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The only major privately held express passenger rail business in the U.S.



Our Company

COMPANY GOAL IS TO CONNECT CITY PARK WAY AND "TOO LONG TO DRIVE AND TOO SHORT TO FLY".

Currently operating in South Florida with an expansion to Orlando under construction.
Future planned extensions to Disney Springs and Tampa.
Expansion project connecting Las Vegas and Southern California on track to break ground in 2021.

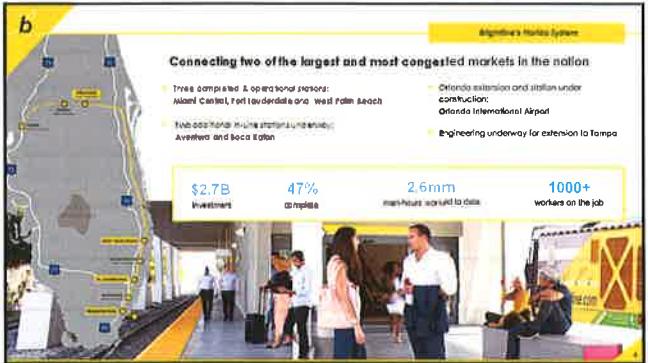
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the Benefits

Building Efficient Mobility Systems

As urban life evolves and the demand for smarter, more efficient cities increases, higher mobility options like Brightline and SunRail play a key role in the long-term prosperity of the areas it serves. Some of the benefits the services bring to these communities include:

 Private investment into state and local infrastructure	 New & expanded job markets	 Greater connectivity in economic centers – improving social equity	 Increased residential value through transit-oriented development
 Less traffic on local roadways	 Reduction of carbon emissions	 Promotion of a car-free lifestyle	 Mitigation of urban sprawl







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Zone 1 Vehicle Maintenance Facility

- Site work of 62 acres completed - Spring 2020
- Building construction began - June 2020



Zone 2 Orlando International Airport

- Clearing complete
- Embankment along Jeff Fuqua Blvd 100% complete
- Cargo Rd underpass underway
- Cargo Rd interchange improvement underway



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Zone 3 OIA to Cocoa

- 100% of corridor alignment cleared/grubbed
- 42M CY of rail earthwork excavated, 70% of rail embankment complete
- All 23 bridges are underway
- SR 528 shortly first traffic shift - June 2020
- Goldenrod Rd. box jack completed - September 2020
- SR 528 / US-1 box jack prep underway - March 2021






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Zone 4 – Cocoa to West Palm Beach

Track work

- Clearing and grubbing
- Rail grading, track installation and ballasting underway
- Delivery of rail material

155 Grade Crossings

- Safety upgrades, closures
- Design revisions

29 Bridges

- Construction underway at 8 bridges
- In 2021, work will begin on 21 additional bridges

New Train Control System

- I-ETMS Positive Train Control

Orlando Extension

ZONE 4A

ZONE 4B

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Tampa Extension

PROJECT

Brightline was awarded the right to execute lease agreements with FDOT and the Central Florida Expressway Authority to connect OIA and Tampa.

STATUS / TIMELINE

Brightline is in ongoing negotiations with GOAA, OUC, CFX and FDOT/FAA.
In 2020, Brightline completed 15% design for OIA D5 segment, including cost and optimization studies.
In 2020, Brightline executed LOI for Tampa station location in Ybor City.
In January 2021, Brightline commenced 30% engineering and design work for the proposed project and the environmental process (NEPA) began.
In February 2021, CFCRC approved Resolution of Support to study SunRail expansion on to OIA.

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Tampa Extension

One-Time (construction period)		Recurring Annually (following construction)	
Total Impact	\$4.2 billion	Total Impact	\$131 million (annual average)
GDP	\$3,015 billion	GDP	\$84.3 million (annual average)
Jobs	37,187 (job years)	Jobs	1,304 (annual average)
Labor Inc.	\$1.822 billion	Labor Inc.	\$33.1 million (annual average)
Taxes	\$426 million	Taxes	\$102.2 million (annual average)

LONG TERM BENEFITS

- Generate economic impact at a time when Florida needs to rebound
- Provide greater access to OIA and key economic centers
- Provide a fast, productive, and stress-free linkage between our Florida urban centers
- Offer car-free option for residents and visitors looking to escape congestion

*Economic study conducted by Economic Consulting Services, Inc.

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SunRail Phase 3 Resolution of Support - Joint Study

SunRail Expansion

Joint study between Brightline and CFCRC related to SunRail's Phase 3 expansion to Orlando International Airport by way of the existing Meadow Woods Station.

Study is part of Brightline's current environmental and engineering analysis of the Tomoka extension route from CIA and will expand analysis to explore shared infrastructure with SunRail.

Study will prevent any need for a second NEPA analysis if SunRail wants to revisit Phase 3.

ROS does not obligate the CFCRC or its partners to funding, nor does it obligate the CFCRC or other entities to future action.

The ROS is not a financially binding agreement; it is an initial show of support to study the project.

Questions the Study will Answer:

- How would shared infrastructure work? (service levels, transfers, train control system, dispatch, authority models)
- NEPA analysis
- Engineering and design for alignment and airport stations
- Cost estimate and route optimization
- SunRail system impact, ridership, operations

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SunRail Phase 3

SunRail Expansion

A SunRail expansion to OIA has been long-contemplated and well studied and is part of multiple regional transportation plans – rail link to OIA has been under consideration since 2005.

FDOT's 2018 study shows ridership would increase by over 1.1M riders each year (before Brightline).

FDOT study shows it would provide affordable and efficient travel option for commuters, including 18,000 workers at Orlando International Airport.

Sharing infrastructure with Brightline makes sense, lowers costs for all parties.

Study has begun, joint meetings underway (Brightline, CFCRC and FDOT).

Desire a conditional approval of the infrastructure required by May 1, enabling financial structuring and grant application.



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GOAA Intermodal Terminal Facility

Improving Mobility



The ITF is part of OIA's \$3.5B Capital Improvement Program.

Houses Brightline's Orlando station

- 1.3M square feet of terminal space designed for 4 transportation connections (including 3 regional rail systems)
- South Automated People Mover
- Brightline inter-city rail
- SunRail commuter rail
- Possible third system (light rail/maglev/BRT)

ITF completed in 2017 for an approximate cost of \$483.5M

\$213.5M provided by FDOT

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Brightline Sustainability

Greener, safer and faster transportation mode
Most environmentally friendly diesel equipment in service
2018 Bonds will represent the Company's first offering of Green Bonds
Estimated 75% reduction of CO2 emissions per passenger kilometer compared to travel by car
Integrated "first mile, last mile" solutions—ride share, bike share, scooters

Orlando Extension | Tampa Extension

72,000 metric tons CO2 removed from air | 38,000 metric tons CO2 removed from air

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