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# AN INTRODUCTION TO METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATIONS

Presented by the Lake~Sumter Metropolitan Planning Organization





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### MPO INTRODUCTION





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### Lake-Sumter MPO Mission Statement

The mission of the Lake-Sumter Metropolitan Planning Organization is to provide the local governments, agencies and residents of Lake and Sumter counties a forum for addressing growth and transportation issues, with an emphasis on: (1) planning a regional, multi-modal transportation network that balances accessibility and mobility; (2) incorporating the visions of the member governments into a cohesive regional approach; and (3) coordinating with regional partners and state and federal agencies to meet the needs of the public.





### **MPO INTRODUCTION**

- Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO)
  - A regional agency tasked with efficiently planning for the community's transportation needs
  - Provides a forum for the local governments, agencies, and residents to address growth and transportation issues
  - Carries out the metropolitan transportation planning process while coordinating with local, state, and federal plans and programs



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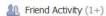
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### MPO HISTORY

- ☐ Federal-Aid Highway Act of 1962
  - Mandated urban transportation planning as a condition for receiving federal funds in urbanized areas
  - Required local, state and federal officials to provide a Continuing, Comprehensive, and Cooperative (3C) planning process
- ☐ Federal-Aid Highway Act of 1974
  - Mandated all urbanized areas having a population of 50,000 or more designate an MPO to administer federal transportation funds



### **MPO HISTORY**

### ☐ Florida Statutes

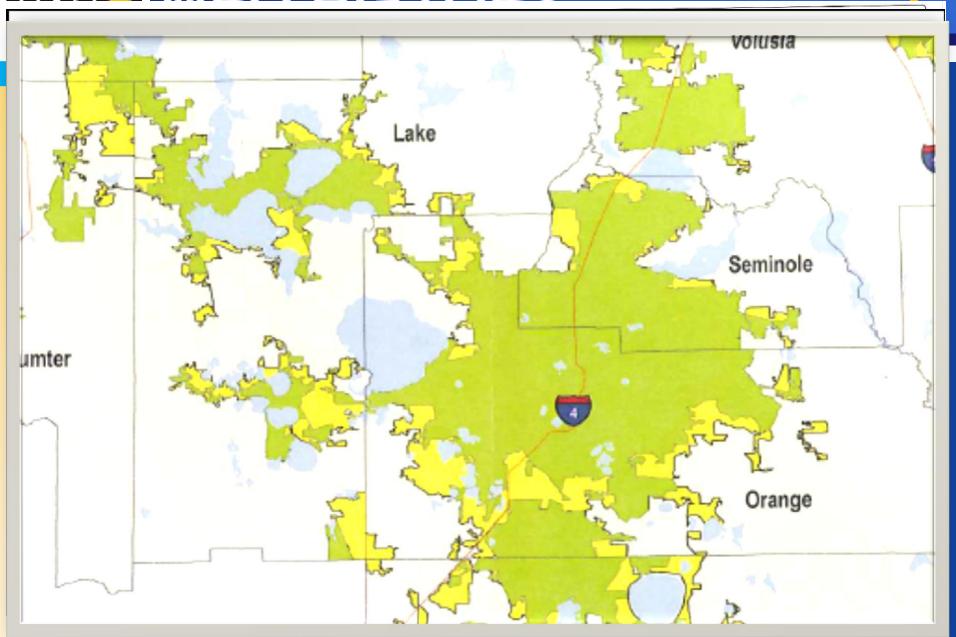
- MPOs are created under the authority of Section 163.01, F.S. (aka the Florida Interlocal Cooperation Act of 1969), providing that governmental agencies may enter into interlocal agreements permitting the joint exercise of such powers or authority that the agencies share in common or that each might exercise separately
- Section 339.175 (1), F.S., requires that any urbanized area, as a condition for the receipt of federal capital or operating assistance, has a continuing, cooperative, and comprehensive transportation planning process that results in plans and programs consistent with the comprehensively planned development of the urbanized area



### **MPO HISTORY**

- □ 1990 U.S. Census
  - Urbanized areas of Lake County qualified for potential MPO
- □2000 U.S. Census
  - Lake County contained three urbanized areas
  - Lady Lake/Villages urban area spread into Sumter County
- □ Lake~Sumter MPO formed in February 2004
  - Signed into existence by Governor Jeb Bush
  - Interlocal agreement among Lake County,
     Sumter County, and all 19 municipalities within Lake County and Sumter Counties

### MDO HISTORY





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Joe Wynkoop Town of Montverde



Glenn Burns (Alternate) Town of Montverde



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Peter Tarby (Alternate) City of Umatilla



Sumter County School Board



Pete Petree Florida Central Railroad / Ex-Officio



Debbie Stivender Lake County Schools



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Kirby Smith City of Tavares



Lori Pfister (Alternate) City of Tavares



Mitchell Mack (Alternate) Town of Astatula



Sharon Kelly City of Fruitland Park



### ORGANIZATIONAL CHART

### **CITIZENS OF LAKE and SUMTER COUNTIES**

Executive **MPO BOARD STATE AGENCIES** Committee FDOT & District 5 AT-LARGE (LAKE) 1 VOTE Lake County – 5 votes Florida TD Commission Town of Astatula (2012) Sumter County - 2 votes Citizens' Advisory East Lake Task Force Florida Turnpike Enterprises City of Fruitland Park (2013) Committee City of Clermont – 1 vote City of Groveland (2014) City of Eustis - 1 vote Northwest Lake Technical Advisory **FEDERAL AGENCIES** Town of Howey-in-the Hills (2015) Town of Lady Lake - 1 vote Task Force Committee City of Mascotte (2016) City of Leesburg – 1 vote Federal Transit Authority Town of Montverde (2017) City of Minneola - 1 vote Federal Highway Administration South Lake Task Force Bicvcle/Pedestrian City of Umatilla (2011) City of Mount Dora - 1 vote **Advisory Committee** Federal Aviation Authority City of Tavares - 1 vote Federal Railroad Administration AT-LARGE (SUMTER) 1 VOTE Lake County LakeXpress Task Force City of Bushnell (2011) Transportation **EX-OFFICIO** City of Center Hill (2012) **OTHERS** Disadvantaged Florida Central Railroad Coordinating Board City of Coleman (2013) Lake County School Board Central Florida MPO Alliance City of Webster (2014) Sumter County School Board **Sumter County** Florida MPO Advisory Council City of Wildwood (2015) Transportation Disadvantaged Coordinating Board 16 Voting 29 Members T.J. Fish, AICP Sue Goldfuss **Executive Director Executive Assistant** Francis Franco, GISP Olga Marcondes Associate Planner Trainee Pamela Richmond, AICP Michael Woods Nancy Valenzano GIS & Transportation Planner MPO Project Manager Transportation Planner Administrative Assistant Vacant Trans. Concurrency Mgr.



# MPO COMPONENTS

### **□**Executive Committee

### **Executive Committee**



On Burgess (Chairman) Sumter County



Jim Richards (Chairman-Elect) Town of Lady Lake



Sean Parks (1st Vice-Chairman / Treasurer) Lake County, D2



Robert Thielhelm (2nd Vice-Chairman) City of Mount Dora



Jennifer Hill (Immediate Past Chairman) Lake County, D1



Jake Farley (Lake At-Large Representive) Town of Astatula

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Vacant (Sumter At-Large Representive) City of Center Hill



### MPO COMPONENTS

- □ Lake County Transportation Disadvantaged Coordinating Board (TDCB)
  - Advisory body on para-transit issues
- □Sumter County Transportation
  Disadvantaged Coordinating Board (TDCB)
  - Advisory body on para-transit issues
- □Bicycle & Pedestrian Advisory Committee (BPAC)
  - Advises on specific issues in regional context



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minimizing transportation-related fuel consumption and air pollution

Minimum 20-year planning horizon



□Efficient Transportation Decision Making (FTDM) Planning Screen



projects

 Used for projects that will be included in cost feasible projects in the Long Range Transportation Plan (LRTP)













### Unified Planning Work Program

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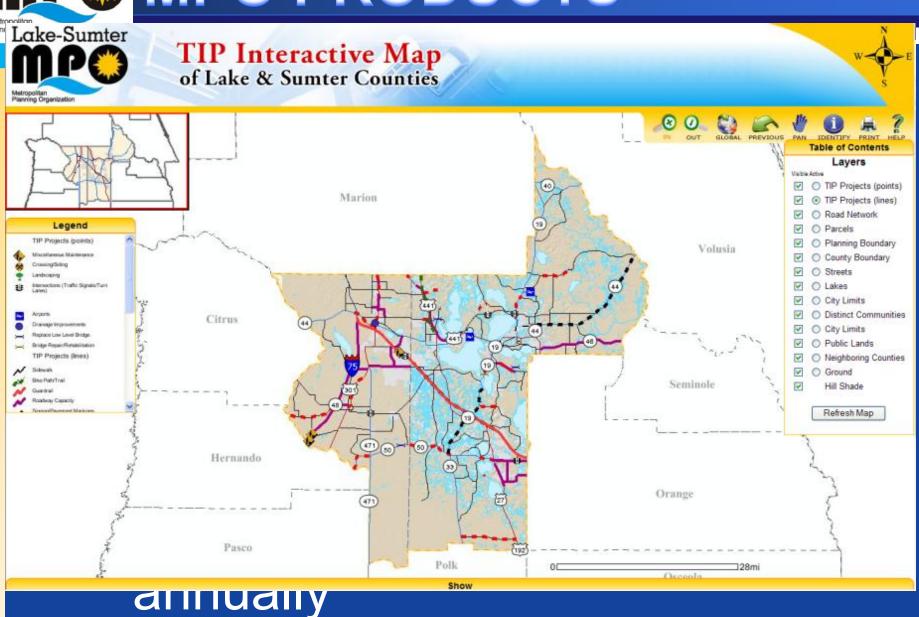
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### LIST OF PRIORITY PROJECTS (LOPP)

2016/17 - 2034/35

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- □Transportation Management System (TMS)
  - ☐The MPO entered into an Interlocal agreement with Lake and Sumter counties, the 19 municipalities of Lake County, and Sumter County to monitor transportation impacts from proposed developments and assist in the determination of necessary multimodal mitigation
- ☐Safety Program
  - ☐ The MPO developed a two-county regional crash data management system to monitor unsafe transportation facilities and to better incorporate safety into the MPO's priority development process



- Pavement Management
- □ Traffic Counts
- ☐ Future Transit Plans including Passenger and Freight Rail Service
- Lake County Trails Master Plan
- □ Sumter County Trails Master Plan in the near future



- □ DRI Review and Mitigation
  - ☐ The MPO has reviewed traffic analyses and assisted in determining mitigation for DRIs in Lake County, Sumter County, Clermont, Groveland, Leesburg, Minneola, and Wildwood
- □ Transportation Planning and Modeling
  - ☐ The MPO has worked with FDOT in the development, updating, and maintenance of the Central Florida Regional Planning Model (CFRPM)
  - Includes reviewing model operation, updating traffic analysis zone structures, and developing future year land use

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### Sumter County Transportation Disadvantaged Service Plan

FY 2008/09-2012/13

Annual Update May 10, 2011





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Coordinating Board

### **CES**

Lake County
Transportation
Disadvantaged
Service Plan

FY 2008/09-2012/13

Annual Update May 9, 2011





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- □Comprehensive Planning
  - ☐ Mobility Policies and Plans, Transportation Element
    - □The MPO has worked, and will continue to work, with its member governments on solutions to improve mobility
  - ☐ The MPO reviews traffic studies submitted to support comprehensive plan amendments
  - The MPO drafted the traffic study methodology for the use of the municipalities within the region



### **QUESTIONS?**

# PROMOTING REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION PARTNERSHIPS



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