

## Final paving of MLK from Orange Avenue to ISB underway

### Streetlight poles installed; decorative crosswalks being completed

Crews are continuing to make steady progress on the stretch of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd (MLK) from Orange Avenue to International Speedway Boulevard. Final paving of the roadway has begun. The contractor is working to correct some quality control issues with the pavement (at contractor's expense). Staff expect the road to be open to traffic in approximately two weeks, weather permitting. Other project highlights include:

- Streetlight poles have been installed, and the light fixtures and wiring are scheduled to be finished soon.
- Crosswalks will be installed before final paving.
- Traffic signal loops, temporary roadway striping and cleanup will be done following final paving.

Customers can park temporarily in the right-of-way on the side streets to access the businesses. Pedestrians should not walk through the work area. If walking around the work site perimeter, pedestrians are urged to use caution. For more information about the MLK Road Project, visit [www.codb.us/MLKRoadProject](http://www.codb.us/MLKRoadProject).

### Volusia County Small Business Assistance Grant Program

Volusia County has expanded its COVID-19 assistance for small businesses. Qualifying businesses may be eligible to receive a one-time reopening grant. Businesses that have 25 employees or less may be eligible to receive \$3000 or businesses that have between 26 and 50 employees may be eligible for \$5,000. Applications will be processed on a first-come, first-served basis. For more information, visit [www.VolusiaBusinessResources.com](http://www.VolusiaBusinessResources.com).

### Back in Business Safely

The Daytona Regional Chamber of Commerce and the Daytona Beach Area Convention and Visitors Bureau have launched a "Back in Business Safely" campaign to provide resources and support for commercial establishments as they reopen. The free program includes downloadable checklists, guidelines, and signage for businesses. Resources can be found on the [DaytonaChamber.com](http://DaytonaChamber.com).

### COVID-19 Updates

To stay informed on city news related to COVID-19, also known as coronavirus, visit [www.codb.us/coronavirus](http://www.codb.us/coronavirus) or follow the City of Daytona Beach Government on Facebook.

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