### **Broward Complete Streets TOUCH Initiative Technical Advisory Committee**

## Monday, April 9 at 2:00PM - 3:30PM Summary/Minutes

#### 101 Cypress Creek Suite 850

#### **Attendance:**

#### **TAC Members Present:**

Alena Alberani, Sustainable Community Partners
Scott Brunner, Broward County Traffic Engineer
Paul Carpenter, Coral Springs
Andrea Crawford, YMCA
Bill Cross, Tri-Rail
Heslop Daley, Fort Lauderdale
Arlene Davis, Port Everglades
Eric Dumbaugh, PhD, Florida Atlantic University
Ellen Feiler, Department of Health
Maribel Feliciano, TCC/ BC Air Quality
Jerry Ferguson, Deerfield Beach
Lori Hall, Miramar
Gloria Katz, Smart Growth Partnership
Lynne Kunins, FLIPANY
Ronald Kareiva, FDOT

Rick Labinsky, Hallandale Beach
Amanda Martinez, City of Deerfield Beach
Jennifer Perigny, Broward Regional Health Planning Council
Joy Riddell, AARP
John Ramos, Broward County Transit
John Rude, Broward Urban River Trails
Peter Shwarz, BC Planning
Christine Stinson, Univ of Miami-Miller School of Medicine
Richard Tornese, Broward County Highway Construction
Manosh Varghese, FDOT
Tyler Wallum, FDOT

#### Staff:

Priscila Clawges, Broward MPO Mark, Horrowitz, Broward MPO Christopher Ryan, Broward MPO Anamarie Garces, UHP Patrice Gillespie Smith, UHP

#### **Summary/Minutes:**

Agenda Item	Discussion	Action/Follow-up
Introductions	New members: Joy Riddell, AARP, Christine Stinson, UM	
	WalkSafe/BikeSafe, Lynne Kunins, FLIPANY,	
Recap of March Action Items		
		Thank you for your efforts and please continue to
i. Survey	Survey: We have more than 1300 responses.	disseminate.
ii. Presentations	G. Katz, Smart Growth Partnerships presented an update, including 11 cities signed up for technical assistance in implementing Smart Growth Codes and	Smart Growth Partnerships will host a kickoff for participating cities at 1pm on May 2 at the Lauderdale Lakes Library/Cultural Arts & Event Center 3580 W.

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	Complete Streets.	Oakland Park Boulevard 33319 Email <a href="mailto:tara@smartgrowthpartnership.org">tara@smartgrowthpartnership.org</a> for more information.
iii. Media/Municipal Website reports	PG Smith thanked the TAC members that have posted the MPO newsletter article on their website. More than a half dozen cities have broadcasted Complete Streets information.	C. Ryan asked members to send him images of public engagement or relevant topics to be used in the Guidelines
iv. Bike Month activities	M. Horowitz reported that March featured 66 bike month activities and that the Complete Streets information was well received	
v. Smart Growth Partnerships		Please contact G. Katz if you are interested in learning more about the Smart Growth ordinances or receiving technical assistance.
Complete Streets Guidance Document	S. Robertson presented Guideline chapter updates. These all can be found on the Complete Streets website: <a href="https://www.browardcompletestreets.org">www.browardcompletestreets.org</a>	Additional Changes to Chapters 2 and 15 will include input from surveys and public workshops.
	Revisions of Chapter 2: Vision, Goals, Policies and Benchmarks. References to CA were replaced with Broward. References to directors or specific departments were changed to local government.	
	Chapter 15: References to CA were replaced with Broward. Transportation Outreach Planner was incorporated as well as an overview about the MPO and the role it plays in public engagement. Ultimately, Chapter 15 will become Chapter 3 to show the weighted emphasis Broward places on public engagement. (The	
	updated chapters can be found on www.browardcompletestreets.org)	The team will take the input and incorporate it into the guidelines for the TAC's review in May.

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	Members then broke up into groups to have in-depth discussions about their assigned chapters. Each group reported out its proposed changes, which can be found in the Power Point presentation on the Website.	May assignment are provided below.
Public Workshop	Public Workshop series handout distributed and posted on website.  a. Tuesday, April 17, 11am to 1 pm, Highland Gardens in Deerfield Beach b. Tuesday, April 17, 3-7pm, North Lauderdale City Complex c. Wednesday, April 18, 6-8pm, West Park Library (Carver Ranches Branch) d. Thursday, April 19, 1-3pm, NOVA Student Center	TAC Members: Please Identify at least one public workshop you can attend.
Follow-up Items	PG Smith reminded members that we have another reading assignment in May. In response to a member request that we diversify our groups, she said members may choose whichever assignment interests them most and are not restricted by their profession.	Urban Planners/Env. Planners /Health /Community  Ch 13: Designing Land Use along Living Streets/ Ch 14: Retrofitting Suburbia  Transportation Planners  Ch 10: Traffic Calming/ Ch 14: Retrofitting Suburbia  Engineers  Ch 7: Pedestrian Crossing/Ch 8: Bikeway Design/Ch 14: Retrofitting Suburbia  Next TAC meeting: May 14, 2012 at 2pm

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