

1) Broward County specific notes for safe routes to schools.

- **MAINTENANCE OF TRAFFIC SCHOOL/PEDESTRIAN**

The following areas within the project limits are designated as Safe Routes to School by the Broward County School Board (Areas to be provided by BCTE)

Within these areas the contractor's attention is directed to the following requirements:

1. Provide at least one safe, walkable path throughout the construction zone. If the existing current walking surfaces cannot be maintained, then a temporary path, a minimum of 4 foot wide, shall be provided and delineated. Temporary paths shall be delineated by a 4 foot high orange construction fence for the entire length of the temporary walk path. The path shall meet all ADA requirements. The contractor shall also install or modify any additional pavement, signing, markings or pedestrian signals as needed in conjunction with the temporary path.
2. On days that school is in session, the contractor's work schedule within the school zone may be reduced based on actual work activities in the school zone. See Maintenance of Traffic plans for details on the work zone restrictions, if warranted. Any changes in the Maintenance of Traffic work schedules within school zones should be discussed during the mandatory reconstruction – school safety meeting.
3. All work required at designated school crossings and pedestrian crossings shall be restored to a safe walkable path between the hours noted in No. 2. above.
4. Thirty (30) days prior to the beginning of construction the Contractor SHALL notify the Special Projects Coordinator at Broward County Traffic Engineering Division, (954) 847-2671, to arrange a pre-construction – school safety meeting.
5. It SHALL be the Contractor's responsibility to notify the Broward County School Board Pupil Transportation Department – Transportation Operations Supervisor, (754) 321-4400 ext # 2013, to arrange a pre-construction - school bus route meeting. This meeting is to determine all bus routes and to make any necessary arrangements or rerouting. This meeting shall include the Special Projects Coordinator from Broward County Traffic Engineering Division, (954) 847-2671.

Note to PMs and Plan Reviewers: Consider the work scope in using these notes. If the work will require a shutdown of an existing designated school crossing during the hours of use by the school, we will have to add a note requiring the contractor to hire an Off-Duty officer to cross students at alternate locations. This should be coordinated/discussed with the Special Projects Coordinator at Broward County Traffic Engineering Division during design. Coordination with the school will be done during the construction of the project.