



**Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization**  
For the Gainesville and Alachua County Area

## **VII. Action Item C**



# Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization

## For the Gainesville and Alachua County Area

February 26, 2025

### MEETING MEMORANDUM

To: Metropolitan Transportation  
Planning Organization Board

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From: Brad Thoburn

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Subject: **Transportation Improvement Program Amendment –  
5310 Operating Assistance**

### **RECOMMENDATION**

**It is recommended that the Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization amend its Fiscal Years 2024-25 to 2028-29 Transportation Improvement Program to include 5310 Operating/Administrative Assistance for Gainesville's Regional Transit System.**

### **BACKGROUND**

The Florida Department of Transportation has requested that the Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization amend its Fiscal Years 2024-25 to 2028-29 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) to include \$200,000 in FY2025 in Federal Transit Administration Section (FTA) 5310 Operating/Administrative Assistance for Gainesville's Regional Transit System. The FTA 5310 program provides formula funding to states and designated recipients to meet the transportation needs of older adults and people with disabilities.

For these funds to be expended, the Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization needs to modify its Fiscal Years 2024-25 to 2028-29 Transportation Improvement Program to add this project in the current year of the TIP. This item is appearing before the MTPO Board for action. The request from FDOT is attached.

Attachment



Florida Department of Transportation

RON DESANTIS GOVERNOR

605 Suwannee Street Tallahassee, FL 32399-0450

JARED W. PERDUE, P.E. SECRETARY

January 29, 2025

Alison Moss, AICP Transportation Planning Manager Gainesville MTPO 10 SW 2nd Ave Gainesville, FL 32601

Re: FDOT Amendment request for the Gainesville TPO Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) for FY 2024/25 – FY 2028/29

Dear Alison:

The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) requests Board approval for an amendment to the Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) for FY 2024/25 through FY 2028/29. Please add the following TIP Amendment requests for action by the Gainesville TPO Board at their March meeting.

Please include the amounts listed for the total project in the TIP Amendment Report.

The following are new individual projects added to the current STIP:

435864-2 5310 Operating- Gainesville UZA- Gainesville regional Transit System Operating/Admin. Assistance – Alachua County \*Non-SIS\*

Table with 3 columns: Fund, Phase, FY 2025. Rows: DU OPS \$100,000; LF OPS \$100,000

451152-2 5310 Capital- Gainesville UZA- Gainesville regional Transit System Purchase Vehicles/Equipment – Alachua County \*Non-SIS\*

Table with 3 columns: Fund, Phase, FY 2025. Rows: DPTO CAP \$16,771; DU CAP \$134,172; LF CAP \$16,772

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me: Achaia.Brown@dot.state.fl.us or call: (904) 360-5414.

Sincerely,

Achaia Brown Transportation Planning Manager FDOT District Two

cc: Victoria Kutney