Rock Springs Road/Kelly Park Road intersection information is included under Kelly Park Road. The pages following include detailed summaries and collision diagrams for the intersections of Rock Springs Road with Spring Hollow Boulevard and Rock Springs Road with Westford Drive.

The crashes at the intersection of Rock Springs Road and Westford Drive consisted of one rear-end collision, one head-on collision, and one left turn collision. The crashes at the intersection of Rock Springs Road and Spring Hollow Boulevard were all road departure crashes, two being out of control vehicles and one attempting to avoid a collision with another vehicle. Both of these intersections were recently improved with the widening of Rock Springs Road. The crash analyses shown for these intersections are related to pre-construction conditions.

## Recommended Countermeasures

The following table lists the areas for improvement for Rock Springs Road. Due to the completion of the widening of Rock Springs Road there were few needs for improvement, but most centered around the intersections of Rock Springs Road with Rock Ridge Boulevard and Kelly Park Road. Orange County must wait until the contractor is fully removed from the intersection with Kelly Park Road in order to implement solutions within that project's limits.




## Rock Springs Road

Rural Road Safety Audit

| Road <br> Date: <br> Numb <br> Spee | ber of lanes: limit: | Rock Springs <br> 11/5/09 <br> 4LD/5L <br> 45 mph | Road from Pon | Road to K | Park Road |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| No. | From | To | Cross Street | Direction | Problem | Type of Work | Solution | Priority |
| 1 | $250 '$ | 150' north of | Ponkan Road | SB | tree branch reduces visibility of signal ahead warning sign | Roads \& Drainage | trim trees | high |
| 2 | $0^{\prime}$ | 5' west of | Rock Ridge Blvd | WB | driveway and signal heads line up with EB exiting traffic | Install R4-7 in median and R51 on north side of Rock Springs Ridge Rd | install Keep Right and Do Not Enter signs | medium |
| 3 | in intersection | at | Rock Ridge Blvd | all | Crosswalk has 12 ' between cross bars centerline to centerline. | Traffic Engineering pavement markings | Install additional crossbar in between existing crossbars. | low |
| 4 | $0^{\prime}$ | north of | Rock Ridge Blvd | NB | delineator on north median has green facing the wrong direction | Traffic Engineering Signs | rotate delineator 180 degrees | low |
|  | $0^{\prime}$ | 100' south of | Rock Ridge Blvd | NB | Trees in median are obstructing sight distance off of NB left turn. Citizen concern | Traffic Engineering Admin | Sight Distance reviewed, no further action warranted at this time. |  |
|  | 0' | 200' south of | Kelly Park Road | NB | signal heads are not visible an adequate distance and signal ahead warning sign is too close | Traffic Engineering Signs | In the median, relocate the 30 mph speed limit sign 60 ft south. Relocate the signal ahead warning sign to the previous location of the speed limit sign. | high |
|  | 200' | 300' south of | Kelly Park Road | NB | signal heads are not visible an adequate distance and signal ahead warning sign is too close | Add W3-3 sign | replace 2nd Right Lane Must Turn Right sign with Signal Ahead sign | high |
| 8 | 175' | 200' south of | Kelly Park Road | NB | tree branches from Kangaroo convenience store reduce visibility of signal heads | Roads \& Drainage | trim trees | high |
|  | 0' | 200' south of | Kelly Park Road | NB | Speeding throughout curve, citizen concern | Traffic Engineering signs | replace standard 30 MPH sign on east side of Rock Springs with oversized speed limit sign. | medium |
| 10 | 0' | 200' south of | Kelly Park Road | NB | Citizens with driveways east of road, get mail from opposite side of roadway. | United States Post Office | Refer to US Post Office for resolution | medium |
| 11 | Ponkan Rd | Kelly Park Rd | Throughout | NB \& SB | Speeding problem, citizen concern | OC Sheriff's Office | Request enforcement | low |

## M. Round Lake Road

## Existing Conditions

Round Lake Road is a two-lane collector running north-south, audited from Ponkan Road to the Lake County line. It is mostly located in unincorporated Orange County; however, the city limits borders the east side of Round Lake Road in two places south of Ondich Road. The cross section is rural and serves mostly agricultural land uses, with some residential land near Ponkan Road. Curb and gutter exists through the curves north of King Avenue and for a short distance between Oak Hill Street and Meadowland Drive.

Pavement markings consist of yellow centerline and edge line striping throughout, as well as reflective pavement markers on the centerlines. The speed limit is 50 mph from Ponkan Road to Sadler Road and 55 mph from Sadler Road to the Lake County line. Sidewalks exist on the west side of the road from Ponkan Road to King Avenue. No bike lanes are present. There is a flashing red/yellow signal at the intersection with Sadler Road.

Overhead utilities exist on the east side of the road throughout with no street lighting.
There is a school crossing for Zellwood Elementary School at the intersection of Round Lake Road and Ponkan Road.

Round Lake is located on the west side of the road between Meadowland Drive and Oak Hill Street. Lake Zell is located on the west side of the road north of King Avenue.

## Speed Limits

As a recurring request of citizens, the speed limits along Round Lake Road were reviewed thoroughly. Speed studies were conducted at three locations along Round Lake Road: south of Sadler ( 50 mph zone), between Sadler and Kelly Park ( 55 mph zone), and north of Oak Hill Street ( 55 mph zone). Results of these speed studies confirm that the existing speed limits are correctly posted.

Safe speed studies were conducted using a ball bank indicator at both the curves north of King Avenue and south of the Lake County line. It was determined that the posted advisory speeds for the curves south of the Lake County line were too high. Recommended countermeasures include reducing the posted advisory speeds in this location from 35 mph to 25 mph . The posted advisory speeds of 30 mph for the curves north of King Avenue were found to be adequate.

## Crash History and Analysis

Seven crashes were reported along Round Lake Road segments (not located within 500 feet of an intersection) for the years 2006-2008. The following number of crashes was reported at each intersection:
Ponkan Road - 2
Jones Avenue - 1
King Avenue - 6

Sadler Road - 2
Kelly Park Road - 4
Intersections with three or more crashes during the three year period were analyzed in detail. The Round Lake Road/Kelly Park Road intersection information is included under Kelly Park Road. The following pages include detailed summaries and collision diagrams for the intersections of Round Lake Road with King Avenue.

The crashes at the intersection of Round Lake Road and King Avenue are all located north of King Avenue within the curves. Eighty-three percent, or five out of the six crashes were single vehicle road departure crashes and three of them involved motorcycles. Four of the crashes involved vehicles that were out of control and overturned.

## Recommended Countermeasures

The following table lists the areas for improvement for Round Lake Road. All of the high-priority safety risk issues along Round Lake Road were related to the southbound approach to the Ponkan Road intersection and speeds along Round Lake Road curves. These high-priority safety risk issues were corrected immediately. All other safety risks were considered low-cost, low- to medium-priority safety risks.

As funds become available for intersection improvement projects, it is recommended that the southbound right turn lane on Round Lake Road approaching Ponkan Road be removed. This would allow for proper placement of the stop sign at the stop bar and full visibility of the stop sign for all approach movements. The existing southbound right turning volume is only 20 vehicles in the AM peak hour and 19 vehicles in the PM peak hour so removing this turn lane will have minimal impact on capacity. The short term solution was to add an advance stop ahead warning sign to increase awareness of the stop.

Some citizens requested that Round Lake Road be re-aligned to remove the curves. Other citizens requested widening of Round Lake Road. These improvements would be considered a major reconstruction project and is not within the scope or budget of this project. However, re-alignment to improve safety through this area should be considered during the Roadway Conceptual Analysis (RCA) phase of any future widening of Round Lake Road.



## Round Lake Road

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Road: Round Lake Road from Ponkan Road to Lake County Line
Date: 10/21/09
Number of lanes:
2LU

Speed limit: $\quad 50 \mathrm{mph}$ from Ponkan Road to Sadler Road; 55 mph from Sadler Road to Lake County Line

| No. | From | To | Cross Street | Direction | Problem | Type of Work | Solution | Priority |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | approaching | n/a | Ponkan Road | SB | Stop sign is in painted island behind cross walk. Stop sign for right turn not visible. | W3-3 | Short term: Add stop ahead warning sign (W3-3) 300 ft in advance of Ponkan Rd. Long term: Remove right turn lane and provide $35^{\prime}$ turning radius, relocate stop sign to stop bar in advance of cross walk. | high |
|  | 200' | 1300' north of | King Avenue | NB \& SB | Difficult curve, advisory speed limit too high. Citizen concern | Traffic Engineering Admin | Safe Speed Study performed. Ball bank indicates advisory speed is appropriate. | high |
| 3 | 40' | 200' south of | King Av (3336 Round Lake Rd) | SB | Driveway does not meet roadway after repavement of Round Lake Rd, pot holes causing tire damage. Citizen Concern | Roads \& Drainage | Review driveway connection to roadway. | medium |
| 4 | at intersection | of | Kelly Park Road | NB \& SB | Speed zone requested in front of Valley Trailer Park for disabled child. Citizen request. | Traffic Engineering Admin | Speed zone is not warranted | low |
| 5 | in advance of | n/a | Kelly Park Road | NB \& SB | Speeding problem | OC Sheriff's Office | Request area to be patrolled | medium |
| 6 | in advance of | n/a | Kelly Park Road | NB | Visibility of intersection due to trees. Citizen concern. | Traffic Engineering Admin | Visibility is adequate. | low |
| 7 | in advance of | n/a | Kelly Park Road | NB | citizen complaint - drivers miss Kelly Park Road turn; it is signed in the SB direction. | Traffic Engineering signs | Add Side Road warning sign (W2-2 R) w/ street name placque 300 ft in advance of Kelly Park Rd | low |
| 8 | in advance of | n/a | Kelly Park Road | SB | Side Road warning sign for Kelly Park Road does not have name placque (not required). | Traffic Engineering signs | Add street name placque to existing W2-2 L sign. | low |
| 9 | 800' | 900' south of | Ondich Road | SB | pavement edge drop-off | Roads \& Drainage | eliminate drop-off | medium |
| 10 | in intersection | of | Ondich Road | NB | WB visiblity from side street is hindered by trees on SE corner of intersection. Citizen Complaint | Roads \& Drainage | Trim Trees on SE corner | low |
| 11 | 100' | n/a | Meadowland Road | SB | Speed limit sign is missing. | Traffic Engineering signs | Add 55 mph sign (R2-1) 100' south of Meadowland Rd | medium |
| 12 |  | 10' east of | Meadowland Road | WB | stop sign/street name sign is not perpendicular to approaching traffic | Traffic Engineering signs | reset sign | medium |

## Round Lake Road

Rural Road Safety Audit
Road: Round Lake Road from Ponkan Road to Lake County Line
Date: 10/21/09 Number of lanes: 2LU

Speed limit: $\quad 50 \mathrm{mph}$ from Ponkan Road to Sadler Road; 55 mph from Sadler Road to Lake County Line

| No. | From | To | Cross Street | Direction | Problem | Type of Work | Solution | Priority |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 13 | 1000' | 800' north of | Meadowland Road | NB | Reverse curve sign should be winding road sign and advisory speed through curves is too fast. | Traffic Engineering signs | replace reverse curve sign w/winding road sign (W1-5 L); replace advisory speed panel with 25 mph advisory speed panel (W13-1). | high |
| 14 | Ponkan Road | Lake Co. line | throughout | NB \& SB | Citizen request to widen road. | Orange County Public Works | Review for possible future roadway improvements | n/a capacity issue |
| 15 | Ponkan Road | Lake Co. line | throughout | NB \& SB | Citizen request to straighten out curves. | Orange County Public Works | Review for possible future roadway improvements | medium |
| 16 | Ponkan Road | Lake Co. line | throughout | NB \& SB | Citizen requests to both reduce and maintain speed limit. | Traffic Engineering Admin | Speed studies confirm posted speed is valid. | low |
| 17 | Ponkan Road | Lake Co. line | throughout | NB \& SB | intermittent grass growing over edge line | Roads \& Drainage | edge grass to expose edge line | low |

## N. Sadler Road

## Existing Conditions

Sadler Road is a two-lane collector running east-west, audited from Round Lake Road to the Lake County line. It is entirely located in unincorporated Orange County. The cross section is rural and serves mostly residential and agricultural land uses, with some commercial near US 441.

Pavement markings consist of yellow centerline and edge line striping throughout, as well as reflective pavement markers on the centerlines. The speed limit is 45 mph for the length of the roadway. Sidewalk is provided on the north side of the road from Dora Drive to the east for the length of the Dora Estates subdivision wall. No bike lanes are provided. There are center left turn lanes at Sloewood Court.

Overhead utilities exist for the length of the roadway with street lighting provided from US 441 to Sloewood Court

There is a 10-ton weight limit for Sadler Road west of US 441.
Lake Ola is located north of Sadler Road between Dora Drive and Ola Beach Drive. There is a reverse curve around Lake Poe, east of Cemetery Road.

## Speed Limits

At the request of a citizen for a speed reduction from 45 mph to 35 mph along Sadler Road, the speed limit was reviewed. A speed study was conducted on Sadler Road, east of Sloewood Drive. This speed study resulted in an 85 th percentile speed of 54.70 mph , indicating that a speed reduction is not appropriate.

## Crash History and Analysis

Two crashes were reported along Sadler Road segments (not located within 500 feet of an intersection) for the years 2006-2008. The following number of crashes was reported at each intersection:
Dora Drive - 2
Ola Beach Drive - 1
US 441-19
Round Lake Road - 2
Intersections with three or more crashes during the three year period were analyzed in detail. The following pages include detailed summaries and collision diagrams for the Sadler Road/US 441 intersection.

Forty-two percent, or eight out of the nineteen crashes were rear-end crashes. Twentyone percent of the crashes were left turn crashes and sixteen percent of the crashes were right angle crashes. Out of these left turn and right angle crashes, four of these were caused by red light running.

## Recommended Countermeasures

The following table lists the areas for improvement for Sadler Road. All of the highpriority safety risk issues along Sadler Road were related to poor pavement edge conditions. These high-priority safety risk issues were corrected immediately. All other safety risks were considered low-cost, low- to medium- priority safety risks.

It is likely that the reason the pavement edge is so severely rutted for the eastbound approach to US 441 is that vehicles are leaving the pavement edge to either turn into the convenience store on the southwest corner of the intersection or navigate around queued left-turning vehicles. For the short term, maintenance crews have reinforced the pavement edge. However, as funds become available for intersection improvement projects, it is recommended that an eastbound right turn lane be added at the intersection of Sadler Road and US 441.

| Crash Summary |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Location: |  | SADLER ROAD |  |  |  | Intersection Control: Signalized |  |  |  |  |  |
| Intersecting Route: |  | US 441 |  |  |  | M.P.: |  | Engineer: CNL |  |  |  |
| Study Period From: |  | 2006 |  |  | To: 2008 |  |  | County: Orange |  |  |  |
| NO. | DATE | DAY | TIME | TYPE | FATAL | INJURY | PROPERTY DAMAGE | $\begin{gathered} \text { DAYI } \\ \text { NIGHT } \end{gathered}$ | WET/DRY | CONTRIBUTING CAUSE | ACCIDENT REPORT \# |
| 1 | 3/4/2006 |  | 2:26 PM | sideswipe | No | Yes | \$38,000 | Day | Dry | improper left turn, FTY R/W | FHPD06OFF023206 |
| 2 | 5/20/2006 |  | 6:26 PM | rear end | No | Yes | \$8,000 | Day | Dry | Careless driving | FHPD06OFF053792 |
| 3 | 7/22/2006 |  | 3:37 PM | rear end | No | No | \$300 | Day | Dry | Careless driving | FHPD06OFF078098 |
| 4 | 8/13/2006 |  | 7:31 PM | rear end | No | No | \$2,000 | Day | Wet | Careless driving | FHPD06OFF086583 |
| 5 | 8/22/2006 |  | 12:53 PM | rear end | No | Yes | \$4,500 | Day | Dry | Careless driving | FHPD06OFF089848 |
| 6 | 2/13/2007 |  | 8:18 PM | rear end | No | Yes | \$500 | Day | Dry | Careless driving | FHPD07OFF014986 |
| 7 | 4/8/2007 |  | 12:55 AM | sideswipe | No | No | \$1,000 | Day | Dry | Improper left turn | FHPD07OFF036279 |
| 8 | 4/16/2007 |  | 12:11 AM | left turn | No | No | \$5,500 | Day | Dry | Red light running | FHPD07OFF039341 |
| 9 | 7/25/2007 |  | 4:41 PM | rear end | No | No | \$100 | Day | Dry | Careless driving | FHPD07OFF075718 |
| 10 | 8/21/2007 |  | 3:23 PM | head-on | No | Yes | \$10,000 | Day | Dry | Drove left of center | FHPD07OFF086283 |
| 11 | 10/9/2007 |  | 7:35 AM | left/ sideswipe | No | No | \$7,500 | Day | Dry | careless/improper lane change | FHPD07OFF104397 |
| 12 | 11/24/2007 |  | 10:00 PM | right angle | No | No | \$4,500 | Night | Dry | Careless driving | FHPD07OFF121390 |
| 13 | 11/24/2007 |  | 10:41 AM | left turn | No | Yes | \$8,000 | Day | Dry | Red light running | FHPD07OFF121202 |
| 14 | 1/29/2008 |  | 7:51 AM | right turn | No | No | \$1,500 | Day | Dry | Failure to Yield R/W | FHPD08OFF009122 |
| 15 | 2/15/2008 |  | 10:59 AM | right angle | No | Yes | \$6,000 | Day | Dry | Red light running | FHPD08OFF015152 |
| 16 | 4/6/2008 |  | 6:43 AM | left turn | No | Yes | \$10,000 | Day | Dry | Failure to Yield R/W | FHPD08OFF033985 |
| 17 | 5/6/2008 |  | 9:38 AM | right angle | No | Yes | \$4,000 | Day | Dry | Red light running | FHPD08OFF044352 |
| 18 | 11/10/2008 |  | 7:06 AM | rear end | No | No | \$2,300 | Day | Dry | Careless driving | FHPD08OFF104276 |
| 19 | 12/19/2008 |  | 2:20 PM | rear end | No | No | \$250 | Day | Dry | Careless driving/DUI | FHPD08OFF116535 |
| TOTAL |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| TOTAL NO. |  | FATAL | INJURY | PROPERTY <br> DAMAGE | ANGLE | $\begin{aligned} & \text { LEFT } \\ & \text { TURN } \end{aligned}$ | RIGHT TURN | $\begin{aligned} & \text { REAR } \\ & \text { END } \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { SIDE } \\ \text { SWIPE } \end{gathered}$ | HEAD ON |  |
| 19 |  | 0 | 9 | 19 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 8 | 3 | 1 |  |
| \% |  | 0\% | 47\% | 100\% | 16\% | 21\% | 5\% | 42\% | 16\% | 5\% |  |
| $\begin{array}{\|c\|} \hline \text { ONE } \\ \text { VEHICL } \\ \hline \end{array}$ |  | PED/BI KE | DAY | NIGHT | WET | DRY | $\begin{aligned} & \text { EXCESS } \\ & \text { SPEED } \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | FTY R/W | DUI |  |  |
| 0 |  | 0 | 18 | 1 | 1 | 18 | 0 | 3 | 1 |  |  |
|  | 0\% | 0\% | 95\% | 5\% | 5\% | 95\% | 0\% | 16\% | 5\% |  |  |
| TOTAL VEHICLES ENTERING/ADT: |  |  |  |  |  | CRASH: |  |  | MEV |  |  |



Sadler Road
Rural Road Safety Audit
Road: Sadler Road from Round Lake Road to Lake County Line
Date: 10/29/09
Number of lanes:
2LU

Speed limit:
45 mph

| No. | From | To | Cross Street | Direction | Problem | Type of Work | Solution | Priority |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | just west of | n/a | Round Lake Road | WB | speed limit sign is offset too far from the road and bent | Traffic Engineering signs | reposition sign | low |
|  | east of | n/a | Laughlin Road | EB\&WB | double yellow centerline is faded and some RPM's missing for approx 120 ft . across from Monterey Mushrooms | Traffic Engineering markings | refresh centerline and replace missing RPM's | medium |
| 3 | 40' east of | 40' west of | Laughlin Road | EB\&WB | double yellow centerline is faded | Traffic Engineering markings | refresh centerline | medium |
| 4 | east of | n/a | US 441 | EB\&WB | double yellow centerline is faded for approx. 40 ft . | Traffic Engineering markings | refresh centerline | medium |
| 5 | west of | n/a | US 441 | EB\&WB | double yellow centerline is faded for approx. 160 ft . | Traffic Engineering markings | refresh centerline | medium |
| 6 | at approach to | n/a | US 441 | WB | stop bar is faded | Traffic Engineering markings | refresh stop bar | medium |
|  | at approach to | n/a | US 441 | EB | pavement edge drop-off and soft sand on south side of road. Drivers may be leaving the pavement around queued vehicles. | Roads \& Drainage | refer to Roads \& Drainage | high |
| 8 | in intersection | at | US 441 | EB | Request right turn lane onto US 441 from Sadler Rd. Citizen concern. | Orange County Public Works | Submit for possible intersection improvement | low |
| 9 | $0^{\prime}$ | 35' east of | Ola Beach Drive | WB | pavement edge drop-off | Roads \& Drainage | reinforce pavement edge | high |
| 10 | $0^{\prime}$ | 130' west of | Ola Beach Drive | WB | pavement edge drop-off | Roads \& Drainage | reinforce pavement edge | high |
| 11 | west of | n/a | Dohnavur Drive | WB | speed limit sign is offset too far from the road | Traffic Engineering signs | reposition sign | low |
| 12 | $18^{\prime}$ | 93' east of | Bigler Lane | WB | pavement edge drop-off | Roads \& Drainage | reinforce pavement edge | high |
| 13 | $0^{\prime}$ | 250' west of | 7435 address | WB | pavement edge drop-off | Roads \& Drainage | reinforce pavement edge | high |
| 14 | east of | n/a | 7751 driveway | EB | speed limit sign is too low - approx. 4.5 ft | Traffic Engineering signs | reset sign to proper vertical clearance | low |
| 15 | just east of | n/a | 7751 driveway | EB\&WB | object markers on either side of drainage structure are faded | Traffic Engineering markings type OM2-2V | replace object markers yellow/white back to back | medium |
| 16 | NW corner of | n/a | Sloewood Drive | WB | pavement edge drop-off | Roads \& Drainage | reinforce pavement edge | high |
| 17 | at | n/a | Sloewood Drive | WB | object marker for drainage structure is bent and not perpendicular to approaching traffic on Sloewood Drive | Traffic Engineering signs | reset object marker | medium |

## Sadler Road

Rural Road Safety Audit
Road: Sadler Road from Round Lake Road to Lake County Line
Date: 10/29/09
Number of lanes
2LU

Speed limit:
45 mph

| No. | From | To | Cross Street | Direction | Problem | Type of Work | Solution | Priority |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 18 | $0^{\prime}$ | 100' west of | Sloewood Drive | EB | Sight distance concern at SB Sloewood Dr, LT onto Sadler Rd. | Roads \& Drainage | Trim trees west of Sloewood Dr, on north side of road. | low |
| 19 | west of | n/a | Sloewood Drive | WB | speed limit sign is bent/damaged | type R2-1 | replace 45 mph speed limit sign | low |
| 20 | 336 ' west of 7851 driveway | for 287' | west of Sloewood Drive | EB | pavement edge drop-off | Roads \& Drainage | reinforce pavement edge | high |
| 21 | NW corner of | n/a | Dora Drive | WB | pavement edge drop-off | Roads \& Drainage | reinforce pavement edge | high |
| 22 | US 441 | to | Dora Drive | EB \& WB | Lower speed limit to 35. Citizen Concern | Traffic Engineering Admin | Speed study performed. Speed limit is appropriate. | low |
| 23 | $50^{\prime}$ | 1300' east of | Sloewood Drive | WB | Trim trees to improve sight distance backing out of driveways. Citizen concern. | Roads \& Drainage | Trim Trees to right of way line. | low |
| 24 | Sloewood Ct. | US 441 | intermittently throughout | EB | white edgeline is covered by grass | Roads \& Drainage | edge grass to expose edgeline | low |
| 25 | east of Monterey Mushrooms at 5949 address | Lake Co. line | intermittently throughout | WB | white edgeline is covered by grass | Roads \& Drainage | edge grass to expose edgeline | low |

## VI. Solutions to Citizen Concerns Outside the Study Area or Orange County Jurisdiction

Citizen complaints received from the community meetings related to roadways outside the study area will be addressed and resolved through the usual Orange County Traffic Engineering Division citizen complaint procedures.

Safety issues found through the study field data collection process or through citizen complaints will be forwarded to the appropriate agency for resolution.

## VII. Recommended Long-Term Capital Improvements

As funds become available for major roadway or intersection improvements, the following projects should be considered:

- Kelly Park Road and Plymouth Sorrento Road - Add turn lanes in all directions.
- Ponkan Road and Plymouth Sorrento Road - Add turn lanes in all directions.
- Ponkan Road - Investigate roadway lighting warrants between Ponkan Pines Road and Vick Road as part of any future Ponkan Road widening project.
- Round Lake Road and Ponkan Road - Remove the southbound right (SBR) turn lane, providing 35 ' turning radius. Relocate stop sign to stop bar.
- Sadler Road and US 441 - Add an eastbound right (EBR) turn lane.


## VIII. Conclusion

Extensive data collection, including daytime drives and night-time drives, and community meetings for citizen input, were conducted to evaluate traffic safety conditions in this rural northwest Orange County study area. Speed limits were also reviewed, with changes to posted speeds implemented on Laughlin Road and Ponkan Road.

The results of the traffic safety audit indicate that many improvements are recommended to increase roadway safety. Most of the high-priority safety risk concerns were related to pavement edge condition and visibility of traffic control devices due to growth of vegetation. These concerns were addressed immediately. Low- to medium- priority safety risk concerns will be addressed and resolved according to standard scheduling. These consist mainly of improvements to faded pavement markings and replaced or revised roadway signs. Desirable long-term capital improvements were identified for implementation as funds become available.

# Appendix <br> Community Meeting Sign-In Sheets 

