



**LEGISLATIVE ISSUES SUBCOMMITTEE
MEETING SUMMARY
OCTOBER 19, 2018**

- Elected Deltona Commissioner Chris Nabicht as Chair of the Legislative Issues Subcommittee
- Discussed the development of the draft 2019 Legislative Positions for the River to Sea TPO and reached a consensus to add a priority to support maintaining the existing MPO structure and to add support for making texting and driving a primary offense to the safety priority
- Agreed to convene the next Legislative Issues Subcommittee meeting prior to the November 28, 2018 TPO Board meeting

***The next Legislative Issues Subcommittee meeting will be on
Wednesday, November 28, 2018 at 8:15 a.m.***

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
Ormond Beach

Palm Coast
Pierson
Ponce Inlet
Port Orange

South Daytona
Volusia County

Annual Call for Projects Points of Discussion

Eligible vs Ineligible Costs

Currently there is no TPO policy as to whether federally ineligible project costs are credited towards the local match requirement or are funded in addition to the local match requirement

- Should ineligible costs be credited towards the local match requirement

Sample project with 10% local match requirement
and \$50K in ineligible project costs

Eligible	\$1,000,000
Ineligible	\$50,000
Total	\$1,050,000

	Ineligible Costs Not Included as Part of Local Match		Ineligible Costs Included as Part of Local Match	
	Federal	Local	Federal	Local
Ineligible (LF)	\$0	\$50,000	\$0	\$50,000
Eligible (SU)	\$900,000	\$100,000	\$950,000	\$50,000
Total	\$900,000	\$150,000	\$950,000	\$100,000

- Reviewed on a case by case basis
- Project details included in original application

Cost Overruns vs Cost Increases

- Develop separate definitions for Cost Overrun vs Cost Increase
 - Cost Overrun - change in scope, project limits or project approach; result of incomplete, insufficient or out of date project cost estimate
 - Cost Increase - defined by a changing market or a change in requirements or standards; project cost estimate is current and complete
- Continue to require annual update to cost estimates
- Create structure of how local governments ask for additional funds - application or form
- Increase Executive Director authorization of additional funds from 10% to 15%
- Other Considerations:
 - Require increased match on cost overruns/increases
 - Create set-aside to cover cost overruns/increases
 - Previously used to do FDOT intake meetings - have TPO do intake meetings with our own consultant

Applications

- Update applications to reflect Transportation Performance Measures



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For immediate release

Votran joins Mobility Week 2018

Florida is celebrating its first annual statewide Mobility Week from Oct. 27 to Nov. 3. Mobility Week, launched in 2016 in Central Florida, is a collection of outreach events intended to bring attention to safe multimodal transportation choices. In honor of the event, Votran will participate in several community events.

Votran staff will attend the New Smyrna Beach Farmers Market on Saturday, Oct. 27. A tent will be set up at Votran's connection point on the corner of Julia Street and Sams Avenue from 8 to 11 a.m. The River to Sea Transportation Planning Organization (TPO) will also be present to promote bicycle and pedestrian safety and hand out promotional items. Attendees can meet professional stock car racing driver Scott Lagasse from 8 to 9 a.m. Lagasse is a supporter of the Florida Department of Health's "Arrive Alive" campaign. A "Ride with Rob" event will begin at 9:45 a.m. Votran General Manager Rob Stephens will board the Route 44 bus at Julia Street and Sams Avenue and ride the one-hour route. WSBB AM 1230 will broadcast live from the bus during the ride.

On Saturday, Nov. 3, Votran and the River to Sea TPO will have a booth at the Halifax Arts Festival on Beach Street in Daytona Beach, where they will provide information on Votran, fit attendees for free bicycle helmets and promote bicycle and pedestrian safety. For more information on the event, visit <http://halifaxartfestival.com/>.

To learn more about Mobility Week, including a complete schedule of events, how to enter the Mix-It-Up 2018 Challenge and learn about transportation modes available, visit <http://www.mobilityweekfl.com>.

For more information on Votran, visit www.Votran.org.

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"Come Ride with Rob."

Votran, in cooperation with WSBB, invite you to come ride with Votran's General Manager, Rob Stephens. October 27, 2018 from 9:40 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

Join us as Votran celebrates its newest route, the Route 44. Starting off from Votran's Julia and Sams Connection Point in downtown New Smyrna Beach. "From the Shore to the Store, it's Route 44"

This event is also in recognition of FDOT's 2018 Mobility Week Celebration. Join Votran, River to Sea TPO and FDOT at our tent located at the Julia and Sams Connection Point from 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Special appearance by NASCAR Camping World Truck Series driver Scott Lagasse Jr. from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.





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River to Sea TPO partners with FDOT for the State of Florida Mobility Week

This year's theme is "Mix-it-up – A New Way to Get Around"

Daytona Beach, FL – The River to Sea Transportation Planning Organization (TPO) is pleased to once again partner with the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) to celebrate Mobility Week from October 27 to November 3, 2018. Initially launched in 2016 in Central Florida, Mobility Week is being expanded into a statewide initiative due to its success in bringing together regional partners working towards a transportation system that promotes travel choices.

The Mobility Week initiative is an annual collection of outreach events to promote awareness of safe multimodal transportation choices and how those choices can build stronger communities, reduce traffic congestion and improve community health.

There are many ways to take part in Mobility Week. Agencies, employers and individuals can all participate and contribute in their own way. Agencies can organize an event, activity or training during Mobility Week that promotes walking, cycling or transit or implement mobility actions anytime during the year that encourage people to switch from driving alone to other transportation modes including ridesharing, teleworking or other options.

Employers are encouraged to organize a workplace event during Mobility Week that can range from travel safety training, group bicycle rides, educational workshops to hosting employee competitions. They can also implement long term initiatives by contacting their local commuter assistance program to explore commuting options that might be of interest to their employees.

Individuals can sign up and take part in the Mix-It-Up 2018 challenge, by pledging to try a new transportation choice that makes a positive impact on our transportation system, by reducing the number of trips we make driving alone. The challenge is intended to encourage people to mix and match different modes of transport in their daily life and compete for prizes furnished by Mobility Week Partners.

To learn more information about Mobility Week, including a schedule of events in your area, how to enter the Mix-It-Up 2018 Challenge and learn about transportation modes available, visit the FDOT Mobility Week website at <http://www.mobilityweekfl.com>.

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