

AGENDA
METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION PLANNING ORGANIZATION
FOR THE GAINESVILLE URBANIZED AREA

Jack Durrance Auditorium
County Administration Building
Gainesville, Florida

Thursday, 7:00 p.m.
September 14, 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

**CONSENT AGENDA
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CA. 1 MTPO Minutes- July 13, 2000 APPROVE MINUTES

This set of MTPO minutes is ready for review and approval

**CA. 2 MTPO Meeting Summary- APPROVE SUMMARY
 August 3, 2000**

This MTPO meeting summary is ready for review and approval

**CA. 3 Competitive “Walkable Community” AGREE TO SUBMIT
 Workshop Grant PROPOSAL**

If we are selected, U.S. DOT will pay half of the direct costs (\$6,250) of this workshop and the MTPO will pay the other half

CA. 4 MTPO Budget APPROVE STAFF RECOMMENDATION

A. The MTPO needs to revise its 1999/00 budget recording period

B. The MTPO needs to review the preliminary 2000/01 budget period

CA. 5 **NW 39th Avenue/Interstate 75** **APPROVE STAFF**
 Interchange Lighting Alternatives **RECOMMENDATION**

FDOT is requesting MTPO recommendations concerning three proposed lighting alternatives

CA. 6 **Fiscal Year 1999/00 MTPO** **AUTHORIZE CHAIR TO**
 Audit- Letter of Engagement **SIGN LETTER**

The firm of James Moore & Co. has been selected to prepare the audit

CA. 7 **Transportation Disadvantaged Program-** **APPROVE**
 Service Appreciation Resolution **RESOLUTION**

Ms. Conroy has recently resigned from the Alachua County Coordinating Board

CA. 8 **Transportation Disadvantaged Program-** **APPROVE STAFF**
 State Agency Representatives **RECOMMENDATION**

State agency representatives are appointed based on nominations from their respective agencies

CA. 9 **Transportation Disadvantaged** **APPROVE STAFF**
 Program- Status Report **RECOMMENDATION**

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

CA. 10 **ADA Transportation Issues** **FOR INFORMATION ONLY**

In July, the MTPO asked for the budgetary implications of the report's recommendations

**CA. 11 Recent MTPO Correspondence FOR INFORMATION ONLY
(Without enclosures)**

1. FDOT District 2 Secretary letter dated July 6, 2000
2. County Commission Chair letter dated July 18, 2000
3. FDOT District 2 Planning Manager letter dated August 16,
2000
4. Mr. Rob Ayers letter dated August 16, 2000
5. FDOT District 2 Secretary letter dated August 22, 2000
6. FDOT State Transit Manager letter dated August 24, 2000

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II. Long Range Transportation Plan- Year 2020 Needs Plan Public Hearing **PUBLIC COMMENTS**

A. Welcome and Opening Remarks (Chair Clemons)*

B. Proposed Land Use Plan Alternatives/Needs Plan

At tonight's meeting, the MTPO is being asked to select a land use alternative and adopt a list of needed transportation projects

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*

III. Butler Plaza Expansion Traffic Analysis **APPROVE STAFF RECOMMENDATION**

Enclosed is the traffic analysis prepared by Renaissance Planning Group

IV. Year 2020 Land Use Alternative and Needs Plan **APPROVE STAFF RECOMMENDATION**

The MTPO is being asked to select a land use alternative and adopt a list of needed transportation projects

V. List of Priority Projects **FORWARD PRIORITIES TO FDOT**

By October 1, the MTPO must establish priorities for transportation projects that are needed, but currently unfunded

VI. Main Street Jurisdictional Changes **APPROVE TAC WORKING GROUP/ STAFF RECOMMENDATION**

This Group is recommending the first phase for implementing the MTPO's decision to reduce the number of travel lanes on Main Street

VII. Roundabout at SR 24 (Archer Road) and SW 91st Street **NO ACTION REQUIRED**

In a recent letter FDOT states that "*we cannot allow a roundabout to be installed*" at this location

VIII. August 25 University of Florida/City/ County Meeting **NO ACTION REQUIRED**

A member of the MTPO has requested a report concerning this August 25 meeting and proposed University parking garage plans

IX. Next MTPO Meeting **AGREE TO MEET OCTOBER 12**

The next meeting is scheduled for October 12 at 1:30 p.m. in the Jack Durrance Auditorium

X. Comments

- A. MTPO Members***
- B. Mr. Harold Graybill**
- C. Other Citizens**
- D. 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.

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