

# North Central Florida Regional Planning Council

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TO: Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization (MTPO)

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SUBJECT: **Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) Tentative Five Year Work Program**

## **BACKGROUND**

The MTPO Advisory Committees met on November 29 and 30, and the actions taken by these Committees are presented below.

## **MTPO STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS**

Recommend that the MTPO forward the “substantive” comments in Table 1 and the “administrative” comments in Table 2 to the Florida Department of Transportation.

## **CITIZENS’ ADVISORY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS**

**Substantive Issue #4:** Recommend that this is not a worthwhile landscaping project and request that FDOT substitute this project with other higher priority projects on the State Highway System within the Gainesville Metropolitan Area, such as those corridor projects identified by the City Beautification Board or other organizations.

## **TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS**

**Substantive Issue #8:** Request that the MTPO ask Alachua County to give direction to FDOT on an appropriate project description and the applicability of the SAFETEA-LU High Priority funds.