

**MARTIN METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION
LOCAL COORDINATING BOARD FOR THE TRANSPORTATION DISADVANTAGED**

Martin County Administration Building
Commission Chambers, 1st Floor
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**PUBLIC WORKSHOP
Monday, August 27, 2018 @ 1:30 P.M.**

AGENDA

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>ACTION</u>
1. CALL TO ORDER – 1:30 P.M.	
2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE	
3. ROLL CALL	
4. APPROVE AGENDA	APPROVE
5. AGENDA ITEMS	
A. ANNUAL PUBLIC WORKSHOP	HEAR PUBLIC COMMENTS
B. LCB-TD MEMBER INTRODUCTIONS	INFORMATION
6. COMMENTS FROM BOARD MEMBERS	
7. ADJOURN	

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AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY**

MEETING DATE: August 27, 2018	DUE DATE: August 20, 2018	UPWP#: 6.2
WORDING: ANNUAL PUBLIC WORKSHOP		
REQUESTED BY: Florida Commission for the Transportation Disadvantaged	PREPARED BY: Ricardo Vazquez	DOCUMENT(S) REQUIRING ACTION: None

BACKGROUND

Annually, a Public Workshop is held to allow all interested citizens the opportunity to provide input on transportation disadvantaged transit services for the disabled, elderly, children at risk, low income and any other citizens of Martin County.

The Local Coordinating Board members are the voice of the transportation disadvantaged in Martin County. The Board exists to identify local transportation service needs, and to give information, advice, and direction to the Community Transportation Coordinator (CTC), who coordinates transportation disadvantaged services in Martin County, and to the Florida Commission for the Transportation Disadvantaged (CTD) in Tallahassee. Comments from this Public Workshop will be forwarded to the Florida Commission for the Transportation Disadvantaged.

The CTD has signed an extension with Medical Transportation Management, Inc. from July 1st 2018 through September 30th, 2018. The Senior Resource Association of Indian River County will serve as CTC beginning October 1st, and will remain the CTC until the Request for Proposal Process for a new CTC is finalized.

ISSUES

Chapter 427, F.S. requires that a Public Workshop be conducted annually.

RECOMMENDED ACTION

N/A

FISCAL IMPACT

This Public Workshop is required in order to continue to receive funding from the Florida Commission for the Transportation Disadvantaged.

APPROVAL
MPO

ATTACHMENTS

- a. Notice of Public Workshop
- b. Comment Card

**NOTICE OF TRANSPORTATION DISADVANTAGED PUBLIC HEARING
AND MEETING FOR AUGUST, 2018**

Notice is hereby given of the following meetings scheduled to be held at the stated dates, times and places shown, by the Martin Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO). The MPO is located at 3481 Suite 101, SE Willoughby Boulevard, Stuart, FL. The meetings listed below are those scheduled for August, 2018. The Martin MPO is responsible for planning and programming of Federal, State and local transportation planning, services and project funds. All interested persons are invited to attend and be heard. Written comments may be sent to the Martin MPO, 3481 Suite 101, SE Willoughby Boulevard, Stuart FL 34994. Comments may also be submitted through the MPO's website at www.martinmpo.com. Meeting calendars, agendas and other MPO plans and documents may be obtained from the MPO's website www.martinmpo.com. Items not included on the agenda may also be heard in consideration of the best interests of the public's health, safety, welfare and as necessary to protect every person's right of access.

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If any person decides to appeal any decision made with respect to any matter considered at the meetings or hearings of any board, committee, agency, council, or advisory group, that person will need a record of the proceedings and for such purpose, may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record should include the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

August Martin Metropolitan Planning Organization meetings:

• **PUBLIC HEARING-LOCAL COORDINATING BOARD-TRANSPORTATION DISADVANTAGED (LCB-TD)**

Date: Monday, August 27, 2018 at 1:30 PM

Location: Martin County Administrative Center, Commission Chambers, 2401 SE Monterey Road, Stuart, FL

Topic: Consideration of the transportation services for the transportation disadvantaged.

• **MEETING-LCB-TD**

Date: Monday, August 27, 2018 at 2:30 PM

Location: Martin County Administrative Center, 4th Floor Workshop Conference Room, 2401 SE Monterey Road, Stuart, FL

Topic: Consideration of the transportation services for the transportation disadvantaged.

Español: Si usted desea recibir esta información en español, por favor llame al 772-288-5412.

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Transportation Disadvantaged Public Hearing August 27, 2018

Are you a user of the Transportation Disadvantaged (TD) system?

What is important to you regarding the TD system or Transportation in general?

Yes

No

If so, when was your last trip?

Comments?

A) Within 1 week. C) Within 1 year.

B) Within 1 month. D) I have never used the TD system.

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BACKGROUND

The Local Coordinating Board for the Transportation Disadvantaged (LCB-TD) has 16 voting members on the Board, including one locally elected official. These members represent different agencies and groups that are involved with the TD population.

ISSUES

With the addition of new members to the LCB, the Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) staff thought that it would be in the best interest of the Board to familiarize themselves with the other members. Staff has asked that each member of the LCB share a brief introduction about who they are, who they represent, and how they are involved with the TD population.

RECOMMENDED ACTION

This is an informational item.