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MEMORANDUM

TO: Citizen Advisory Committee Members
News Media and Other Interested Parties

FROM: Leigh Holt, Planning Manager

RE: January 09, 2017 CAC Meeting

DATE: December 30, 2016

Attached you will find an agenda packet for the Sarasota/Manatee Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) **Citizen Advisory Committee (CAC) Meeting of January 09, 2017 at 5:00 p.m.**

The meeting will be held at the **MPO Office Conference Room, 7632 15th Street East, Sarasota, Florida.**

Please Note: The MPO Board meeting will be held on January 23, 2017 at 9:30 a.m. at the Venice Community Center, 326 Nokomis Avenue South, Venice, Florida 34285, with the joint meeting with Charlotte County Punta-Gorda MPO starting at 10:30 a.m., followed by the [Gulf Coast Regional Trail Summit](#). Please see the attached flyer for additional information.

Please contact our office at 941-359-5772 should you have any questions or concerns.

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Attachments



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CITIZEN ADVISORY COMMITTEE
of the
SARASOTA/MANATEE METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION
Airport Commerce Center
7632 15th Street East
Sarasota, Florida

5:00 P.M.

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complete agenda packet

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for additional information

AGENDA FOR JANUARY 09, 2017

*THE CAC WILL ACCEPT PUBLIC COMMENT ON ALL ITEMS ON THIS AGENDA
PRIOR TO THE COMMITTEE VOTING*

Call to Order/Confirmation of a Quorum

Pledge of Allegiance

Approval of Minutes: December 1, 2016

Open to the Public

I. COMMITTEE ACTION

1. Request to Amend the Fiscal Year 2016/2017 Through Fiscal Year 2020/2021
Transportation Improvement Program (TIP)

II. PRESENTATIONS (May Require CAC Action)

1. FDOT Report (Bessie Reina, FDOT)
2. Proposed SCAT Route Changes Update (Sarah Blanchard, SCAT)
3. Performance Measures/Project Prioritization Process Update (Leigh Holt, MPO)
4. Traffic Count Methodology Overview (Lawrence Massey, FDOT)

III. OTHER BUSINESS

Once Around the Table

IV. NEXT MEETING DATE

[Gulf Coast Regional Trail Summit](#) on January 23, 2017 at 11:30 a.m.
(Click on hyperlink for more information)

CAC on March 13, 2017.

V. ADJOURNMENT

All interested parties are invited to appear and be heard on each of the above items. Written comments filed with the MPO will be considered. Copies of all the above proposed documents are available by calling the MPO Office at 941-359-5772.

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GULF COAST REGIONAL TRAIL SUMMIT

January 23, 2017

**BUILDING LOCAL, REGIONAL, & STATE-
WIDE SUPPORT FOR A MULTI-USE TRAIL
ALONG THE FLORIDA GULF COAST.**

SPEAKERS WILL HIGHLIGHT:

- Securing Funding
- Building Political Support
- Connecting Our Communities
- Naming & Branding the Trail

Lunch Provided by Lee Health at 11:30 AM

12:00 PM - 3:00 PM

**Venice Community Center
326 Nokomis Avenue South
Venice, Florida**





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& Trails Foundation**
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Tampa Bay Area Regional Transportation Authority



Gulf Coast Regional Trail Summit

January 23, 2017 – 12:00 PM

Lunch will be provided by Lee Health at 11:30 AM

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Venice, FL 34285**

AGENDA

- I. Welcome & Introductions (12:00-12:05)**
- II. Statement of Goals & Objectives (12:05-12:20)**
 1. Ray Chiamonte, Executive Director, TBARTA
- III. Keynote Speaker (12:20-1:35)**
 1. Carl Mikyska, Executive Director, MPOAC
- IV. Funding & Support - Local, Regional, & Statewide Trail Network (12:35 – 1:05)**
 1. Dale Allen, Chair, Florida Greenways & Trails Foundation
 2. Doug Hattaway, The Trust for Public Land
- V. Updating the Florida Greenways & Trails Systems Plan (1:05-1:20)**
 1. Brian Smith, Chair, Florida Greenways & Trails Council | Christine Small, OGT Staff
- VI. Local Technical Presentations (1:20 – 2:50)**
 1. Collier County MPO
 2. Lee County MPO
 3. Charlotte County MPO
 4. Sarasota County | Sarasota/Manatee MPO
 5. Manatee County | Sarasota/Manatee MPO
 6. Hillsborough County MPO
 7. Forward Pinellas
 8. Hernando/Citrus MPO (Time permitting)
 9. Pasco County MPO (Time permitting)
 10. Polk TPO (Time permitting)
- VII. Position Statement (2:50)**
- VIII. Next Steps | Adjourn (3:00)**

Following the Summit (3PM – 5PM) Christine Small will be available for input on proposed updates to the Florida Greenways & Trails System Priorities and Opportunity Trails.