



## **V. Item B**



# Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization

## For the Gainesville and Alachua County Area

### MARCH 19, 2025 - MEETING SUMMARY

Meeting: Metropolitan Transportation Planning Organization for the Gainesville Urbanized Area Meeting

Group: Citizens Advisory Committee

Location and Time: Wednesday, March 19th, 2025

7:00pm

	<i>Agenda Item</i>	<i>Steiner</i>	<i>Levy</i>	<i>Dondanville</i>	<i>Harrar</i>	<i>Escalante</i>	<i>Pass/Fail</i>
I & II	<b>Call to Order and Chair Announcements</b>						
	Notes: Chair Steiner called the meeting to order at 7:07 P.M.						
III	<b>Roll Call and Quorum</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Quorum
	Notes: All members were present and there was a quorum						
IV	<b>Agenda Review and Approval</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unanimous
	Notes: Agenda was reviewed and approved (noting the modification of Item E in title). Harra moved the agenda and Levy seconded. It was passed unanimously.						
V.	<b>Approval of Minutes</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unanimous
	Notes: Dondandville moved approval of the Minutes and Levy seconded. Minutes from February were approved unanimously.						
VI.	<b>Consent Agenda – N/A</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> S	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> S	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> S	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> S	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> S	<input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail



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	<i>Notes:</i>						
<b>VII.A.</b>	<b>Action Item:</b> Public Participation Plan (PPP) Update <i>Presenting the draft PPP to the MTPO advisory committees approval prior to the MTPO Board Meeting on April 4, 2025</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unanimous
	<i>Notes: Escalante had a number of questions. He noted it was important to make sure that public sees reliability and consistency on noticing meetings. He also inquired about the inclusion of the LRTP in the PPP.</i>  Public comments – Kali Blunt, RN suggested that the MTPO look at opportunities like providing refreshments at meetings. Escalante and Chair Steiner noted there may questions about legality and use of federal funds for such purposes.						
<b>VII.B.</b>	<b>Action Item:</b> Title VI and Limited English Proficiency (LEP) <i>Presenting the draft Title VI and LEP to the MTPO advisory committees for approval prior to the MTPO Board Meeting on April 4, 2025</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unanimous
	<i>Notes: Mike E. asked a number of questions about bilingual requirements and special population requirements.</i>						
<b>VII.C.</b>	<b>Action Item:</b> ICAR <i>Updated ICAR for review and recommendations for approval prior to the MTPO Board Meeting on April 4, 2025</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unanimous
	<i>Notes: This item was tabled by the TAC and the CAC also agreed to table. Escalante noted this was needed as a countywide TMA. ICAR addresses the issues.</i>						
<b>VII.D.</b>	<b>Action Item:</b> Transportation Improvement Program Amendment – SR26 (University Ave) from SR20 to SR222 (NE 39th Blvd) <i>Amendment to MTPO Fiscal Years 2024-25 to 2028-29 Transportation Improvement Program to include funding in FY2026 for the resurfacing of SR 26 (University Ave) from SR20 to SR222 (NE 39th Blvd).</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input type="checkbox"/> M <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> S <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unanimous
	<i>Notes: this is out to Waldo Road.</i>						



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<b>VII.E.</b>	<b>Action Item:</b> Transportation Improvement Program Amendment – SR26A (SW 2nd Ave) from SR26 (University Avenue) to SR26 (University Avenue) <b>Motion:</b> Approval of Amendment to MTPO Fiscal Years 2024-25 to 2028-29 Transportation Improvement Program to include funding in FY2026 for the resurfacing of SR26A (SW 2nd Ave) from SR26 (University Ave) to SR26 (University Ave).	<input type="checkbox"/> M	<input type="checkbox"/> M	<input type="checkbox"/> M	<input type="checkbox"/> M	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> M	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unanimous
	<i>Notes: Chair Steiner noted this is an old one-way pair. After discussion Escalante moved and Dondanville seconded. Motion was approved unanimously.</i>						
<b>VII.F.</b>	<b>Action Item:</b> Transportation Improvement Program Amendment – SR200(US301) from N. of SR26 to SR24(NE Waldo Rd.) <b>Motion:</b> Approval of Amendment to MTPO Fiscal Years 2024-25 to 2028-29 Transportation Improvement Program to include funding in FY2025 and FY2026 for the resurfacing of SR200(US301) from N. of SR26 to SR24(NE Waldo Rd.).	<input type="checkbox"/> M	<input type="checkbox"/> M	<input type="checkbox"/> M	<input type="checkbox"/> M	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> M	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unanimous
	<i>Notes: Question about whether its waldo road. SR 24 is right. "Terminus" of SR24. After discussion Escalante moved and Harrar seconded. Motion was approved unanimously.</i>						
<b>VII.G.</b>	<b>Action Item:</b> Transportation Improvement Program Amendment – SR26(Newberry Road) from NW 43rd St. to SW 38th St. <b>Motion:</b> Approval of Amendment to MTPO Fiscal Years 2024-25 to 2028-29 Transportation Improvement Program to include funding in FY2026 for SR26(Newberry Road) from NW 43rd St. to SW 38th St.	<input type="checkbox"/> M	<input type="checkbox"/> M	<input type="checkbox"/> M	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> M	<input type="checkbox"/> M	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unanimous
	<i>Notes: Levy and Escalante discussed long lasting concerns about the design not taking parking. Lowering speed limit was not addressed. Functional class issue is an issue. Felt like the MPO relented to not taking out parking but hat this was the agreement that was made. Levy note that speed is an issue and there are frequent accidents with injuries. After discussion Harrar moved and Dondanville seconded. Motion was approved unanimously.</i>						
<b>VIII.A.</b>	<b>Information Item – N/A</b>						
	<i>Notes: Should re to "older adults" – not elderly and "persons with disabilities."</i>						
<b>VIII.B.</b>	<b>Information Item - Draft 2025 Meeting Calendar</b> Proposed updates to 2025 meeting calendar for TAC/CAC meetings for discussion.						
	<i>Notes: Mike E. raised concerns about the timeline to incorporate recommendations of TAC and CAC. No major objections though.</i>						



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XI Member Comments	
<p><i>Notes: Levy – As it relates to Bylaws CAC needs more members. Good opportunity is Hero's Day, April 12<sup>th</sup>. (used to be the Bike rodeo)</i></p> <p><i>Mike E. – several meetings ago. Deferred some studies that were intact. What is the status? Spending down MPOs funds.</i></p> <p><i>Chair Steiner adjourned the meeting at 8:10 PM.</i></p>	
XII Public Comments	
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