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October 19, 2020

TO: Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization for the Gainesville Urbanized Area

FROM: David Arreola, Chair

SUBJECT: Meeting Announcement

Due to the COVID-19 public health emergency, the Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization for the Gainesville Urbanized Area will conduct a virtual meeting on **October 26, 2020 at 3:00 p.m.** The Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization for the Gainesville Urbanized Area virtual public meeting will be via communications media technology.

Please note that a mobility workshop is an agenda item of this scheduled virtual meeting.

Attached are copies of the meeting agenda.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact Scott Koons, AICP, Executive Director, at 352.955.2200, extension 101.

Attachments

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

**Virtual Public Meeting
Via Communications Media Technology
Gainesville, Florida**

**3:00 p.m.
October 26, 2020**

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Page #3 I. Approval of Meeting Agenda and Consent Agenda Items APPROVE BOTH AGENDAS

The Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization needs to approve the meeting agenda and the consent agenda items.

Page #153 II. Mobility Workshop NO ACTION REQUIRED

The Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization requested a workshop to discuss transportation issues.

Page #155 III. Florida Metropolitan Planning Organization Advisory Council APPOINT REPRESENTATIVES

Currently, Commissioner Gail Johnson serves as the voting representative and Commissioners Harvey Ward and Marihelen Wheeler serve as alternate representatives.

Back Cover IV. Next Meeting FOR INFORMATION ONLY

The next Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization meeting is scheduled for December 14, 2020 at 5:00 p.m.

V. Comments

A. Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization Members*

B. Citizens Comments*

This agenda item provides an opportunity for citizens to address the Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization for the Gainesville Urbanized Area on any matter not included on the agenda. The comment period is limited to three minutes for each individual.

C. Chair's Report*

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*No backup material included with the attached agenda material.



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**CONSENT AGENDA
METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION PLANNING ORGANIZATION
FOR THE GAINESVILLE URBANIZED AREA**

**Virtual Public Meeting
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Gainesville Florida**

**3:00 p.m.
October 26, 2020**

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Page #7 CA. 1 Minutes - August 24, 2020 APPROVE MINUTES

This set of Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization minutes is ready for review.

Page #21 CA. 2 2021 Meeting Schedule APPROVE STAFF RECOMMENDATION

The Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization 2021 Meeting Schedule needs to be approved.

Page #25 CA. 3 Florida Department of Transportation TENTATIVE FIVE-YEAR WORK PROGRAM 2021-22 TO 2025-26 APPROVE STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Authorize staff to provide comments to the Florida Department of Transportation concerning its Tentative Work Program.

Page #27 CA. 4 Resolution 2020-08 - REVISED SECTION 5305(d) GRANT APPLICATION, REVISED SECTION 5305(d) GRANT RESOLUTION AND PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION AGREEMENT APPROVE RESOLUTION AND AUTHORIZE SIGNATURES

The Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization will need to submit a revised grant application to account for an anticipated adjustment in its Federal Transit Administration Section 5305(d) funding allocation and needs to approve a resolution for and authorize the Chair to sign the Public Transportation Agreement in order to receive the funds.

Page #29 CA. 5 Resolution 2020-09 - UNIFIED PLANNING WORK PROGRAM AMENDMENT - REVISED SECTION 5305(d) GRANT FUNDING APPROVE RESOLUTION AND AUTHORIZE SIGNATURES

The Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization is anticipated to be awarded an adjusted amount in its allocation of Federal Transit Administration Section 5305(d) funds and needs to amend its Unified Planning Work program in order to receive the funds.

**Page #35 CA. 6 Transportation Alternatives Program/
Safe Routes to School/Shared-Use Nonmotorized Trail
Application Notices APPROVE STAFF
RECOMMENDATION**

The Florida Department of Transportation has notified agencies concerning the Transportation Alternatives Program/Safe Routes to School/Shared-Use Nonmotorized Trail grant application cycles.

**Page #103 CA. 7 Safety Performance Measures and Targets APPROVE STAFF
RECOMMENDATION**

The Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization needs to set safety performance measures and targets.

**Page #105 CA. 8 Proposed Amended Budget for Fiscal Year 2019-20 APPROVE STAFF
RECOMMENDATION**

This amended budget will allow staff to monitor Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization expenditures and make appropriate adjustments as needed.

**Page #111 CA. 9 Alachua Countywide Bicycle-Pedestrian Master Plan Consultant Contract Authorization APPROVE CONTRACT AND
AUTHORIZE SIGNATURES**

Alachua County, City of Gainesville and University of Florida are jointly funding the development of this master plan which will be used, in part, to identify “box-funded” prioritized projects for the Year 2045 Long-Range Transportation Plan.

**Page #113 CA. 10 Partnering with Florida Department of Transportation: FOR INFORMATION ONLY
A Resource Guide for Local Governments**

The Florida Department of Transportation has recently published a resource guide for local governments.

Page #145 CA. 11 Transportation Disadvantaged Program - Status Report FOR INFORMATION ONLY

The Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization has requested regular status reports concerning this program.