



North Lake~Sumter Task Force

MINUTES

Wednesday, July 15, 2009

MEETING LOCATION:

Lake~Sumter MPO
1616 South 14th Street
Leesburg, Florida

North Lake~Sumter Task Force Committee Members

- *Commissioner Jennifer Hill, Lake County (present)
- *Commissioner Sharon Kelly, City of Fruitland Park (present)
- Commissioner Sanna Henderson, City of Leesburg (absent)
- Commissioner Welton Cadwell, Lake County (absent)
- *Mayor Jim Richards, Town of Lady Lake (present)
- Commissioner Don Burgess, Sumter County (absent)
- Mayor Ed Wolf, City of Wildwood (absent)

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STAFF PRESENT

T.J. Fish, Executive Director
Erin Hartigan, MPO Attorney
Pam Richmond, MPO Project Manager
Sue Goldfuss, Executive Assistant/Recording Secretary

ITEMIZED AGENDA

OPENING

- A. Call to Order
- B. Proper Noticing

Commissioner Jennifer Hill called the meeting to order at 9:35 a.m. Mr. Fish mentioned adding Bushnell to the committee.

TASK FORCE ITEMS

- I.** Status of State Road Projects and Funding T.J. Fish, Executive Director
- US 301 from Jarrell Avenue to NE 110th Street WILDWOOD
 - US 441 from Griffin Road to Perkins Street (intersection with US 27) LEESBURG
 - US 441/27 from MLK Jr. Boulevard to Lake Ella Road FRUITLAND
 - US 441/27 from Lake Ella Road to Avenida Central LADY LAKE
 - US 441/27 from Buenos Aires Boulevard to Marion County Line THE VILLAGES
 - US 441 from Perkins Street to SR 44 (Dixie Avenue) LEESBURG
 - US 441/27 from Griffin Road to MLK Jr. Boulevard LEESBURG
 - Turnpike/CR 468 Interchange THE VILLAGES/WILDWOOD
 - I-75 from Hernando County Line to Florida's Turnpike SUMTER CO
 - US 301 and CR 475 BUSHNELL
 - SR 48 from US 301 to I-75 BUSHNELL
- Mr. Fish reviewed the list of state road projects and reviewed the SR 441 map. Brief discussion regarding busses, trails, the US 27 Reliever Study and the 466/I-75 interchange funded by the Villages.
- II.** Status of County Road Projects and Funding
- CR 466A from US 301 to US 441/27 WILDWOOD/FRUITLAND PARK
 - CR 470 from US 27 to I-75 WILDWOOD/LEESBURG
 - CR 466 from Sumter County to US 441/27 LADY LAKE
 - Rolling Acres Road, CR 466 to US 27/441 LADY LAKE
 - CR 139 from CR 466A to SR 44 WILDWOOD
 - US 27 Reliever from CR 466 to SR 44 LADY LAKE/FRUITLAND PARK/LEESBURG
- Discussion ensued regarding CR 466A properties being purchased by Lake County and properties for sale. Improving intersections is more cost feasible than road improvements. Brief discussion regarding interlocal agreement coming to the board for the CR 470 interlocal.
- III.** Stimulus Projects
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| Lake County: | Sumter County: |
| • Turnpike ORT "Lite" ** | • SR 35 ** |
| • Picciola Road Bridge ** | • SR 48 ** |
| • CR 466A | • US 301 Realignment ** |
| • Eagles Nest Road | • C-476W |
| • Goose Prairie Road | • C-48E |
| • Lake Griffin Road | • C-Road Restriping ** |
| • CR 48 ** | • CR 232 ** |
| • Sleepy Hollow Road ** | • C-470 ** |
| • CR 44 ** | • Lake Panasoffkee Pedestrian Trail |
| • US 27 Bike/Ped Overpass ** | • Bushnell Multimodal Transportation |

- Leesburg Wildwood Trail **
- *ARRA funding awarded
**ARRA funding requested
Brief discussion regarding TIGER grants.

Enhancements **

- IV.** Transportation Concurrency Update and SB 360
Mr. Fish explained the MPO services will be more with the TCMS budget and adding Growth Management type services.
- V.** Transit Plan and Implementation
Lake County adopted the 2008 plan, and Sumter County working on one for adoption next year. Discussion regarding shelters for LakeXpress.
- VI.** Trail Projects
Right-of-way is the responsibility of the local government.
- VII.** CSX S-Line and Leesburg International Airport
The CSX S-line is on the Strategic Intermodal System; however, the Leesburg International Airport is not.
- VIII.** Staff Reports / Comments
None
- IX.** Task Force Member Reports / Comments
None
- X.** Public Comments
None
- XI.** Adjournment
Meeting adjourned at 11:10 a.m.