AGENDA
METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION PLANNING ORGANIZATION
FOR THE GAINESVILLE URBANIZED AREA

Jack Durrance Auditorium
County Administration Building
Gainesville, Florida

Thursday, 5:30 p.m.
June 8, 2000

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

I. Approval of the Meeting Agenda and Consent Agenda

APPROVE BOTH AGENDAS

The MTPO needs to review and approve the meeting and consent agendas
STAFF RECOMMENDATION

CA. 1 MTPO Minutes- May 11, 2000 APPROVE MINUTES

This set of MTPO minutes is ready for review and approval

CA. 2 Highway Level of Service Standards APPROVE REVISED STANDARDS

MTPO standards are being revised so that they are consistent with recently revised City and County standards

CA. 3 Design Team Referrals FOR INFORMATION ONLY

This year, there are no new projects with preliminary engineering in Fiscal Year 2000/2001 that should be referred to the Design Team

CA. 4 Transportation Disadvantaged Program- Status Report FOR INFORMATION ONLY

The MTPO has asked for monthly status reports regarding CTS’ progress in implementing the City audit recommendations

CA. 5 Recent MTPO Correspondence FOR INFORMATION ONLY (Without enclosures)

1. MTPO Chair letter to FDOT dated May 22 concerning NW 34th Street
2. MTPO Chair letter to FDOT dated May 22 concerning US 441 at Gainesville High School

3. MTPO Chair May 24 letter to the Office of the Governor

4. B/PAB Chair May 24 letter to County Commission Chair

5. Alachua County Attorney letter concerning the Government in the Sunshine Law.
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RECOMMENDATION

II. Request for Proposals for Alachua County Coordinator

APPROVE STAFF RECOMMENDATION

The deadline for the MTPO to forward its recommendation to the State Commission is July 13

III. Long Range Transportation Plan-
Main Street Public Hearing

PUBLIC COMMENTS

A. Welcome and Opening Remarks (Chair Clemons)*

B. Proposed Plan Amendment

The MTPO is considering reducing portions of Main Street, between N. 16th Avenue and Depot Avenue, from four travel lanes to two travel lanes

C. University Avenue/Main Street Corridor Traffic Analysis

Mr. Whit Blanton, MTPO Consultant, will report the final results concerning this traffic analysis
C. Public Comments and Questions*

1. In order to insure that everyone has the opportunity to speak at this workshop, please fill out a card located at the table in the entrance area.

2. Speakers will be encouraged to provide comments and ask questions in the order that the cards were filled out and turned in (each card will have a number at the top).

3. Each speaker will be encouraged to limit their comments to either three or five minutes depending on the number of cards turned in.

D. Close Public Hearing and Open Regular Business Meeting*

IV. Proposed Main Street Plan Amendment APPROVE JOINT CAC/TAC/STAFF RECOMMENDATION

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V. State Roads 26A and 26-

1. West of W. 34th Street APPROVE STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Recommendations have been developed concerning proposed transportation modifications for these two roads west of W. 34th Street.

2. W. 34th Street to North/South Drive APPROVE STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Recommendations have been developed concerning proposed transportation modifications for these two roads east of W. 34th Street.

VI. Fiscal Years 2001-2005 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) APPROVE JOINT CAC/TAC/STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Federal funds must be approved and included in the TIP each year.
VII. Archer Road and SW 91st Street APPROVE STAFF Roundabout RECOMMENDATION

At last month’s meeting, the MTPO requested that FDOT and County staff reconsider their position that a roundabout at this location is not appropriate.

VIII. Proposed Butler Plaza Expansion Plans APPROVE TAC/STAFF RECOMMENDATION

At last month’s meeting, the Chair referred this issue to the MTPO Advisory Committees for review and comment.

IX. Regional Transit Center Project APPROVE JOINT CAC/TAC/STAFF RECOMMENDATION

The City Commission has asked the MTPO for recommendations concerning several issues related to this project.

X. Next MTPO Meeting AGREE TO MEET JULY 13

The next meeting is scheduled for July 13 at 1:30 p.m. in the City Commission Auditorium.

XI. Comments

A. MTPO Members*
B. Citizens*
C. Chair’s Report*

Please bring the enclosed materials to the meeting. If you have any questions regarding the agenda items or enclosed materials, please contact Mr. Marlie Sanderson, MTPO Director of Transportation Planning, at 955-2200, Extension 103.

*No handout included with the enclosed agenda material.