# **CENTRAL FLORIDA** ALLIANCE Overview

# Alliance Partners

# Operating Structure

# Projects & Products





# **Evolution of the Alliance**

Orlando-Volusia Alliance Formed - June 1997

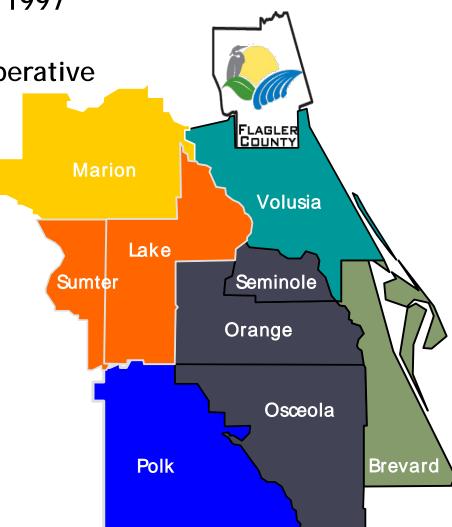
MetroPlan Orlando-Brevard County cooperative planning agreement - May 1999

MetroPlan Orlando-Lake County cooperative planning agreement -May 2000

Central Florida MPO Alliance created -January 2001

Polk TPO joined - May 2003

Ocala-Marion TPO joined - Nov 2004



Key Factors in Establishing the Alliance

Market realities

Enthusias tic Board members; Regional Thinkers

**Active participation of FDOT D1 and D5** 

**Excellent** staff working relationships

Early successes; regional good-will

Alliance Agreement Stipulates Forum for information exchange

Coordination of regional planning and policy development with FDOT

Identify regional transportation opportunities

Solve regional transportation issues

#### STRUCTURE

- 18 voting members (3 from each of 6 MPOs)
- Officers rotate
- Staff Directors
- FDOT and Turnpike Participation
- Liaison; administrative support

### **Projects & Products**

- Regional Projects
  - ✓ Catalyst for "How Shall We Grow" Effort
  - SunRail
  - Florida's Coast to Coast Trail
  - Support to Preserve Rail Envelope
  - Regional Transit Study
- Regional Products
  - Regional LRTP, Prioritization Process, Regional Indicators