



## **East Lake Task Force**

### **AGENDA**

**Tuesday, September 17, 2013**

**10:30 a.m. or**

**(Immediately following the LakeXpress Task Force Meeting)**

**Lake County Administration Building**

**BCC Chambers**

**315 W. Main St.**

**Tavares, Florida**

### **East Lake Task Force Members**

#### **Governing Board**

Commissioner Tim Sullivan, Lake County, D1  
Commissioner Jimmy Conner, Lake County, D3  
Commissioner Leslie Campione, Lake County, D4  
Commissioner Welton Cadwell, Lake County, D5  
Mayor Judy Tice, Town of Astatula  
Mayor Kress Muenzmay, City of Eustis  
Councilor David Nebel, Town of Howey  
Mayor Robert Thielhelm, City of Mount Dora  
Councilmember Norman Hope, City of Tavares  
Council President Eric Olson, City of Umatilla  
Pete Petree, Florida Central Railroad

#### **Administrators**

David Heath, Lake County  
Kitty Cooper, Town of Astatula  
Paul Berg, City of Eustis  
Brenda Brasher, Town of Howey  
Michael Quinn, City of Mount Dora  
John Drury, City of Tavares  
Glenn Irby, City of Umatilla

#### **TAC (staff)**

Brian Sheahan  
Fred Schneider  
Dianne Kramer  
Frank Watanabe  
Mark Reggentin  
Jacques Skutt  
Richard Hatfield

#### **CAC (citizens)**

Steve Ferrell  
Andy Dubois  
Jamie Hanja  
Bonnie Nebel  
David Clutts

#### **BPAC (bike/ped)**

Lewis Michael  
Rich Dunkel  
Meredith Cheshire  
Danielle Kittredge  
Pam Hunt  
Ryan Donovan  
Jim Ellrodt

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## ITEMIZED AGENDA

### OPENING

- A. Call to Order
- B. Proper Noticing

**Mayor Robert Thielhelm, MPO 1<sup>st</sup> Vice-Chairman**

### PUBLIC COMMENTS

### TASK FORCE ITEMS

#### **I. Wekiva Parkway and Trail, and Associated Projects**

- Wekiva Parkway Design, ROW and Construction Schedule
- Wekiva Trail Construction as part of Wekiva Parkway Segments 5 and 6
- Wekiva Trail Design Schedule
- Funding Status of the Wekiva Trail ROW and Construction Phases
- East Lake/Northwest Orange/Wekiva Parkway Area Feasibility Study - Update
- PD&E Study of Round Lake Road Extension
- CR 437 Realignment
- Need for Coordination with Orange County on CR 435, CR 437 and Round Lake Road

#### **II. Status of East Lake Road Projects**

- Mount Dora/Eustis - SR 44 (US 441 to Orange Avenue/SR 44), 4-Laning – Not Funded for CST
- Mount Dora – US 441 (SR 44 to SR 46), 6-Laning – Design funded FY 13/14
- Tavares/Howey-in-the-Hills – SR 19 (CR 561 to CR 48), 4-Laning – Design funded FY 13/14
- Tavares/Howey-in-the-Hills – SR 19, Little Lake Harris Bridge – Replacement Project FY 15/16
- Howey-in-the-Hills - SR 19 (CR 48 to Revells Road) - Corridor enhancements requested
- Tavares - CR Old 441 (Alfred Street and Caroline Street), 1-Lane One-Way Pairs – CST commencing
- Tavares/Mount Dora - CR Old 441, 3-Laning – Studied; design unfunded – Need for Resurfacing
- Astatula - CR 561 / CR 455 Roundabout – Design commencing, CST FY 13/14
- Mount Dora - Old 441/CR 19A/Eudora Roundabout – Unfunded Safety Priority

#### **III. Regional Trail Development**

- Tav-Lee Trail Gap in Downtown Tavares
- Connection of Tav-Lee Trail to Wekiva Trail
- Eustis and Umatilla Trail Concepts
- Extension of Tav-Lee Trail to Leesburg

#### **IV. Safe School Access Transportation Study – Parent Responsibility Zones**

#### **V. Scenic Byway Update**

- Florida Black Bear Scenic Byway
- Green Mountain Scenic Byway

#### **VI. Rail Projects – Update**

- Freight Rail Upgrades – Construction begins Summer 2013
- Alternatives Analysis for Orange Blossom Express – Study kicked-off in March

#### **VII. Task Force Member Reports / Comments**

#### **VIII. Staff Report / Comments**

#### **IX. Adjournment**

**Next Meeting: December 2013**

Pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 286, Florida Statutes, Section 286.0105, if any person decides to appeal any decision made by the above named board with respect to any matter considered at the meeting, he or she may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based. All interested citizens are welcome to attend. Persons with disabilities needing assistance to participate in any of the proceedings should contact the Lake-Sumter Metropolitan Planning Organization at (352) 315-0170, 48 hours in advance of the meeting.