

## MINUTES

### GAINESVILLE URBANIZED AREA TRANSPORTATION STUDY METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION PLANNING ORGANIZATION TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Gainesville Regional Utilities General Purpose Room  
301 SE 4th Avenue  
Gainesville, Florida

November 15, 2017  
2:00 p.m.

#### MEMBERS PRESENT

Dekova Batey  
Jeffrey Hays, Chair  
Erik Lewis  
Krys Ochia  
Suzanne Schiemann  
Thomas Strom

#### MEMBERS ABSENT

Ron Fuller  
James Green  
Deborah Leistner  
Dean Mimms  
James Speer

#### OTHERS PRESENT

Jesus Gomez  
Chandler Otis

#### STAFF PRESENT

Michael Escalante

#### CALL TO ORDER

Chair Jeffrey Hays, Alachua County Transportation Planning Manager, called the meeting to order at 2:20 p.m.

#### I. INTRODUCTIONS

Chair Hays introduced himself and asked others to introduce themselves.

#### II. APPROVAL OF THE MEETING AGENDA

Chair Hays asked for approval of the agenda.

Michael Escalante, Senior Planner, asked that the agenda be amended to add item VIII.B Transportation Improvement Program Amendment - State Road 222 (NW 39th Avenue) Railroad Crossing and item XI.B Shared-Use Nonmotorized Trail Network - 2018 Applications.

**MOTION: Erik Lewis moved to approve the meeting agenda as amended. Thomas Strom seconded; motion passed unanimously.**

#### III. APPROVAL OF COMMITTEE MINUTES

Chair Hays stated that the October 11, 2017 minutes are ready for consideration of approval by the Technical Advisory Committee.

**MOTION: Erik Lewis moved to approve the October 15, 2017 Technical Advisory Committee minutes. Thomas Strom seconded; motion passed unanimously.**

#### IV. SAFETY PERFORMANCE MEASURES AND TARGETS

Mr. Escalante stated that the Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization needs to set Safety Targets for fatalities and serious injuries to meet federal legislation requirements. He discussed the safety measures and targets and answered questions:

**MOTION: Erik Lewis moved to recommend that the Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization:**

- 1. Set safety performance targets consistent with the Florida Department of Transportation targets; and**
- 2. In addition, show the bicycle and pedestrian targets and interim performance measures separately in the Non-Motorized Fatalities and Serious Injuries.**

**Krys Ochia seconded; motion passed unanimously.**

#### V. NONE

#### VI. COMMITTEE ELECTIONS

Mr. Escalante stated that the Citizens Advisory Committee needs to elect a new Chair and Vice-Chair. He also stated that Jeffrey Hays is the current Chair and Linda Dixon is the current Vice-Chair.

**MOTION: Erik Lewis moved to elect Jeffrey Hays as the Technical Advisory Committee Chair and Linda Dixon as the Technical Advisory Committee Vice-Chair. Krys Ochia seconded; motion passed unanimously.**

#### VII. INFORMATION ITEMS

There was no discussion of the information items..

#### ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 2:52 p.m.

2/7/2018  
Date

  
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Jeffrey Hays, Chair