

## MPO ACTIVITIES & PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT DURING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC: CHANGING HOW WE DO BUSINESS IN ORDER TO PROTECT PUBLIC HEALTH

The MPO Board voted at their March 13, 2020 meeting to cancel all advisory board meetings until further notice from the Board. The Board also voted to cancel their April Board meeting and authorized the Chair or Vice Chair to take whatever steps necessary as requested by the MPO Director to continue the business of the MPO.

We have canceled all public meetings that were scheduled for March and April and are working on plans to conduct virtual meetings using all available formats and media including on-line surveys and interactive maps. We encourage members of the public to remain engaged in the plans and studies we have underway by periodically checking the MPO's website for updates:

[www.colliermopo.org](http://www.colliermopo.org) and by joining our Adviser Network: <https://www.colliermopo.org/advisor-network-sign-up/> to learn about opportunities to participate on-line.

MPO staff are working from home and are available to answer questions by phone or email during regular office hours. See our contact information page: <https://www.colliermopo.org/contact-us/>

### ENVISION 2045

### LONG RANGE TRANSPORTATION PLAN (LRTP)



Jacobs is the consultant. Anne McLaughlin is the MPO's Project Manager, Brandy Otero is Assistant Project Manager. The 2045 LRTP must be adopted by December 2020. See: **What's New This Month:** FDOT released its first planning model run of the E+C Network with 2045 socio-economic data on March 13th. The resulting map of network deficiencies can be viewed at: <https://www.colliermopo.org/lrtp/>

### TRANSIT

<https://www.colliermopo.org/transit/>



**Transit Development Plan**— Tindale Oliver is the consultant. Josephine Medina is the MPO's Project Manager. The TDP will serve as the transit element of the 2045 LRTP. The project timeline, draft Public Participation Plan and on-line survey are on the website.

**Park and Ride Study**— Jacobs is the consultant. Josephine Medina is the MPO's Project Manager. The Park and Ride Study will identify prime locations, site plan considerations and planning level cost estimates that will aid the County and MPO Board in prioritizing future project expenditures.

**Transit Impact Analysis**— Tindale Oliver is the consultant. Brandy Otero is the MPO's Project Manager. The project was requested by Collier County Public Transportation and Neighborhood Enhancement Division and funded by the MPO. It is intended to assess the impact of development on the transit network. The completion date of 4/30/2020 is likely to be extended. View the project scope at the link provided.

### CONGESTION

<https://www.colliermopo.org/congestion-management/>



**Transportation System Performance Report & Action Plan (TSPR)**—Tindale Oliver is the consultant. Brandy Otero is the MPO's Project Manager. This study implements an important element of the 2017 Congestion Management Process. The TSPR will evaluate the root causes of congestion, establish baseline conditions and recommend actions the MPO can take to alleviate congestion. The information will feed into the 2045 LRTP. The anticipated completion date is June 2020.

### DRAFT UPWP

### Unified Planning Work Program FY21 - 22



The UPWP establishes the MPO's operating budget and planning priorities. Brandy Otero, the MPO's Principal Planner, is developing the new draft UPWP for submittal to advisory committees in February and to the Board in March for preliminary review, adoption in May. See link for current draft, submitted to FDOT for review: <https://www.colliermopo.org/wp-content/uploads/FY-21-22-Draft-UPWP-1.pdf>

### DRAFT TIP

### Transportation Improvement Program FY21-25



Anne McLaughlin is now the Program Manager. The TIP is the MPO's five-year spending program for transportation projects. The TIP is developed in collaboration with FDOT and must match the FDOT Work Program once the Legislature has approved it. The draft FY21-25 TIP will be reviewed by the TAC and CAC in March. The draft can be downloaded or viewed at: [www.colliermopo.org/tip/](http://www.colliermopo.org/tip/)