

MEETING AGENDA

Please be advised that the **<u>RIVER TO SEA TRANSPORTATION PLANNING ORGANIZATION (TPO) BOARD</u>** will be meeting on:

- DATE: WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26, 2023
- TIME: 9:00 A.M.

PLACE: AIRLINE ROOM

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River to Sea TPO Board Meeting

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DeLand Mayor Chris Cloudman, Chairperson Presiding

- I. CALL TO ORDER / ROLL CALL / DETERMINATION OF A QUORUM
- II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- **III. PUBLIC COMMENT/PARTICIPATION** (Public comments may be limited to three (3) minutes at the discretion of the Chairperson)
- IV. CONSENT AGENDA
 - A. MARCH 22, 2023 RIVER TO SEA TPO BOARD MEETING MINUTES (Contact: Pamela Blankenship) (Enclosure, pages 4-11)
 - B. TREASURER'S REPORT (Contact: Mariel Lemke) (Enclosure, pages 4, 12)
 - **C. BPAC PROJECT REVIEW SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT** -- Report by Mr. Nic Mostert, BPAC Project Review Subcommittee Chairperson (Enclosure, pages 4, 13)
 - **D. EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT** -- Report by DeLand Mayor Chris Cloudman, TPO Board Chairperson (Enclosure, pages 4, 14)

Beverly Beach	DeBary	Flagler Beach	New Smyrna Beach	Palm Coast	South Daytona
Bunnell	DeLand	Flagler County	Oak Hill	Pierson	Volusia County
Daytona Beach	Deltona	Holly Hill	Orange City	Ponce Inlet	
Daytona Beach Shores	Edgewater	Lake Helen	1 Ormond Beach	Port Orange	

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IV. CONSENT AGENDA (continued)

- E. TRANSPORTATION DISADVANTAGED LOCAL COORDINATING BOARD REPORT -- Report by Volusia County Council Member Matt Reinhart, TDLCB Chairperson (Enclosure, pages 4, 15)
- F. BICYCLE/PEDESTRIAN ADVISORY COMMITTEE REPORT -- Report by Dr. Jason Aufdenberg, BPAC Chairperson (Enclosure, pages 4, 16)
- **G. CITIZENS ADVISORY COMMITTEE REPORT**-- Report by Mr. Dave Castagnacci, CAC Vice-Chairperson (Enclosure, pages 4, 17)
- H. TECHNICAL COORDINATING COMMITTEE REPORT -- Report by Mr. Brian Walker, TCC Chairperson (Enclosure, pages 4, 18)
- I. RIVER TO SEA TPO BOARD REPORT -- Report by DeLand Mayor Chris Cloudman, TPO Board Chairperson (Enclosure, pages 4, 19)
- J. CENTRAL FLORIDA MPO ALLIANCE REPORT (Contact: Colleen Nicoulin) (Enclosure, pages 4, 20)
- K. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR TIMESHEET REVIEW REPORT -- Report by DeLand Mayor Chris Cloudman, TPO Board Chairperson (Enclosure, pages 4, 21)
- L. REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF EXPENDITURE FOR VOLUSIA COUNTY'S MOBILITY-ON-DEMAND DESIGN AND DEPLOYMENT PROJECT (\$62,578.76) (Contact: Stephan Harris) (Enclosure, page 4)

V. ACTION ITEMS

- A. REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION 2023-06 AMENDING THE FY 2022/23 TO 2026/27 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (TIP) (ROLL CALL VOTE REQUIRED) (Contact: Colleen Nicoulin) (Enclosure, pages 22-27)
- B. REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF UPDATES TO THE RIVER TO SEA TPO CONTINUITY OF OPERATIONS PLAN (COOP) (Contact: Colleen Nicoulin) (Enclosure, page 28)

VI. PRESENTATIONS, STATUS REPORTS, AND DISCUSSION ITEMS

- A. PRESENTATION AND DISCUSSION OF THE SR A1A RESILIENCY PLAN (Contact: Stephan Harris) (Enclosure, pages 29-40)
- B. PRESENTATION AND DISCUSSION OF REDUCING BICYCLE FATALITIES THROUGH SOCIAL MARKETING (Contact: Pamela Blankenship) (Enclosure, pages 41-51)
- C. PRESENTATION AND DISCUSSION OF PERFORMANCE MEASURES UPDATES FOR PM2 (BRIDGE & PAVEMENT) AND PM3 (SYSTEM PERFORMANCE & FREIGHT MOVEMENT) (Contact: Colleen Nicoulin) (Enclosure, pages 52-59)
- **D. FDOT REPORT** (Contact: Rakinya Hinson, FDOT District 5) (Enclosure, pages 60-64)
- VII. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT
- VIII. RIVER TO SEA TPO BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS
- IX. RIVER TO SEA TPO CHAIRPERSON COMMENTS

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X. INFORMATION ITEMS (Enclosure, pages 65-76)

- → Bicycle/Pedestrian Advisory Committee Attendance Record 2023
- → Citizens Advisory Committee Attendance Record 2023
- → Technical Coordinating Committee Attendance Record- 2023
- \rightarrow River to Sea TPO Outreach and Activities
- \rightarrow Upcoming Events Flyer
- → SunTrail Legislation Press Release
- → Volusia and Flagler County Construction Reports

XI. ADJOURNMENT (Enclosure, page 65)

The next River to Sea TPO Board meeting will be on May 24, 2023

May 2023 Meeting Dates

Executive Committee, May 3, 2023 @ 9:00 a.m. Bicycle/Pedestrian Advisory Committee, May 10, 2023 @ 2:00 p.m. Citizens Advisory Committee, May 16, 2023 @ 1:15 p.m. Technical Coordinating Committee, May 16, 2023 @ 3:00 p.m. River to Sea TPO Board, May 24, 2023 @ 9:00 a.m.

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MEETING SUMMARY TPO BOARD APRIL 26, 2023

IV. CONSENT AGENDA

A. MARCH 22, 2023 RIVER TO SEA TPO BOARD MEETING MINUTES

B. TREASURER'S REPORT

Monthly treasurer reports are prepared for review and approval by the River to Sea TPO Board. The March Treasurer's Report is provided for your review.

C. BPAC PROJECT REVIEW SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT

- D. EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT
- E. TRANSPORTATION DISADVANTAGED LOCAL COORDINATING BOARD APPOINTMENTS
- F. BICYCLE/PEDESTRIAN ADVISORY COMMITTEE (BPAC) REPORT
- G. CITIZENS ADVISORY COMMITTEE (CAC) REPORT
- H. TECHNICAL COORDINATING COMMITTEE (TCC) REPORT
- I. RIVER TO SEA TPO BOARD SUMMARY REPORT
- J. CENTRAL FLORIDA MPO ALLIANCE REPORT
- K. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR TIMESHEET REVIEW REPORT

L. REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF EXPENDITURE FOR VOLUSIA COUNTY'S MOBILITY-ON-DEMAND DESIGN AND DEPLOYMENT PROJECT (\$62,578.76)

TPO staff is seeking authorization for the expenditure of \$62,578.76 for Volusia County's Mobility-on-Demand Design and Deployment Project for Votran (Task #4); specifically, technical requirements for procurement documents and technical support for Software-as-a-Service functionalities, which include ride-hailing, fare payment, trip assignment to vehicles, pick-up and drop-off sequencing optimization, rider real-time service information, and real-time service information for connecting services.

ACTION REQUESTED: MOTION TO APPROVE THE CONSENT AGENDA

MARCH 22, 2023 MEETING MINUTES OF THE RIVER TO SEA TRANSPORTATION PLANNING ORGANIZATION (TPO) BOARD 2570 W. International Speedway Boulevard, Suite 100 Daytona Beach, FL 32114-8145

TPO Board Members Physically Present:

Commissioner Stacy Cantu Vice Mayor Michael Politis* Mayor Karen Chasez Commissioner Chris Cloudman, Chairperson Commissioner Dana McCool **Councilwoman Charlotte Gillis Commissioner Andy Dance Commissioner Roy Johnson Commissioner Randy Hartman** Vice Mayor Bill O'Connor Mayor Bill Partington Vice Mayor Bill Lindlau* Vice Mayor Gary Smith** Vice Mayor Eric Sander **Council Chair Jeff Brower Council Member Matt Reinhart Council Vice Chair Danny Robins Council Member Jake Johansson** Rakinya Hinson (non-voting)

TPO Board Members Virtually Present:

Commissioner Tina-Marie Schultz* Ted Wendler (non-voting)

TPO Board Members Absent:

Commissioner Jeffrey Schuitema* Commissioner James Sherman* Commissioner Rick Basso* Mayor David Alfin (excused) Mayor Samuel Bennett* Vice Mayor Reed Foley (excused) Council Member David Santiago Kerry Karl (non-voting) Brian Walker (non-voting)

* Non-voting member in the Small City Alliance ** Voting member for the Small City Alliance

Others Physically Present:

Debbie Stewart, Recording Secretary Pam Blankenship Colleen Nicoulin Stephan Harris Gwen Herstein Alice Giuliani Jason Learned Donna Graybill Jim Cameron Clif Tate Travis Hills

Representing:

Daytona Beach **Daytona Beach Shores** DeBary DeLand Deltona Edgewater **Flagler County Alternate** Holly Hill New Smyrna Beach **Orange City Ormond Beach** Oak Hill Ponce Inlet South Daytona Volusia County Volusia County, District 2 Volusia County, District 3 Volusia County, At-Large FDOT

Representing:

Bunnell BPAC Vice Chairperson

Representing:

Beverly Beach Flagler Beach Lake Helen Palm Coast Pierson Port Orange Volusia County, District 5 CAC Chairperson TCC Chairperson

Representing:

TPO Staff TPO Staff TPO Staff Daytona Beach Shores FDOT FDOT Ghyabi Consulting Jim Cameron Consulting Kimley-Horn Kittelson & Associates

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Others Physically Present:

Adam Burghdoff Kelvin Miller Ralf Heseler Bobbie King Jay Williams Tim Baylie Nancy Church David German

Others Virtually Present:

Crystal Mercedes Victor Ramos Mariel Lemke

Representing:

Kittelson & Associates Volusia County - Votran Volusia County - Votran Volusia County - Votran Volusia County Volusia County Volusia County Volusia County Schools

Representing:

Cambridge Systematics Citizen TPO Staff

I. Call to Order / Roll Call / Determination of Quorum

The meeting of the River to Sea Transportation Planning Organization (TPO) Board was called to order at 9:00 a.m. by TPO Chairperson Chris Cloudman. The roll was called, and it was determined a quorum was physically present. The meeting was held in a hybrid format with 16 voting and three non-voting members physically present; and with one non-voting member attending remotely.

Ms. Stewart announced Vice Mayor Smith, Ponce Inlet, as the Small City Alliance's voting member.

MOTION: A motion was made by Mayor Partington to allow TPO Board members attending remotely to participate and vote. The motion was seconded by Vice Mayor O'Connor and carried unanimously.

II. <u>Pledge of Allegiance</u>

The Pledge of Allegiance was given.

III. <u>Public Comment/Participation</u>

There were no public comments.

IV. Consent Agenda

- A. February 21, 2023 River to Sea TPO Board Meeting Minutes
- B. Treasurer's Report
- C. Executive Committee Report
- D. Transportation Disadvantaged Local Coordinating Board (TDLCB) Appointments
- E. Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee (BPAC) Report
- F. Citizens Advisory Committee (CAC) Report
- G. Technical Coordinating Committee (TCC) Report
- H. River to Sea TPO Board (R2CTPO) Report
- I. Executive Director Timesheet Review Report

MOTION: A motion was made by Mayor Chasez to approve the Consent Agenda. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Cantu and carried unanimously.

V. <u>Presentations and Discussion Items</u>

A. Presentation and Discussion of the Functional Classification Update and Review Process

Ms. Alice Giuliani, FDOT, gave a PowerPoint presentation on the update and process of the Functional Classification review. An overview was previously provided in August of 2022. Since then, FDOT has conducted

a comprehensive review and update to address changes in the roadway system as well as reevaluating the roadway function districtwide; the result is the proposed Functional Classification data layer. They have completed the draft Functional Classification online application and finalized it this month. FDOT will complete the local agency review process by April 28, 2023, and will present the draft Volusia and Flagler Counties Functional Classification Maps to the advisory committees and TPO Board in May followed by a request for adoption in June.

Mr. Jason Learned, FDOT, continued the presentation; the FDOT Decennial Function Classification Review website was created to explain what the Functional Classification Review is, why they are doing it, and the timeline. He reviewed the guidelines for input and comments; maps are individual by county and QR codes were created for the map links. He gave a demonstration of how to provide input and submit comments. He referred to the guidelines provided; FDOT is looking to see if the new roads in Volusia and Flagler Counties and the existing roads' functional classifications are still appropriate or if the changes made are accurate. He explained that this is a data-driven process and FDOT reviews traffic counts, speed limits, etc., to determine how a roadway is functioning as well as destinations they connect to. FDOT is looking for local agencies to provide them with comments on how a roadway is functioning.

Ms. Nicoulin added that urban boundaries and functional classifications are updated every ten years following the US Census. She asked Ms. Giuliani to provide some additional background information on the process and why it is done.

Ms. Giuliani explained that the Functional Classifications for all roadways in each FDOT district are reevaluated following the US Census every ten years; the public is allowed the opportunity to review the changes and provide comments. Urban boundaries are adjusted by the Census Bureau and can be refined, if desired, by the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) and FDOT. The method is to assign public roadways into classifications according to the character of service they provide in relation to the total roadway network. She explained the purpose of Functional Classification may be considered in prioritization processes, and roadway design along with context classification, as it defines data collected for performance management and determines funding eligibility from sources such as FEMA emergency response funding. She explained what an urban boundary is and that the urban boundary update process will begin in late summer. She also explained how the federal-aid highway system funding flows; local roads do not receive federal-aid funding.

Chairperson Cloudman stated that this information is helpful and shows why it is important; new neighborhoods, new roads, and capacity on existing roads have been added prior to the Census so reevaluating the classification makes sense so that local agencies know to apply for the right funding source.

Ms. Nicoulin further explained that two updates are currently ongoing: one to the Functional Classification and the other to the urban boundaries. They are separate but conducted at the same time. The web app Mr. Learned explained earlier was created for comments to be provided that are associated with the update to the Functional Classification which looks at the classification of roadways based on if they are arterials, major collectors, minor collectors, or local roads. This determines which roadways are eligible for federal funding. There are new roads in our planning area that have been constructed since the last Census was undertaken and they do not have a Functional Classification assigned to them. This presentation was provided to the TCC yesterday and FDOT is asking them to provide comments specific to the road network within their jurisdiction to ensure the preliminary Functional Classification assigned by FDOT is appropriate. The update to the urban boundary will begin this summer after the Functional Classification is adopted by the TPO Board; it is based on the last US Census so there will be updates to the urban area boundary. The TPO will look at an expansion of the planning area in Flagler County; currently, the TPO's planning area covers all of Volusia County but only the urbanized area of Flagler County. The TPO has asked the local municipalities to provide comments regarding the update to the Functional Classification by April 28, 2023, so FDOT has time to prepare the draft map to present to the advisory committees and TPO Board in May followed by adoption in June. FDOT is available to meet with the local agencies if needed.

Ms. Giuliani noted that another portion of the app shown earlier will be available next week that will show the proposed update to the urban boundaries.

Mr. Learned stated a question was received from the TCC that they would like to see the actual changes to the Functional Classification in their cities with data to help them determine their comments; it will be map-based and include data tables. Each city will be able to see its city limits, its roads, and changes in mileage. There are 91 cities within FDOT District 5; thirty-nine of those have no changes. Once feedback from the local cities is received, FDOT will refine the dashboard in the app.

Commissioner McCool commented that Deltona is the largest city within Volusia County and has several major roadway projects; she would like a one-on-one with either FDOT or TPO staff to understand the Functional Classification and how to raise awareness in the communities on how they benefit from this. She wants to know how to motivate her residents to participate in this; she asked how the board members can go back to their cities and raise awareness. The TPO Board members work collectively but they need to know how to stress the importance of this in their communities and how to stretch the funding available.

Ms. Nicoulin explained the review of the Functional Classification is a technical review that falls to the cities' technical staff; the review looks at the data of the roadway; traffic counts, speed limits, etc., in order to assign the Functional Classification. More detail on the app was provided yesterday to the TCC as they are the ones reviewing the Functional Classification in their cities.

B. Presentation and Discussion of Volusia County Trails Master Plan

(Handout)

Mr. Tim Baylie, Director of Volusia County Parks, Recreation, and Culture Division, gave a PowerPoint presentation on the Volusia County Trails Master Plan. The county is seeking public input on the draft Trails Master Plan. He provided background information on the trail master plan's development including the history of trails in Volusia County and reviewed the existing and proposed trails within Volusia County including the St. Johns River to Sea Loop Trail and Coast-to-Coast Trail as well as the amenities that will be added. SUN Trail funding is the primary funding source for all trail development within Volusia County. He reviewed the planned expenses for the Environment, Culture, History, and Outdoor Recreation (ECHO) funds in the near term and the design guidelines used for trail segments. Each segment meets FDOT design and safety standards. He explained that municipalities that receive SUN Trail funding must commit to maintaining the trail once developed. He reviewed the marketing and branding of the trails and the information that is available on the trail signage as well as the Volusia County Parks and Trails mobile app, how it works, and what information is available on it. He noted that the Trails Welcome Center is located at DeBary Hall which is where several trails intersect and an interactive panel map is located which includes trip navigation, lodging and restaurant information, and trail maps; the map is also available on the county's website. He referred to the handout provided which has the QR codes for the draft Trails Master Plan, a trails survey, and the Trails Master Plan Interactive Map. He encouraged members to complete the trails survey. All the information received will be compiled and presented to the Volusia County Council for adoption.

Chairperson Cloudman commented he reviewed the draft master plan online and noted that it is very detailed; he encouraged board members to review it.

Mayor Chasez noted that the city of DeBary is very involved because the major trails connect in DeBary; they are building municipal trails in addition to the county trails. There is a bike repair station at the Welcome Center and another repair station along Highbanks Road that is part of the trail. They are good additions to have these repair stations since it is an extensive trail system.

Vice Mayor O'Connor referred to electric/pedal assist bicycles and that some parts of the trails have notices stating "no motors" allowed; he asked how that is being addressed.

Mr. Baylie replied there is a section in the draft trails master plan dedicated to electric bicycles; there are three classifications of electric bicycles that he reviewed. It is very difficult to police electric bicycles and to determine the classification; the Class 2 and 3 electric bicycles go very fast. He noted that safety is a big issue on the trails. There are also motorized skateboards that can go faster than 20 miles per hour as well as segways; there is a state law that allows segways on bike trails.

Members continued to discuss the presentation and the classification of electric bicycles; they are also an Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) issue as they allow the disabled access to the trails. It was noted that trails can increase residential property values if the homes are within 1,000 feet of a trail; trails also bring in revenue to restaurants and other businesses.

C. Presentation and Discussion of TPO 101: Plans, Programs, and Member Responsibilities

Ms. Nicoulin gave a PowerPoint presentation on what the TPO does, and its plans and documents; the TPO is required to exist by federal and state law for any area over 50,000 in population and to identify and prioritize projects for how federal and state dollars are spent locally. Any urbanized area over 200,000 in population is considered a Transportation Management Area (TMA), which the River to Sea TPO is. The TMA designation comes with more responsibility and funding opportunities; it also requires more oversight and federal certification. She explained what each advisory committee does and the responsibilities of the committee members. The TPO provides a forum to discuss transportation local priorities, transportation funding, transportation improvements, and the use of federal and state funds. She reviewed the core documents that the TPO is required to produce and explained each of them; why they are required, the funding associated with them, how they are developed, and how each tie into FDOT's Work Program. She explained the TPO's List of Priority Projects (LOPP) and the Unified Planning Work Program (UPWP) which is the TPO's two-year work plan for deliverables and the budget associated with each task. The TPO has a strong online web presence which Ms. Pamela Blankenship manages. She reviewed upcoming activities which included updating required documents; federal certification; the implementation of the Safe Streets and Roads for All (SS4A) grant, developing the TPO's Strategic Action Plan; rebranding the TPO; and relocating the TPO offices to a permanent location. She encouraged members to share the TPO's information with their community and to support staff at events the TPO participates in.

Chairperson Cloudman stated the MPO Advisory Council (MPOAC) is the statewide organization that offers a training session each year; it is a multi-day training that goes into depth; each TPO can send two members to the MPOAC Institute.

Vice Mayor Politis commented that as a new TPO Board member, this presentation was very helpful. He asked whom to contact regarding the inconsistent crosswalks in his jurisdiction.

Ms. Nicoulin replied there are a number of ways to report the crosswalks; the FDOT Liaison to the TPO if it is on a state road; sometimes the TPO is not the correct contact, but we can provide a bridge to the right one.

Commissioner Dance thanked the TPO for its participation in the Flagler Community Traffic Safety Team; Volusia County also has one and it is a way to connect with different entities that can help.

Ms. Nicoulin noted there are three Community Traffic Safety Teams; one in Flagler County and two in Volusia County; an east and west team. The TPO participates on all three teams.

D. Presentation and Update on 2023 Annual Call for Projects

Chairperson Cloudman stated that each year, the TPO accepts applications for traffic operations and bicycle/pedestrian projects, as well as for planning studies. This year's Call for Projects ended on February 28, 2023.

Ms. Nicoulin explained that each year, the TPO asks local governments to submit project applications which then compete for funding; bicycle/pedestrian projects, traffic operations projects, and transportation planning studies. She reviewed the project applications received through this round of Call for Projects which closed on February 28, 2023; and explained that applications for feasibility studies and project implementation are accepted within each category. She announced the BPAC Project Review Subcommittee will be meeting today at 1:00 pm to review and rank the bicycle/pedestrian project applications; the TIP Subcommittee meeting has not yet been scheduled. The ranked and scored new projects will be merged into the current LOPP based on their ranking and be presented for review in May followed by adoption in June.

E. FDOT Report

Ms. Rakinya Hinson, FDOT, stated the FDOT report provided in the agenda is current as of February 28, 2023; she referred members to <u>www.cflroads.com</u> for the most up-to-date project information. This website can be shared with the members' constituents as well. If anyone has specific questions regarding a project, she can gather the information and provide it to the TPO to distribute.

VI. <u>Executive Director's Report</u>

Ms. Nicoulin noted that the TPO recently relocated temporarily to the Florida Tennis Center on LPGA Boulevard; there is not a large conference room which is why the TPO committee and board meetings are being held in the Airline Room at the Daytona Beach International Airport until further notice. She referred to the letter to the previous landlord; it acknowledges that the TPO moved out of the prior location before February 28, 2023, but that the move did not come without damage to the TPO. The letter identifies the monetary damages the TPO incurred due to the move and that the TPO will have to move again to a permanent location which will incur additional costs. An original cost estimate was submitted prior to the move to the landlord but once the move was completed, the true cost was submitted. It is her understanding that the landlord submitted the TPO's request as part of their insurance claim; she received a phone call yesterday that they are in negotiations with the insurance company; however, she does not have any specific details yet, but the hope is to be reimbursed for some of the relocation costs. This temporary move allows time to look at where the TPO wants to be located; it is important that the location is central to everyone. The TPO is currently looking at its options and hopes to have something to present in the next couple of months.

Ms. Nicoulin announced the TPO's Recording Secretary, Ms. Debbie Stewart, is leaving the TPO; she has worked for the TPO for more than six years and will be missed. She is leaving to advance her career with another agency. Her last day will be April 5, 2023.

Vice Mayor Smith stated that Ponce Inlet is happy to have her.

Mayor Chasez commented that Ms. Nicoulin and the Executive Committee did a wonderful job with the temporary move; it is encouraging that the insurance company may come back with something. She does not think the TPO should accept the first offer; it is worth the struggle to come out better.

VII. River to Sea TPO Board Member Comments

Commissioner Johnson stated that although FDOT is on top of it, truck parking on the interstate highway system is getting to be very critical and unsafe. There are "no parking" signs, but the trucks are parking there anyway. The Lytx Corporation has put together a plan where they note the areas trucks are parking, and are notifying the trucking companies if those areas are unsafe to park so they can contact the driver to move. There are over 3.5 million trucks on the state highway system and only just under 300 truck parking spaces. He wants members to be aware of this issue and that something must be done; it is very unsafe, especially at night.

Chairperson Cloudman commented that it has been a while since an update has been given on FDOT's truck parking study.

Ms. Hinson replied that the truck parking study is ongoing; she is not sure where they are with the study at this time but will follow up and provide the information back to the TPO to distribute.

Council Member Reinhart thanked the TPO for the TPO 101 presentation; as a new board member, he was unaware of the process. He has concerns within Volusia County District 2 regarding a state road, Beville Road; it is a major access road with the construction of the Amazon distribution center and future construction plans for that area; it is residential on the other side of Beville where lighting and speeding are issues. One of FDOT's major focuses is on safety; Beville Road is a dangerous road and something needs to be done. He does not know if another traffic signal is needed but drivers are using Yorktowne Road to avoid the intersection at Clyde Morris Boulevard and Beville Road; it will be even busier when the new Publix opens.

VIII. River to Sea TPO Chairperson Comments

Chairperson Cloudman thanked Ms. Stewart for her work at the TPO and wished her well in her new endeavor.

IX. Information Items

Chairperson Cloudman referred to the attendance records for the advisory committees and suggested members review them to see if their representatives are attending; and if there are vacancies in their jurisdictions, to appoint someone.

- → Letter to Root Riverfront Partners re: Office Lease Termination
- → Citizens Advisory Committee Attendance Record 2023
- → Technical Coordinating Committee Attendance Report 2023
- → Bicycle/Pedestrian Advisory Committee Attendance Record 2023
- $\rightarrow~$ River to Sea TPO Outreach and Activities
- \rightarrow Upcoming River to Sea TPO Events
- → Volusia and Flagler County Construction Reports

X. <u>Adjournment</u>

There being no further business, the River to Sea TPO Board meeting adjourned at 10:42 a.m.

RIVER TO SEA TRANSPORTATION PLANNING ORGANIZATION

CITY OF DELAND MAYOR CHRIS CLOUDMAN CHAIRPERSON, RIVER TO SEA TPO

CERTIFICATE:

The undersigned, duly qualified and acting Recording Secretary of the River to Sea TPO Board certifies that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the minutes of the <u>March 22, 2023</u> regular meeting of the River to Sea Transportation Planning Organization (TPO) Board, approved and duly signed this 26^{th} day of <u>April 2023</u>.

PAMELA BLANKENSHIP, RECORDING SECRETARY RIVER TO SEA TRANSPORTATION PLANNING ORGANIZATION

** A recording of the March 22, 2023 TPO Board meeting is available upon request.

RIVER TO SEA TRANSPORTATION PLANNING ORGANIZATION MONTHLY TREASURER REPORT FY 22/23 PERIOD ENDING March 2023

DESCRIPTION	22	2/23 BUDGET	CURRENT MONTH	FYTD TOTAL	UNDER (OVER) BUDGET	FYTD % BUDGET
REVENUES						
LOCAL FUNDS	\$	91.470.00	\$363.56	\$73.044.45	\$18,425,55	79.86%
STATE FUNDS	\$	32.979.00	0.00	18,561,40	14,417.60	56.28%
FEDERAL FUNDS	\$	2,086,542.00	231,957.87	340,467.44	1,746,074.56	16.32%
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<u>REVENUES</u>	\$	2,210,991.00	\$232,321.43	\$432,073.29	\$1,778,917.71	19.54%
EXPENSES						
SALARIES	\$	609.677.00	\$44,236,18	\$277,572.78	\$332,104.22	45.53%
FRINGE BENEFITS	\$	239,273.00	19,941.74	114,695.76	124,577.24	47.94%
OPERATING SUPPLIES	\$	5,000.00	581.50	4,502.69	497.31	90.05%
POSTAGE	\$	3,000.00	8.13	1,750.15	1,249.85	58.34%
OFFICE EXPENSE (Rent, Utilities, & Janitorial, etc)	\$	130,400.00	18,726.08	89,846.91	40,553.09	68.90%
ADVERTISING	\$	4,000.00	0.00	1,273.52	2,726.48	31.84%
PRINTING	\$	4,000.00	0.00	259.04	3,740.96	6.48%
CONFERENCE, WORKSHOPS & SEMINAR FEES	\$	6,300.00	0.00	943.03	5,356.97	14.97%
PROFESSIONAL SERVICES FEES	\$	51,811.00	554.47	34,181.49	17,629.51	65.97%
DUES/MEMBERSHIPS	\$	7,044.00	170.00	2,569.00	4,475.00	36.47%
PUBLICATIONS	\$	1,050.00	0.00	938.78	111.22	89.41%
CAPITAL OUTLAY (AV System Upgrade)	\$	75,000.00	0.00	0.00	75,000.00	0.00%
COPY MACHINE COSTS	\$	18,000.00	563.69	4,918.24	13,081.76	27.32%
TRAVEL EXPENSE	\$	12,500.00	1,363.12	5,090.32	7,409.68	40.72%
OUTREACH AND EDUCATIONAL	\$	8,000.00	0.00	7,796.90	203.10	97.46%
CONSULTANT SERVICES/SPECIAL STUDIES	\$	841,297.00	2,653.00	141,683.70	699,613.30	16.84%
MEETING EXPENSE	\$	2,000.00	44.17	749.89	1,250.11	37.49%
LIABILITY, EQUIPMENT & AUTO INSURANCE	\$	16,937.00	4,010.75	12,032.25	4,904.75	71.04%
REPAIRS/IMPROVEMENTS	\$	2,000.00	0.00	0.00	2,000.00	0.00%
NETWORK/WEBPAGE COSTS	\$	102,340.00	7,216.17	32,177.04	70,162.96	31.44%
CAPITAL OUTLAY (Equipment/Furniture/Computers)	\$	10,000.00	1,182.58	9,015.99	984.01	90.16%
SOFTWARE	\$	6,962.00	987.30	6,491.16	470.84	93.24%
TELEPHONE	\$	2,400.00	198.00	1,782.00	618.00	74.25%
EDUCATION/PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT	\$	2,000.00	0.00	0.00	2,000.00	0.00%
CONTINGENCY	\$	50,000.00	0.00	2,171.42	47,828.58	4.34%
EXPENSES	\$	2,210,991.00	\$102,436.88	\$752,442.06	\$1,458,548.94	34.03%
BALANCE	\$	-	\$129,884.55	(\$320,368.77)	\$320,368.77	

75% OF YEAR COMPLETE



BPAC Project Review Subcommittee Meeting Summary March 22, 2023

- Selected Nic Mostert as Chairperson and Ted Wendler as Vice Chairperson
- Approved a motion accepting all of the project applications
- Evaluated and ranked 4 bicycle/pedestrian applications for project implementation

******No additional subcommittee meetings are scheduled******

Beverly Beach DeBary Flagler Beach New Smyrna Beach Palm Coast South Daytona Bunnell Oak Hill DeLand Flagler County Pierson Volusia County Daytona Beach Deltona Holly Hill Orange City Ponce Inlet Daytona Beach Shores Edgewater Lake Helen Ormond Beach Port Orange 13



EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING SUMMARY APRIL 6, 2023

- Approved a motion allowing Vice Mayor Foley and Mayor Alfin to participate virtually
- Discussed the FDOT/River to Sea TPO Annual Joint Certification Review Process and the status of the TPO's Special Conditions
- Discussed the upcoming FDOT Office of Inspector General (OIG) audit of the River to Sea TPO
- Discussed the 2020 US Census Urban Area Boundaries and potential impacts to the River to Sea TPO
- Reviewed and recommended approval of expenditure for Volusia County's Mobility-on-Demand Design and Deployment Project (\$62,578.86)
- Reviewed and approved the March 1, 2023 Executive Committee minutes
- Reviewed and approved the draft April 26, 2023 TPO Board agenda
- Received Executive Director's comments regarding the Moving Florida Forward Initiative and agreed to bring it up as part of the Executive Director's Report at the April TPO Board meeting; announced the passing of long-time BPAC member Roy Walters

THE NEXT EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING WILL BE ON WEDNESDAY, MAY 3, 2023, @ 9:00 A.M. AT THE TPO'S OFFICE: 1 DEUCE COURT, SUITE 100 DAYTONA BEACH, FL 32124

Beverly Beach Bunnell Daytona Beach Daytona Beach Shores DeBary DeLand Deltona Edgewater Flagler Beach Flagler County Holly Hill Lake Helen

New Smyrna Beach Oak Hill Orange City 14 Ormond Beach Palm Coast Pierson Ponce Inlet Port Orange South Daytona Volusia County



Transportation Disadvantaged Local Coordinating Board (TDLCB) Meeting Summary April 12, 2023

- Approved a motion allowing members attending remotely to participate and vote
- Approved the minutes of the January 11, 2023 TDLCB meeting
- Reviewed and approved the Community Transportation Coordinator's (CTC) monthly paratransit reports for December 2021-2022 and January and February 2022-23
- Reviewed and approved a motion to allow the Monthly Paratransit Reports presented to the TDLCB to be pushed back one month
- Reviewed and approved revisions to the Votran Gold Service Paratransit Shared-Ride application
- Reviewed and approved the 2023 TDLCB Grievance Procedures

- Received a PowerPoint presentation on the 2023 Public Transportation and Transportation Disadvantaged Awareness Day and noted that TPO staff will reach out to legislators and invite them to TDLCB meetings and make appointments with them when they are in Volusia County
- Received staff comments regarding the TDLCB meeting schedule and a reorganization of Votran
- Approved a motion to move the October 11, 2023 TDLCB meeting to October 18, 2023, due to a Votran staffing conflict
- Received member comments regarding the lack of physical participation at meetings and potential ways to encourage attendance and directed staff to email the members and alternates explaining the difficulties in obtaining a quorum; the importance of knowing when a driver is going to be later than the scheduled pick-up time; doing random ride-along checks instead of scheduled ones

The next TDLCB meeting will be on Wednesday, July 12, 2023

Beverly Beach	DeBary	Flagler Beach	New Smyrna Beach	Palm Coast	South Daytona
Bunnell	DeLand	Flagler County	Oak Hill	Pierson	Volusia County
Daytona Beach	Deltona	Holly Hill	Orange City	Ponce Inlet	
Daytona Beach Shores	Edgewater	Lake Helen 15	Ormond Beach	Port Orange	



Bicycle/Pedestrian Advisory Committee (BPAC) Meeting Summary April 12, 2023

- Approved a motion to allow members attending remotely to participate and vote
- Observed a moment of silence for the passing of long-time BPAC member Roy Walters
- Approved the minutes of the March 8, 2023 BPAC meeting
- Received a PowerPoint presentation on the Volusia County Trails Master Plan
- Approved a motion to encourage Volusia County to meet with a consultant and the cities on the east side to work on ways to finish the trails
- Removed the presentation on the SR A1A Resiliency Plan due to presenter conflict
- Received a PowerPoint presentation on TPO 101: Plans, Programs, and Member Responsibilities
- Received a PowerPoint presentation on Reducing Bicycle Fatalities through Social Marketing
- Discussed the BPAC meeting start time and tabled the item until the TPO finds a permanent location
- Received a staff update on Federal Carbon Reduction Funds
- Received member comments

The next BPAC meeting will be on Wednesday, May 10, 2023, at 2:00 pm in the Airline Room at the Daytona Beach International Airport

Beverly Beach	DeBary	Flagler Beach	New Smyrna Beach	Palm Coast	South Daytona
Bunnell	DeLand	Flagler County	Oak Hill	Pierson	Volusia County
Daytona Beach	Deltona	Holly Hill	Orange City	Ponce Inlet	
Daytona Beach Shores	Edgewater	Lake Helen 1	Ormond Beach	Port Orange	



Citizens Advisory Committee (CAC) Meeting Summary April 18, 2023

- Approved a motion allowing members attending virtually to participate and vote
- Approved the March 21, 2023 CAC minutes
- Approved a motion recommending approval of Resolution 2023-## amending the FY 2022/23 to 2026/27 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) by roll call vote
- Received a PowerPoint presentation on the SR A1A Resiliency Plan
- Received a PowerPoint presentation on FDOT Smart Scopes
- Received a PowerPoint presentation on Reducing Bicycle Fatalities through Social Marketing
- Received a presentation on Performance Measures Updates for PM2 (Bridge & Pavement) and PM3 (System Performance & Freight Movement)
- Received the FDOT report; announced the most up-to-date project information can be found at <u>www.cflroads.com</u>
- The Volusia County Construction Report and the Flagler County Construction Report were provided in the agenda
- Received staff comments regarding the scheduling of a Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) Subcommittee meeting

The next CAC meeting will be on Tuesday, May 16, 2023 in the Airline Room at the Daytona Beach International Airport

Beverly Beach	DeBary	Flagler Beach	New Smyrna Beach	Palm Coast	South Daytona
Bunnell	, DeLand	Flagler County	Oak Hill	Pierson	, Volusia County
Daytona Beach	Deltona	Holly Hill	Orange City	Ponce Inlet	
Daytona Beach Shores	Edgewater	Lake Helen 17	Ormond Beach	Port Orange	



Technical Coordinating Committee (TCC) Meeting Summary April 18, 2023

- Approved a motion allowing members attending virtually to participate and vote
- Approved the March 21, 2023 TCC minutes as amended to correct the attendance listing of FDOT attendees from being listed as TPO staff
- Approved a motion recommending approval of Resolution 2023-## amending the FY 2022/23 to 2026/27 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) by roll call vote
- Received a PowerPoint presentation on the SR A1A Resiliency Plan
- Received a PowerPoint presentation on FDOT Smart Scopes
- Received a PowerPoint presentation on Reducing Bicycle Fatalities through Social Marketing; directed staff to send out the instructions for activating the Do Not Disturb feature on iPhones and Android phones
- Received a presentation on Performance Measures Updates for PM2 (Bridge & Pavement) and PM3 (System Performance & Freight Movement)
- Received the FDOT report; announced the most up-to-date project information can be found at <u>www.cflroads.com</u>
- The Volusia County Construction Report and the Flagler County Construction Report were provided in the agenda
- Received staff comments regarding the scheduling of a Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) Subcommittee meeting; and reviewed the procedure for submitting comments to FDOT for the functional classification update; comments are due by next Friday (April 28)

The next TCC meeting will be on Tuesday, May 16, 2023 in the Airline Room at the Daytona Beach International Airport

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River to Sea TPO Board Meeting Summary March 22, 2023

- Approved a motion allowing members attending virtually to participate and vote
- Approved the Consent Agenda including approval of the January 25, 2023 meeting minutes; and Executive Director's timesheet review report
- Received a PowerPoint presentation of Functional Classification Update and Review Process
- Received a PowerPoint presentation of Volusia Trails Master Plan
- Received a presentation and discussion of TPO 101: Plans, Programs, and Member Responsibilities
- Received a presentation and update on the 2023 Annual Call for Projects
- The FDOT report was provided in the agenda; announced the most up-to-date project information can be found at <u>www.cflroads.com</u>
- Received the Executive Director's report regarding the TPO's new office location; update on reimbursement of moving expenses from the prior landlord; and announcing TPO staff changes
- Received member comments

The next River to Sea TPO Board meeting will be on Wednesday, April 26, 2023 at 9:00 am at the Airline Room at the Daytona Beach International Airport

Beverly Beach Bunnell Daytona Beach Daytona Beach Shores DeBary DeLand Deltona Edgewater Flagler Beach Flagler County Holly Hill Lake Helen

New Smyrna Beach Oak Hill Orange City **19** Ormond Beach Palm Coast Pierson Ponce Inlet Port Orange South Daytona Volusia County



CFMPOA Meeting Highlights - April 14, 2023

- <u>Chairman's Announcements</u>: Chairwoman Christine Moore, MetroPlan Orlando, opened the meeting at 10:00 a.m. and welcomed everyone. Commissioner Nancy Daley, Polk TPO, led the Pledge of Allegiance. Chairwoman Moore called attention to the Delegation Reports which are provided for informational purposes. The Alliance members received reports from Ms. Loreen Bobo representing FDOT District 5, Mr. Kyle Purvis, representing FDOT District 1, and Mr. Siaosi Fine representing Florida's Turnpike Enterprise.
- Public Comments: None.
- Action Items:
 - a. The CFMPOA approved the February 10, 2023, meeting minutes.
- **<u>Presentations</u>**: The members of the Alliance received presentations as follows:
 - a. Review of New Funding for Regional Project Prioritization List Presenter: Ms. Georganna Gillette, Space Coast TPO <u>Transportation Planning in Brevard (metroplanorlando.org)</u>
 - b. Status Updates on the 2045 CFMPOA LRTP and Regional Indicators Report Presenter: Mr. Alex Trauger, MetroPlan Orlando Status Update on Regional Indicators Report and Alliance LRTP (metroplanorlando.org)
 - c. Getting a Head Start: *Potential Impacts of 2020 Census on M/TPO Urban Area Boundaries* Presenter: Mr. Alex Trauger, MetroPlan Orlando <u>Presentation & Discussion: 2020 Census Impacts on Urbanized Areas (metroplanorlando.org)</u>
- Public Comments: None
- The meeting adjourned at 10:52 a.m.

Next CFMPOA Meeting:	Date: Friday, October 13, 2023 at 10 a.m.
-	Location: MetroPlan Orlando, 250 S. Orange Avenue, Suite 200, Orlando, FL 32801



To: River to Sea TPO Board

From: Volusia County Vice-Chair Chris Cloudman, River to Sea TPO 1ST Vice Chairperson

Date: April 06, 2023

RE: River to Sea TPO Chairperson Report of Timesheet Review

In accordance with the River to Sea TPO's Timekeeping and Travel Reimbursement Policy that became effective on November 1, 2019, the following timesheets were provided to the River to Sea TPO Chairperson for review on April 06, 2023

	Timesheets Provided	Timesheets
Batch Number	Time Period	Reviewed Chair Initial
816	February 26, 2023 through March 04, 2023	Cal
817	March 05, 2023 through March 11, 2023	Conc
818	March 12, 2023 through March 18, 2023	CmC
819	March 19, 2023 through March 25, 2023	Che

CM_No abnormalities noted.

Abnormalities were noted and have been resolved.

Abnormalities were noted and have not been resolved.

Beverly Beach	DeBary	Flagler Beach	New Smyrna Beach	Palm Coast	South Daytona
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V. ACTION ITEMS

A. REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION 2023-06 AMENDING THE FY 2022/23 TO 2026/27 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (TIP) (ROLL CALL VOTE REQUIRED)

Background Information:

The Florida Department of Transportation has requested an amendment to the FY 2022/23 to 2026/27 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP). The proposed amendment programs funding for one (1) new rail safety project in Volusia County (FM# 452746-1).

The proposed amendment is further described in the enclosed FDOT TIP Amendment request letter and Resolution 2023-06 and Attachment "A".

ACTION REQUESTED:

MOTION TO APPROVE RESOLUTION 2023-06 AMENDING THE FY 2022/23 TO 2026/27 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (TIP) (ROLL CALL VOTE REQUIRED)



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Tallahassee, FL 32399-0450

JARED W. PERDUE, P.E. SECRETARY

April 5, 2023

River to Sea Transportation Planning Organization ATTN: Ms. Colleen Nicoulin, Interim Executive Director 1 Deuce Court, Suite #100 Daytona Beach, FL 32124

RE: Request to Amend Fiscal Year (FY) 2022/23-2026/27 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP)

Dear Ms. Nicoulin:

Florida Department of Transportation requests River to Sea TPO amend the FY 2022/23-2026/27 TIP.

Project #452746-1 is a rail safety project that has been added to the FDOT Five-Year Program in FY 2023. To receive authorization for use of federal funds, the project must be accurately reflected in the TIP.

Please use the information below to revise the TIP page for this project accordingly:

FM#	Project Description	Project Limits	Length	Phase	Fund Source	Amount	FY
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452746-1	S Ridgewood Ave and N of Old New York Ave Crossing 621299L	N/A	N/A	RRU	RHH	\$358,297	2023

As always, feel free to contact the Liaison Group at D5-MPOLiaisons@dot.state.fl.us if you would like to discuss further.

Sincerely, Raking Hinsin

Rakinya Hinson MPO Liaison FDOT District Five

c: Kellie Smith, FDOT Katherine Alexander-Corbin, FDOT Dave Mixon, FDOT FDOT D5 MPO Liaisons FDOT D5 Work Program

RIVER TO SEA TRANSPORTATION PLANNING ORGANIZATION

RESOLUTION 2023-06

RESOLUTION OF THE RIVER TO SEA TRANSPORTATION PLANNING ORGANIZATION AMENDING THE FY 2022/23 TO FY 2026/27 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (TIP)

WHEREAS, the River to Sea Transportation Planning Organization (TPO) is the duly designated and constituted body responsible for carrying out the urban transportation planning and programming process for Volusia County and portions of Flagler County inclusive of the cities of Flagler Beach, Beverly Beach and portions of Palm Coast and Bunnell; and

WHEREAS, Florida Statutes 339.175; 23 U.S.C. 134; and 49 U.S.C. 5303 require that the urbanized area, as a condition to the receipt of federal capital or operating assistance, have a continuing, cooperative and comprehensive transportation planning process that results in plans and programs consistent with the comprehensively planned development of the urbanized area; and

WHEREAS, the River to Sea TPO shall annually endorse and amend as appropriate, the plans and programs required by 23 C.F.R. 450.300 through 450.324, among which is the Transportation Improvement Program (TIP); and

WHEREAS, the River to Sea TPO's adopted TIP is required to be consistent with the Florida Department of Transportation's adopted Five-Year Work Program; and

WHEREAS, the Florida Department of Transportation has provided additional information to the River to Sea TPO regarding the FDOT adopted Five-Year Work Program.

Now, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the River to Sea TPO that the:

- 1. River to Sea TPO's FY 2022/23 to FY 2026/27 TIP is hereby amended as shown in Attachment "A" attached hereto and made a part of this resolution; and the
- 2. Chairperson of the River to Sea TPO (or his/her designee) is hereby authorized and directed to submit the FY 2022/23 to FY 2026/27 TIP as amended to the:
 - a. Florida Department of Transportation;
 - b. Federal Transit Administration (FTA) (through the Florida Department of Transportation);
 - c. Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) (through the Florida Department of Transportation); and the
 - d. Department of Economic Opportunity.

River to Sea TPO Resolution 2023-06 Page 2

DONE AND RESOLVED at the regularly convened meeting of the River to Sea TPO held on the <u>26th</u> day of April <u>2023</u>.

RIVER TO SEA TRANSPORTATION PLANNING ORGANIZATION

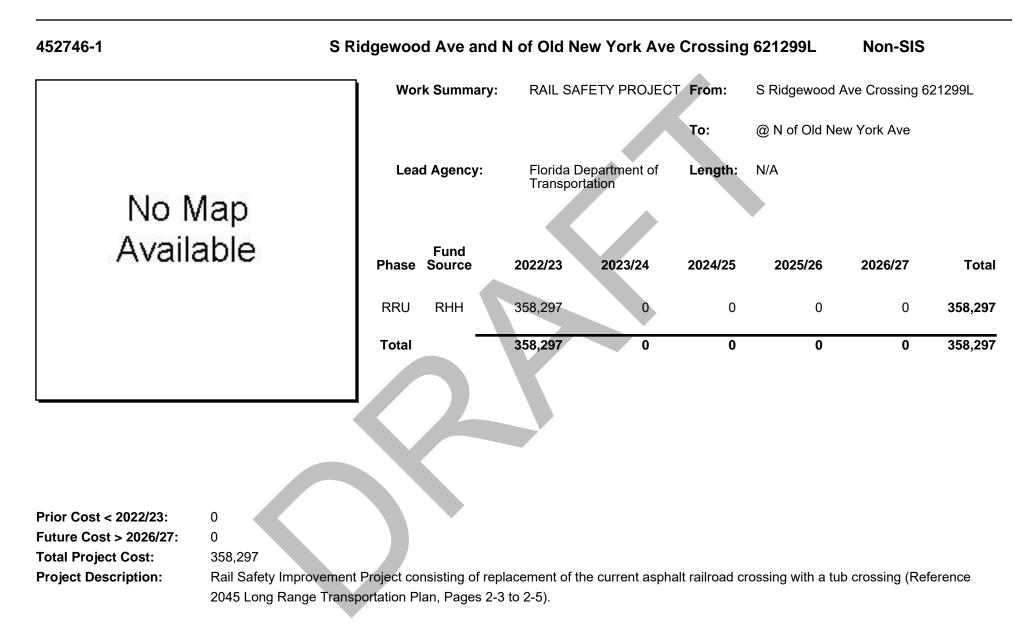
DELAND MAYOR CHRISTOPHER M. CLOUDMAN CHAIRPERSON, RIVER TO SEA TPO

CERTIFICATE:

The undersigned duly qualified and acting Recording Secretary of the River to Sea TPO certified that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of a resolution, adopted at a legally convened meeting of the River to Sea TPO held on <u>April 26, 2023</u>.

ATTEST:

PAMELA BLANKENSHIP, RECORDING SECRETARY RIVER TO SEA TRANSPORTATION PLANNING ORGANIZATION



MEETING SUMMARY TPO BOARD APRIL 26, 2023

V. ACTION ITEMS

B. REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF UPDATES TO THE RIVER TO SEA TPO CONTINUITY OF OPERATIONS PLAN (COOP)

Background Information:

The Continuity of Operations Plan (COOP) is intended ensure the continuity of essential office functions in the occurrence of a major event/emergency/disaster. This plan provides the River to Sea TPO's office procedures for responding to any localized and/or national disaster(s) and/or event(s) requiring federal assistance, both natural and man-made and for the continuance of essential TPO functions. The COOP also provides procedures for River to Sea TPO employees on how to respond to different types of emergencies, considering the TPO office layout, structural features, and emergency systems

Recent changes in TPO personnel and office relocation necessitated an amendment to the Plan. The updated COOP depicting the proposed changes in strike through and underline format is available through the following link: <u>Draft Continuity of Operations Plan</u>

TPO Staff will provide an overview of the proposed updates to the Plan.

ACTION REQUESTED:

MOTION TO APPROVE UPDATES TO THE RIVER TO SEA TPO CONTINUITY OF OPERATIONS PLAN (COOP)

MEETING SUMMARY TPO BOARD APRIL 26, 2023

VI. PRESENTATION AND DISCUSSION ITEMS

A. PRESENTATION AND DISCUSSION OF THE SR A1A RESILIENCY PLAN

Background Information:

Representatives from the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT), Flagler County, the city of Flagler Beach, and Volusia County have been working to develop options to repair and strengthen approximately 13 miles of SR A1A in Flagler and Volusia counties. The mission of the SR A1A Resiliency Strike Team is to make the Scenic A1A System, including the roadway, beaches, and dunes serviceable, functional, and resilient for decades to come. In addition to staff from FDOT and local governments, the planning effort has included coordination with representatives from the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers and the Florida Department of Environmental Protection. The team is also coordinating with other state and federal agencies.

The SR A1A Strike Team enlisted the help of coastal engineers to survey the existing conditions, understand the most vulnerable areas, and develop a list of options for consideration. The engineers and strike team members have reviewed and evaluated options based on several factors, including constructability, environmental and wildlife impacts, aesthetics, maintenance needs, cost/cost sharing, permitting needs, recreation, resiliency, right-of-way needs, parking, and public access. Community input has been vital to the process. FDOT hosted Community Listening Sessions in January in Volusia and Flagler counties to hear feedback about the options. The purpose of the public meetings was to introduce the recommendations and obtain input.

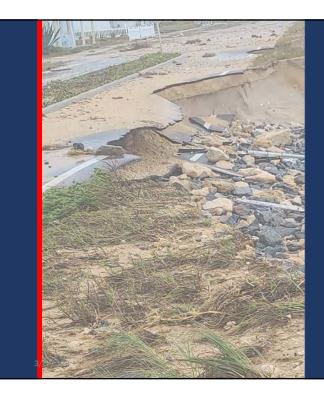
As a result of the planning efforts, FDOT proposes the following initial recommendations for protecting the SR A1A corridor:

- Proceed with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Beach Renourishment Project from South 28th Street to South 7th Street in Flagler Beach
- Construct a buried wall from Sunrise Avenue to Marlin Drive in Volusia County
- Construct a buried wall starting a half mile north of Highbridge Road in Volusia County to South Central Avenue in Flagler County.
 The plan also includes safety recommendations such as new pedestrian crossings that FDOT will consider as part of upcoming projects.

FDOT staff will provide an overview of the SR A1A Resiliency Plan.

ACTION REQUESTED:

NO ACTION REQUIRED UNLESS OTHERWISE DIRECTED BY THE TPO BOARD





Welcome S.R. A1A Resiliency Plan

Flagler & Volusia Counties

Financial Project Identification (FPID) Nos.: 452443-1 and 452444-1



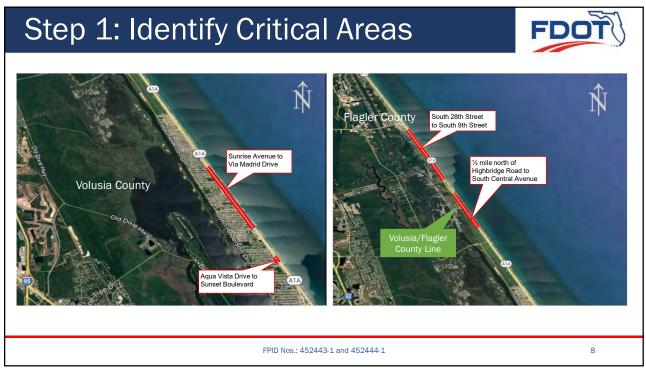












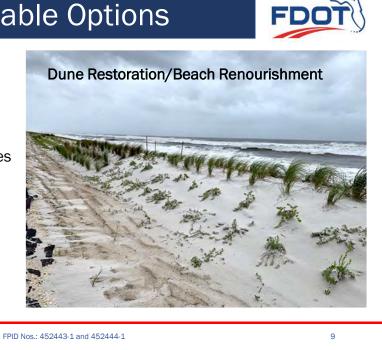
Step 2: Identify Viable Options

Benefits:

- · Wide beach acts as buffer
- Environmentally beneficial
- Enhances wildlife habitat and promotes vegetation
- Federal cost sharing possibilities ٠

Disadvantages:

- Multiple events close together ٠ may compromise protection
- No backstop for protection
- Requires beach compatible sediment



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Step 2: Identify Viable Options





Benefits:

 Provides shoreline protection if sized adequately

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- · Self-healing protection
- Highly durable

Disadvantages:

- High environmental impact
- Reduces effective beach width
 - Impacts beach access
- Aesthetics
- Availability of suitable rock

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FPID Nos.: 452443-1 and 452444-1

Step 2: Identify Viable Options







Step 3: Listen to the Community



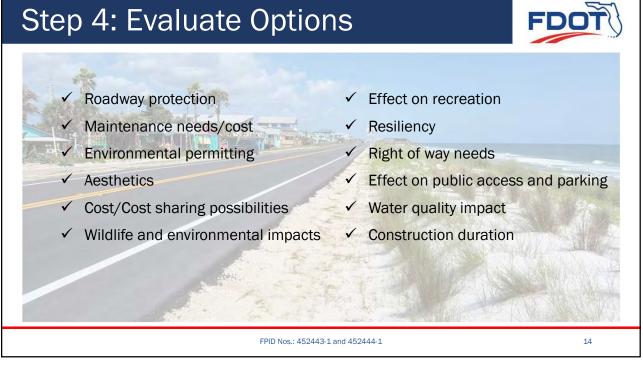
What the Team Heard:

- Move forward with USACE project
- Find a permanent solution
- Maintain the natural beauty of the corridor
- Protect the beaches and tourism
- Include sand and vegetation on all options and make sure plants are large and hardy

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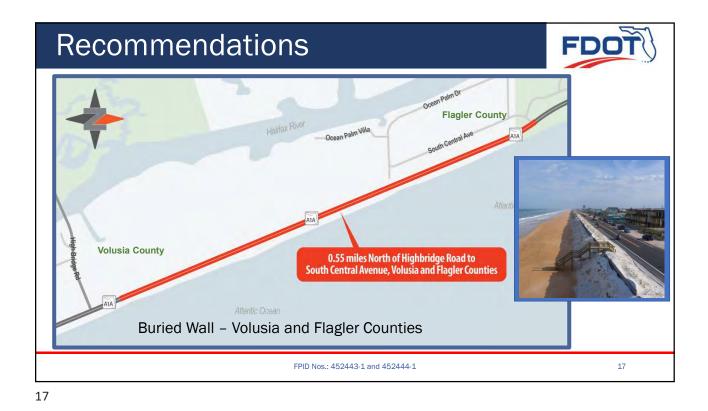
• Provide more public walkovers, more pedestrian crossings and lower speeds

FPID Nos.: 452443-1 and 452444-1



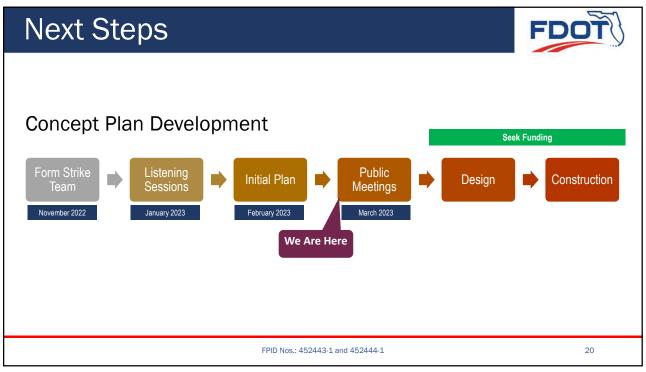














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VI. PRESENTATIONS AND DISCUSSION ITEMS

B. PRESENTATION AND DISCUSSION OF REDUCING BICYCLE FATALITIES THROUGH SOCIAL MARKETING

Background Information:

Ms. Pamela Blankenship and Ms. Stephanie Moss, FDOT, recently participated in a six-month Social Marketing in Transportation Certificate Program developed by the University of South Florida's Center for Urban Transportation Research and the Florida Prevention Research Center/Center for Social Marketing. This course was designed to help transportation professionals learn how to develop more effective, efficient, and sustainable solutions to the transportation problems facing our communities.

Staff will present a people-centered social marketing plan that relies on insight and understanding, as much as on data for the creativity, design, and management of a program to reduce bicycle fatalities.

ACTION REQUESTED:

NO ACTION REQUIRED UNLESS OTHERWISE DIRECTED BY THE TPO BOARD



Reducing Bicycle Fatalities through Social Marketing

Pamela Blankenship & Stephanie Moss

April 2023

Social Marketing in Transportation

- University of South Florida (USF)
- Center for Urban Transportation Research (CUTR)

What is Social Marketing:

An approach that uses marketing and social science ideas to influence or change people's behavior for the benefit of individuals and society

Social marketing is a well-planned, long-term, and cost-effective strategy that uses market research, planning, communication, pricing, and distribution tools

It is primarily geared toward human behavior and "sells" a behavior or lifestyle that benefits society, in order to create the desired change

The goal is to drive social change; it is action-based



5.

Evaluation

4.

Implementation

1.

Planning

3. Pretesting

2.

Message and

Material Development

Steps in the Social Marketing Process

1. Planning

- A. Select Target Behavior
- B. Select Priority Population
- C. Develop Research Plan and Marketing Mix (4 "Ps")

2. Conduct Research – Qualitative/Quantitative

- A. Data Sources/Data Collection
- B. Journey Mapping
- C. Interviews/Focus Groups
- D. Photovoice
- E. Participant Observation
- 3. Develop Marketing Strategy
 - A. Pretest Plan and Materials
 - B. Develop Implementation and Evaluation Plan

4. Implement Plan

- A. Implementation
- B. Materials Dissemination

5. Evaluation and Feedback





Background/Purpose



- The National Safety Council reports that cell phone use while driving leads to 1.6 million crashes each year
- Texting while driving is 6x more likely to cause a crash than driving drunk
- Nearly 1,000 cyclists are killed in crashes in the US each year
- A recent study from the University of Nebraska Medical Center indicates that distracted drivers are to blame for more and more fatal bicycle and pedestrian accidents. Between 2005 and 2010, bicycle deaths related to distracted driving went up by 30 percent
- A study of college students found 50% of participants reported sending texts while driving on the freeway, 60% while in stop-and-go traffic, and 87% at traffic lights

OUR PURPOSE: Decrease bicycle fatalities by decreasing cell phone use (distraction) while driving

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Formative Research

- Data collection
- Interviewed seven college-aged males at Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University (ERAU)
- Journey map was completed with a 26-year-old male

Barriers identified:

Fears:

- Fear of missing out (FOMO)
- Not living up to expectations of family & friends
- Fear of failure



Difficulties:

- Difficulty in using the Do Not Disturb feature on the phone
- Feeling like they need to answer parents when calling or texting



Persona

- Age: 26
- Occupation: Construction
- Education: High school graduate
- Living Situation: single; multi-generational household
- Location: Daytona Beach, FL
- Personality: hard-working, optimistic, high-stress, internetdependent, multitasker, busy
- Values/Priorities: "Now" generation, good work ethic, appreciative of other cultures & lifestyles, family, online social connections
- Reaching Kevin: online apps, streaming services, bars, restaurants, music & sporting events
- Fears: fear of missing out and being "disconnected"
- Influencers: podcasters, streamers, celebrities, family, musicians

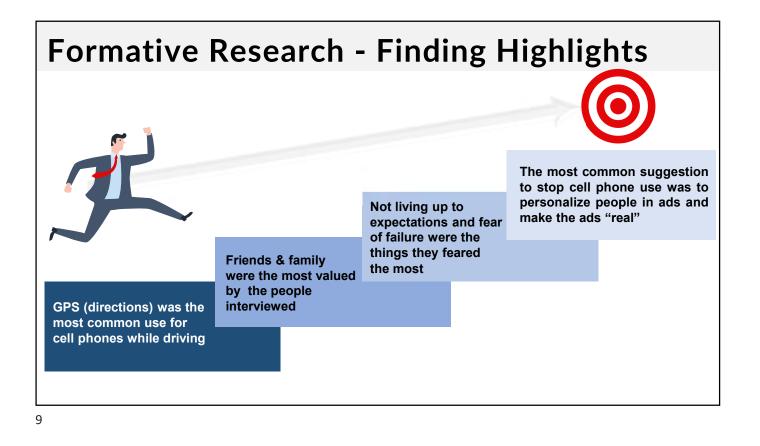




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Journey Mapping – A day in the life & cellphone use of Kevin

Positive Alarm on the phone Map helps him find location Communication with co-workers Helps find a place to eat Neutral Image: Specific content of the phone while driving.
Negative Kevin admits he should not use his phone while driving. Image: Construction of the should not while driving. Image: Construction of the should not phone while Image: Construction of the should not phone should not phone while Image: Construc
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What feelings were occurring during the behaviors? Indifference – does not see how his behavior correlates to traffic fatalities



Behavioral Focus Get college-aged males to put their phones down by using the Do Not Disturb (DND) feature on their phones IT AIS AU 19:52 20.56 Settings Do Not Disturb Settings < Back Activate Repeated Calls Notifications A second call from the same person within three minutes will not be silenced. Automatically Control Center When Connected to Car Bluetooth 🖌 Do Not Disturb DO NOT DISTURB WHILE DRIVING While Driving C Do Not Disturb Activate Manually Limit notifications while driving. Incomit will be allowed when iPhone is connected th or a hands-free ac General M Display & Brightness Auto-Reply To All Contacts Wallpaper Auto-Reply ຫພະນີ້ລົນທຳລັບຫົນກອຍູ່.. Sounds Siri & Search sturb by sin Mar D

Priority Audience

The priority audience was college-aged males





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S.M.A.R.T. Goal

Initial Goal: Reduce bicycle fatalities in Volusia County

Specific

Decrease in bicycle fatalities in Volusia County by December 2025

Measurable

Attain a decrease in bicycle fatalities by December 2025

Achievable

Yes

Relevant Yes

Time-bound By December 2025



S.M.A.R.T. GOAL

Reduce bicycle fatalities in Volusia County through media campaigns at Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University and Daytona State College using students whose lives have been impacted by distracted driving (specifically phone use).

Positioning Statement

We want college-aged men to see that putting their phones down while driving as vitally important and lifesaving for their family, friends, and themselves and as more beneficial than endangering themselves, their family, and friends' lives by using their phones while driving.



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Product Strategy

Core Product:

The college-aged males will be perceived as "good human beings" be leaders; and save lives by preventing crashes

Actual Product:

Activating the Do Not Disturb (DND) on their phone

Augmented Product:

The DND function itself A DND instruction sheet Monetary reward for participating: food/gift cards (Chick-Fil-A and Starbucks are on campus as well as a deli)



Price Strategy

Barriers to Overcome:

- Difficulty using the DND function on the phone
- Time to activate DND
- FOMO
- Being disconnected

Benefits Campaign will highlight:

- Receive a gift card if you activate DND while driving for one week
- Be a leader among peers; recognition
- Save lives could be someone they are close to that they save
- No cost to them; free

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Place Strategy

Where & When to Stage Event:

- ERAU & Daytona State campus
- During school events
- Locate a table on the way to the parking lot where students have to pass us
- Have students who have lost loved one's man the table and do the ask

How the "Ask" will Occur:

- Have the students manning the table share some of their stories and encourage them to agree to activate DND for a week.
- Walk students through activation of DND and provide an instruction sheet for future reference
- Provide "promo" items upon first activation
- Provide gift cards one week later for those who say they maintained use of DND

Idea: Create an ambassador program on campus. The people who are manning the tables become ambassadors and share how to use DND based on personal experience; they then share the rewards that they receive.

Promotion Strategy

Key Messages:

- There is value in driving less distracted
- The value of human lives
- The consequences of their choices
- It can happen to them

Communication Channels:

- In person at the table on ERAU/Daytona State campus
- Use fellow students whose lives have been impacted by distracted drivers to share their stories
- Target Zero graphics
- Posters placed around the school
- School email newspaper
- Email blasts
- Possible digital marketing ad buy
- Announcements at sporting events





Concept Testing/Pretesting Plan

Methods to test marketing plan:

• Surveys before and after the pop-up events.

Recruitment plan to test priority audience members:

• Pop-up event staffed with fellow students whose lives have been impacted by traffic crashes. Conversation with the priority audience members and an ask to enable and use the Do Not Disturb feature while driving for one week. A second pop-up a week later to survey the group. We will offer gift cards to the students who commit to returning to the second pop-up event.

Potential questions to ask:

- Does your classmate's experience affect you?
- How likely are you to enable the DND?
- What makes you want to enable the DND?
- How do you feel about what is being offered?



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Questions?

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MEETING SUMMARY TPO BOARD APRIL 26, 2023

VI. PRESENTATIONS AND DISCUSSION ITEMS

C. PRESENTATION AND DISCUSSION OF PERFORMANCE MEASURES UPDATES FOR PM2 (BRIDGE & PAVEMENT) AND PM3 (SYSTEM PERFORMANCE & FREIGHT MOVEMENT)

Background Information:

Federal transportation law requires state DOTs and MPOs to implement Transportation Performance Management (TPM), a strategic approach to making investment and policy decisions to achieve performance goals.

Three FHWA Performance Measures (PM) rules and two FTA transit rules establish various performance measures to assess highway safety (PM1), bridge and pavement condition (PM2), system performance and freight movement (PM3), transit asset management (TAM), and transit safety. The FHWA and FTA Planning Rule and the performance measures rules also specify when and how MPOs should set targets, report performance, and integrate performance management into their Long Range Transportation Plans (LRTP) and Transportation Improvement Programs (TIP).

Provided in the agenda are the proposed targets for the River to Sea TPO which are consistent with the statewide targets, fact sheets specific to PM2 and PM 3, and the TPO requirements pertaining to Transportation Performance Measures.

TPO staff will provide an overview of the proposed PM2 (Bridge & Pavement) and PM3 (System Performance & Freight Movement) measures and targets, which are required to be adopted by June 2023.

ACTION REQUESTED:

NO ACTION REQUIRED UNLESS OTHERWISE DIRECTED BY THE TPO BOARD

Transportation Performance Management Data and Targets for the **River to Sea TPO Planning Area** (PM2 and PM3)

PM2 - Bridge Performance Measures and Targets

Performance Measure	River to Sea TPO*	State of Florida*	2023 Target	2025 Target
% of NHS bridges classified as in <i>Good</i> condition by deck area	60.02%	63.7%	≥ 50%	≥ 50%
% of NHS bridges classified as in <i>Poor</i> condition by deck area	0.24%	0.7%	≤ 10%	≤ 10%
PM2 - Pavement Performance Measures and Targets				

PM2 - Pavement Performance Measures and Targets

Performance Measure	River to Sea TPO*	State of Florida*	2023 Target	2025 Target
% of Interstate pavements in Good condition	86.2%	70.5%	≥60%	≥60%
% of Interstate pavements in Poor condition	1.5%	0.3%	≤5%	≤5%
% of <u>non-Interstate NHS</u> pavements in <u>Good</u> condition	43.9%	47.5%	≥40%	≥40%
% of <u>non-Interstate NHS</u> pavements in <u>Poor</u> condition	0.4%	0.6%	≤5%	≤5%

PM3 - System Performance Management Measures and Targets

Performance Measure	River to Sea TPO*	State of Florida*	2023 Target	2025 Target
% of person-miles traveled on the Interstate that are reliable	100%	87.5%	≥ 75%	≥ 70%
% of person-miles traveled on the non-Interstate NHS that are reliable	94.6%	92.9%	≥ 50%	≥ 50%
Truck travel time reliability ratio (TTR) on the Interstate	1.14	1.38	≤ 1.75	≤ 2.00

*Source: 2021 data for the River to Sea TPO and State of Florida provided by the Florida Department of Transportation.

MPO Requirements



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Transportation Performance Management

February 2023

OVERVIEW

This document highlights key target setting provisions of Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) and Federal Transit Administration (FTA) performance management requirements for state Departments of Transportation (DOT), Metropolitan Planning Organizations (MPO), and public transportation providers.*

TRANSPORTATION PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT FRAMEWORK

Federal transportation law requires state DOTs and MPOs to implement Transportation Performance Management (TPM), a strategic approach to making investment and policy decisions to achieve performance goals. TPM uses past performance levels and



forecasted conditions to measure progress toward strategic goals as a means to guide investments.

Three FHWA Performance Measures (PM) rules and two FTA transit rules establish various performance measures to assess highway safety (PM1), bridge and pavement condition (PM2), system performance and freight movement (PM3), transit asset management (TAM), and transit safety. The FHWA and FTA Planning Rule and the performance measures rules also specify how MPOs should set targets, report performance, and integrate performance management into their Long Range Transportation Plans (LRTP) and Transportation Improvement Programs (TIP).*

Long Range Transportation Plans

The LRTP must:

- » Describe performance measures and targets used in assessing the performance of the transportation system.
- » Include a System Performance Report that:
 - Evaluates the performance of the transportation system with respect to performance targets.
 - Documents the progress achieved by the MPO in meeting the targets.
- » Integrate the goals, objectives, performance measures, and targets described in other plans and processes required as part of a performance-based program.

Transportation Improvement Programs

The TIP must:

- Reflect the investment priorities established in the LRTP.
- Be designed such that once implemented, it makes progress toward achieving the performance targets.
- Include a description of the anticipated effect of the TIP toward achieving

Metropolitan Planning Organization Advisory Council (MPOAC) have developed model language for inclusion of performance measures and targets in LRTPs and TIPs

FDOT and the

the performance targets, linking investment priorities to performance targets.

^{*}Please refer to the five accompanying fact sheets to obtain key information for the three FHWA performance measures rules and two FTA transit rules.

TIMELINE FOR MPO ACTIONS



TRANSIT ASSET MANAGEMENT AND TRANSIT SAFETY

PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION PROVIDERS		
ТАМ	Transit Safety	
 Update TAM Plan/Group TAM Plan every 4 years 	 Update safety targets annually 	
 Update TAM targets annually 		

MPOs

• Update MPO transit targets with every LRTP update

• Reflect MPO targets and public transportation provider(s) current targets in each updated TIP

TARGET SETTING OPTIONS

The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT), the MPOs, and public transportation providers set their respective performance targets in coordination with one another. All MPOs establish a target for each applicable performance measure by one of two options:

Support the target established by FDOT or the public transportation provider(s).

The MPO agrees to plan and program projects so that they contribute toward the accomplishment of the state or public transportation provider(s) target.

Establish own target.

The MPO coordinates with FDOT or the public transportation provider(s) regarding the methodology used to develop the target and the proposed target prior to establishing a final target.

For the **PM1, PM2, and PM3 measures**, MPOs must establish their targets no later than 180 days after FDOT sets its targets. For the **transit asset management and safety measures**, MPOs are not required to establish transit targets annually each time the public transportation provider(s) establishes targets. Instead, MPO transit targets must be established when the MPO updates the LRTP. MPOs will reflect current public transportation provider(s) targets in the updated TIP.

OR

ASSESSMENT OF SIGNIFICANT PROGRESS

FHWA will not assess MPO target achievement. However, FHWA and FTA will review MPO adherence to performance management requirements as part of periodic transportation planning process reviews.

** FHWA changed the due date from October 1, 2022 due to a technical issue with the reporting system.

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PM2: Bridge and Pavement



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Performance Management

February 2023

OVERVIEW

<u>The second Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) performance management rule</u> establishes measures to assess the condition of bridges and pavement on the National Highway System (NHS) and the process for the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) and Florida's Metropolitan Planning Organizations (MPO) to establish and report targets.*

PAVEMENT PERFORMANCE MEASURES

- » Percentage of pavements on the Interstate System in *GOOD* condition.
- » Percentage of pavements on the Interstate System in *POOR* condition.
- » Percentage of pavements on the non-Interstate NHS in GOOD condition.
- » Percentage of pavements on the non-Interstate NHS in POOR condition.

GOOD CONDITION

Suggests no major investment is needed.

BRIDGE PERFORMANCE MEASURES

- » Percentage of NHS bridges (by deck area) in GOOD condition.
- » Percentage of NHS bridges (by deck area) in POOR condition.

POOR CONDITION

Suggests major investment is needed.

TIMELINE



* Please refer to the fact sheet addressing MPO Requirements for information about MPO targets and planning processes.

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EXISTING STATEWIDE CONDITIONS

NHS Bridges

Year	in Good Condition	in Poor Condition
2017	67.7%	1.2%
2018	66.6%	1.2%
2019	66.2%	1.2%
2020	65.5%	0.5%
2021 (Baseline)	61.3%	0.5%

Interstate Pavements

Year	in Good Condition	in Poor Condition
2017	66.1%	0.0%
2018	54.2%	0.6%
2019	68.0%	0.5%
2020	68.8%	0.6%
2021 (Baseline)	70.5%	0.7%

Non-Interstate NHS Pavements

Year	in Good Condition	in Poor Condition
2017	44.0%	0.4%
2018	39.9%	0.4%
2019	41.0%	0.3%
2020	41.0%	0.3%
2021 (Baseline)	47.5%	1.1%

Source: FDOT and FHWA.

STATEWIDE TARGETS

FDOT established 2023 and 2025 targets for NHS bridge and pavement on December 16, 2022. These targets are identical to those set for 2019 and 2021, respectively. Florida's performance through 2021 exceeds the targets.

Performance Measure	2023 Target	2025 Target
Bridge		
% of NHS bridges (by deck area) in <i>GOOD</i> condition	50.0%	50.0%
% of NHS bridges (by deck area) in <i>POOR</i> condition	10.0%	10.0%
Pavement		
% of Interstate pavements in <i>GOOD</i> condition	60.0%	60.0%
% of Interstate pavements in <i>POOR</i> condition	5.0%	5.0%
% of non-Interstate NHS pavements in <i>GOOD</i> condition	40.0%	40.0%
% of non-Interstate NHS pavements in <i>POOR</i> condition	5.0%	5.0%

MPO TARGETS

MPOs must set 2025 targets by June 14, 2023 (within 180 days after FDOT set the statewide targets). MPOs have the option of supporting the statewide targets or establishing their own targets for the MPO planning area.

The TIP must include the most recent reported performance and targets as well as a description of how the investments contribute to achieving the targets. The LRTP must include a System Performance Report that discusses performance and the progress achieved in meeting targets.

ASSESSMENT OF SIGNIFICANT PROGRESS

FHWA will determine if FDOT has made significant progress toward the achievement of each 2-year or 4-year statewide target if either:

- » The actual condition/performance level is better than the baseline performance; or
- » The actual performance level is equal to or better than the established target.

FHWA's determination of significant progress toward the 2021 bridge and pavement targets is anticipated in March 2023.

FHWA will not assess MPO target achievement. However, FHWA and FTA will review MPO adherence to performance management requirements as part of periodic transportation planning process reviews.

MINIMUM CONDITIONS

Every year, FHWA will assess if FDOT is meeting federal minimum condition standards for NHS bridges and Interstate pavements. If it is not, FDOT must obligate a specified percentage of available funds for maintenance of these facilities.

FDOT IS ON TRACK TO MEET MINIMUM CONDITION STANDARDS

- » Bridge: No more than 10 percent of total deck area of NHS bridges classified as Structurally Deficient (*Poor* condition) for three consecutive years.
- » **Pavement:** No more than 5 percent of the Interstate System in *Poor* condition for most recent year.

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT

PM3: System Performance



Florida Department of Transportation Office of Policy Planning

Performance Management

February 2023

OVERVIEW

<u>The third Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) performance management rule</u> establishes measures to assess the reliability of passenger and truck freight travel on the National Highway System (NHS) and the process for the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) and Florida's Metropolitan Planning Organizations (MPO) to establish and report their targets.*

PERFORMANCE MEASURES

PERFORMANCE MEASURE	REFERRED TO AS	WHAT IT MEASURES
Percent of person-miles traveled on the Interstate that are reliable	Interstate reliability	Compares longer travel times (80 th percentile) to a normal travel time (50 th percentile). Vehicle occupancy is factored in to determine the person-miles traveled on
Percent of person-miles traveled on the non-Interstate NHS that are reliable	Non-Interstate NHS reliability	segments considered reliable, and this is converted to a percent of total miles.
Truck travel time reliability index (Interstate)	Truck reliability	Compares longer travel times (95 th percentile) to the normal travel time for trucks. This is expressed as a ratio called the Truck Travel Time Reliability Index, or TTTR.

The PM3 rule also defines measures for assessing the CMAQ Program that apply only to states and MPOs that are in a designated air quality non attainment areas or maintenance areas. Florida does not have any applicable areas, therefore the CMAQ measures are not addressed in this fact sheet.

TIMELINE



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EXISTING STATEWIDE CONDITIONS

Percent of person-miles traveled on the Interstate that are reliable

WORSE	BETTER
2017	82.2%
2018	83.5%
2019	83.4%
2020	92.3%
2021	87.5%

NON-INTERSTATE NHS RELIABILITY

Percent of person-miles traveled on the non-Interstate NHS that are reliable

Truck travel time reliability index

TRUCK RELIABILITY

(Interstate)

2017	84.0%
2018	86.3%
2019	87.0%
2020	93.5%
2021	92.9%
BETTER	WORSE
2017	1.43
2018	1.42
2019	1.45
2020	1.34

2021 **1.38**

Source: PM3 Report on Regional Integrated Transportation Information System (RITIS) platform using National Performance Management Data Research Data Set (NPMRDS).

STATEWIDE TARGETS

FDOT established the following 2023 and 2025 targets on December 16, 2022. These targets are identical to those set for 2019 and 2021, respectively. Florida's performance through 2021 exceeds the targets.

	2023	2025
PERFORMANCE MEASURE	TARGET	TARGET
INTERSTATE RELIABILITY	75.0%	70.0%
NON-INTERSTATE NHS RELIABILITY	50.0%	50.0%
TRUCK RELIABILITY	1.75	2.00

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- » The actual performance level is equal to or better than the established target.

FHWA's determination of significant progress toward the 2021 interstate reliability and truck reliability targets is anticipated in March 2023. If FDOT does not make significant progress toward achieving a reliability target, it must document the actions it will take to achieve the target. For the truck reliability measure, it must provide additional freight congestion analysis and documentation.

FHWA will not assess MPO target achievement. However, FHWA and FTA will review MPO adherence to performance management requirements as part of periodic transportation planning process reviews.

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VI. PRESENTATIONS AND DISCUSSION ITEMS

D. FDOT REPORT

Background Information:

Ms. Rakinya Hinson, Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT), will be present to answer questions regarding projects in the FDOT Construction Status Report.

The Construction Status Report is provided for your information.

ACTION REQUESTED:

NO ACTION REQUIRED UNLESS OTHERWISE DIRECTED BY THE TPO BOARD



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Volusia and Flagler Counties Project Status Update as of March 31, 2023

The following is a brief status update on major FDOT road construction projects in Volusia and Flagler Counties as of the March cutoff. The next cutoff date is April 30, 2023. Information is also available on www.cflroads.com. For questions, please contact Anna Taylor at 386-943-5499 or via email anna.taylor@dot.state.fl.us.

VOLUSIA COUNTY

Upcoming Projects:

437942-1 International Speedway Blvd (U.S. 92/S.R. 600) from the Halifax River Bridge to S.R. A1A

- Contract: E54B1
- Contractor: Masci General Contractor, Inc.
- Project Cost: \$12 Million
- Estimated Start: May 2023
- Description: This project will involve widening and resurfacing the identified stretch of International Speedway Blvd (U.S. 92/S.R. 600) and implementing additional roadway and safety improvements in Daytona Beach.

443512-1 S.R. A1A from Milsap Rd to S.R. 40 (Granada Blvd)

- Contract: T5725
- Contractor: Halifax Paving, Inc.
- Project Cost: \$4 Million
- Estimated Start: May 2023
- Description: This project will involve resurfacing and implementing additional roadway • and pedestrian safety improvements along the identified stretch of S.R. A1A in Ormond Beach.

Current Projects:

439865-2 St. Johns River to Sea Loop Trail - Palmetto Ave from Ridge Blvd to Beville Rd

- Contract: E54B0
- Project Start: April 2023
- Estimated Completion: Early 2024
- Update: The contractor is preparing to begin work on construction of the multi-use path along S Palmetto Avenue between Beville Road and Reef Road.

448922-1 S.R. 46 over the St. John's River and the Cabbage Slough waterway

- Contract: E52B5
- Project Start: April 2023
- Estimated Completion: Summer 2023
- Update: The contractor is working on pile jackets at the S.R. 46 bridge over the St. John's River.

446558-1 S.R. 472 at Minnesota Ave Intersection Improvements

- Contract: E55B9
- Project Start: February 2023
- Estimated Completion: Late Summer 2023
- Update: The contractor is working on drainage improvements.

437935-1 Barracuda Bridge Replacement over the Canal Bradano waterway

- Contract: T5743
- Project Start: December 2022
- Estimated Completion: Summer 2024
- Update: Barracuda Blvd is closed from The Middle Way to Quay Assisi. The contractor is working on pile driving for the new bridge.

442906-1 Beville Road (S.R. 400) from Williamson Blvd to east of Forest Lake Blvd

- Contract: E50B4
- Project Start: October 2022
- Estimated Completion: Summer 2023
- Update: The contractor is working on signalization and lighting.

438982-1 U.S. 1 (Ridgewood Ave) Intersection Improvements at 6th St, 8th St, Walker St, and Flomich St

- Contract: T5740
- Project Start: August 2022
- Estimated Completion: Summer 2023
- Update: The contractor is working on signalization at the identified intersections.

443433-1 International Speedway Boulevard (U.S. 92/S.R. 600) Resurfacing from North Alabama Avenue to east of North Kepler Road (C.R. 4101)

- Contract: E57A1
- Project Start: March 2022
- Estimated Completion: Summer 2023
- Update: The contractor is working on side street paving operations.

443815-1 SR 40 Milling & Resurfacing from east of Rodeo Road to Bayberry Drive

- Contract: T5733
- Project Start: March 2022
- Estimated Completion: Early 2023
- Update: The contractor is working on thermoplastic striping and punch list items.

443813-1 & 447134-1 U.S. 1 (S.R. 5) Milling & Resurfacing from the Brevard County Line to South Street

- Contract: T5727
- Project Start: March 2022
- Estimated Completion: Early 2023
- Update: This project was final accepted.

441682-1 Concrete Slab Replacement on U.S. 92 (S.R. 600), U.S. 1 (S.R. 5), U.S. 17-92 (S.R. 15), and S.R. 44

- Contract: E5X08
- Project Start: March 2022
- Estimated Completion: Summer 2023
- Update: The contractor is working on concrete slab operations.

441132-1 S.R. 442 (Indian River Blvd) Resurfacing from I-95 to U.S. 1

- Contract: E57A4
- Project Start: February 2022
- Estimated Completion: Spring 2023
- Update: The contractor is working on punch list items in preparation for final acceptance.

429556-1 S.R. 44 Over the St. John's River Bridge Replacement

- Contract: T5706
- Project Start: July 2020
- Estimated Completion: Early 2024
- Update: The contractor is working on bridge deck installation.

FLAGLER COUNTY

Current Projects:

445690-1 S.R. A1A from north of Ocean Marina Drive to south of Westmayer Place

- Contract: T5763
- Project Start: March 2023
- Estimated Completion: Fall 2023
- Update: The contractor is working on widening and drainage operations.

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XI. ADJOURNMENT

The next River to Sea TPO Board meeting will be May 24, 2023

BPAC Attendance Record 2023

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Doug Hall	хр	хр	хр	хр									Daytona Beach (appt. 3/12) (alt. appt. 02/14)
Terry Lodge	хр	хр	хр	хр									DeBary (appt 8/2020)
Ted Wendler Vice Chairperson	хр	хр	хр	exc									DeLand (appt. 05/11)
Luis Leal	хр	хр	хv	хр									Deltona (appt 11/2021)
Paul Eik	abs	хр	хр	abs									Flagler Beach (appt. 7/14) (alt appt 9/18)
Larry Coletti/Andy Dodzik	хр	хр	хр	хр									Flagler County (appt 2/16)(re-appt 3/22)
Thomas Ryan	exc	хр	exc	хр									Holly Hill (appt 9/19) (alt appt 5/2021)
Patrick McCallister	exc	abs	хv	xv									Lake Helen (appt 2/22)
Nic Mostert	хр	хр	хр	хр									New Smyrna Beach (appt. 03/15)
Bob Storke	хр	хр	хр	хр									Orange City (appt. 12/07)
Gayle Belin	хр	хр	хр	хр									Ormond Beach (appt. 01/15 - 07/16)
Danielle Anderson/Andrew Dodzik	хр	хр	exc	хр									Palm Coast (Appt. 02/16) (Alt appt 9/19)
Mark Oebbecke/Nancy Epps	хр	хр хv	хр	хр									Ponce Inlet (Appt 12/2020) (alt appt 8/2021)
Christy Gillis	хv	хv	exc	exc									South Daytona (appt. 01/16)
Jason Aufdenberg, Chairperson	хv хр	хр	хр	хр									Volusia County At-Large (appt. 03/05) (alt. appt 07/12)
Maggie Ardito/Emery Jeffreys	хр хр	хр	хр хр	хр хр									Volusia County D-1 (appt. 2/22) (alt 5/22)
Eileen Sharp				хр									Volusia County D-2 (appt. 04/23)
Tim Grigsby	хv	хv	abs	abs									Volusia County D-4 (appt 4/2021)
Chris Daun	exc	exc	exc	хр									Volusia County Chair (appt 3/2021)
Adam Mengel (non-voting)	abs	abs	abs	abs									Flagler County (appt. 8/15/2021)
Gwen Perney (non-voting)	хv	хv	хv	xv									Large City - Port Orange
Jacob Lunceford/Edie Biro (non-voting)	хр	хv	хр	хр									Votran (appt. 03/23)(alt. appt. 02/16)
Jay Williams/Meghan Lindsey	хv	хр	хр	abs									Volusia County (09/2022) (alt appt 8/22)
Lisa Divina/David German (non-voting)	abs	abs	хр хр	exc									Volusia County School Board (appt. 03/23) (alt appt 3/23)
Stephanie Moss (non-voting)	хv	exc	хv	exc									FDOT (appt 11/19)
PHYSICAL QUORUM	Y	Y	Y	Y									

Vacancies

Beverly Beach Bunnell Daytona Beach Shores Edgewater Flagler County School Board Flagler County Transit Oak Hill Pierson Port Orange Volusia County D-2 Volusia County D-3 Volusia County D-5

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Shawn Collins/Emily Nice	хv	хр	abs v	xp/xv									Daytona Beach (appt 6/2021) (alt appt 6/2021)
Janet Deyette	хр	хр	exc	exc									Deltona (appt. 11/10)
Erika Benfield	abs	хv	abs	abs									DeBary (appt 11/2020)
Kerry Karl (FY 2021/22 Chairperson)	exc	хр	хр	exc									DeLand (appt 3/2021)
Bliss Jamison/Rebecca Crews	exc	exc	хv	хр									Edgewater (appt 9/2022) (alt appt 9/2022)
Ed Fendley	хр	exc	хр	хр									Flagler Beach (appt 3/2021) (alt appt 10/2021)
Greg Feldman/Rick Belhumeur	хр	хр	хр	хр									Flagler County (appt 6/22) (alt appt 6/22)
Heidi Petito	abs	abs	abs	abs									Flagler County Transit (appt 9/14)
Gilles Blais	хр	хр	хр	хр									Holly Hill (appt. 11/07) (Reap. 02/13)
Rick Basso/Linda Provost	abs	abs	abs	abs									Lake Helen (appt 6/19) (alt 0
Bob Storke	exc	хр	хр	хр									Orange City (appt. 1/08)
Fred Heyne	хр	exc	хр	хр									Ormond Beach (appt 12/21)
Susan Elliott/Paul Martel	exc	хр	хv	exc									Pierson (appt. 3/06)
Wayne Josvai		хр	хр	exc									Ponce Inlet (appt 2/23)
Jack Delaney	exc	exc	хр	хр									South Daytona (appt. 04/16)
Bobby Ball	хр	хv	хр	хр									Port Orange (appt. 12/02)
Dave Castagnacci (FY 2021/22 Vice Chair)	хр	exc	хр	хр									Volusia County Chair (appt 05/19)
Elizabeth Alicia Lendian	хр	хр	хр	хр									Volusia County At-Large (appt. 05/13)
Patricia Lipovsky	хv	exc	abs	abs									Volusia County D-2 (appt 4/17)
Edie Biro/Ralf Heseler	хр	хр	хр	хр									Votran (appt. 02/16) (alt. appt. 07/13)
Faith Alkhatib (non-voting)	abs	abs	abs	abs									Flagler County Traffic Engineering (appt 9/14)
Sean Castello (non-voting)	хр	хр	abs	abs									Volusia County Traffic Engineering (appt 10/11) (alt 5/21)
Rakinya Hinson (<i>non-voting)</i>	хр	хр	хр	хр									FDOT District 5 (appt 10/2020)
PHYSICAL QUORUM	Y	Y	Y	Y									

Vacancies

Bunnell Beverly Beach Daytona Beach Shores Edgewater Flagler County School Board New Smyrna Beach Oak Hill Palm Coast Volusia County School Board Volusia County D-1 Volusia County D-3

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Marcus DePasquale	хv	хv	хv	хv									Bunnell (appt 7/22)
Andrew Holmes/Brian Woodworth	хр хv	хр	хр	хр									Daytona Beach (11/18) (alt 6/2021)
Noel Eaton/Gwyn Herstein	хр	хр	хр	хр									Daytona Beach Shores (appt. 9/2022)
Melissa Winsett/Belinda Williams Collins	хр	хр	хр	хр									DeLand (appt. 01/23)(alt 4/2020)
Nashla Merced	abs	abs	abs	abs									Deltona (alt apt 8/21)
Steven Bapp/Joseph Barker (alt)	хр	хр	хр	хр									DeBary (appt 7/22) (alt 11/2020)
Darren Lear/Bonnie Brown	хv	хр	хр	exc									Edgewater (appt. 10/99)(alt appt 10/19)
Caryn Miller	хр	хр	exc	exc									Flagler Beach (appt 5/2022)
Faith Alkhatib/Adam Mengel	abs	abs	abs	abs									Flagler County Traffic Engineering (appt 9/14)
Brian Walker (Chairperson)	хр	хр	хр	хр									Holly Hill (appt 10/17)(alt appt 10/19)
Lee Evett	abs	abs	abs	abs									Lake Helen (appt 3/2021)
Shane Corbin/Kyle Fegley	хр	exc	хр	хр									New Smyrna Beach (appt 3/23) (alt appt. 3/22)
Shawn Finley	хр	хр	хр	хр									Ormond Beach (appt. 12/17)
Becky Mendez	хр	exc	хр	хр									Orange City (appt. 08/15)
Phong Nguyen/Jose Papa		хv	хр	хр									Palm Coast (appt 2/23) (alt appt 2/23)
Mark Karet	хр	хр	хр	хр									Pierson (appt. 09/16)
Mike Disher/Adam Mendenhall (Vice Chairperson	хр	хр	хр	хр									Ponce Inlet (appt. 03/2021) (alt appt 4/22)
Tim Burman/Margaret Tomlinson	хр	хр	хр	хр									Port Orange (appt. 10/13)(alt appt 4/19) (alt 10/22)
Steve Danskine/Becky Witte	хр	хр	хр	хр									South Daytona (10/22) (alt 8/22)
Sean Castello	хр	хр	abs	хр									Volusia Co Traffic Engineering (appt. 4/2012) (alt 5/21)
Ralf Heseler/Edie Biro	хр	хр	хр	хр									Votran (appt. 11/2020) (alt. appt. 11/2020)
Rakinya Hinson (non-voting)	хр	хр	хр	хр									FDOT (appt 10/20) alt (11/21)
PHYSICAL QUORUM	Y	Y	Y	Y									

<u>Vacancies</u>

- Beverly Beach Daytona Beach International Airport Flagler County Transit **Flagler County Aviation** Flagler County Emergency Management Flagler County School Board Oak Hill Volusia County School Board Volusia County Emergency Mgmt
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January - December 2023



River to Sea TPO Outreach & Activities

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The River to Sea TPO has moved!



Ponce Preserves the Planet Earth Day Event

The River to Sea TPO attended Ponce Inlet's Ponce Preserves the Planet event on Saturday, March 18. More than a exhibitors dozen were placed throughout the trails of Ponce Preserve to provide education on how they contribute to preserving the planet. We had fantastic discussions with the many attendees about transportation and the environment as well as bicycle, pedestrian and driver safety.

The River to Sea TPO office has moved. Our new address is:

March/April 2023

1 Deuce Court Suite 100 Daytona Beach, FL 32124

All TPO Board, BPAC, CAC, and TCC meetings will be held in the Daytona Beach International Airport Airline Room at:

700 Catalina Drive Daytona Beach, FL 32114 Parking will be validated The Executive Committee will be meeting at the TPO's current location: 1 Deuce Court, Daytona Beach FL 32124 The TDLCB will continue to meet at Votran. Our phone number remains the same (386.226.0422).





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2023 Public Transportation and Transportation Disadvantaged (TD) Awareness Day

River to Sea TPO staff member Stephan Harris, along with Volusia County Council Member Matt Reinhart, and TDLCB members Doug Hall (and Watson), Cassandra Jessie, and Mary Tyson attended TD Awareness Day in Tallahassee on March 16 at The Capitol in Tallassee. The event provided an opportunity for our TDLCB members to inform their legislative delegates about the impact of coordinated transportation services to the Transportation Disadvantaged. TPO staff and TDLCB members met with Representative Chase Tramont, and Legislative Aides from Representative Tom Leek. Senator Travis Hutson and Representative Anna Eskamani's offices.



Ongoing Projects, Studies, & Activities

March/April 2023

- Develop Non-motorized Traffic Count Program
- Regional Resiliency Action Plan Implementation
- Execution of Safe Streets and Roads for All (SS4A) Grant
- Priority Project Application Review and Ranking
- Federal Functional Classification Review

The TPO office will be closed on April 7 for Good Friday

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Upcoming Events

January - April

Mobility Week Bike Lane Design Contest

Wadsworth Elementary, Palm Coast & McInnis Elementary, DeLeon Springs Students participate in the bike lane coloring contest and the school/FDOT selects the winning designs; FDOT will install the winning design in the bike lane(s) closest to the school entrance January – April: Design & installation of winning bike lane designs March - April: School Presentations

April 14

Central Florida MPO Alliance (CFMPOA) Meeting

10:00 am – 12:00 pm MetroPlan Orlando 250 S. Orange Avenue, Suite 200 Orlando More info: <u>Click Here</u>

April 17

Presentation on Distracted Driving to Palm Coast Youth

3:00 pm – 4:00 pm Palm Coast Community Center 305 Palm Coast Parkway NE Palm Coast, FL 32137 More info: <u>Click Here</u>

April 20

Families and Communities Together (FACT) Fair

5:30 pm – 7:00 pm New Smyrna Beach High School 1015 10th Street, New Smyrna Beach The River to Sea TPO will have a table at this event. More info: <u>Click Here</u>

April 27

MPO Advisory Council (MPOAC) Meeting

9:00 am – 5:00 pm The Florida Hotel & Conference Center 1500 Sand Lake Road Orlando, FL 32809 More info: <u>Click Here</u>



April 27

Deltona Family Fun Day

2:00 pm – 6:00 pm Deltona Regional Library 2150 Eustace Avenue, Deltona The River to Sea TPO will have a table at this event. More info: <u>Click Here</u>

May 18

2023 Health & Human Services Summit

9:00 am – 2:30 pm Daytona Beach Ocean Center 101 N. Atlantic Ave., Daytona Beach The River to Sea TPO will have a table at this event. More info: <u>Click Here</u>

May 25

Central Florida Commuter Rail Commission (CFCRC) Meeting

2:30 pm Lynx Central Station Administration Building 455 N. Garland Ave., 2nd Floor Orlando, FL 32801 More info: <u>Click Here</u> FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE April 11, 2023

LEGISLATION TO EXPAND ACCESS TO FLORIDA'S WILDLIFE CORRIDOR SIGNED INTO LAW ON PATH OF THE PANTHER DAY

Bill to connect Corridor to SUN Trail Network and trail towns across Florida's Heartland Becomes Law

Tallahassee — Senate Bill 106, Florida Shared-Use Nonmotorized Trail Network, legislation by Senator Jason Brodeur (R-Sanford) to expand access to Florida's iconic Wildlife Corridor, was signed into law earlier today by Governor DeSantis. A top priority of Florida Senate President Kathleen Passidomo (R-Naples), the bill would connect the corridor to Florida's Greenways and Trails System and the SUN Trail Network, as well as recreational pathways to heritage small towns across Florida. The Senate also adopted Senate Resolution 1732, recognizing April 11, 2023, as "Path of the Panther Day" in Florida to highlight the recovery of the Florida panther and celebrate the Florida Wildlife Corridor.

"Our wildlife corridor provides a unique opportunity to experience the wonder and beauty of Florida's heartland. With this legislation we have the chance not only to preserve this natural resource for future generations, but to expand access so more Floridians can walk, run, and bike from trail town to trail town, taking in all our great state has to offer," said Senate President Kathleen Passidomo (R-Naples) "I envision Florida's Wildlife Corridor as a top destination for recreational tourists from across the country and around the world. As I have said before, I believe this will be Florida's Central Park – a legacy we can be proud to leave for future generations of Floridians and visitors to enjoy."

Florida's Wildlife Corridor encompasses approximately 17.7 million acres, including almost 10 million acres of conservation lands. The corridor is being created through the state's purchase of development rights of farmers, ranchers, and other landowners who will be able to continue their operations in perpetuity and the lands will never be developed. From 2020-2022, under the leadership of Florida's Commissioner of Agriculture, former Senate President Wilton Simpson (R-Trilby), the Legislature appropriated \$600 million in funding available to expand the Wildlife Corridor.

"The legislation signed into law today includes \$200 million to connect the corridor to our trail system so more people across our state and around the world can experience Florida's unique natural habitat," said Senator Brodeur, who serves as Chair of the Senate Appropriations Committee on Agriculture, Environment, and General Government. "This significant expansion of access to Florida's iconic Wildlife Corridor will provide even more options for families, athletes, and adventure seekers to experience old Florida at its finest, safeguarding more of our wetlands, farmlands and ranchlands, while improving the visibility of our quaint, legacy trail towns across Florida's heartland." The Senate was joined for the adoption of Senate Resolution 1732 by conservation photographer and National Geographic Explorer Carlton Ward, Jr., whose photography is featured in the awardwinning film "Path of the Panther" and the book of the same name, highlighting conservation efforts and the urgency to protect the Florida Wildlife Corridor. Photographs taken by Mr. Ward are prominently displayed in the Office of Senate President Kathleen Passidomo and featured during the month of April 2023 on the 22nd floor observatory and gallery of the Capitol in Tallahassee.

The Florida Shared-Use Nonmotorized (SUN) Trail Program, a priority of former Florida Senate President Andy Gardiner (R-Orlando), was created in 2015 to support the establishment of a statewide system of interconnected multi-use trails for bicyclists and pedestrians through coordination between the Florida Department of Environmental Protection (FDEP) and the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT). The program receives funding from a portion of the existing fees paid when new vehicle registration fees are paid. The FDOT also dedicates other resources, such as federal grant funds, when available, to build bike and pedestrian trails that are part of the SUN Trail Network.

SB 106 formally connects the corridor to the state trail system, extending the SUN Trail Network to lands of the Florida Wildlife Corridor, which will include components that connect to nature trails, loop trails, or other points of public access wholly within a single park or natural area as potential parts of the SUN Trail Network. To fund expansions that connect the SUN Trail to the corridor, as well as the construction of shared-use nonmotorized trails in these areas, the bill increases from \$25 million to \$50 million the annual amount allocated to the SUN Trail Network from motor vehicle registration fees. The bill also appropriates \$200 million from the General Revenue Fund to the FDOT as a nonrecurring major investment to boost the planning, design, and construction of the SUN Trail Network. The legislation also codifies an existing campaign of the FDEP to recognize communities located along or in proximity to long-distance nonmotorized recreational trails as "Trail Towns," with guidance to Visit Florida for promoting trail-based tourism.

The bill requires that trail projects located within the Wildlife Corridor, to the greatest extent possible, use previously disturbed lands, such as abandoned roads and railroads, utility rights-of-way, canal corridors and drainage berms, and permanent fire lines. Further, FDOT is directed to minimize gaps between trail segments and to ensure, to the greatest extent possible, that local support exists for projects and trail segments, including the potential for dedication of local funding and of contributions by sponsors to support trail maintenance, which may include those private landowners who make their land, or property interests in such land, available for public use as a trail.

Volusia County Construction Report – April 2023

Completed within the last 6 months:

- 1) Williamson Blvd. (LPGA to Strickland Range)
- 2) Tenth St 4-lane widening (Myrtle to US 1)
- 3) Orange Camp Rd. 4-lane widening (MLK Blvd. to I-4)
- 4) Howland Blvd 4-lane widening (Providence Blvd to Elkcam Blvd)

Under Construction or Advertised for Construction:

- 1) Williamson Blvd. and Strickland Range Rd. Intersection Improvements Under Construction
- 2) Old New York paved shoulders (Shell to S-44) Under Construction
- 3) Trail Connection from Marine Discovery Center to River to Sea Loop Under Construction
- 4) City Island Seawall Repair Under Construction
- 5) Graves Ave Turn lanes (Veterans Memorial Parkway to Kentucky) Under Construction
- 6) Blue Lake Extension from Victoria Park to SR-472 <u>NTP 4-10-2023</u>
- 7) Old Elections Parking Lot Replacement <u>NTP 5-1-2023</u>
- 8) <u>Pioneer Trail and Sugar Mill Intersection Improvements Bid Advertising in April</u>
- 9) LPGA Blvd. and Clyde Morris Blvd. Intersection Improvements Bid Advertising in April

Design Projects:

- 1) Spring to Spring Trail Segment 3C (Trail along Don Smith Blvd) Design on Hold
- 2) Turnbull Bay Road paved shoulders ROW Acquisition Ongoing
- 3) Beresford Ave Extension (Blue Lake to MLK) Design Ongoing
- 4) Beresford Ave Extension (MLK to SR-44) Planning and Coordination Ongoing
- 5) Spring to Spring Trail (Lake Beresford to Old New York) Design Ongoing
- 6) Spring to Spring Trail (Old New York to SR-44) Design Ongoing
- 7) Spring to Spring Trail (SR-44 to Grand Avenue) Design On Hold
- 8) Amelia Ave (Voorhis to Ohio) Design Ongoing
- 9) Williamson Blvd. (Strickland Range to Hand Ave) Design Ongoing
- 10) Study of LPGA Widening from Tymber Creek to I-95 Study by FDOT underway
- 11) Old Mission Road from W. Park to Josephine Design Ongoing
- 12) Veterans Memorial Plaza Design Ongoing
- 13) Taylor Branch Rd. widening (Dunlawton to Clyde Morris) Feasibility Study Completed
- 14) Pioneer Trail and Tomoka Farms Rd. Roundabout Design Ongoing / ROW Acquisition Started
- 15) Williamson Blvd. Access Management Improvements (Airport to Taylor) Design On Hold
- 16) Doyle Rd. Twisted Oak to Lush Lane paved shoulders Design Ongoing
- 17) Orange Camp Rd. from US-17/92 to MLK widening study Study Ongoing
- 18) Veterans Memorial Parkway from Graves to SR-472 feasibility study Study Ongoing
- 19) Williamson from I-95 to Beville Rd. widening Negotiating scope of work
- 20) Dunn Ave Extension from LPGA Blvd to I-95 Negotiating scope of work
- 21) Pioneer Trail and Williams / Colony Park Study Ongoing
- 22) Dirksen from US-17/92 to I-4 widening study Traffic Study Ongoing

*Changes/Updates since last report are underlined.

Note: Dates are subject to change due to normal project development issues.

FLAGLER COUNTY CONSRUCTION REPORT As of March 2023

	Construction and Near Construction Phase	Status
1	Design of 3.7 miles A1A Shore Protection (FDOT)	Easement acquisition phase
2	Dune Restoration - City of Flagler Beach (ACOE)	Easement acquisition phase
3	Hurricane Dorian-Dune Restoration (FEMA)	Construction complete
4	Dune Restoration-Washington Oaks State Park	Construction ongoing
5	Dune Restoration-Painters Hill	Near construction
6	Beach Management Study	Study ongoing
7	Graham Swamp Multi-Use Trail & Pedestrian Bridge from Lehigh Trail to SR 100	Construction ongoing
8	Malacompra Road Resurfacing - from A1A to Roadway end at Atlantic Coast Beach	Construction complete; closeout in progress
9	Marineland Acres Road Improvement	Construction ongoing
10	Old Haw Creek from County Road 304 to SR 11	Design Complete; awaiting funding
11	Water Oak Road from County Road 2006 to Mahogany Blvd.	Construction ongoing
12	CR 90 from Hickory St to CR 75 Improvements	Design complete; Procurement Phase ongoing
13	Apache Dr from Osceola Ave to 1st Ave	Construction ongoing
14	Commerce Parkway	Design Update ongoing; Construction procurement ongoing
	Design Phase	Status
1	CR 304 Replacement of 4 Bridges	Design Complete
2	East Daytona North Paving Phase II (Various Roadways)	Design ongoing
3	Hargrove CR 1421 from Otis Stone Hunter CR 1422 to US 1	Design complete
4	Otis Stone from County Road 13 to US 1	Design complete
5	Rehabilitation and Resurfacing of Armand Beach Drive (Various Roadways)	Design ongoing
6	Rehabilitation and Resurfacing of Seascape	Design ongoing
7	Rima Ridge Resurfacing (Rodeo, Bareback Trl, Pinto Ln, Relay Rd, Oakridge Rd, Bridle Path Ln, Cone Rd, Shadow Ln, Sunny Rd	Design complete

Design phase to begin

Study ongoing; MS4 Permit Application NOI submitted

8 East Daytona North Paving Phase I (Various Roadways) 9 Stormwater Master Planning