STAFF RECOMMENDATION

I. Approval of the Meeting Agenda and Consent Agenda

APPROVE BOTH AGENDAS

The MTPO needs to review and approve both agendas
CONSENT AGENDA
METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION PLANNING ORGANIZATION
FOR THE GAINESVILLE URBANIZED AREA

Jack Durrance Auditorium Thursday, 3:00 p.m.
County Administration Building March 1, 2001
Gainesville, Florida

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

CA. 1 MTPO Minutes- February 15, 2001 APPROVE MINUTES
This set of MTPO minutes is ready for review and approval

CA. 2 MTPO Fiscal Year 2000 Audit APPROVE COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION
This Committee has met and is recommending that the MTPO accept the audit report and approve the invoice for payment

CA. 3 Regional Transit System (RTS) FOR INFORMATION ONLY
Annual Ridership Report
Each year, MTPO staff prepare an annual transit ridership report

CA. 4 Recent MTPO Correspondence FOR INFORMATION ONLY
(Without enclosures)
1. Richard Briggs letter dated February 5 to the MTPO;
2. MTPO letter dated February 19 to the City concerning the Regional Transit System Comprehensive Operational Analysis;
3. MTPO letters dated February 19 to FDOT concerning:
   A. State Road 24 speed limit;
   B. US 441 bicycle safety issues;
   C. Hull Road right-of-way status report;
   D. Pedestrian signals- SW 34th Street resurfacing project;
   E. Pedestrian signals- Main Street reconstruction project;
   F. Pedestrian signals; and
   G. State Road 24 at Interstate 75 safety project;
4. MTPO letters dated February 19 to FDOT and the Alachua County Traffic Safety Team concerning US 441 at Gainesville High School safety project;

5. MTPO letters dated February 19 to FDOT and County concerning the Main Street reconstruction project; and

6. MTPO letters dated February 19 to the City and County concerning traffic citation information.
II. Southeast Connector Subcommittee- Status Report

After two meetings, this Subcommittee is ready to give a status report

A. City and County Staff Liaison

The Committee is requesting that the City and County appoint one staff representative to serve as liaison to the Subcommittee

B. FDOT Report Concerning the Florida Intrastate Highway System

The Committee has asked FDOT to discuss several issues related to this road and the Florida Intrastate Highway System

III. Next MTPO Meeting

The next MTPO meeting is currently scheduled for April 12 at 1:30 p.m.

IV. Comments*

A. MTPO Members
B. Citizens
C. Chair’s Report (if necessary)
AGENDA
METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION PLANNING ORGANIZATION
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Jack Durrance Auditorium
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Gainesville, Florida

Thursday, 6:00 p.m.
March 1, 2001

1. Redevelopment of Conventional Shopping Centers into Walkable Town Centers* FOR INFORMATION ONLY

Planning and retail experts Victor Dover and Robert Gibbs will lead a participatory workshop on the transformation of shopping centers into more walkable and transit-orientated places

II. Comments*

A. MTPO Members
B. Citizens

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.