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Press Release Burnt Store Isles Lock Widening

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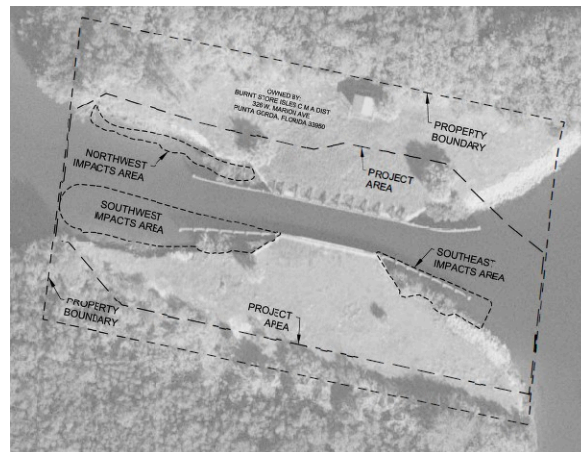
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The Burnt Store Isles (BSI) Widening project started on January 17, 2025. The contractor is currently mobilizing equipment and materials to the staging area. The contractor is set to turn soil as early as February 3rd. The project work scope is scheduled for January 17 to June 2, 2025. The BSI Lock passage will provide 40' of travel through the lock and allow a fully assembled and loaded barge to access the canals for seawall repairs. This designated project on the five year Citywide Master Plan, and ensures infrastructure is in place to meet projected growth demands. As a precaution, be aware the contractor will be on site from 7:00 am - 5:00 pm weekdays. The lock will be open to traffic from 12:00 pm -1:00 pm during the workdays of this project. We will continue to provide weekly updates. [Press Release Burnt Store Isles Lock Widening](#)



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