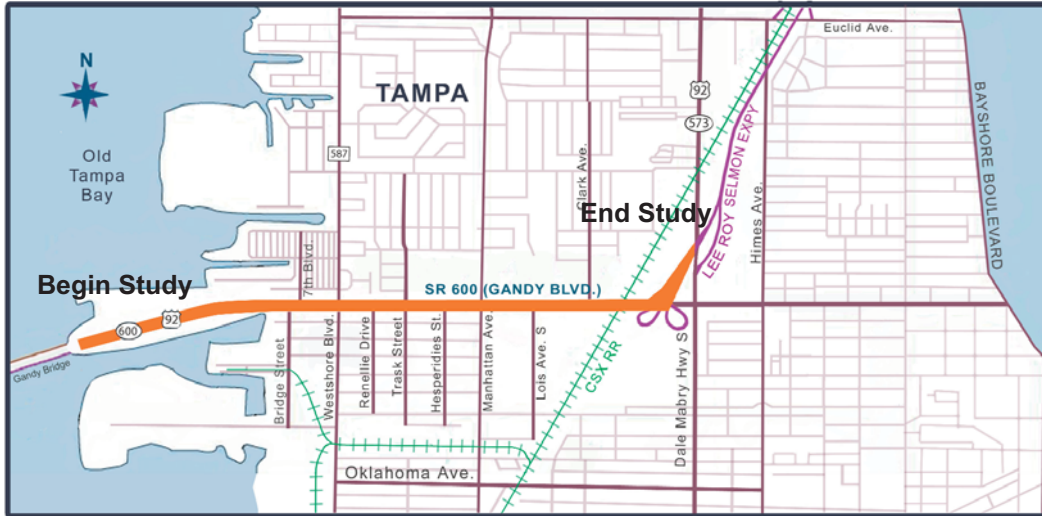


Gandy Study

Purpose/Goals/Process



Purpose:

Investigate a *new toll-based* solution to better accommodate regional traffic between the Gandy Bridge and the Selmon Expressway

Goals:

1. Accommodating regional trips **MUST** have a beneficial impact on Gandy Boulevard
2. This project **MUST** be financially feasible for THEA to build, operate and maintain
3. Any THEA solution **MUST** have community support

Process:

1. Identify project advisory group (PAG) members to represent business, community, local and regional issues (complete)
2. PAG members identify issues
3. THEA updates technical information and incorporates issues identified in the PAG to come up with possible solutions.
4. THEA presents findings/solutions to PAG. PAG will then work through each solution to come up with the best approach to solve the issues.
5. THEA will present the alternative solutions to the general public to allow for additional input.
6. Final concept will be presented to the general public at an official public hearing.
7. THEA will develop a preferred toll concept and PAG will make final comments.
8. Final toll feasible solution will be presented to the THEA Board of Directors

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