



Hazardous Walk Area Review Request

Steps for requesting a hazardous review:

1. Schools will need to complete this form and submit to the M-DCPS, Department of Transportation using BusPlannerWorkflow.
2. DOT will review whether the area is within 2 miles (walking distance) and if there is "Space Available" on any existing bus routes.
3. If the criteria are not met the Division of Safety and Emergency Management will review and analyze alternative options.

Section below is for the parent/citizen requesting the initial request (make a copy for your records)

Contact _____ Direct Number _____

Address _____ Date _____

Hazardous Location: _____ School _____

(Hazardous walking ONLY applies to students attending K-6 grade)

This location is hazardous because it meets one of the following hazards identified in Section 1006.23, Florida Statutes (choose all that apply)

4,000+ vehicles

The total traffic volume on the road exceeds 4,000 vehicles per hour through an intersection or other crossing site controlled by a stop sign or other traffic control signal, unless crossing guards or other traffic enforcement officers are also present during the times students walk to and from school.

360+ vehicles

The traffic volume on the road exceeds the rate of 360 vehicles per hour, per direction (including all lanes), during the time students walk to and from school and if the crossing site is uncontrolled. For purposes of this subsection, an "uncontrolled crossing site" is an intersection or other designated crossing site where no crossing guard, traffic enforcement officer, or stop sign or other traffic control signal is present during the times students walk to and from school.

50MPH or 6 lanes

It shall be considered a hazardous walking condition with respect to any road at any uncontrolled crossing site which students must walk in order to walk to and from school if:

1. The road has a posted speed limit of 50 miles per hour or greater; or
2. The road has six lanes or more, not including turn lanes, regardless of the speed limit.

Walkways

At least 4 feet wide adjacent to the road, not including drainage ditches, sluiceways, swales, or channels, having a surface upon which students may walk without being required to walk on the road surface. In addition, whenever the road along which students must walk is uncurbed and has a posted speed limit of 50 miles per hour or greater, the area as described above for students to walk upon shall be set off the road by no less than 3 feet from the edge of the road. (This does not apply if traffic is less than 180 vehicles per hour or is in a residential area 30MPH or less.)

Please share any additional concerns not related to the Florida Statute mentioned above. These could include matters related to sidewalks and lighting. We may forward them to the appropriate jurisdictional authority.

3. Section below is for school use only

This form is for internal use by the school. Use [BusPlannerWorkflow](#) to submit electronically

BusPlannerWorkflow ID:
(Sent via email after submission)

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