

Statutory Reference	Requirement	Where Addressed in Report
s. 338.2278 (3) (c) 1	<p>During the project development phase, the department shall utilize an inclusive, consensus-building mechanism for each proposed multiuse corridor identified in subsection (2). For each multiuse corridor identified in subsection (2), the department shall convene a corridor task force composed of appropriate representatives of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. The Department of Environmental Protection; b. The Department of Economic Opportunity; c. The Department of Education; d. The Department of Health; e. The Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission; f. The Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services; g. The local water management district or districts; h. A local government official from each local government within a proposed corridor; i. Metropolitan planning organizations; j. Regional planning councils; k. The community, who may be an individual or a member of a nonprofit community organization, as determined by the department; and l. Appropriate environmental groups, such as 1000 Friends of Florida, Audubon Florida, the Everglades Foundation, The Nature Conservancy, the Florida Sierra Club, and the Florida Wildlife Corridor, as determined by the department. 	General discussion in Task Force overview section; membership listing in Appendix A.
s. 338.2278 (3) (c) 2	The secretary of the department shall appoint the members of the respective corridor task forces by August 1, 2019.	Documented in Task Force overview.
s. 338.2278 (3) (c) 3	Each corridor task force shall coordinate with the department on pertinent aspects of corridor analysis, including accommodation or colocation of multiple types of infrastructure, addressing issues such as those identified in subsection (1), within or adjacent to the corridor.	The issues identified in subsection (1) are specified in the Task Force overview. These issues, along with the six statutory purposes of M-CORES, were the starting point for the Task Force's work to identify high-level needs and guiding principles.
s. 338.2278 (3) (c) 4	Each corridor task force shall evaluate the need for, and the economic and environmental impacts of, hurricane evacuation impacts of, and land use impacts of, the related corridor as identified in subsection (2).	Addressed in high-level needs; guiding principles and instructions; and action plan, including recommendations for alternative evaluation.
s. 338.2278 (3) (c) 5	Each corridor task force shall hold a public meeting in accordance with chapter 286 in each local government jurisdiction in which a project within an identified corridor is being considered.	Task Force meetings and community open houses documented in Task Force overview section.

		Detailed list of meeting locations in Appendix C.
s. 338.2278 (3) (c) 6	To the maximum extent feasible, the department shall adhere to the recommendations of the task force created for each corridor in the design of the multiple modes of transportation and multiple types of infrastructure associated with the corridor. The task force for each corridor may consider and recommend innovative concepts to combine right-of-way acquisition with the acquisition of lands or easements to facilitate environmental mitigation or ecosystem, wildlife habitat, or water quality protection or restoration. The department, in consultation with the Department of Environmental Protection, may incorporate those features into each corridor during the project development phase.	Addressed as part of instructions related to guiding principles on conservation, wildlife habitat, water resources, and other environmental resources; also included in action plan.
s. 338.2278 (3) (c) 7	The Southwest-Central Florida Connector corridor task force shall: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Address the impacts of the construction of a project within the corridor on panther and other critical wildlife habitat and evaluate in its final report the need for acquisition of lands for state conservation or as mitigation for project construction; and b. Evaluate wildlife crossing design features to protect panther and other critical wildlife habitat corridor connections. 	Significance of panther and other wildlife habitat documented in study area overview. High-level needs related to panther and wildlife identified. Guiding principle and instructions developed related to addressing the impacts of corridors on panther and other critical wildlife habitat, including land acquisition and wildlife crossings.
s. 338.2278 (3) (c) 8	The Suncoast Connector corridor task force and the Northern Turnpike Connector corridor task force shall evaluate design features and the need for acquisition of state conservation lands that mitigate the impact of project construction within the respective corridors on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. The water quality and quantity of springs, rivers, and aquifer recharge areas; b. Agricultural land uses; and c. Wildlife habitat. 	Significance of these issues documented in study area overview. High-level needs related to environmental resources and agricultural land uses documented. Strategies related to addressing the impacts of corridors, including potential land acquisition and design features, documented in guiding principles and instructions.
s. 338.2278 (3) (c) 9	Each corridor task force shall issue its evaluations in a final report that must be submitted to the Governor, the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives by November 15, 2020.	Accomplished through submittal of this report.