



Transportation Tuesday

July 9, 2024



**2024
Annual Report**

July 1, 2023 - June 30, 2024

Palm Beach TPA FY 2024 Annual Report

The TPA's FY 2024 Annual Report is now available! Review milestones from the past year, including key Strategic Plan accomplishments in the report at PalmBeachTPA.org/AnnualReport.

Read the FY 2024 Annual Report



Vision 2050 Workshops

Thank you to all who attended the TPA's Vision 2050 Project Review Workshops! Your input will help shape the final Long Range Transportation Plan (LRTP) to be adopted in December. Couldn't make it in person? You can still review projects submitted for the LRTP at PalmBeachTPA.org/Vision2050Projects.

View the Public Input Map

Let's Get on the Bus Challenge Winner

TPA Planner I, Matthew Masa, was named a winner of Palm Tran's Let's Get on the Bus Challenge! Matthew is a dedicated transit rider, using Palm Tran to and from the TPA each week. He was awarded three months of free rides on Palm Tran with his Paradise Pass!

[View a Recap of the Challenge](#)



TPA Project Highlight

12-foot shared use paths, high-visibility crosswalks and pedestrian lighting features are now constructed along Seminole Blvd. from Okeechobee Blvd. to Oswego Ave. in the Westgate CRA! This project was funded through the TPA's Transportation Alternatives program. Learn more at PalmBeachTPA.org/TA.

[Learn more about TA](#)





Space Coast TPO Peer Exchange

Staff from the Space Coast Transportation Planning Organization (TPO) visited the TPA last month to share best practices and discuss current planning efforts. The TPA looks forward to working with peer MPOs to learn more about their successes. Thank you to the Space Coast team for taking time to make a stop in Palm Beach County!



BICYCLE FRIENDLY BUSINESS SURVEY

PalmBeachTPA.org/BFBSurvey



Bicycle Friendly Business Survey

The TPA is seeking your feedback on its designation as a Bicycle Friendly Business! Please consider taking this survey on how we can improve our business for people who bike. Take the survey at PalmBeachTPA.org/BFBSurvey by July 19 to share your feedback!

Take the Survey



Bicycle Friendly Designations

The Bike League's Bicycle Friendly America (BFA) program provides communities, businesses, and universities with assistance in building more bicycle-friendly places. The BFA program is a tool to make bicycling a real transportation and recreation option for all people, sets standards for what constitutes a real bicycling culture and environment, and recognizes those doing it well. The BFA program deadline for universities is August 8 and businesses is October 30.

[Learn more about the BFA Program](#)



Best Workplace for Commuters

Applications for the 2025 list of Best Workplaces for Commuters is officially open! Complete the online application by selecting the membership type and indicate primary and supporting benefits offered by your organization. Applications will be accepted through November 30.

[Apply to be a Best Workplace for Commuters](#)

2050 Regional Transportation Plan Survey

Help shape the future of transportation in the Southeast Florida region! Watch the new video about the 2050 Regional Transportation Plan (RTP) and take the survey to share how you get around the tri-county region. Your feedback will help us refine a vision for the future! Visit SEFTC.org to learn more.

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[SEFTC RTP 2050 Homepage](#)



RIDER ANNOUNCEMENT

Effective July 1, 2024, Tri-Rail's Ride Partner Service will be updated to include Uber, Lyft and Taxis with a total of twelve \$5 credits available per provider, per calendar month.

Passengers must present a valid Tri-Rail EASY Card to obtain the \$5 credit

UBER & LYFT

Submit request at www.tri-rail.com on the Ride Partner page under the Schedule tab, or by calling 1-800-874-7245. Vouchers will be sent by email and text directly from Uber and Lyft within 48 hours.

TAXI SERVICE

Passengers must present a Tri-Rail EASY Card to the taxi driver for rides to and from Tri-Rail stations to receive the \$5 discount.

For Palm Beach County stations call 561-777-7777

For Broward County stations call 954-777-7777

For Miami-Dade county stations call 305-777-7777

Complimentary shuttle bus is in service for the Fort Lauderdale Airport.

Freebee microtransit is in service at the Cypress Creek station.

The \$5 discount is not available for these service routes.

A \$15 discount on Uber, Lyft and Metro Taxi is in place at the West Palm Beach Station for Palm Beach International Airport service.

Ride Partner services are not available to and from the Miami Airport and MiamiCentral stations

1-800-TRI-RAIL (874-7245)

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Palm Beach County Planning Congress
Transportation Planning Day: Trains, Autonomous Mobility, TOD Planning

Seats are Limited

Brightline
ECONOMY CLASS

Passenger PBCPC Member	From West Palm Beach	To Orlando
Train Round Trip	Departure 08:03 AM	Arrive 10:15 AM
Date 7/26/2024		Seat TBD

ECONOMY CLASS

Passenger
PBCPC Member
Train 1234 Seat B5

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\$200




Planning Congress Urban Planning & Transportation Day

Are you passionate about transportation and urban planning and looking to experience it firsthand? The Palm Beach County Planning Congress (PBCPC) is hosting an Urban Planning & Transportation Day on July 26 from West Palm Beach to Orlando to explore transit, autonomous mobility and transit oriented development (TOD). Seats are limited.

[Register for the event](#)

**Back to School
Bicycle Donation
REI Palm Beach Gardens**

August 9, 10, and 11, 2024



**Benefitting
Jack The Bike Man
Childrens Bicycle Charity**

*Please drop off bicycles, helmets if not expired, pumps,
bike racks, bike luggage, accessories such as lights,
mirrors, and baskets.*

REI Palm Beach Gardens 11701 Lake Victoria Gardens Avenue, Suite 1101, Palm Beach Gardens

Upcoming Events and Webinars

TRAIL-GO Grant Informational Webinars

July 10 - 26 [Register](#)

Building Blocks for Successful First and Last Mile Autonomous Vehicle Deployment

July 11 [Register](#)

Pedestrian Behavior at Crosswalks in Modern Roundabouts Using Virtual Reality

July 16 [Register](#)

Overview of the Safe Streets and Roads for All (SS4A) Grant Program

July 16 [Register](#)

Multimodal Transportation Site Impact

July 17 [Register](#)

Road Safety Champion Program 7-Part Webinar Series

July 18 - August 29 [Register](#)

Media Strategy #3: Hosting the Press

July 25 [Register](#)

Driver Attitudes and Behavior in the Presence of E-Scooters versus Bicyclists

July 25 [Register](#)

Progress & Pitfalls: A Real Talk on Equity in Roadway Safety

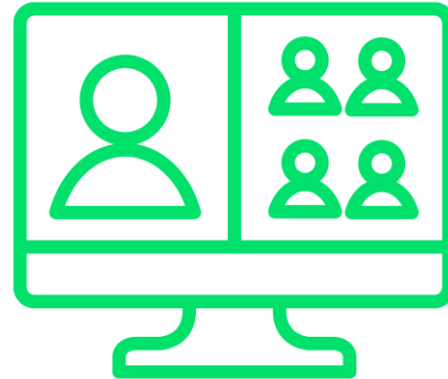
August 20 [Register](#)

2055 Florida Transportation Plan (FTP) Webinar

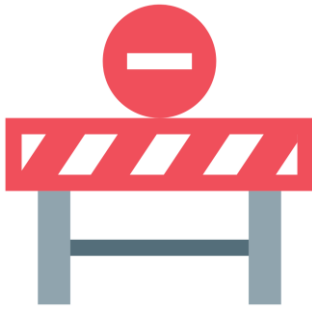
[Watch Recording](#)

Unpacking Key Actions to Revolutionize Roadway Safety - Vision Zero 101

[Watch Recording](#)



Traffic Impacts & Meetings Near You



[Martin County Turnpike & I-95 Direct Connection Interchange Public Meeting](#)

[U.S. 1 Town of Jupiter Replacement Project - Bridge Full Closure](#)

[I-95 at PGA Blvd. Southbound Entrance Ramp Project](#)

[Beeline Highway Reconstruction Project](#)

[Lake Worth Rd. at Haverhill Rd. Intersection Improvement Project](#)

[Full Closure - State Market Rd.](#)

[Full Closure - Conners Highway](#)

[SR 5/N Federal Highway Milling & Resurfacing](#)

[Districtwide Rumble Strips Improvements Project](#)

[Brightline Construction Updates](#)

[South Florida Turnpike Weekly Advisory](#)

[Palm Beach County Weekly Road and Bridge Construction List](#)

[FDOT Palm Beach County Construction Projects](#)

[FDOT District 4 Public Meetings](#)

[Full List of FDOT Upcoming Lane Closures](#)

Funding & Grant Opportunities

Strengthening Mobility and Revolutionizing Transportation (SMART) Grants Program

is a two-stage grant program providing funding to eligible public sector agencies to conduct demonstration projects focused on advanced smart community technologies and systems in order to improve transportation efficiency and safety. Applicants must have received a Stage 1 grant to apply to Stage 2. Applications are due July 12 by 5 p.m.



Safe Streets and Roads for All (SS4A) Grant Program is aimed at supporting communities in planning and implementing projects to reduce traffic-related deaths and serious injuries. The next application deadline is August 29.

TRAIL-GO Local Trail Management Grant provides funding to local governmental entities for the operation and maintenance of trails located within the Florida Greenways and Trails System (FGTS). Local governments may request up to \$200,000. Applications may be submitted from August 1 - 31.

Reconnecting Communities Pilot (RCP) Program helps reconnect communities previously cut off from economic opportunities by transportation infrastructure. The goal of the program is to advance community-centered transportation connection projects that improve access to daily needs such as jobs, education, healthcare, food, nature, and recreation, and foster equitable development and restoration. Applications are due September 30.

Transportation Resources

FHWA's Bipartisan Infrastructure Law (BIL) website

serves as a one-stop shop for FHWA's implementation of the law, including information on funding, assistance, education, and guidance.

U.S. DOT's Equity website provides plans and resources for delivering a more equitable transportation system.



[DOT Navigator](#) helps communities understand the best ways to apply for grants and plan for and deliver transformative infrastructure projects and services.

[U.S. DOT Equitable Transportation Community \(ETC\) Explorer](#) is an interactive web application that uses 2020 Census Tracts and data to explore the cumulative burden communities experience as a result of underinvestment in transportation.

[U.S. DOT Intersection Safety Challenge](#) is transforming intersection safety through the development of innovative intersection safety systems that identify, predict, and mitigate unsafe conditions involving vehicles and vulnerable road users.

[Safe Mobility Coalition Resources](#): Whether you are an older adult, family member caregiver, aging service provider, or safety advocate, you will find helpful educational materials and information to help improve the safety, access, and mobility of Florida's aging road users.

[Electric Bicycle \(E-Bike\) Resources](#): The Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) is advancing research on e-bikes to better understand trends and impacts, and how jurisdictions around the country are managing them.

[E-Scooter Safety Toolbox](#): A new resource guide, informed by and developed as part of a Behavioral Traffic Safety Cooperative Research Project, that offers concise, evidence-based recommendations to help state and local agencies deliver e-scooter safety programs.

[Florida Statewide Transit Survey](#): The marketing firm BowStern has created a survey for anyone in Florida to complete; both riders and non-riders.

[Target Zero Resources](#): Target Zero was established in the Strategic Highway Safety Plan to provide a framework for how Florida's communities work to achieve the national vision of zero fatalities and serious injuries.

[Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices](#): On December 19, a final rule adopting the 11th Edition of the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices (MUTCD) for Streets and Highways was published in the Federal Register, which includes a number of updates to improve safety for pedestrians, bicyclists, and all road users.

Governing Board & Committee Meetings

Technical Advisory Committee (TAC)

Wednesday, July 10 at 9:30 a.m.

Citizens Advisory Committee (CAC)

Wednesday, July 10 at 1:30 p.m.

Vision Zero Advisory Committee (VZAC)

Thursday, July 11 at 9:30 a.m.

Palm Beach TPA Governing Board

Thursday, July 18 at 9:30 a.m.

Transportation Disadvantaged Local Coordinating Board (LCB)

Wednesday, August 28 at 2 p.m.

Meeting details and agendas are posted at the links above one week in advance, along with an online comment form as an option for public comments before or during each meeting.

To view a calendar of scheduled TPA meetings, visit PalmBeachTPA.org/Calendar





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City of Belle Glade
Port of Palm Beach
Village of Palm Springs
Village of Royal Palm Beach

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COORDINATOR

SENIOR PLANNER – TRANSPORTATION
IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM COORDINATOR

PLANNER I/II - MULTIMODAL

PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT SPECIALIST

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