

Gateway Expressway 433880-1-52-01

Project Details	
Work Type	New Tolled Roadway
Phase	Construction
Project Start	August 21, 2017
City	Clearwater Largo Pinellas Park St. Petersburg
County	Pinellas
Road	118th Avenue N. (CR 296) 49th St. N. Bayside Bridge (CR 611) Gandy Blvd Gateway I-275 SR 686 SR 688 SR 694 US 19
Construction Cost	\$595.3 million
Estimated Completion	Spring 2024
Contractor	Archer Western - de Moya Joint Venture

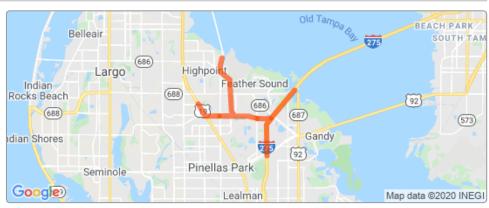
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About

The **Gateway Expressway** project is constructing two new tolled roadways that will provide direct connections between US 19 and I-275, and the Bayside Bridge (north of 49th Street N) and I-275. Express lanes are being built on I-275.

SR 690, a new 4-lane tolled expressway connection from US 19 to the west of I-275. The new roadway is being built in the median of existing 118th Avenue North. SR 690 will be elevated over portions of 118th Avenue North, 49th Street North, 47th Street North, 43rd Street North, 34th Street North, the ramp at 31st Court North, and 28th Street North.

SR 686A, a new 4-lane tolled expressway from the Bayside Bridge to just west of I-275. It is primarily being built in the median of Roosevelt Boulevard between the Bayside Bridge and Ulmerton Road. An interchange at Ulmerton Road will be built as part of this project. The new roadway will continue south through the old Sunshine Speedway property until it merges with SR 690.

Express Lanes: In addition to the new toll roads, I-275 is being widened to create express tolled lanes (one lane in each direction) from south of Gandy Boulevard to 4th Street North. The express lanes will be in the median next to the existing I-275 general purpose (non-tolled) lanes. Express lanes are a congestion management tool used in urban areas to ease congestion, improve traffic flow, and give drivers travel options.

* Construction cost includes original construction contract amount plus approved contract changes. It does not include inspection oversite.

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