

Minutes
Lake~Sumter Metropolitan Planning Organization
Technical Advisory Committee (TAC) Meeting

Wednesday, April 9, 2025
Regular Meeting, 1:30 p.m.

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Leesburg, Florida 34748
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I. OPENING

Bill Hearndon called the meeting to order at 1:30 p.m.; and confirmed the meeting was properly noticed and a quorum was present. (4 voting members in person)

Members Present

Melving Isaac	Lake County
Helen LaValley	Lake County Schools
Deborah Snyder	Sumter County
Bill Hearndon	Lake County/Transit
Rebecca Higgins	Town of Lady Lake
Cliff Kelsey	City of Leesburg
Joyce Heffington	City of Minneola
George Marek - Chair	City of Mount Dora
Antonio Fabre	City of Tavares
Melanie Strickland	City of Wildwood

Members Absent

Jim Maiworm	City of Clermont
Rick Gierok	City of Eustis
Stephen Cross	Town of Astatula
Mike Eastburn	City of Bushnell
Rob Dicus	City of Fruitland Park
David Ausherman	City of Groveland
Max Spann	City of Mascotte
Aaron Mercer	City of Umatilla
Melanie Strickland	City of Wildwood

Staff Present

Mike Woods	Executive Director
Doris LeMay	Financial Coordinator

I. COMMENTS FROM THE GENERAL PUBLIC ON ANY AGENDA ITEMS

Non

II. ACTION ITEMS

A. Approval of February 12, 2025, Meeting Minutes.

Motion was made by Rebecca Higgins to approve Item A, seconded by Deborah Snyder –
Motion passed 4-0

B. FDOT Request to Amend Fiscal Year (FY) 2025-2029 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP)

Research needs to be done before the item goes to the Governing Board.

III. DISCUSSION ITEMS

A. 2025 List of Priority Projects (LOPP) – Mike Vaudo Kimley Horn & Associates

B. 2050 Long Range Transportation Plan Major Update – Nick Lepp HDR
2050 LRTP Update Phase II

a. Active Transportation Modal Element Update – Matt McIntosh Transystems

b. Complete Streets, Transportation Systems Management & Operations (TSM&O) Element Update

c. Roadway Needs Assessment Update

IV. PRESENTATIONS, STATUS REPORTS

A. FDOT Report – Chuck Koppernolle

B. FTE Report – Siaosi Fine

C. Transit Report – Bill Hearndon

D. County, City Updates, Committee Member Comments

E. Legislative Update – Michael Woods

V. ADJOURNMENT There being no further business, meeting adjourned at 2:28 p.m.

Bill Hearndon, Chair