

North Central Florida Regional Planning Council



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April 13, 2009

TO: Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization (MTPO)

FROM: Scherwin Henry, Chair

SUBJECT: Meeting Announcement

The MTPO for the Gainesville Urbanized Area will meet on **Monday, April 20, 2009 at 6:00 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

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AGENDA METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION PLANNING ORGANIZATION FOR THE GAINESVILLE URBANIZED AREA

Jack Durrance Auditorium
Alachua County Administration Building
Gainesville, Florida

Monday, 6:00 p.m.
April 20, 2009

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

- Page #3 I. **Approval of the Meeting Agenda
and Consent Agenda** **APPROVE BOTH AGENDAS**
- The MTPO needs to review and approve both agendas
- Page #183 II. **SW 20th Avenue- Scoping Plans** **APPROVE ALTERNATIVE 3
RECOMMENDATIONS**
- At the November meeting, the MTPO did not have a quorum when a motion was made to approve the Alternative 3 cross section
- Page #187 III. **Transportation Improvement Program
Amendment- SW 8th Avenue Sidewalk** **APPROVE AMENDMENT**
- This bike lane/sidewalk project has been funded and needs to be amended into the Transportation Improvement Program
- Page #189 IV. **Transportation Improvement Program (TIP)** **APPROVE STAFF
RECOMMENDATION**
- The TIP is the document that the MTPO approves each year which authorizes the use of federal and state transportation funds
- Page #193 V. **Archer Road/SW 16th Avenue Project
Development and Environmental Study** **NO ACTION REQUIRED**
- City of Gainesville staff and the City's consultant (Kimley-Horn and Associates, Inc.) will give a status report on this project

VI. Year 2035 Long Range Transportation Plan Update- Public Participation Plan

APPROVE JOINT RECOMMENDATIONS

The MTPO has contracted with Renaissance Planning Group to assist with the update of the long range transportation plan

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VII. Next MTPO Meeting

AGREE TO MEET ON JUNE 8TH

The MTPO does not have any agenda items that require a meeting on May 11th

VIII. Comments

- A. MTPO Members*
- B. Citizen Comments
- 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, AICP, MTPO Director of Transportation Planning, at 955-2200, Extension 103.

*No handout included with the enclosed agenda material.

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CONSENT AGENDA METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION PLANNING ORGANIZATION FOR THE GAINESVILLE URBANIZED AREA

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Page #7 CA. 1 MTPO Minutes- March 2, 2009 APPROVE MINUTES

This set of MTPO minutes is ready for review

Page #13 CA. 2 MTPO Fiscal Year 2008 Audit Review APPROVE COMMITTEE
Committee Report REPORT

The MTPO Audit Review Committee has met and recommends that the MTPO accept the audit report and approve the invoice for payment

Page #37 CA. 3 Unified Planning Work Program (UPWP)- APPROVE REVISIONS
Revisions

Enclosed with this agenda item are UPWP pages that need to be approved for Fiscal Year 2009/10

Page #61 CA. 4 Joint Certification Statement AUTHORIZE CHAIR TO SIGN

The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) is recommending that the MTPO planning process be certified

Page #65 CA. 5 Revised Transportation Planning Funds Joint APPROVE STAFF
Participation Agreement Form: 525-101-02 RECOMMENDATION

FDOT is requiring the MTPO to include the language in Exhibit 2 as part of the current Transportation Planning Funds Joint Participation Agreement

Page #87 CA. 6 Continuity of Operations Plan- Revisions APPROVE REVISIONS

This Plan has been reviewed and revisions have been made to improve it

Page #103 CA. 7 Bus Rapid Transit Feasibility Study APPROVE SUBCOMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS

The Plan East Gainesville (PEG) Subcommittee and MTPO Advisory Committees received a Bus Rapid Transit Study status report presentation

Page #161 CA. 8 Plan East Gainesville Subcommittee NO ACTION REQUIRED

The Alachua County Commission has appointed Commissioner Pinkoson to replace Commissioner Chestnut on this Subcommittee

Page #163 CA. 9 Transportation Disadvantaged Program- Status Report NO ACTION REQUIRED

The MTPO has asked for regular status reports concerning this program

Page #173 CA. 10 U.S. Government Accountability Office (GAO)- Interview NO ACTION REQUIRED

The GAO interviewed MTPO staff about several issues, such as ways to improve regional transportation planning

Page #175 CA. 11 Regional Transit System Ridership NO ACTION REQUIRED

Enclosed is annual transit ridership information for 2008

Page #177 CA. 12 Florida Metropolitan Planning Organization Advisory Council- 2008 Legislative Policy Positions NO ACTION REQUIRED

Enclosed are copies of the 2009 MPOAC legislative policy positions