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I-4 project to include Maitland pedestrian bridge

ORLANDO, Fla. — Interstate 4 won't be the same after crews break ground on a redevelopment project in February.

Designers plan to add unique enhancements along a 21-mile stretch of the highway, including a pedestrian bridge across the highway in Maitland.

Officials said the project is being called a signature corridor with fountains, artwork and bridges planned along the stretch.



[I-4 pedestrian bridge](#)

In a city workshop, Mayor Buddy Dyer expressed how important the new look of I-4 will be. "One of the things that I have personally emphasized with the team is the aesthetic aspect of it," said Dyer.

The City of Maitland is expected to get a new pedestrian bridge as part of the project and Channel 9 obtained renderings of it on Monday.

The bridge will be at the Maitland Boulevard interchange, which will be turned into three levels and connect to the highway without any traffic signals.

During the workshop, officials announced that artwork from local artists could end up being part of the project.

"We've created a \$1.5 million fund for adding artwork along the corridor," said project designer John Walker.

The entire project is expected to take seven years to complete.

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