



Lake-Sumter MPO Technical Advisory Committee Agenda

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Lake-Sumter MPO - Technical Advisory Committee (TAC) Meeting
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I. OPENING

- A. Call to Order
- B. Proper Noticing
- C. Determination of Quorum

II. AGENDA UPDATE

Proposed revisions to today's Agenda

III. COMMENTS FROM THE GENERAL PUBLIC ON ANY AGENDA ITEMS

Public comments.

IV. CONSENT AGENDA

Recommendation for approval is requested for Consent Agenda Items.

- A. **Approval of June 9, 2021, Meeting Minutes**
- B. **Consideration of Amending the Unified Planning Work Program (UPWP) for FY 2021/22. FY 21-22 FTA Section 5305D Metropolitan Planning Program Funds.**
UPWP serves as the scope of work for the MPO's grant funding. The document is a two-year program of MPO planning activities covering July 1, 2020, until June 30, 2022. The UPWP requires an amendment to update the funding tables to include the Fiscal year 2021/22 FTA Section 5305D Metropolitan Planning Program funds in the amount of Federal \$120,915, Soft Match, Toll Revenue Credit \$30,229.

Staff recommends approving Amending the FY 2020/21 – 2021/22 Unified Planning Work Program as presented.

V. ACTION ITEMS

A. Consideration of Amending the Transportation Improvement Programs (TIP).

FDOT has requested the following amendments to the approved FY 2020/21-2024/25 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) and or the FY 2021/22-2025/26 Transportation Improvement Program adding or amending the following projects:

- FM#449239-1 Lake County Section 5307 American Rescue Plan (ARP) Funds for Small Urban Areas in the amount of \$1,998,405 for the TIP FY 2020/21-2024/25 and the new TIP FY 2021/22-2025/26. [TIP Amendments #4](#) and [TIP Amendment #2](#)
- 2021 Annual Roll Forward Report TIP Amendment. The Annual Roll Forward Report amendment is a routine action and part of the annual process for MPOs. The roll forward report reconciles differences in project information between the TIP and FDOT's Adopted Five-Year Work Program. Covers the "gap" between state and federal fiscal years for federal funding projects that were not committed/authorized during the previous state fiscal year. Ensures project information is reflected accurately in the TIP so federal funds can be authorized for expenditure on projects. [TIP Amendment #1](#)

B. Consideration of Amending the 2021 List of Priority Projects. The List of Priority Projects (LOPP) is a document that all Metropolitan Planning Organizations (MPOs) are required to develop annually. The LOPP represents the unfunded transportation improvements that were not programmed for the following five-year period, in order of priority. The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) uses each MPO's LOPP to aid in their decisions as to which projects should be added to their Work Program each year. The Lake~Sumter MPO approves its LOPP annually.

Sumter County has requested to advance the unfunded Construction phase of the Marsh Bend Trail (CR 501) project in the LOPP, replacing the funded Marsh Bend Trail (CR 501) design phase using local funds.

Attachments: [2021 Amended List of Priority Projects](#)

Staff recommends approving the Amended 2021 List of Priority Projects as presented.

C. 2021 Federal Lands Access Program (FLAP) Grant Submittal

The Lake~Sumter MPO and the River to Sea TPO, and the Ocala Marion TPO are preparing a grant submittal for the FLAP grant program for the Florida Black Bear Scenic Trail PD&E phase if needed to be approved by the three Governing Boards at their October meetings.

The Eastern Federal Lands Highway Division (EFLHD) of the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) will be accepting Federal Lands Access Program (FLAP) applications to develop a multi-year program of projects for Federal Fiscal Years (FY) 2023 through FY 2026. All final project approvals will be contingent upon the availability of funds in the year they are being requested. An estimated total of \$11.6M will be available for programming in Florida.

ATTACHMENT: **FLAP Call for Projects Letter**

Staff recommends approval to submit the 2021 FLAP grant proposal for the Florida Black Bear Scenic Trail project.

VI. DISCUSSION ITEMS

- A. 2022 List of Priority Projects (LOPP) – Call for Projects.**
The Annual Call for Projects to be considered for inclusion in the 2022 LOPP.
- B. MPO Committee Membership.** MPO staff will review the current Technical Advisory Committee (TAC) vacancies and member status.

VII. PRESENTATIONS, STATUS REPORTS

- A. FDOT Office of Safety, Loreen Bobo, P.E., Safety Administrator**
- B. FDOT 2021 Mobility Week, Libertad Acosta-Anderson, P.E., Transit Intermodal Supervisor**
- C. FDOT Construction Status Report, Anna Taylor, Government Liaison Administrator**
- D. FTE Construction Status Report,**
- E. Lake County Transit Report October 2021**
- F. MPO Studies: Leesburg Main Street Study, SR 471 Webster Complete Streets Study**

VIII. ADJOURNMENT NEXT MEETING: NOVEMBER 10TH @ 1:30 P.M.

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 (352) 315- 0170 48 hours in advance of the meeting.