

MINUTES

GAINESVILLE URBANIZED AREA TRANSPORTATION STUDY
METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION PLANNING ORGANIZATION (MTPO)
TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE (TAC)

Gainesville Regional Utilities
301 SE 4th Avenue
Gainesville, Florida

2:00 p.m.
Wednesday
September 18, 2013

MEMBERS PRESENT

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OTHERS PRESENT

STAFF PRESENT

Jeff Hays, Chair
Debbie Leistner, Vice Chair
Laura Aguiar
Dekova Batey
Linda Dixon
Steve Dopp
Ron Fuller
Dean Mimms
Matthew Muller
Brian Singleton
Karen Taulbee

John Gifford
Steve Kabat
Harrell Harrison

Jim Green

Marlie Sanderson
Michael Escalante

CALL TO ORDER

Chair Jeff Hays, Alachua County Transportation Planning Manager, called the meeting to order at 2:06 p.m.

I. INTRODUCTIONS

There were no introductions.

II. APPROVAL OF THE MEETING AGENDA

Chair Hays asked for approval of the agenda.

Mr. Marlie Sanderson, Director of Transportation Planning, noted that a TAC member asked that item V, Year 2040 Long Range Transportation Plan Update- Overview be discussed ahead of item IV, Multimodal Emphasis Corridor- University Avenue and W. 13th Street.

MOTION: Dean Mimms moved to approve the meeting agenda modified to reverse item IV, Multimodal Emphasis Corridor- University Avenue and W. 13th Street and item V, Year 2040 Long Range Transportation Plan Update- Overview. Ron Fuller seconded; motion passed unanimously.

III. APPROVAL OF COMMITTEE MINUTES

Vice Chair Leistner asked for approval of the July 24, 2013 minutes.

MOTION: Steve Dopp moved to approve the July 24, 2013 TAC minutes. Debbie Leistner seconded; motion passed unanimously.

V. YEAR 2040 LONG RANGE TRANSPORTATION PLAN UPDATE- OVERVIEW

Mr. Sanderson provided an overview of the Year 2040 Long Range Transportation Plan update.

IV. MULTIMODAL EMPHASIS CORRIDOR- UNIVERSITY AVENUE AND W. 13TH STREET

Mr. Sanderson stated that the MTPO referred to its advisory committees the task of developing sufficient detail for the Cost Feasible Plan's Multimodal Emphasis Corridors for the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) to fund specific projects. He also discussed the FDOT Transportation design for Livable Communities University of Florida participation.

VI. NEEDED UNMARKED CROSSWALKS

Mr. Sanderson stated that the MTPO requested development of recommendations for locations of marked midblock pedestrian crosswalks. He discussed a draft list of locations provided by City of Gainesville Public Works staff and answered questions.

Ms. Linda Dixon, University of Florida Assistant Planning Director, discussed adding crossings on SW 16th Avenue between Shealy Drive and SW 16th Street and on Archer Road between Gale Lemerand Drive and Center Drive.

VII. TOP TEN NEEDED BUS PULLOUT LOCATIONS

Mr. Sanderson stated that the MTPO referred development of a top ten list of bus pullout locations. He discussed locations proposed by the Regional Transit System and answered questions.

Ms. Debbie Leistner, City of Gainesville Transportation Planning Manager, discussed adding a pullout at the Main Street Publix.

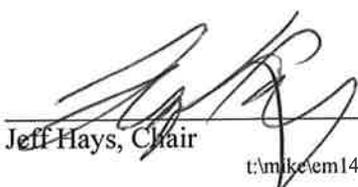
VIII. INFORMATION ITEMS

There was no discussion of the information items

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 3:25 p.m.

11/20/2013
Date



Jeff Hays, Chair

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