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River to Sea Transportation Planning Organization (TPO) Seeking Public Comment on Proposed Amendment to the Connect 2045 Long Range Transportation Plan (LRTP)

The River to Sea Transportation Planning Organization (TPO) is seeking public comment on a proposed amendment to Connect 2045, the TPO's Long Range Transportation Plan (LRTP). The TPO is seeking to amend Connect 2045 as follows:

Flagler Central Parkway Connector from US Highway 1 to State Road 100 (Bunnell): This project received funding through an appropriation of the Florida Legislature during the 2022 Session and construction funding in the amount of \$6,800,000 needs to be reflected in the Connect 2045 Cost Feasible Plan for the years 2021 – 2025.

Members of the public are encouraged to provide input regarding these updates to the Connect 2045 LRTP. Detailed materials are available for review and comment on the TPO website @ www.r2ctpo.org.

Recommended action on this amendment will occur in September 2022 at the following meetings of the TPO advisory committees:

- Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee (BPAC) September 14, 2022 @ 2:00 p.m.
- Citizens' Advisory Committee (CAC) September 20, 2022 @ 1:15 p.m.
- Technical Coordinating Committee (TCC) September 20, 2022 @ 3:00 p.m.

The **River to Sea TPO Board** is expected to review and act on the draft amendment at their regularly scheduled meeting on **Wednesday, September 28, 2022 beginning at 9:00 a.m.**

All committee and board meetings are open to the public and public participation is welcomed. If you are unable to attend these meetings, comments may be provided in advance in writing or by contacting TPO staff via the information below. Meetings will take place in the conference room at the River to Sea TPO office located at:

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About the River to Sea TPO: The River to Sea TPO is the duly designated and constituted body responsible for carrying out the urban transportation planning and programming process for designated Metropolitan Planning Area (MPA). The TPO's metropolitan planning area includes all of Volusia County and the developed areas of eastern Flagler County, including Beverly Beach and Flagler Beach, as well as portions of the cities of Palm Coast and Bunnell.

For additional information or media inquiries, contact Pamela Blankenship, River to Sea TPO Community Outreach Coordinator, at PBlankenship@r2ctpo.org or 386-226-0422 ext. 20416.