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Metro Transportation Engineering & Construction Cooperative (MTECC)

July 8, 2021

MPO Board

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Mayors'/Elected Officials' Transportation Roundtable

- April 2018
- Hosted by: Broward League of Cities and BMPO
- Purpose: “...create a shared vision of opportunities to tackle our region’s transportation and related economic and land development issues...”
- Called for Steering Committee to work on relevant issues

Start of Surtax Collaboration

The flyer is a rectangular graphic with a white background and a blue and green border. At the top, the title "MAYORS'/ELECTED OFFICIALS' TRANSPORTATION ROUNDTABLE" is written in large, bold, black and green letters. To the right of the title are the logos for the Broward League of Cities and the Broward Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO). Below the title, it says "Jointly hosted by: Broward League of Cities & Broward Metropolitan Planning Organization" and "Please join our region's mayors and elected officials at the first Mayors'/Elected Officials' Transportation Roundtable." The flyer is divided into several sections. On the left, it says "Moderated by WLRN's Tom Hudson" with a microphone icon. In the center, it says "Real-time interactive polling" with a hand icon. On the right, it says "Create a shared vision of opportunities" with a group of people icon. Below these, it says "Space is limited! To attend, please R.S.V.P. to: singerk@browardmpo.org Deadline is April 11, 2018". In the center, there is a large blue circle containing the text "WEDNESDAY APRIL 18 2018" and "9:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.". Below the circle, it says "Location: Broward MPO 100 W. Cypress Creek Road, Suite 650, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33309". On the right, there is a section titled "About The Roundtable:" which describes the purpose of the event. At the bottom, there is contact information for the League of Cities and Broward MPO, and a note about complaints and special requests.

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About The Roundtable:
The Roundtable offers a unique forum for mayors and elected officials to create a shared vision to tackle our region's transportation and related economic and land development issues, which ultimately affect the quality of life for the residents and businesses in Broward County and its 31 municipalities. Also invited are members of the Broward League of Cities, Greater Fort Lauderdale Chamber of Commerce, Greater Fort Lauderdale, Broward Workshop, and Broward MPO Board members. Attendees will have an opportunity to participate to help develop a shared vision for the MPO's Metropolitan Transportation Plan, currently under development.

Contact: League of Cities - Mary Lou Tighe, Executive Director (954) 357-7370 Broward MPO - Bill Cross, Deputy Executive Director (954) 876-0056
For complaints, questions or concerns about civil rights or nondiscrimination, or for special requests under the Americans with Disabilities Act, please contact: Christopher Ryan, Title VI Coordinator at (954) 876-0036 or ryano@browardmpo.org

Mayors' and Elected Officials' Roundtable Steering Committee

- First meeting held Friday, June 8, 2018
- Recent meeting on November 13, 2020

Committee Membership June 8, 2018



Commissioner Gloria Battle
Deerfield Beach



Commissioner Mikkie Belvedere
Coconut Creek



Vice Mayor Michelle Gomez
Tamarac
Co-Chair



Vice Mayor Bill Harris
Dania Beach
Co-Chair



Mayor Josh Levy
Hollywood
Co-Chair



Commissioner Andrea McGee
Pompano Beach



Mayor Michael Ryan
Sunrise



Commissioner Beverly Williams
Lauderdale Lakes



Chair Emeritus Richard Blattner
Hollywood
MPO Board Representative

Key Issue: each municipality has very different capabilities & resources available, often tied to size

1. Smaller municipalities face a greater relative burden, while also having some of the greatest transportation needs.
2. Award of transportation funding to any given municipality (e.g., CSLIP) is not frequent enough to justify permanent resources.
3. Project delivery requires significant technical resources and specialized administrative knowledge to navigate federal and state reporting requirements.

FDOT Off-System Project Delivery Changes

Off-System Project Delivery



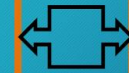
“Bridge the GAP with LAP”

- Early 2020 Notification of change
- September 2020 TAC Presentation

Why the change?

Resources, Resources, Resources

Department's Resurfacing, Restoration, and Rehabilitation (RRR) program requirements have tripled



Resource GAP

Amount of FDOT experienced staff has decreased significantly

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LAP

“Bridge the GAP with LAP”

Subcommittee Explored Options for Joint Organization to Deliver Transportation Projects

- C-Corporations
- Cooperatives “Co-ops”
- Florida Interlocal Cooperation Act of 1969



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- FL Statutes Chapter 163.01
- Permits local governmental units to **make the most efficient use of their powers by enabling them to cooperate with other localities on a basis of mutual advantage** and thereby to provide services and facilities in a manner and pursuant to forms of governmental organization that will accord best with geographic, economic, population, and other factors influencing the needs and development of local communities.



Florida Interlocal Cooperation Act of 1969

- Known legal process
- Interlocal agreement sets terms and structure of the cooperation
- Flexible structures to meet local needs



Subcommittee Identified Benefits



- Centralized engineering expertise with design, bid package preparation, construction oversight, inspection, right of way, etc.
- Centralized procurement
- Efficient & timely project delivery
- Centralized public involvement team
- City only buys services necessary without need to maintain staff



Metro Transportation Engineering & Construction Cooperative

- Organization created by Municipalities to support each other through the centralized delivery of transportation projects.



M-TECC

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CENTRALIZATION
OF *SERVICES* AND *RESOURCES*

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MEMBERSHIP PERKS!

-  Centralized management of Complete Streets and other Localized Initiatives Program (CSLIP) and FDOT's Local Agency Program (LAP) project delivery process
-  Streamline procurement of construction and maintenance contractors
-  Access to a library of planning and design consultants
-  Coordination of Federal, State, and Local funding
-  Economies of scale through the delivery of multiple projects simultaneously





**INCREASE EFFICIENCY BY
STREAMLINING SERVICES,
THROUGH CURRENT MPO
RELATIONSHIPS**



**WE CAN HELP WITH THE
PAPERWORK AND PROJECT
PROCESS**



**ASSISTANCE THROUGH ALL
STAGES OF THE PROJECT:
PROCUREMENT, DESIGN,
CONSTRUCTION, AND CEI**


PLAN


FUND


CONSTRUCT


ENJOY

Key Elements of MTECC

- Self governing Board
- Self funding by members
 - Primary funding through project awards
 - Municipality member annual dues to cover overhead
- MPO will provide administrative services – to be reimbursed
 - Insurance
 - Legal
 - Administrative
 - Procurement





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Increase efficiency by
streamlining services,
through current MPO
relationships



We can help with the
Federal and State
(LAP) paperwork and
project process



Assistance through all
stages of the project:
Procurement, Design,
and Construction

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- Plantation
- Pompano Beach
- Tamarac



Final Draft MTECC Membership Contributions

- Founding/Board Member Contribution \$100,000
- Non-founding Member Contribution \$ 50,000
- Annual Membership Fee* \$ 25,000
 - May be adjusted by Board annually
 - Five-year minimum commitment

MTECC Implementation Schedule

- Founding members approve/sign ILA Mid-May - Summer 2021
- Administrative services agreement Summer/Fall 2021
- Draft policies/procedures Summer/Fall 2021*
- MTECC Operations Begin October 1, 2021
- Obtain FDOT LAP Certification November/December 2021
- Procure key consultant resources Fall 2021
- Begin MTECC projects First Quarter 2022

* *address FDOT comments*

Discussion





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