



**SECTION 34. PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT**

**34.20 SIGNING AND LIGHTING SEMINOLE COUNTY TRAIL AND PEDESTRIAN OVERPASSES/TUNNELS POLICY**

**A. PURPOSE.** To establish requirements for a uniform design for trail and pedestrian overpass and tunnel structures respectively to include signage, lighting and other features.

**B. TRAIL OVERPASSES AND TUNNELS.** Defined as multi-use overpasses and tunnels that provide for the continuity of a trail over or under a roadway, but are not a functional part of the roadway. Hours of operation are from sunrise to sunset or as specifically stated at the site by the County.

(1) Regulatory lighting on pedestrian overpasses will be provided where appropriate and permitted by the agency with jurisdiction.

(2) Regulatory signage for usage or directional purposes will be provided on trails for trail users as permitted by Federal and State Statutes. Identifying signage for motorists may be provided on structures where appropriate and permitted by the agency with jurisdiction.

(3) Decorative signage, lighting, or other items on structures crossing State or Federal roadways must be approved and permitted by FDOT. Current FDOT policies prohibit any of these uses with the exception of the following flags: United States America, State of Florida, county and city. To maintain consistency throughout the County, decorative signage, lighting, or other items are prohibited on structures crossing County or local roadways.

**C. PEDESTRIAN OVERPASSES (NON-TRAIL).** Defined as multi-use overpasses associated with the Federal, State, or local roadway transportation systems and a functional part of the roadway. They are open for operation 24 hours a day.

(1) Regulatory lighting on pedestrian overpasses will be provided where appropriate and permitted by the agency with jurisdiction.

(2) Regulatory signage for usage or directional purposes will be provided on the overpass for users as permitted by Federal and State Statutes. Identifying signage for approaching motorists may be provided on structures where appropriate and permitted by the agency with jurisdiction.

(3) Decorative signage, lighting, or other items on structures crossing State or Federal roadways must be approved and permitted by FDOT. Current FDOT policies do not permit such usage with the exception of the following flags: United States of America, State of Florida, county and city. To maintain consistency throughout the County, decorative signage, lighting, or other items are prohibited on structures crossing County or local roadways.

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