



East Lake Task Force Minutes

**Friday, February 13, 2015
10:00 a.m.**

**Tavares City Hall Council Chambers
201 E. Main Street
Tavares, Florida**

East Lake Task Force Members

Governing Board

Commissioner Tim Sullivan, Lake County, D1
Commissioner Jimmy Conner, Lake County, D3
★Commissioner Leslie Campione, Lake County, D4
★Commissioner Welton Cadwell, Lake County, D5
Vice-Mayor Mitchell Mack, Town of Astatula
Commissioner Linda Bob, City of Eustis
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TAC (staff)

Chris Schmidt
Fred Schneider
★Dottie Keedy
Ken Harley
Stephen Cross
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Clay Ervin
★Mark Reggentin
Jacques Skutt
Richard Hatfield

CAC (citizens)

Steve Ferrell
Ted Wicks
Natalie Werner
Richard Nelson
Don Griffey
David Kilmartin
Peni Berger
David Clutts

BPAC (bike/ped)

Scot Hartle
Machelle Koonce
Mike Stephens
Lori Barnes
Pam Hunt
★Joe Runnels

★Members Present

OPENING

Commissioner Welton Cadwell called the meeting to order at 11:10 a.m. and verified that the meeting was properly noticed.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

None

TASK FORCE ITEMS

I. Development of TRANSPORTATION 2040

TJ Fish led a brief discussion on the history of the previous plans. He also talked about funding/ on cost feasible plan for county road projects.

II. Trails

TJ Fish led the discussion on the position of the trails that are being built and talked about the positions that still need to be built. There was also discussion on connectivity.

III. Wekiva Parkway

Staff gave update on Wolf Branch Innovation District.

IV. Status of East Lake Road Projects

Staff gave updates on the various East Lake Road Projects

V. FCEN Track Replacement Construction Project – Economic Development Strategies

Staff stated that the project is basically completed. Commissioner Campione discussed areas that looked rough and also quiet zones.

VI. US 441 Corridor Alternatives Analysis

Staff presented a presentation on the 441 corridor study.

VII. Safe School Access Transportation Study – Emphasis on Sidewalks Around Schools

TJ Fish explained that all the work has been completed on the study and the focus is doing the work flagged by the study.

VIII. Scenic Byway Update

Staff stated that the update is complete and that they are looking to extending the routes.

IX. Staff / Task Force Members - Reports / Comments

X. Adjournment

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 11:43 a.m.