

October 4, 2001

TO: Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization (MTPO)  
FROM: John Barrow, Chair  
SUBJECT: Meeting Announcement

The MTPO for the Gainesville Urbanized Area will meet on Thursday, October 11 at 1:30 p.m. This meeting will be held in the Jack Durrance Auditorium, Alachua County Administration Building, Gainesville, Florida.

Enclosed are copies of the meeting agenda. Please bring the materials enclosed with the agenda to the meeting. If you have any questions, please contact Mr. Marlie Sanderson, MTPO Director of Transportation Planning, at 955-2200, extension 103.

Enclosures

AGENDA  
METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION PLANNING ORGANIZATION  
FOR THE GAINESVILLE URBANIZED AREA

Jack Durrance Auditorium  
County Administration Building  
Gainesville, Florida

Thursday, 1:30 p.m.  
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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  
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Page #01 CA. 1 MTPO Minutes- September 13, 2001 APPROVE MINUTES

This set of MTPO minutes is ready for review and approval

Page #07 CA. 2 City of Gainesville Creek Naming Program APPROVE DRAFT LETTER

The MTPO Roadway and Traffic Control Signage Subcommittee has developed recommendations concerning this program

Page #09 CA. 3 Charrette Video Equipment APPROVE STAFF RECOMMENDATION

MTPO staff is recommending the purchase of video equipment to document the Plan East Gainesville project and future planning workshops

Page #11 CA. 4 Resolution Supporting Additional Transportation Disadvantaged Program Funding APPROVE RESOLUTION

The Coordinating Board is recommending that the MTPO support the Voluntary Dollar Program and Senate Bill 100 and House Bill 141

Page #15 CA. 5 Coordinating Board Member Service Appreciation Resolution APPROVE RESOLUTION

This Resolution expresses the MTPO's appreciation for Ms. Ingersoll's service on the Coordinating Board

Page #19 CA. 6 Coordinating Board- Voting Community Action Agency Representative Appointment APPOINT MR. HARRIS

The Central Florida Community Action Agency is recommending that its Executive Director fill this vacant position

Page #23 CA. 7 Coordinating Board Membership Certification APPROVE CERTIFICATION

Each year, the MTPO must certify that the membership of this Board represents a cross section of the community

Page #27 CA. 8 Transportation Disadvantaged Program- Status Report FOR INFORMATION ONLY

The MTPO has asked for regular status reports concerning this program

Page #33 CA. 9 2001 Clean Air Transportation Communities Grant Competition FOR INFORMATION ONLY

This U.S. Environmental Protection Agency letter discusses why our grant application was not selected for funding

Page #37 CA. 10 Main Street Roadway Enhancements FOR INFORMATION ONLY

The County's meeting concerning this project has been rescheduled for Tuesday, October 16

Page #39 CA. 11 Transportation and Land Use Planning Applications Forum FOR INFORMATION ONLY

The MTPO is sponsoring this forum as part of its Transportation and Community and System Preservation Pilot Program Grant

CA. 12 Recent MTPO Correspondence  
(Without enclosures)

FOR INFORMATION ONLY

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1. MTPO Chair Hogtown Creek letter to FDOT dated September 24



VI. Plan East Gainesville Project

Page #79 A. Planning Funds- Status Report FOR INFORMATION ONLY

Enclosed is a status report concerning funds that have been identified so far for this project

Page #107 B. Consultant Selection Process RANK CONSULTANTS

The Plan East Gainesville Consultant Selection Team is forwarding its recommendations to the MTPO

Page #109 VII. Lockwood Greene Report- APPROVE JOINT  
MTPO Response RECOMMENDATIONS

In June, the MTPO authorized its Chair to respond to the transportation issues raised in this Report

Page #121 VIII. Main Street at Depot Avenue Roundabout APPROVE STAFF  
RECOMMENDATION

The MTPO Advisory Committees have developed recommendations

Page#127 IX. Proposed Long Range Transportation Plan APPROVE STAFF  
Amendment- University Avenue RECOMMENDATION

The MTPO Advisory Committees have developed recommendations

Page #131 X. Transportation Improvement Program APPROVE JOINT  
(TIP) Consistency Review RECOMMENDATIONS

Enclosed is a letter from the Florida Department of Community Affairs concerning the TIP's consistency with local Comprehensive Plans

Page #137 XI. Florida Greenways and Trails FOR INFORMATION ONLY  
Acquisition Program- Grant Applications

At the September meeting, City staff agreed to take the lead on working with County staff on this grant application

The next MTPO is currently scheduled for November 8 at 1:30 p.m.

XIII. Comments\*

- A. MTPO Members
- B. Citizens
- C. Chair's Report (if necessary)

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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