



FLORIDA'S TURNPIKE ENTERPRISE

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Pinellas Bayway Commuter Pass Renewal Period Begins September 1, 2009

OCOE, FL (August 20, 2009)—September is renewal month for all Pinellas Bayway Commuter Pass transponders. The \$50 yearly Commuter Pass transponder, which allows two-axle vehicles unlimited passage through all three Pinellas Bayway toll plazas without stopping, expires every year on September 30, regardless of date of purchase. Bayway Commuter Pass customers are not eligible for other SunPass discounted toll rates.

During September, commuters pass holders who use the three Pinellas Bayway toll plazas should take advantage of two renewal options:

- Call the SunPass toll-free customer service number, at 1-888-TOLL-FLA (1-888-865-5352) to renew by telephone between the hours of 7a.m. and 7p.m., Monday through Friday. Customers will need the transponder number, which is located on the back of the transponder and a major credit card.
- Visit the Pinellas Bayway SunPass Customer Service Center in person, Monday through Friday between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. The Customer Service Center is located at 4501 54th Avenue South, St. Petersburg. The Center is temporarily located in a temporary trailer behind the main building while renovations are underway.



Florida's Turnpike Enterprise, part of the Florida Department of Transportation, oversees a 460-mile system of limited-access toll highways: Florida's Turnpike, extending north from Homestead in Miami-Dade County to Wildwood in Sumter County; the Seminole Expressway and Southern Connector (Toll 417) in Seminole, Orange and Osceola counties; the Beachline Expressway West (Toll 528) in Orange County; the Polk Parkway (Toll 570) in Polk County; the Veterans Expressway and Suncoast Parkway in Hillsborough, Pasco and Hernando counties (Toll 589); the Sawgrass Expressway (Toll 869) in Broward County; and the southern 11 miles of the Daniel Webster Western Beltway (Toll 429) in Orange and Osceola Counties.

SunPass is the Florida Department of Transportation's innovative Prepaid Toll Program. SunPass may be used on all Florida's toll roads and most toll bridges. For information on SunPass®, call 1-888-TOLL-FLA (865-5352) or visit <http://www.sunpass.com>.

Travelers on the Florida's Turnpike system of roads may view real-time traffic information by visiting our website at <http://www.floridasturnpike.com>. While traveling in the Orlando, South Florida and Tampa Bay regions, motorists should dial 511 for real-time regional traffic information on the Turnpike and other major roads. This information system is voice-activated; motorists should speak the name of the road they wish to use. They may also visit <http://www.fl511.com> for information. This free service of the Florida Department of Transportation is available 24/7.