

Notice to Hikers: FNST STA 5/6 L-3 Levee Reroute

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Region: South

FTA Map No: 40

Perm. Change? No- but likely until 2023

Effective Date: 11/18/2021

Description:

Due to construction on the L-3 Levee the FNST has been temporarily rerouted in STA 5/6. The reroute starts on the L-3 Levee 0.2 mile north of G-353A Water Structure and crosses over to a STA 5/6 perimeter levee road. The reroute follows the STA 5/6 Levee Road north to the Deer Fence Canal Road STA 5/6 Trailhead. Total reroute is 6.2 miles and is "Blazed White."

Hiking North: On the L-3 Levee 0.2 miles north of G-353A Water Structure turn east onto STA 5/6 dirt road, go 300' turn north, go 500' turn west, in approximately 350' the STA 5/6 perimeter levee road will turn northwest. Follow dirt road north to Deer Fence Canal Road Trailhead. Exit through gate on the east side of Pump Station. To rejoin the FNST follow paved road around the north side of pumping station for approximately 900'. The trailhead is located 1000' to the east at the end of parking area. Pitcher pump, restroom, kiosk, pavilion. No overnight camping at trailhead.

Hiking Data Northbound:

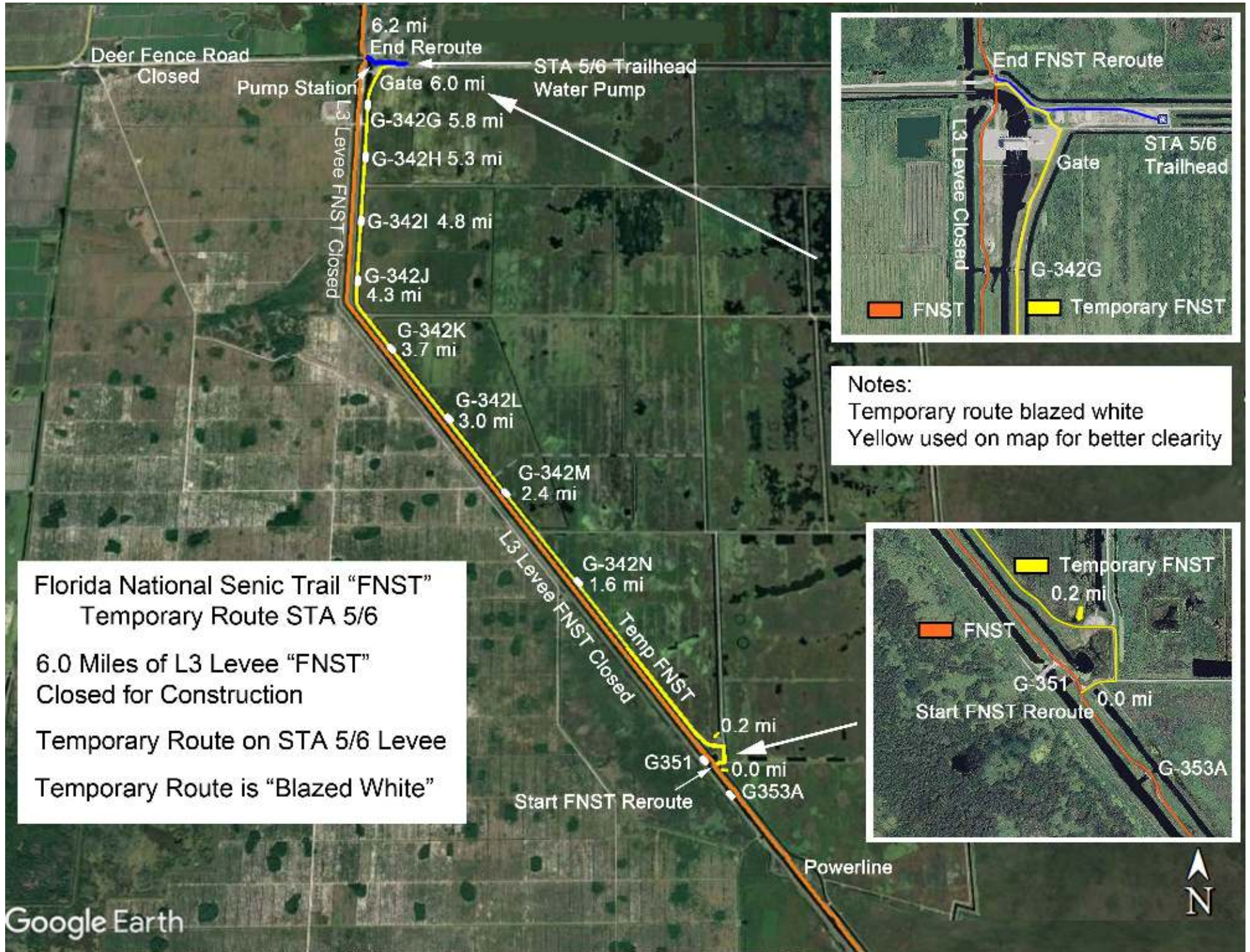
At 0.2 mi north of G-353A Water Structure turn east and leave L-3 Levee go	300'	0.0 mi
Turn north for	500'	
Turn west and follow dirt Rd	350'	0.2 mi
Dirt road turns northwest		
Pass SFWMD Structure G-342N	1.4 mi	1.6 mi
Pass SFWMD Structure G-342M	0.8 mi	2.4 mi
Pass SFWMD Structure G-342L	0.6 mi	3.0 mi
Pass SFWMD Structure G-342K	0.7 mi	3.7 mi
Dirt road turns north,		
Pass SFWMD Structure G-342J	0.6 mi	4.3mi
Pass SFWMD Structure G-342I	0.5 mi	4.8 mi
Pass SFWMD Structure G-342H	0.5 mi	5.3 mi

Hiking Data Southbound:

At Deer Fence Canal Rd turn east towards Trailhead Parking. Turn South on the east side of pump station and follow paved road around east side of chain link fence. Look for yellow painted gate. Go through gate and join dirt levee road south.	0.0	6.2 mi
Enter through Gate at	900'	6.0 mi
Pass SFWMD Structure G-342G	0.2 mi	5.8 mi
Pass SFWMD Structure G-342H	0.5 mi	5.3 mi
Pass SFWMD Structure G-342I	0.5 mi	4.8 mi
Dirt road turns southeast		
Pass SFWMD Structure G-342J	0.6 mi	4.3 mi
Pass SFWMD Structure G-342K	0.7 mi	3.7 mi
Pass SFWMD Structure G-342L	0.6 mi	3.0 mi
Pass SFWMD Structure G-342M	0.8 mi	2.4 mi

Pass SFWMD Structure G-342G	0.5 mi	5.8 mi	Pass SFWMD Structure G-342N	1.4 mi	1.6 mi
Exit through gate	0.2 mi	6.0 mi	Turn east for	350'	0.2 mi
Follow paved road to west around north side of pump station and rejoin FNST	900'	6.2 mi	Turn south for	500'	
			Turn west for	300'	
			Rejoin FNST on L-3 Levee South		0.0 mi
			Pass SFWMD Structure G-353A	0.2 mi	

See Map on next page



Deer Fence Road
Closed

Pump Station

6.2 mi
End Reroute

Gate 6.0 mi

STA 5/6 Trailhead
Water Pump

G-342G 5.8 mi

G-342H 5.3 mi

G-342I 4.8 mi

G-342J 4.3 mi

G-342K 3.7 mi

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G-342M 2.4 mi

G-342N 1.6 mi

0.2 mi

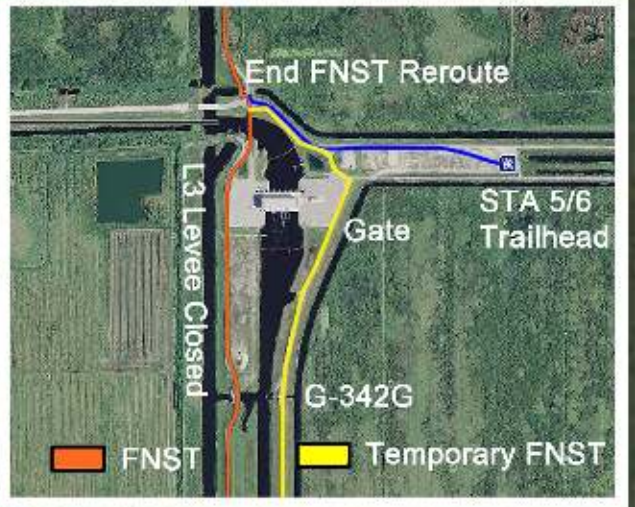
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0.0 mi

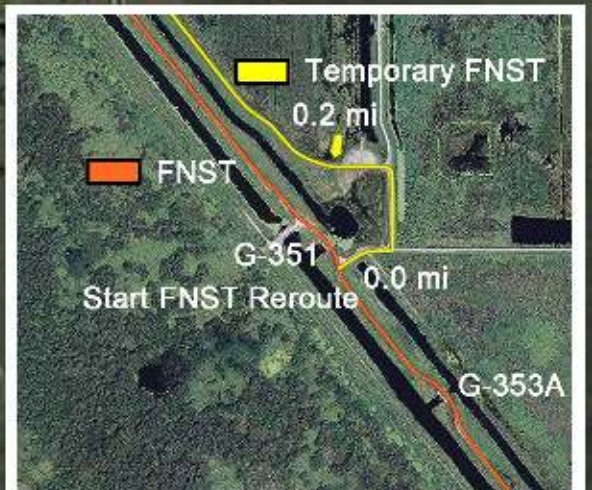
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Start FNST Reroute

Powerline



Notes:
Temporary route blazed white
Yellow used on map for better clarity



Florida National Senic Trail "FNST"
Temporary Route STA 5/6
6.0 Miles of L3 Levee "FNST"
Closed for Construction
Temporary Route on STA 5/6 Levee
Temporary Route is "Blazed White"

