May 9, 2005

TO: Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization (MTPO)

FROM: Chuck Chestnut, Chair

SUBJECT: Meeting Announcement

The MTPO for the Gainesville Urbanized Area will meet on **Monday, May 16 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
AGENDA
METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION PLANNING ORGANIZATION
FOR THE GAINESVILLE URBANIZED AREA

Jack Durrance Auditorium
Alachua County Administration Building
Gainesville, Florida

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I. Approval of the Meeting Agenda and Consent Agenda
APPROVE BOTH AGENDAS

The MTPO needs to review and approve both agendas

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II. Transportation Improvement Program (TIP)
APPROVE TIP

The TIP is the document that the MTPO approves each year which authorizes the use of federal funds

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III. Archer Road and SW 34th St. Intersection- Preliminary Feasibility Study for a New Interchange
APPROVE STAFF RECOMMENDATION

The Consultant is ready to present the results of this study

IV. Year 2025 Transportation Plan Update

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A. Schedule of Events
NO ACTION REQUIRED

The MTPO Consultant will discuss the latest schedule for this Plan Update

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B. April 18 Community Workshop
NO ACTION REQUIRED

The information presented at this workshop will be discussed
The MTPO Consultant will discuss the results of this survey.

MTPO Staff recommends that the MTPO adopt a vision statement to guide the selection of projects for this plan update.

The proposed goals and objectives give additional detailed guidance in selecting projects for this plan update.

The MTPO needs to approve a list of highway projects to be tested and evaluated.

The proposed transit alternative was developed by Regional Transit System Staff.

Discuss if this MTPO workshop is needed, and if so, schedule it.

The next MTPO meeting is currently scheduled for June 29 at 6:00 p.m.
VII. 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.
CONSENT AGENDA
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STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Page #9 CA. 1 MTPO Minutes- May 5, 2005 APPROVE MINUTES

This set of MTPO minutes is ready for review.

Page #21 CA. 2 Unified Planning Work Program Revision APPROVE REVISION
Modification

This revision is needed to move staff resources from one approved task to another.

Page #23 CA. 3 Transportation Disadvantaged NO ACTION REQUIRED
Program- Status Report

The MTPO has asked for regular status reports concerning this program.

Page #31 CA. 4 Traffic Trends NO ACTION REQUIRED

University of Florida staff have requested that we share this information with the MTPO.

Page #37 CA. 5 Additional Considerations for the NO ACTION REQUIRED
Highway and Transit Alternatives

Enclosed are materials from the April 18th public workshop on the Year 2025 Transportation Plan update.