

LAKE~SUMTER METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION

RESOLUTION NO. 2026-5

A RESOLUTION OF THE LAKE~SUMTER METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION APPROVING AND SUPPORTING THE SUBMITTAL OF THE MPO MEMBERSHIP APPORTIONMENT PLAN TO THE GOVERNOR OF FLORIDA.

WHEREAS, the Lake~Sumter MPO is the agency designated to conduct a continuing, coordinated, and comprehensive transportation planning process in Lake and Sumter Counties; and

WHEREAS, Section 134 Title 23 of the United States Code requires the designation of MPOs in urban areas, as defined by the United Census Bureau of the Census; and

WHEREAS, the MPO voting membership, as reflected in the Membership Apportionment Plan, must consist of between 5 and 25 apportioned members; the exact number is to be determined on an equitable geographic-population ratio basis by the Governor, based on an agreement among the affected units of general purpose local government, as required by Federal rules and regulations. [s.339.175(3)(a), F.S.]: and

WHEREAS, Section 339.175(4)(a), Florida Statutes, requires the Governor to review the composition of the Metropolitan Planning Organizations membership in conjunction with the decennial census and

WHEREAS, this mid-decade Apportionment Plan is necessary to address changes in local population and ensure that the MPO's membership continues to reflect an equitable geographic-population ratio; and

WHEREAS, the Lake~Sumter MPO met on February 25, 2026, to review its voting composition and agreed on the composition presented herein; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Lake~Sumter Metropolitan Planning Organization that:
Section 1 - The MPO hereby approves the Membership Apportionment Plan and authorizes its submittal to the Governor of the State of Florida for review and approval.

Section 2- This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption

PASSED and DULY ADOPTED this ____ day of _____ 2026.

Lake~Sumter Metropolitan Planning Organization

Sandy Gamble, Chair

Approved as to Form and Legality:

Melissa Martinez, MPO Attorney