



Recap of TBRPC Council Meeting

Talking points to assist Board Members with their reports on Council activities.

Meeting Date: February 12, 2018

❖ Regional Transit Feasibility Plan

Mr. Scott Pringle is the Florida Planning Practice Leader for Jacobs Engineering. Scott has played a leading role in all of the Tampa Bay Regional Transportation Authority's Regional Plans, MPO Long Range Plans, as well as the Pinellas Alternatives Analysis. Mr. Pringle provided an overview of the Regional Transit Feasibility Plan: A Route Map to Implementation which forms the building blocks for a comprehensive transportation plan for the region. The regional transit plan that began with a review of the more than 55 transportation plans and studies already completed by Tampa Bay area agencies over the past 30 years to determine where the strongest corridors are for possible transit options and what those projects would look like.

❖ Sea Level Rise & Climate Resiliency

The Tampa Bay Regional Planning Council conducted a Sea Level Rise & Climate Resiliency discussion hosted by St. Petersburg Mayor, Rick Kriseman. Resiliency strategies were discussed along with the reasons to prepare. This was a follow up to the Sea Level Rise & Climate Resilience workshop that was held on January 8th, 2018.

❖ SAVE THE DATE: TBRPC to Sponsor the Gulf Coast Safe Streets Summit February 27th at Glazer Children's Museum

The Tampa Bay Regional Planning Council will be sponsoring the Plan Hillsborough Gulf Coast Safe Streets Summit, February 27, 2018 at 8:30 a.m. Staff members will staff a sponsorship table to provide outreach along with highlighting some of the projects that the Council has supported over the year in Transportation Planning. The Gulf Coast Safe Streets Summit is a collaborative effort of the Hernando/Citrus, Hillsborough, Pasco, Pinellas, and Sarasota/Manatee Metropolitan Planning Organizations, the Polk County Transportation Planning Organization, the Florida Department of Transportation, the USF Center for Urban Transportation Research, and Walk Bike Tampa. This partnership provides a regional approach to prioritize the Complete Streets initiative throughout the local jurisdictions along the Gulf Coast of Florida.

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