April 25, 2006

TO: Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization (MTPO)

FROM: Rodney Long, Chair

SUBJECT: Meeting Announcement

The MTPO for the Gainesville Urbanized Area will meet on Tuesday, May 2nd at 2:30 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
Alachua County Administration Building
Gainesville, Florida
Tuesday, 2:30 p.m.
May 2, 2006

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 #147 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

Page #151 III. MTPO Voting Membership and Boundary APPROVE LEAGUE RECOMMENDATIONS

The MTPO has requested recommendations from each of the municipalities in Alachua County and from the Alachua County League of Cities

Page #207 IV. Urban Village: SW 20th Avenue APPROVE JOINT RECOMMENDATIONS
Transportation Design Proposal

The MTPO has contracted with the University of Florida, School of Architecture, to prepare this study

Page #233 V. Proposed Hull Road Right-of-Way Issues REFER TO COMMITTEES FOR RECOMMENDATIONS

A proposed project on Hull Road immediately west of SW 34th Street has buildings located within the proposed Hull Road Extension right-of-way
VI. Next MTPO Meeting
AGREE TO MEET JUNE 16 AT 6:00 P.M.

The next MTPO meeting is scheduled for June 16 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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Page #7 CA. 1 MTPO Minutes- March 9, 2006
APPROVE MINUTES

This set of MTPO minutes is ready for review

Page #15 CA. 2 Unified Planning Work Program
APPROVE JOINT RECOMMENDATIONS

This document is the MTPO staff budget for Fiscal Year 2006/2007

Page #23 CA. 3 Pedestrian Refuge Islands Along East University Avenue
APPROVE JOINT RECOMMENDATIONS

Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) staff have developed several design options for the MTPO to consider

Page #29 CA. 4 State Road (SR) 26 at SR 222 Intersection Reconstruction Plans
APPROVE JOINT RECOMMENDATIONS

Enclosed are 90 percent design plans to reconstruct this intersection

Page #45 CA. 5 MTPO Fiscal Year 2004/2005 Audit
APPROVE COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS

It is a consensus of the Audit Review Committee that the MTPO accept the audit report and approve the invoice for payment
This amendment is needed in order for FDOT to consider the City of Alachua’s grant application for the US 441 Employee Shuttle.

In order to maintain the certification for the MTPO program, the MTPO must have adopted procedures to handle Title VI complaints.

This application is for state funds to support the MTPO’s Transportation Disadvantaged Program.

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

At the last meeting, the MTPO requested a status report on this study.

In January, the MTPO requested a traffic signal study at this location.

The MTPO’s Plan East Gainesville Subcommittee and the City of Alachua Transportation Task Force worked together to develop this report.

Enclosed for information only are copies of recent correspondence.