

# North Central Florida Regional Planning Council



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October 23, 2003

TO:                      Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization (MTPO)

FROM:                  Warren Nielsen, Chair

**SUBJECT:    Meeting Announcement**

The MTPO for the Gainesville Urbanized Area will meet on **Thursday, October 30 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

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## AGENDA METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION PLANNING ORGANIZATION FOR THE GAINESVILLE URBANIZED AREA

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Alachua County Administration Building  
Gainesville, Florida

Thursday, 1:30 p.m.  
October 30, 2003

### STAFF RECOMMENDATION

- 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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## CONSENT AGENDA METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION PLANNING ORGANIZATION FOR THE GAINESVILLE URBANIZED AREA

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### STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Page #1 CA. 1 MTPO Minutes- August 14, 2003 APPROVE MINUTES

This set of MTPO minutes is ready for review and approval

Page #11 CA. 2 Year 2025 Long Range Plan Update- Consultant Selection APPROVE COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS

The MTPO's Technical Review Committee is recommending that the MTPO contract with The Corradino Group to prepare this plan update

Page #13 CA. 3 Archer Road Charrette- Consultant Shortlist Recommendations APPROVE COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS

The MTPO's Technical Review Committee recommends that the MTPO shortlist all three consulting firms that submitted letters of qualifications

Page #27 CA. 4 State Road 331 (Williston Road) Resurfacing Project APPROVE JOINT RECOMMENDATIONS

The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) has submitted proposed design concepts for this project

Page #31 CA. 5 State Road 24-A Bypass Designation APPROVE JOINT RECOMMENDATIONS

This designation should reduce the number of large trucks on SW 13<sup>th</sup> Street near the University and on University Avenue in the downtown area

Page #43 CA. 6 Newberry Road Turnlanes **APPROVE JOINT RECOMMENDATIONS**

FDOT has submitted 60 percent design plans for review

Page #57 CA. 7 W. University Avenue Right-of-way Acquisition **APPROVE JOINT RECOMMENDATION**

The County Commission is requesting that the MTPO ask FDOT to revise its plans to acquire right-of-way on University Avenue

Page #63 CA. 8 MTPO Meetings- Live Telephone Call-in **APPROVE STAFF RECOMMENDATION**

Enclosed are recommended procedures to improve how citizen comments from these calls are forwarded to MTPO members

Page #73 CA. 9 Public Transportation Planning Funds **APPROVE RESOLUTION**

This Resolution must be submitted to FDOT in order for the MTPO to receive these additional planning funds

CA. 10 Transportation Disadvantaged Program-

Page #75 A. Coordinating Board Membership Certification **APPROVE CERTIFICATION**

Each year, the MTPO must certify that the membership of this Board is established pursuant to Rule 41-2.012(3) of the Florida Administrative Code

Page #79 B. Resolution of Appreciation **APPROVE RESOLUTION**

This member of the Coordinating Board has served since November 1999

Page #85 CA. 11 MTPO Correspondence **NO ACTION REQUIRED**

Enclosed is a copy of recent MTPO correspondence



Page #147 VI. Traffic Signal Preemption by Emergency Vehicles NO ACTION REQUIRED

The Gainesville Fire Chief has requested the opportunity to make a presentation concerning this issue and to request a higher priority for funding

Page #161 VII. Extension of NW 23<sup>rd</sup> Avenue NO ACTION REQUIRED

At the August meeting, a member of the MTPO requested background information concerning the history of this project in the long range planning process

### VIII. Resurfacing Projects

Page #175 A. Use of Federal and/or State Funds to Resurface City and County Roads NO ACTION REQUIRED

The MTPO has requested information concerning whether federal and/or state funds can be used to resurface City and County roads

Page #177 B. Eligible City and County Roads NO ACTION REQUIRED

The MTPO has requested information concerning which City and County roads can be resurfaced using federal and state funds

Page #181 IX. Next MTPO Meeting AGREE TO MEET ON NOVEMBER 20

MTPO staff recommends that the MTPO meet on November 20 at 1:30 p.m. because the MTPO may not have a quorum on December 18

### X. 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.