

August 13, 2012

The Honorable Cindy Lerner
Mayor of Pinecrest

Pinecrest, Florida 33156

Dear Madam:

I have been informed about the planned project and the various alternative designs to construct a toll road in the bus way along HWY US 1, from Dadeland going South. I object to the construction of such a toll road. I believe that it will have a serious negative impact on my neighborhood for the following reasons:

- It will not ease traffic congestion but will increase it.
- It will change the suburban character of my neighborhood and will be an eyesore.
- It will separate the neighborhoods on the east and west sides of US 1.
- It will make the US 1 corridor more dangerous, noisy, polluted and dirty.
- It will be a waste of our public funds which could be better spent on other County projects.
- It will do nothing to encourage greater use of mass transit, which should be the County's goal.
- It will have a devastating impact not only on small businesses, but on all businesses along US 1.
- It will further devalue our property value.

This is a very important matter to me and my neighbors. As my **elected representative**, I ask that you do your utmost to **stop this project.**

Thanking you in advance,



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