PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 286, Florida Statute, Section 286.0105, Sunshine Law, the Lake-Sumter Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) has scheduled the following board/committee meetings during the month of **June 2020** on the dates and times indicated:

The following meetings will be held virtually:

Lake County Transportation Disadvantaged Coordinating Board June 8, 2020, 10:00 a.m.

Sumter County Transportation Disadvantaged Coordinating Board June 8, 2020, 2:00 p.m.

Technical Advisory Committee Meeting June 10, 2020, 1:30 p.m.

Community Advisory Committee Meeting June 10, 2020, 3:00 p.m.

Executive Committee Meeting June 24, 2020, 1:00 p.m.

MPO Governing Board Meeting June 24, 2020, 2:00 p.m.

This ad is to serve as legal notice that the Lake-Sumter Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) Governing Board will meet virtually on Wednesday, June 24, 2020 at 2 p.m.

The Board will be approving the MPO's Draft FY 2020/21 - 2024/25 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP), the DRAFT 2020 List of Priority Projects, the DRAFT Unified Planning Work Program (UPWP) for fiscal years (FY) 2020/21 and 2021/22, and opening the public review period MPO's Draft Public Involvement Plan (PIP).

Pursuant to Federal Regulations and Florida Statutes, the TIP identifies a Five Year (FY 2020-21 through FY 2024-25) listing of all transportation projects and programs funded with Federal and State funds, within Lake and Sumter Counties. In addition, local funds (county/city) are also included on selected projects that maybe utilized through various State grant programs. The Final Draft TIP is available for public review and comment on the MPO's website (www.LakeSumterMPO.com) under Public Hearing & Notices, and at the MPO Office in Lady Lake This TIP includes the Federal Transit Administration's (FTA) Program of Projects (POP) for Section 5307 Funding used to provide Fixed Route Transit service for Lake County. The development of the TIP satisfies the federal public participation requirements for the POP.

The Board will be reviewing the MPO's Draft Public Involvement Plan (PIP) and opening a 45-day public review period which will close upon the Adoption Hearing on August 26, 2020. The public is encouraged to participate in the review and adoption of the Public Involvement Plan process. The PIP is a formal guide to how the MPO will involve the public in the transportation planning process and how the MPO will measure the effectiveness of public involvement activities.

The MPO does hereby inform the public that the Unified Planning Work Program (UPWP) for fiscal years (FY) 2020/21 and 2021/22, which contains a description of, and a budget for, the proposed annual planning activities for the MPO staff is available for review and comment. The MPO Board is scheduled to approve the FY 2020/21 – 2021/22 UPWP at their June 24, 2020 meeting. This virtual meeting is scheduled for 2:00 p.m. A public comment period will be held for the UPWP at the meeting, prior to the board taking action on the UPWP. Comments regarding the UPWP may be made in advance of the MPO Board meeting by contacting the MPO by calling the MPO at 352-315-0170, or email at <u>mwoods@lakesumtermpo.com</u> or mail the request to Lake~Sumter MPO, 225 West Guava St. Suite 211, Lady Lake, FL. 32159

The DRAFT Transportation Improvement Program, DRAFT 2020 List of Priority Projects, DRAFT Public Involvement Plan, and the DRAFT Unified Planning Work Program may be reviewed on our website at <u>www.LakeSumterMPO.com</u> or call (352) 315-0170 to receive by mail or e-mail. Any questions should be directed to Michael Woods, Executive Director, Lake-Sumter MPO, 225 W. Guava St. Suite 217., Lady Lake, FL 32159; (352) 315-0170; or by e-mail at <u>MWoods@LakeSumterMPO.com</u>

One or more MPO Governing Board members or one or more Lake County Board of County Commissioners or Sumter County Board of County Commissioners and one or more members of different committees or boards may be in attendance and may participate in discussions on any of the committee or board meetings noticed in this monthly schedule. All interested citizens are welcome to attend. Public participation is solicited without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, disability, or family status. Persons who require special accommodations under the Americans with Disabilities Act or persons who require translation services (free of charge) should contact the MPO at 352-315-0170 at least seven days prior to the scheduled meeting. Pursuant to the provisions

of Chapter 286, Florida Statute, Section 286.0105, if a person decides to appeal any decision made by an above named committee with respect to any matter considered during any meeting of such committee, he or she may need to ensure a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which may include the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based. The list of meetings is not all-inclusive and may not contain special meetings or meetings that may not have been scheduled as of this posting. LAKE-SUMTER MPO