

By Senator Sachs

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A bill to be entitled

An act relating to bicycle ways; amending s. 335.065, F.S.; requiring the installation of solar-powered, in-road lights in certain bicycle ways that are established in, or within a specified radius of, an urban area; providing an effective date.

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

Section 1. Paragraph (a) of subsection (1) of section 335.065, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

335.065 Bicycle and pedestrian ways along state roads and transportation facilities.—

(1)(a) Bicycle and pedestrian ways shall be given full consideration in the planning and development of transportation facilities, including the incorporation of such ways into state, regional, and local transportation plans and programs. Bicycle and pedestrian ways shall be established in conjunction with the construction, reconstruction, or other change of any state transportation facility, and special emphasis shall be given to projects in, or within a 1-mile radius ~~1-mile~~ of, an urban area. Solar-powered, in-road lights must be installed in all bicycle ways that are established on or after July 1, 2016, in, or within a 1-mile radius of, an urban area in conjunction with the construction, reconstruction, or other change of any state transportation facility.

Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2016.