

The Florida Department of Environmental Protection is seeking your input regarding the new vision for the Florida Greenways and Trails System (FGTS). A new FGTS Plan is being developed to establish priorities and define the role of the FGTS in advancing Florida’s economy, tourism, health, alternative transportation, recreation, conservation and quality of life. This is the first new FGTS Plan since adoption of the original in 1999 by the Florida Legislature.

Plan to attend one of the open houses listed below to provide input on the FGTS Plan. In addition, you will have an opportunity to comment on the [Statewide Comprehensive Outdoor Recreation Plan](#) (SCORP) and the U.S. Forest Service’s [Florida National Scenic Trail \(FNST\) Route Designation](#).

PUBLIC OPEN HOUSES for the Florida Greenways and Trails System Plan and →			Statewide Comprehensive Outdoor Recreation Plan	Florida National Scenic Trail Route Designation
Tallahassee	September 12 4 - 7 pm Eastern	Florida Dept of Transportation Headquarters 605 Suwannee Street, Tallahassee	X	X
Panama City Beach	September 13 4 - 7 pm Central	Panama City Beach Senior Center 423 Lyndell Lane, Panama City Beach		X
Palatka	September 18 4 - 7 pm Eastern	Ravine Gardens State Park 1600 Twigg Street, Palatka		X
Sanford	September 22 10 am - 2 pm Eastern	Central Florida Zoo and Botanical Gardens 3755 NW Hwy 17-92, Sanford	X	X
Sarasota	September 25 4 - 7 pm Eastern	Sarasota County Public Works 1001 Sarasota Center Blvd, Sarasota	X	X
Boca Raton	September 26 4 - 7 pm Eastern	Sugar Sand Park Community Center 300 S. Military Trail, Boca Raton	X	X
<i>No set program schedule. Stop in any time during the above open houses to review materials and comment.</i>				

If you are unable to attend an open house, you can review the draft plan and maps online and provide comments through the Office of Greenways and Trails website at www.dep.state.fl.us/gwt/FGTS_Plan. For further information, contact Samantha Browne with OGT by [email](#) or phone at 850-245-2052.