What is the Project?

The I-85 Express Lanes Extension is part of a network of new optional express lanes designed to improve mobility and provide more reliable trip times throughout metro Atlanta. The project adds 10 miles of newly constructed express lanes, north of the existing I-85 Express Lanes, entirely in Gwinnett County - one lane in each direction on I-85 from just north of Old Peachtree Road to Hamilton Mill Road. The express lanes feature dynamic pricing, rising as demand increases during peak travel times and falling at off-peak times, giving drivers the choice to pay to bypass congestion.

Benefits

• Reliable trip times for drivers and transit riders
• Enhancements to transportation infrastructure supporting economic development
• Toll-free for transit and registered vanpool customers

5 Things to Know

1. To use the express lanes, drivers must have a registered Peach Pass through the State Road and Tollway Authority (SRTA). Peach Passes can be obtained at PeachPass.com.
2. One northbound and one southbound express lane operate north of the existing I-85 Express Lanes.
3. I-85 Express Lanes Extension accommodates the rapid growth in the region.
4. Total project estimated cost is $178 million.
5. Delivery method: P3 Design-Build

Where is the Project?

What’s the Project Status?

The lanes opened to traffic on November 3, 2018.

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