A Community Transportation Survey

The River to Sea Transportation Planning Organization (TPO) wants your continued input as we plan transportation improvements for Volusia County and parts of Flagler County. Please complete our survey online at www.TelltheTPO.com or mail back this copy. All responses with contact information received by 5/31/2016 will be eligible to enter a drawing for a free iPad Mini!

1. Home Zip

If applicable: Work/School Zip

2. What is your overall level of satisfaction with the current transportation facilities in Volusia/Flagler Counties? (Rank: 1 = completely dissatisfied; 2 = somewhat dissatisfied; 3 = neutral; 4 = somewhat satisfied; 5 = completely satisfied):

a. Sidewalks and crosswalks (availability, maintenance conditions, etc.)
   - 1
   - 2
   - 3
   - 4
   - 5

b. Trail system (availability, trail conditions, logical connections, etc.)
   - 1
   - 2
   - 3
   - 4
   - 5

c. Bicycle lanes (accessibility, bicycle lane markings, pavement conditions, etc.)
   - 1
   - 2
   - 3
   - 4
   - 5

d. Public transit service (accessibility, routes connecting destinations, etc.)
   - 1
   - 2
   - 3
   - 4
   - 5

e. Public transit shelters/benches (availability, conditions)
   - 1
   - 2
   - 3
   - 4
   - 5

f. Local neighborhood streets (traffic, maintenance conditions, etc.)
   - 1
   - 2
   - 3
   - 4
   - 5

g. Major streets (traffic, maintenance conditions, etc.)
   - 1
   - 2
   - 3
   - 4
   - 5

h. Interstate highways (traffic, maintenance conditions, etc.)
   - 1
   - 2
   - 3
   - 4
   - 5

3. In order to improve driving in our area, do you think we should invest more, the same or less in the following? (Select one for each):

a. Improving roadway operations (better traffic signal timings, adding or extending turn lanes, etc.)
   - More
   - The same
   - Less

b. Implementing technology to improve safety and efficiency of traffic operations (e.g. variable message signs on highways, coordinated traffic signals, real-time mobile traffic information, etc.)
   - More
   - The same
   - Less

c. Building new roadways
   - More
   - The same
   - Less

d. Adding lanes to existing roadways
   - More
   - The same
   - Less

e. Encouraging carpooling
   - More
   - The same
   - Less

f. Improving walking conditions
   - More
   - The same
   - Less

g. Improving bicycling conditions
   - More
   - The same
   - Less

h. Improving transit
   - More
   - The same
   - Less

4. What forms of transportation do you use regularly (4 or more times per week)? (Check all that apply):

- Walk
- Bicycle
- Drive alone
- Carpool
- Bus
- SunRail

5. If you do not walk or bicycle now, what prevents you from doing so? (Check all that apply):

- Lack of pedestrian or bicycle facilities (sidewalks, marked crosswalks, paths, bike lanes, etc.)
- Safety concerns (too much traffic, roads too busy, vehicles too fast, sidewalks too close to roadway, etc.)
- Distance too far or takes too long to walk or bicycle
- No matter how many sidewalks or bicycle lanes are improved, I do not care to walk or bicycle

6. If you do not regularly use public transit buses, what improvements might make them a more attractive option for you? (Check all that apply):

- More convenient bus stops or route locations
- Faster or more direct bus service
- More frequent and/or expanded hours for bus service
- Cleaner buses
- Lower fares
- I will not ride the bus even with public transportation improvements

7. If you do not regularly use SunRail, what improvements might make it a more attractive option for you? (Check all that apply):

- More frequent and/or expanded hours for SunRail service
- Expand SunRail service to DeLand station
- Expand SunRail service beyond DeLand station
- Lower fares
- I will not ride SunRail even with public transportation improvements
- More parking at stations
- More effective feeder bus service

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8. Local funding is required to pay for additional public transit (SunRail and buses). What funding sources would you support to expand transit service? (Check one):
- Increased Ad valorem taxes (property taxes)
- A transit impact fee for new development
- An overlay tax district for urban areas to support mass transit
- A general sales tax of one cent per dollar
- A general sales tax of ½ cent per dollar
- Yes, I support additional funding source for transit, but would need more information to suggest a preferred method of funding
- No, I do not support consideration of a dedicated funding source for transit

9. As we prioritize spending on transportation projects, do you think we should invest more, the same, or less than we are spending now on the following? (Select one for each):
- Sidewalks and crosswalks: More, The same, Less
- Trails: More, The same, Less
- Bicycle facilities: More, The same, Less
- Bus service: More, The same, Less
- SunRail: More, The same, Less
- Improving conditions on existing roadways: More, The same, Less
- New roadways: More, The same, Less

10. New transportation technology is most important for which of the following: (Rank from 1 to 5 - where 1 is most important and 5 is least important):
- Improving the flow of vehicle traffic: 1 2 3 4 5
- Helping transit vehicles arrive on time or have shorter travel times: 1 2 3 4 5
- Reducing freight shipping travel times: 1 2 3 4 5
- Providing real-time information to drivers / transit riders / pedestrians (e.g. via mobile devices, variable message signs on roadways, etc.): 1 2 3 4 5
- Decreasing roadway crashes: 1 2 3 4 5

11. Optional Questions (This information helps us know if we’ve reached all types of travelers within our area):
- Age: <16, 16 to 25, 26 to 40, 41 to 65, >65
- Gender: Male, Female
- Race/Ethnicity: White, Hispanic/Latino, Black/African American, Asian, Other
- Annual income: <$25,000, $25,000 to $45,000, $45,001 to $100,000, $100,001 to $150,000, >$150,000

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Please let us know if you would like additional information on:
- River to Sea Transportation Planning Organization (meetings, issues, and events) Yes No
- ReThink (ridesharing, carpooling, park-and-ride services, etc.) Yes No
- Votran (bus schedules, updates, route changes, etc.) Yes No
- SunRail (news updates, schedule, etc.) Yes No

As we plan transportation improvements in Volusia and Flagler Counties, do you have any additional concerns, suggestions, problems, and/or recommendations for us?
2018 Tell the TPO Survey

DRAFT REVISIONS TO 2016 SURVEY

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1a. Home Zip _______ If applicable: Work/School Zip (if applicable) _______

1b. Have you taken a River to Sea TPO “Tell the TPO” survey in the past? (Check one)
   ___ 2014 ___ 2016 ___Yes ___ No

24. What forms of transportation do you use regularly (34 or more times per week)? Select all that apply.
   • Walk
   • Bicycle
   • Drive Alone
   • Carpool
   • Bus
   • SunRail

35. If you do not walk or bicycle now, what prevents you from doing so? Select all that apply.
   • Lack of pedestrian or bicycle facilities (sidewalks, marked crosswalks, paths, bike lanes, etc.)
   • Safety concerns (too much traffic, roads too busy, vehicles too fast, sidewalks too close to roadway, etc.)
   • Distance too far or takes too long to walk or bicycle
   • No matter how many sidewalks or bicycle lanes are improved, I do not care to walk or bicycle
   • I am not comfortable with my bicycle riding/walking ability
   • I will not walk or ride a bicycle, even if pedestrian and bicycle facilities are improved. No matter how many sidewalks or bicycle lanes are improved, I do not care to walk or bicycle

46. If you do not regularly use public transit buses, what improvements might make them a more attractive option for you? Select all that apply.
   • More convenient bus stops or route locations
   • Faster or more direct bus service
   • More frequent and/or expanded hours for bus service
   • Cleaner buses
   • Lower fares
   • I do not know enough about public bus service to make that choice
   • I will not ride the bus, even with public transportation improvements
57. If you do not regularly use SunRail, what improvements might make it a more attractive option for you? Select all that apply.

- More frequent and/or expanded hours for SunRail service
- Expand SunRail service to DeLand station
- Expand SunRail service beyond DeLand station
- Lower fares
- More parking at stations
- More effective feeder bus service
- I will not ride SunRail, even with public transportation improvements

62. What is your overall level of satisfaction with the current transportation facilities in Volusia/Flagler Counties? (Select one answer for each category. If you select 'dissatisfied' for any category, please provide specifics in the text block available at the end of this survey.)

- Rank 1-5: Completely dissatisfied  *  Somewhat dissatisfied  *  Neutral  *  Somewhat satisfied  *  Completely Satisfied
- Sidewalks and crosswalks (availability, maintenance conditions, etc.)
- Trail system (availability, trail conditions, logical connections, etc.)
- Bicycle lanes (accessibility, bicycle lane markings, pavement conditions, etc.)
- Public transit service (accessibility, routes connecting destinations, etc.)
- Public transit shelters/benches (availability, conditions)
- Local neighborhood streets (traffic, maintenance conditions, etc.)
- Major streets (traffic, maintenance conditions, etc.)
- Interstate highways (traffic, maintenance conditions, etc.)

7.9. As we prioritize spending on transportation projects, do you think we should invest more, the same, or less than we are spending now on the following?

- Much more – More – The Same – Less – Much less
- The Same – More
- Improving roadway operations (better traffic signal timings, adding or extending turn lanes, etc.)
- Implementing technology to improve safety and efficiency of traffic operations (e.g. variable message signs on highways, coordinated traffic signals, real-time mobile traffic information, etc.)
- Building new roadways
- Adding lanes to existing roadways
- Traffic calming measures (e.g. roundabouts, speed tables, etc.)
- Improving/adding bus service
- Improving/adding SunRail service
- Encouraging carpooling (e.g. communication and/or incentives)
- Adding/Improving multi-use trails
- Improving walking conditions (e.g. sidewalks and crosswalks)
- Improving bicycling conditions (bike lanes, wayfinding, paved shoulders, etc.)
- Sidewalks and crosswalks
- Trails
- Bicycle facilities.
810. New transportation technology is most important for which of the following (Rank - Score each option from 1 to 5, with 1 being the most important and 5 being the least important. Scores Rankings may be used multiple times.) (Rank from 1 to 5 where 1 is most important and 5 is least important)

- Improving the flow of vehicle traffic
- Helping transit vehicles arrive on time or have shorter travel times
- Reducing freight shipping travel times
- Providing real-time information to drivers / transit riders / pedestrians (e.g. via mobile devices, variable message signs on roadways, etc.)
- Decreasing roadway crashes

3. In order to improve driving in our area, do you think we should invest more, the same, or less in the following? (Select one for each)

- Less * The Same * More

- Improving roadway operations (better traffic signal timings, adding or extending turn lanes, etc.)
- Implementing technology to improve safety and efficiency of traffic operations (e.g., variable message signs on highways, coordinated traffic signals, real-time mobile traffic information, etc.)
- Building new roadways
- Adding lanes to existing roadways
- Encouraging carpooling
- Improving walking conditions
- Improving bicycling conditions
- Improving transit

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- A general sales tax of ½-cent per dollar
- Yes, I support additional funding sources for transit, but would need more information to suggest a preferred method of funding
- No, I do not support consideration of a dedicated funding source for transit
44. Optional Questions Please describe yourself (This is optional, but important information that helps us know if we've reached all types of travelers within our area): (This information helps us know if we've reached all types of travelers within our area):

   a. Age  __<16   __16 to 25   __26 to 40   __41 to 65   __>65
   b. Gender ___Female ___Male
   c. Work Status: ___Employer ___Employee ___Student ___Retiree ___Other ______
   d. Race/Ethnicity ___White ___Hispanic/Latino ___Black/African American ___Asian ___Other
   e. Annual income _<$25,000    $25,000 to $45,000    $45,001 to $100,000     $100,001 to $150,000 >$150,000

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   Name_________________ Email________________ Phone number________________

Please let us know if you would like additional information on: (Select all that apply*)

   ___ River to Sea Transportation Planning Organization (meetings, issues and events)
   ___ reThink Your Commute (ridesharing, carpooling, park-and-ride services, etc.)
   ___ Votran (bus schedules, updates, route changes, etc.)
   ___ Flagler County Public Transportation (news, updates, etc.)
   ___ SunRail (news, updates, schedule, etc.)
   ___ No thank you

* If you check any box other than the last one, your email address will be shared with the agency you indicated.

As we plan transportation improvements in Volusia and Flagler Counties, do you have any additional concerns, suggestions, problems, and/or recommendations for us? __________________________

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2018 CANDIDATE QUESTIONS – NEW QUESTIONS

CANDIDATE QUESTION A
How impactful is sea-level rise on our community’s current transportation system (e.g. loss of roadway use due to flooding/erosion, interruptions to evacuation routes, degrading of transportation infrastructure, loss of access to/use of facilities, storm and drain flooding)?

Very impactful – Somewhat Impactful – No Opinion – Minimally Impactful – Not at all impactful

CANDIDATE QUESTION B
Please indicate below whether you agree or disagree with the following statement:

When considering transportation improvements in our local community, those that directly benefit tourism should be a priority (e.g. beautification in key tourism areas, increasing visitor safety, easing event-related congestion, better wayfinding/signage).

Strongly Agree – Agree – No Opinion – Disagree – Strongly Disagree

CANDIDATE QUESTION C1
Please select what you feel are the three best features of our current transportation system:

- Traffic flow
- Roadway conditions
- Traffic signal timing
- Bicycle lanes/facilities
- Sidewalks/crosswalks
- Bus service
- SunRail service
- Roadway lighting/landscaping
- Other ______________________

CANDIDATE QUESTION C2
Please select one frustration you have with our current transportation system:

- Traffic flow
- Roadway conditions
- Traffic signal timing
- Bicycle lanes/facilities
- Sidewalks/crosswalks
- Bus service
- SunRail service
- Roadway lighting/landscaping
- Other ______________________
CANDIDATE QUESTION D
If you had $100 to fund transportation, how would you spend it? (You may choose more than one and allocate portions of the $100 in the column to the right of the checkbox.)

- Improved transit service (bus and SunRail)
- Widen existing roadways
- Construct new bike lanes and trails/greenways
- Pedestrian/bicycle connectivity
- Improve roadway safety
- Maintain existing facilities
- Street appearance (lighting and landscaping)
- Build new streets and roadways

CANDIDATE QUESTION E
Does the local community provide adequate transportation options for:

- Seniors
- Low-income travelers
- Tourism workers
- Students
- Commuters
- Disabled travelers