

October 2021 TPO Outreach & Activities

COVID-19 UPDATES

In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, core planning activities continue as required:

- As conditions continue to change, the TPO will monitor and update business practices, assess participation in public events and in-person presentations, and continue to operate with caution, placing health and safety at the center of all of our decisions
- The TPO office remains closed to walk-in visitors; however, we open our doors for all meetings and appointments to ensure public access
- All visitors to the TPO offices are requested to wear masks at all times due to the high transmission rates in Volusia and Flagler Counties per the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) Guidelines [Your Guide to Masks | CDC](#)
- TPO staff has resumed our standard office presence during regular business hours
- TPO Board and committee meetings continue to require that a quorum be physically present; all other participants are being asked to attend TPO meetings remotely
- All public meetings are held using Microsoft Teams and the meeting information and links to join are posted on the TPO website at www.R2CTPO.org
- For the most current information regarding meetings and activities, please visit the TPO website or contact TPO staff

Breaking News

COVID-19 UPDATE

Flagler County Transit Development Plan (TDP)

The University of South Florida's Center for Urban Transportation Research (CUTR) is collaborating with Flagler County and the "Flagler Forward" campaign. Flagler Forward is a Transit Development Plan (TDP) that will serve as county's planning, development, and operational guidance document for a ten-year planning horizon. The plan is intended to support the development of an effective multimodal transportation system. The TDP serves as the basis for defining public transit needs, which is a prerequisite for receipt of state and federal funds. The TDP preparation process must include opportunities for the public's input to update and refine the transit provider's mission, goals, objectives, and service alternatives. If you live, work or play in Flagler County, please take a moment to complete the survey at the link below. Your input is very much appreciated!

Flagler TDP Survey Link: <https://tinyurl.com/FlaglerTransit>



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Forward

The Love to Ride Challenge is Here!

The Love to Ride Florida Challenge is here! Sign up and join the River to Sea TPO "Group" (make sure it is not the TPO workplace) at www.lovetoride.net/florida/groups/3186?group_invite=true. The Challenge runs from October 29 through November 30 and there are prizes to be won! You earn points as an individual by riding your bike and also by encouraging others to ride; points mean prizes! Last year the TPO won first place in all of Florida – let's do that again!!!! Get out and ride!



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NOVEMBER EVENTS:

- Oct. 29-Nov. 5: Annual Statewide FDOT Mobility Week
- 3: The House Next Door Helmet Fitting; DeLand
- 5: WAF30 – Daytona Beach Walk; Plaza Resort & Spa, Daytona
- 10: FDOT-D.B. Area Coalition Community Event; Ocean Center
- 13: TPO Presentation to the Daughters of American Revolution Group; Location TBD
- 18: VCARD Icebreaker; Plaza Resort & Spa, Daytona Beach

DECEMBER EVENTS:

- Dec. 3: TPO Annual Call for Projects Issued
- Dec. 8: Annual TPO Holiday Open House & Toy Drive to benefit the Department of Children and Families; TPO Office

ONGOING PROJECTS, STUDIES, ACTIVITIES

- Develop Non-Motorized Traffic Count Program
- Update of the Congestion Management Process (CMP) and Performance Measures Report
- Regional Resiliency Action Plan Implementation
- Update to the TPO Purchasing Manual
- FY 2020/2021 Annual TPO Audit
- TPO Executive Director Search
- FY 2020/21 TPO Annual Report
- Develop TPO “Monday on the Move” Videocasts
- Flagler County TDP Major Update
- TPO Review of Annual Priority Process
- TPO 2022 Legislative Issues
- Peninsula Drive Sidewalk & Signage Feasibility Study (FS) (PO)
- Madeline Ave Turn Lane Improv. @ Nova Rd FS (PO)
- North Causeway Pedestrian Crossing (NSB)
- Magnolia Avenue Shared Use Path FS (SD)
- South Street Multiuse Trail FS (NSB)

SR A1A Bicycle/Pedestrian Outreach

The River to Sea TPO partnered with FDOT to raise awareness of bicycle and pedestrian safety along SR A1A at Sun Splash Park in Daytona Beach on Saturday, October 2nd and Andy Romano Beachfront Park in Ormond Beach on Saturday, October 16th. Many great safety tips were shared with the public as well as bicycle and pedestrian safety gear being handed out.



Pedestrian Safety Awareness Event

In recognition of National Pedestrian Safety Month, FDOT partnered with Stetson University to host an educational event about important pedestrian tips, laws and features. The River to Sea TPO joined this event which featured FDOT Secretary Kevin J. Thibault, P.E., FDOT District Five Secretary Jared W. Perdue, P.E. and stakeholders from the Division of Blind Services as well as Stetson University.

