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Transportation Systems Management and Operations (TSMO) Advisory Committee

MEETING MINUTES

DATE: Friday, June 24, 2022

TIME: 8:30 a.m.

LOCATION: MetroPlan Orlando
David L. Grovdahl Board Room
250 South Orange Avenue, Suite 200
Orlando, Florida 32801

Chairman Ramon Senorans, Presiding

Voting Members Present:

Mr. Brett Blackadar, Altamonte Springs
Mr. Cade Braud, City of Orlando
Mr. Kelly Brock for Mr. Dean Fathelbab, City of Casselberry
Mr. Christopher Carson, City of Lake Mary
Mr. Hazem El-Assar, Orange County
Mr. Kevin Felblinger, City of St. Cloud
Ms. Alyssa Eide, City of Maitland
Ms. Tawny Olore for Ms. Lindsey Giovinazzo, Osceola County
Ms. Yaminel Reyes Albino for Ms. Yameli Herschelman, City of Orlando
Mr. Brent Poole for Mr. Bryan Homayouni, Central Florida Expressway Authority
Mr. Doug Jamison, LYNX
Mr. Jean Jreij, Seminole County
Ms. Susan Hutson for Mr. Carl Kelly, University of Central Florida
Mr. Michael Rumer for Mr. Steve Krug, City of Ocoee
Mr. Steven Kane, Osceola County
Mr. Hong Lim, City of Winter Park
Mr. Nabil Muhaisen, City of Kissimmee
Ms. Lee Pulham, Reedy Creek Improvement District
Mr. Brian Sanders, Orange County
Mr. Ramon Senorans, Kissimmee Gateway Airport
Mr. Shad Smith, City of Longwood
Mr. Charlie Wetzel, Seminole County

Voting Members Absent:

Mr. Derrek Adkins, City of Belle Isle
Mr. Michael Cash, City of Sanford
Mr. Brad Friel, GOAA
Mr. Eric Gordin, FTE
Mr. Butch Margraf, MPO Appointee
Mr. Travis Mathias, Town of Windermere
Ms. Pam Richmond, City of Apopka
Mr. Christopher Schmidt, City of Winter Springs

Non-Voting Members/Advisors Present:

Non-Voting Members/Advisors Absent:

Mr. Glen Hammer, Osceola PS
Lt. Brad McDaniel, Seminole County Sheriff's Office
Vacant, Orange County CTST

Others in Attendance:

Mr. Tyler Burgett, FDOT
Mr. Siasosi Fine, FTE
Mr. Eric Hill, MetroPlan Orlando
Mr. Alex Trauger, MetroPlan Orlando
Mr. Keith Caskey, MetroPlan Orlando
Ms. Virginia L. Whittington, MetroPlan Orlando
Mr. Nick Lepp, MetroPlan Orlando
Ms. Lara Bouck, MetroPlan Orlando
Ms. Mary Ann Horne, MetroPlan Orlando
Ms. Lisa Smith, MetroPlan Orlando
Ms. Sarah Larsen, MetroPlan Orlando
Ms. Cathy Goldfarb, MetroPlan Orlando

I. Call to Order

Chairman Ramon Senorans called the meeting to order at 8:32 a.m. and welcomed everyone. Chairman Senorans detailed the meeting guidelines and the public comment procedures.

II. Confirmation of Quorum/Agenda Review/Staff Follow-up

Ms. Lisa Smith conducted the roll call and confirmed there was a quorum. Mr. Eric Hill called attention to two agenda changes, under common presentations, removing the Brightline presentation and adding the FDOT Target Speeds presentation and the presenter for the Truck Parking presentation would be Mr. Mark Trebitz.

III. Public Comments on Action Items

None.

IV. Action Items

A. May 20, 2022 TSMO Meeting Minutes

Approval was requested of the meeting minutes for May 20, 2022. The minutes were provided. Mr. Shad Smith called attention to a typo in Section V, A where a letter was missing from a word. Mr. Kelly Brock noted that Section V, C the bundle project was the City of Casselberry's not Seminole County's.

MOTION: Mr. Shad Smith moved to approve the May 20, 2022 TSMO Meeting Minutes as amended with corrections. Mr. Brett Blackadar seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously

B. FY 2022/23 - 2026/27 Transportation Improvement Program

Action was requested by Mr. Keith Caskey, MetroPlan Orlando staff, to recommend approval of the FY 2022/23 - 2026/27 TIP. This document included the transportation projects in the MetroPlan Orlando region that are programmed for funding over the next five years. The draft TIP can be reviewed at:

<https://metroplanorlando.org/wp-content/uploads/TIP-2327-Draft-P.pdf>

A fact sheet on the TIP and the draft TIP approval resolution for the July 27th Board meeting were provided. A summary of the comments from the June 20th TIP public meeting were provided separately. Mr. Caskey reported that the TIP public hearing was held virtually Monday, June 20th. He provided attendance number for that meeting compared to the 2021 public meeting and a sample of comments. The hearing included a couple of polling questions and panelists from local jurisdictions and agencies. Mr. Caskey told TSMO members that the TIP will go to the board for approval at the July 27th meeting.

MOTION: Mr. Hazem El Assar moved to approve the FY 2022/23 - 2026/27 Transportation Improvement Program. Mr. Shad Smith seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously

C. FY 2027/28 - 2034/35 Prioritized Project List

Action was requested by Mr. Alex Trauger, MetroPlan Orlando staff, to recommend approval of the FY 2027/28 - 2034/35 Prioritized Project List (PPL). This document includes a list of highway, Transportation Systems Management and Operations, bicycle and pedestrian, and transit projects that have been ranked in order of priority. FDOT will use the PPL in developing their FY 2023/24 - 2027/28 Five Year Work Program. A fact sheet was provided, and the draft PPL document can be reviewed at:

https://metroplanorlando.org/wp-content/uploads/MetroPlanOrlando_PPL_2027-2035_Draft_20220615.pdf

Mr. Trauger provided some background information on the Prioritized Project List and what input was received from last month's preview including project status, funding updates and questions

about prioritization process, funding distribution and I-4 Beyond the Ultimate. He reviewed funding programs and priority lists for state highway, complete street/context sensitive, TSMO corridors, and bicycle/pedestrian infrastructure projects. Discussion ensued regarding the criteria besides funding to move projects from the PPL to the TIP, the Winter Park Drive project incorrectly listed as Casselberry/Orange County and if that project is expected to be in the next cycle.

MOTION: Mr. Nabil Muhaissen moved to approve the FY 2027/28 - 2034/35 Prioritized Project List. Mr. Shad Smith seconded the motion. Motion passed unanimously.

V. Presentations/Status Reports

A. Presentation on City of Altamonte Springs Autonomous Vehicle (AV) Shuttle Pilot Project

Mr. Brett Blackadar, City of Altamonte Springs gave a presentation on the AV shuttle pilot project that will provide an alternative multi-modal parallel local transit corridor to SR 436. Mr. Blackadar began the presentation discussing a book, Think Again by Adam Grant, and Mr. Grant's philosophy on knowledge. He reviewed the advantages and disadvantages of driving a car, mass transit, ride share and the AV shuttle project. Mr. Blackadar noted that Altamonte Springs started their study 23 years ago with the Flexbus concept. They currently are looking at the SR 436 corridor and supplementing rides in the area. Mr. Blackadar detailed the Flexpath project changing the network to accommodate AV, bicycles and pedestrians and provided renderings of what Flexpath would look like. He told TSMO members that the AV shuttle pilot project would be developed over a three-year period and the City of Altamonte received a service development project grant from FDOT. Mr. Blackadar reported that an RFP was issued for a shuttle vehicle vendor and BEEP was selected. He reviewed the goals for each of the three years, the exclusive AV lane at the mall, specific transit signals and the schedule. In addition, he told committee members that discussion had taken place with the City of Maitland regarding possibly connecting to Maitland Center in the future. Discussion took place regarding two way AV traffic, vehicle rider capacity, fixed route or dynamic stops, a mobile app, possible expansion to other cities, marketing, benefit of project phases, recording project technology and thinking process, security and the BEEP competitive process. Additional discussion took place regarding vehicles needed for 15-minute headways, vehicle nesting location, cost for the service, park and ride service, lane selection, reduction in trips data, separation for trail lanes, vehicle speed, days shuttle will operate, cyclist accommodations, and who assumes liability. Mr. Hill thanked the City of Altamonte for their progressive vision. TSMO members requested a copy of the presentation.

VI. Common Presentations/Status Reports

A. Presentation on I-4 Truck & Freight Parking PD&E Study

Mr. Mark Trebitz, FDOT District 5, gave presentation on the I-4 Truck and Freight Parking PD&E Study that is currently underway.

B. Presentation on FDOT Target Speeds

Ms. Loreen Bobo, P.E., FDOT District 5 Safety Administrator, gave a presentation on the FDOT Target Speeds program to further FDOT and MetroPlan Orlando's focus on safety.

VII. General Information

A. FDOT Monthly Construction Status Report

The latest FDOT Monthly Construction Status Report for the Orlando area was provided.

B. MetroPlan Orlando Board Highlights

A copy of the June 8, 2022, Board Meeting Highlights was provided.

C. Air Quality Report

The latest air quality report for the MetroPlan Orlando area was provided.

D. Bicycle & Pedestrian Report

A report on bicycle and pedestrian projects in the MetroPlan Orlando region was provided.

E. PD&E Study Tracking Report

A report providing the latest status of the PD&E studies currently underway in the MetroPlan Orlando area was provided.

VIII. Upcoming Meetings of Interest to TSMO Members

A. *Next MPO Board Meeting*

The next MetroPlan Orlando Board meeting was scheduled in person on July 27, 2022, at 9:00 a.m. in the MetroPlan Orlando Board Room, 250 South Orange Avenue, Suite 200, Orlando FL 32801.

B. *Next TSMO Meeting*

The next TSMO meeting will be held in person on **August 26, 2022**, at 8:30 a.m. in the MetroPlan Orlando Board Room, 250 South Orange Avenue, Suite 200, Orlando FL 32801. Following the June meeting, the dates of the remaining TSMO meetings during 2022 will be:

10/28/22

12/2/22

IX. Member Comments

None.

X. Public Comments (General)

None.


XI. Adjournment

Chairman Senorans thanked committee members for the great discussion. He wished TSMO members a safe Fourth of July weekend and called attention to the City of Kissimmee's celebration which included food, music, and a fireworks display. Chairman Senorans adjourned the meeting of the Transportation Systems Management & Operations Advisory Committee at 9:40 a.m. The meeting was recorded and transcribed by Ms. Cathy Goldfarb.

Approved this 26th day of August 2022



Mr. Ramon Senorans, Chairman



Ms. Cathy Goldfarb, Senior Board Services Coordinator

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