Orientation for New Board Members

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Congrats!

You're on the MetroPlan Orlando Board.

What now?

Today's Topics

- Our Role
- Our Plans
- Our Funding
- Our Process

Future Topics

- Project updates
- Community engagement
- Transit
- Financial Resources



Our Role

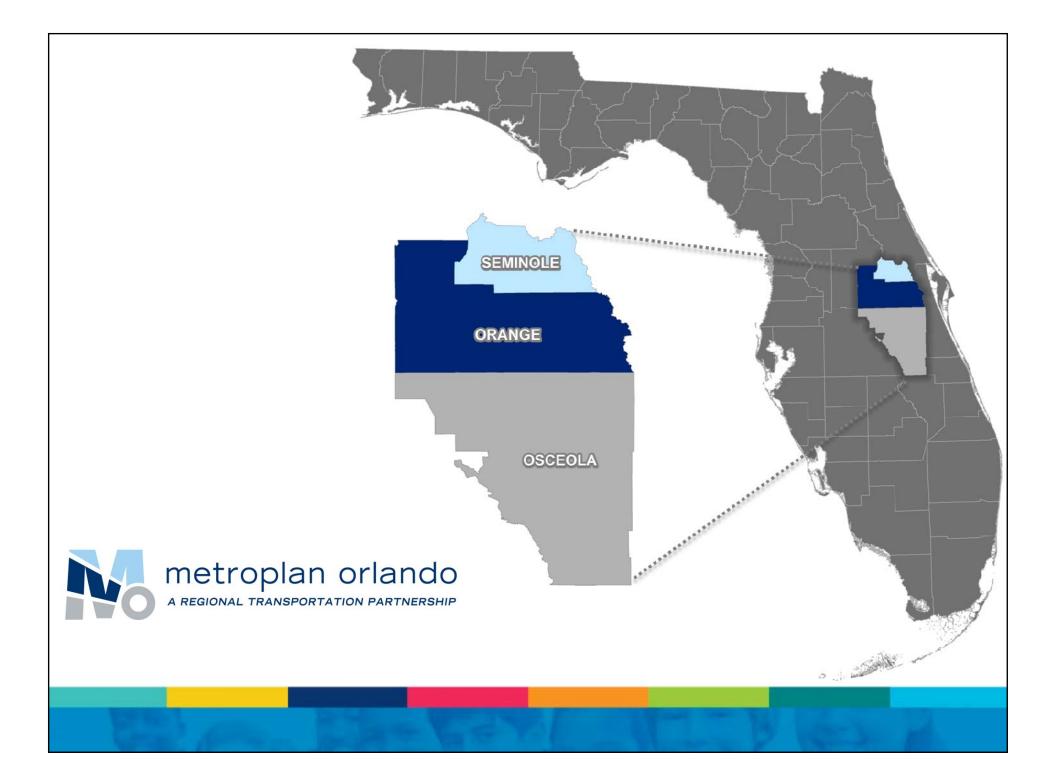


What does MPO stand for?

- Multimodal Planning Organization
- Metropolitan Planning Organization
- Making Petroleum Obsolete
- Multimodal Planning Optimization
- Major Project Office

Why do MPOs exist?

- Regional coordination
- Set funding priorities
- Plan far into the future
- All of the above



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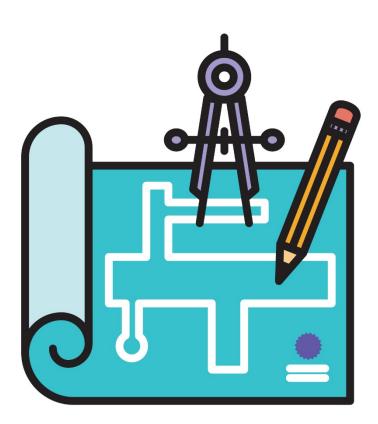


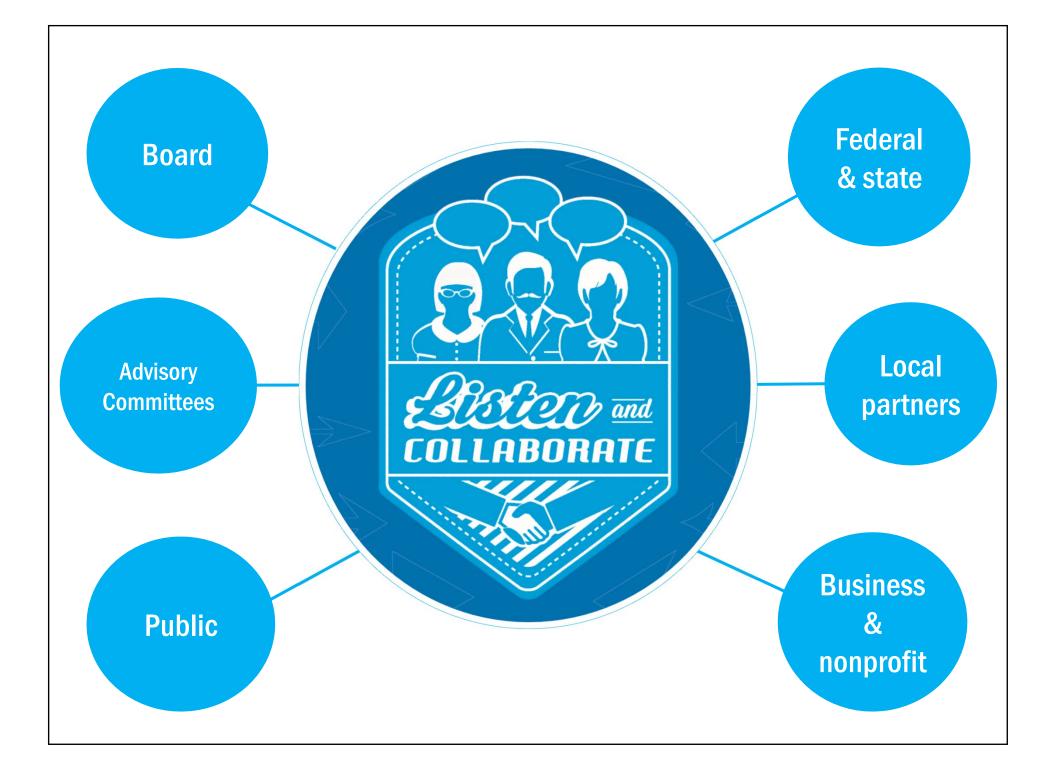
- Forum for regional coordination & cooperative decision-making
- Set priorities for state and federal funding
- Provide long-term transportation vision



Fundamental MPO Roles

- To set the framework for transportation in the region
- To make planning & programming decisions
- To ensure consistency by reviewing other agencies' planning & programming
- To involve & inform the public





Our Work Impacts Everyone

- Transportation
 system
- Economy
- Community character

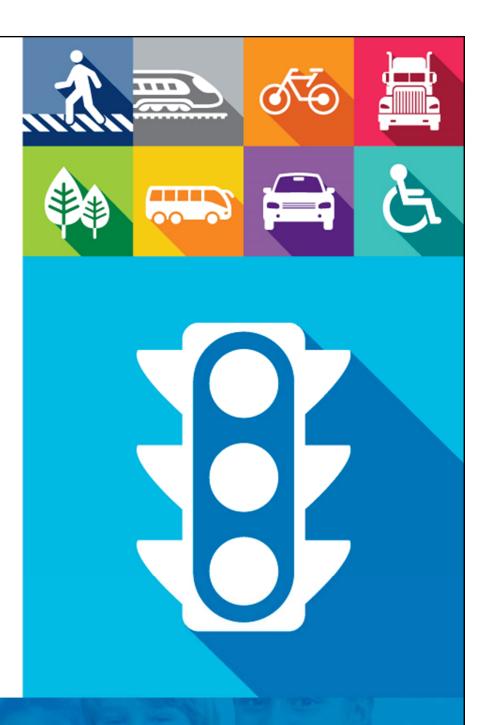


Which role fits you?

- Visionary
- Advocate
- Mediator
- Educator
- Adjudicator
- Negotiator
- Manager

Your Leadership Is Vital to Success

- Patience & persistence are crucial in planning
- Legal Authority < Political Influence
- Highly interdependent process



Our Plans



Metropolitan Transportation Plan (formerly Long Range Transportation Plan)





Prioritized Project List

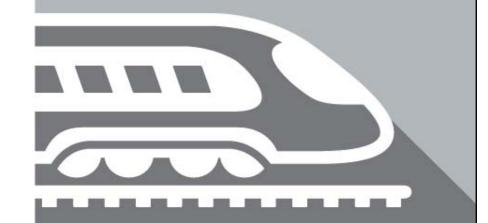
Transportation Improvement Program





Why think regionally?

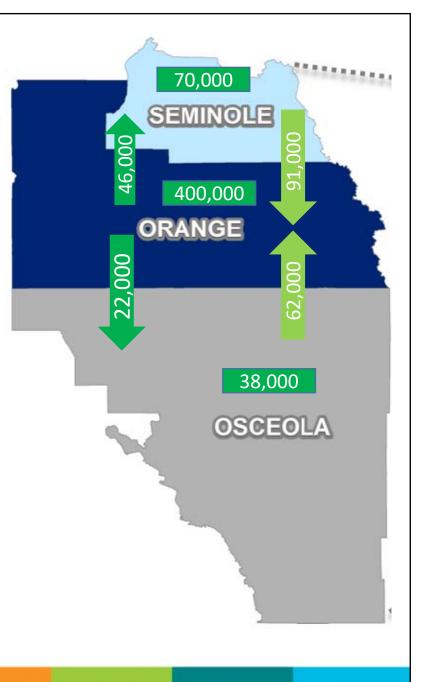


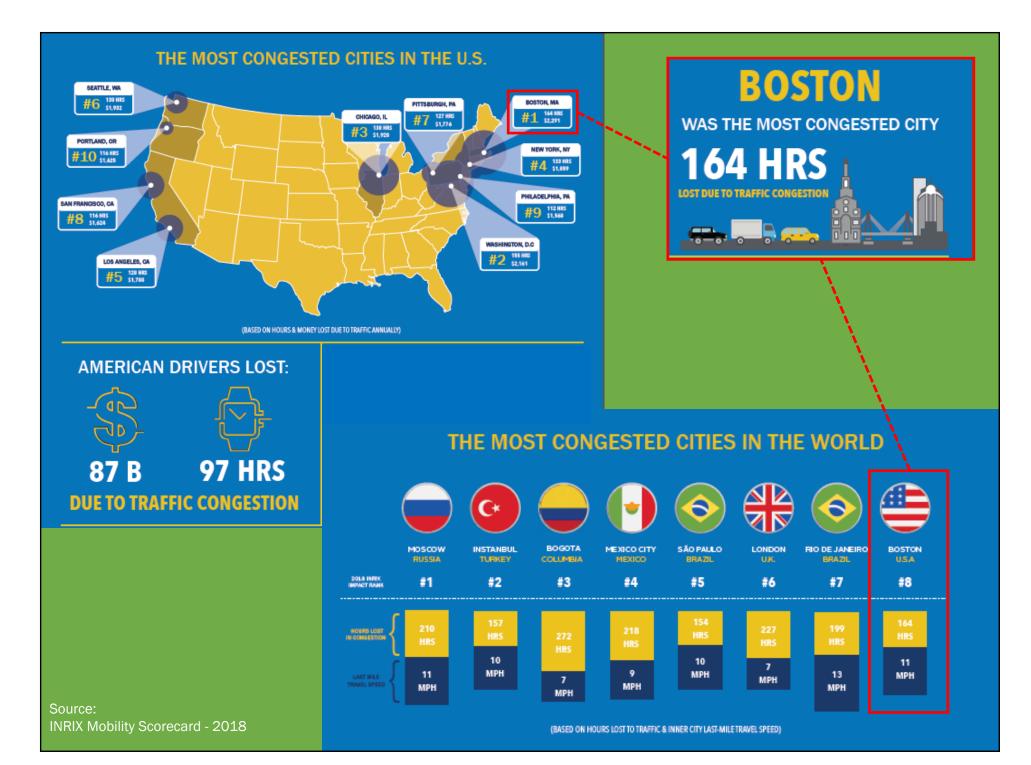


Why Think Regionally Ocala/ Marion TPO **River** to Sea TPO Lake/Sumter MPO Space 334,272 - Employed in Selection Area, Live Outside MetroPlan Coast 195,190 - Live In Selection Area, Employed Outside Orlando TPO 729,851 - Employed and Live in Selection Area Polk TPO



Transportation doesn't start or stop at the county line





Cost of Congestion

\$1,037 per commuter

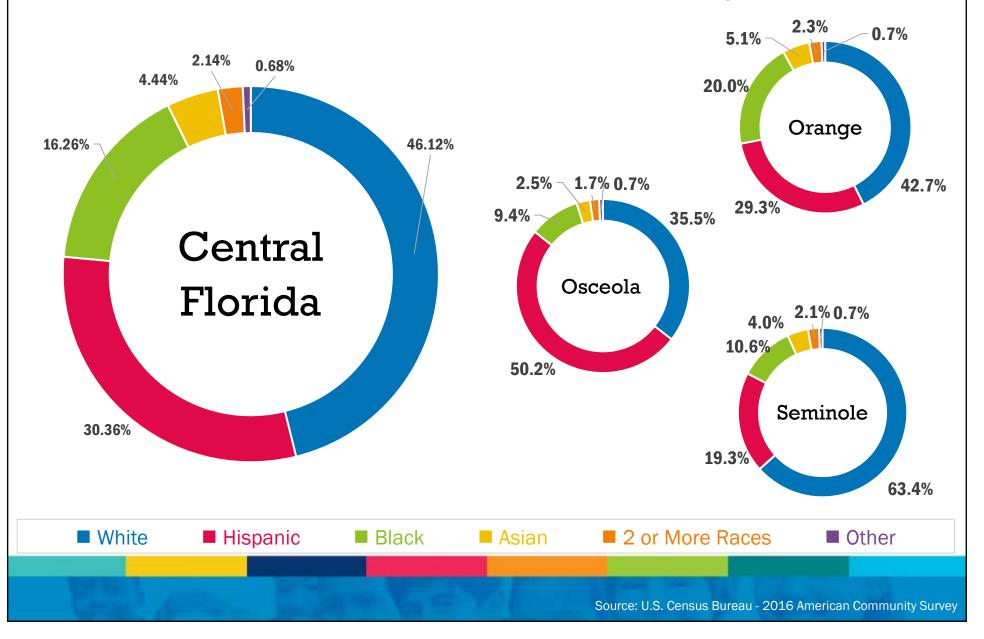
74 hours stuck in traffic



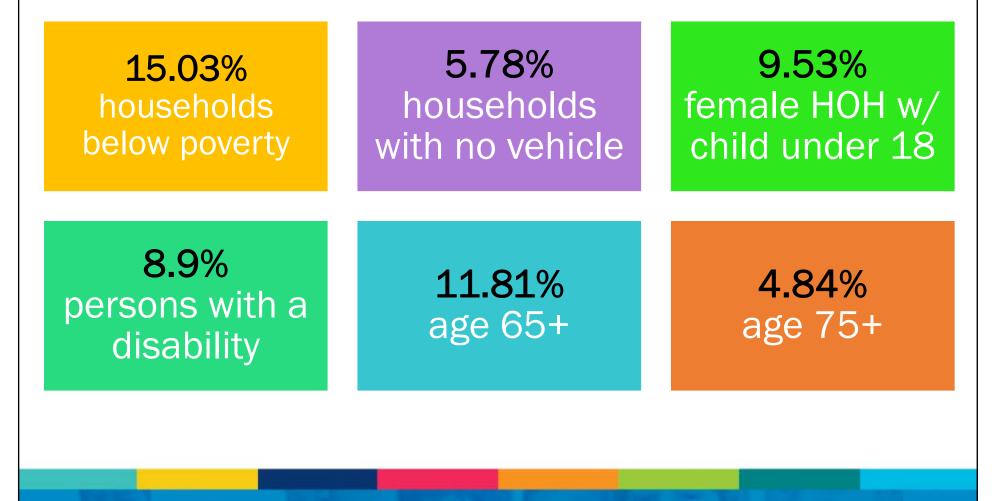
Two million people... and by 2040, ONE MILLION MORE



A Majority-Minority Region



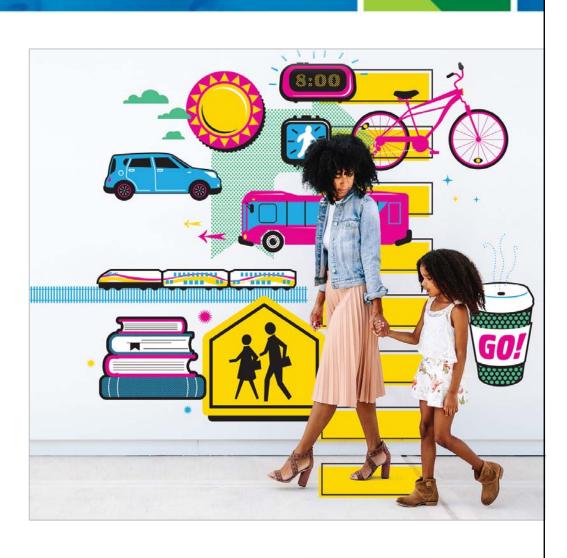
Underserved Populations



Source: U.S. Census Bureau - 2016 American Community Survey

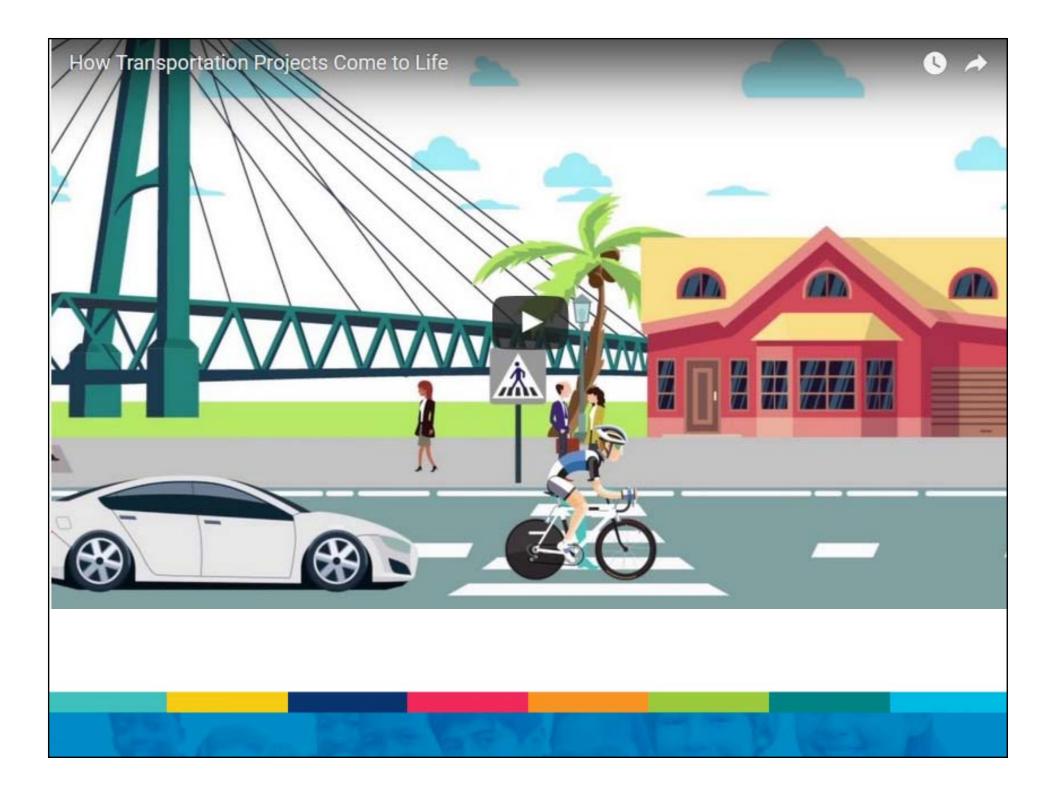
Planning Principles for a Growing Region

- Provide transportation options so people have choices
- Shift from moving cars to moving people
- Less focus on congestion, more focus on reliability



Our Funding

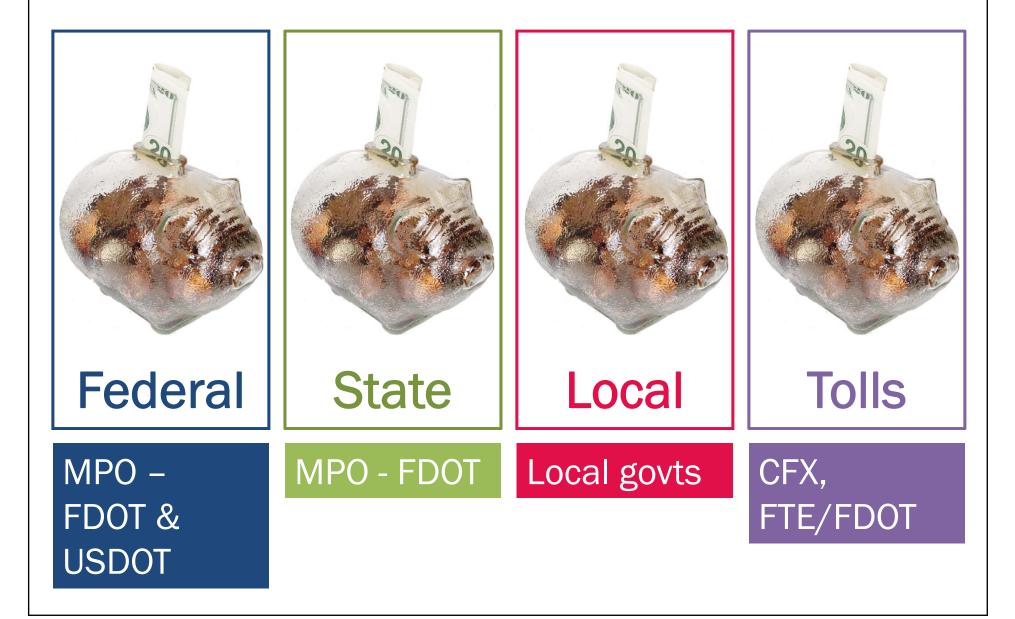




How is transportation <u>primarily</u> funded?

- I don't know
- Gas taxes
- Property taxes
- Sales taxes
- Impact fee / mobility fee
- Tolls

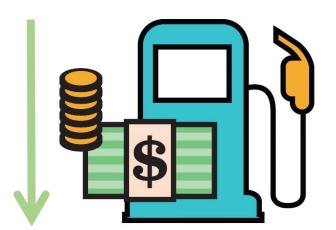
Funding Pots & Who Decides

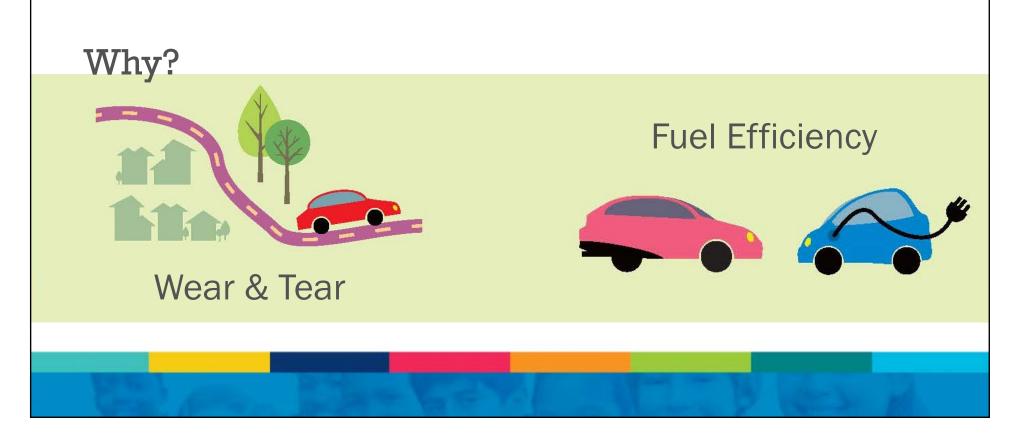


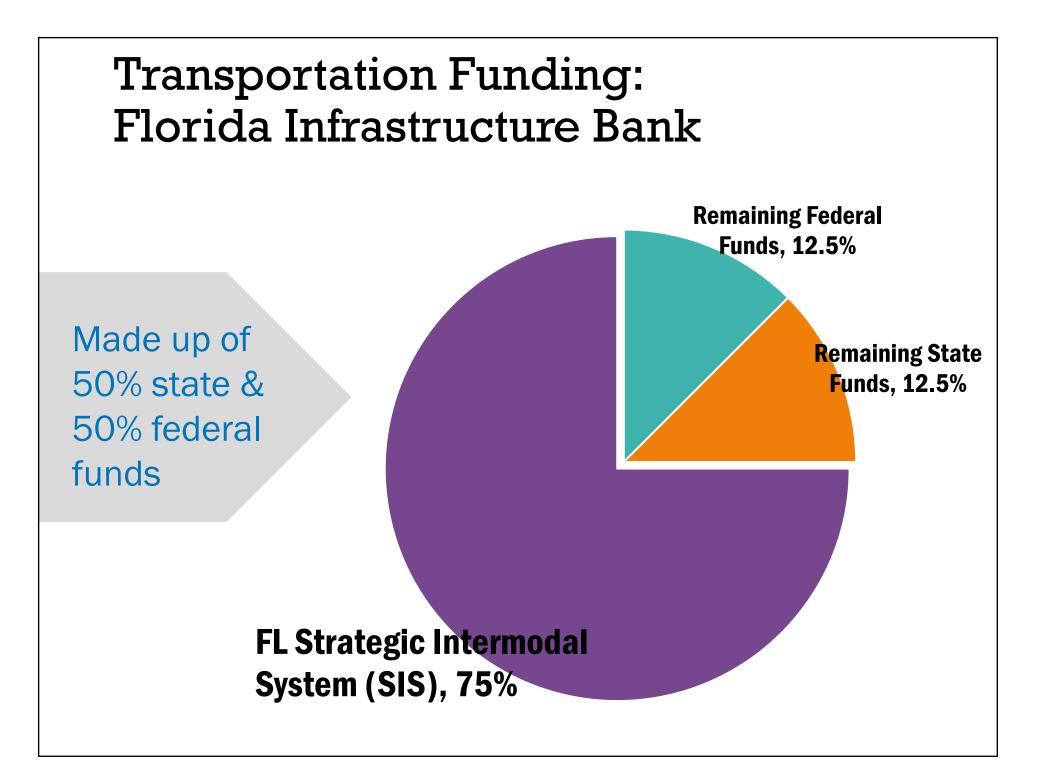
When was the last time the federal gas tax was raised?

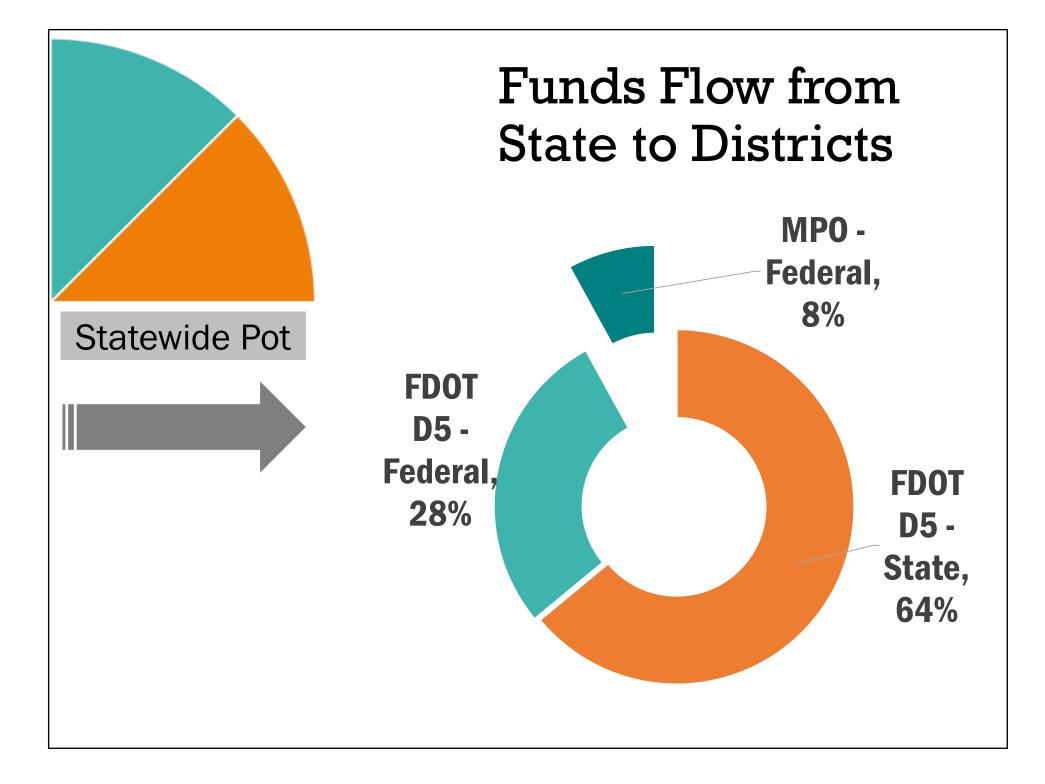
- 1978
- 1986
- 1993
- 2006

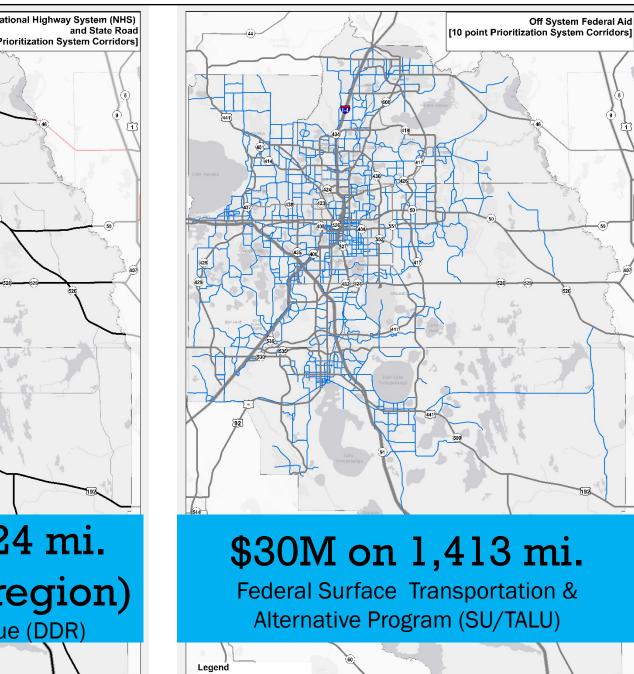
The federal gas tax is a declining source of transportation funding.









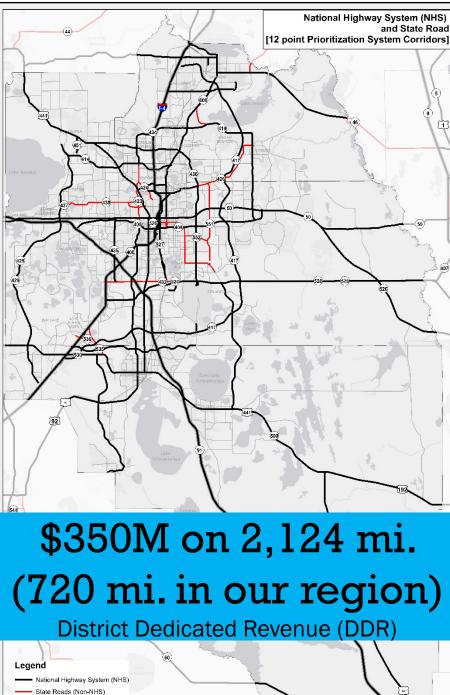


— National Highway System (NHS)

Off State System (Federal Aid)

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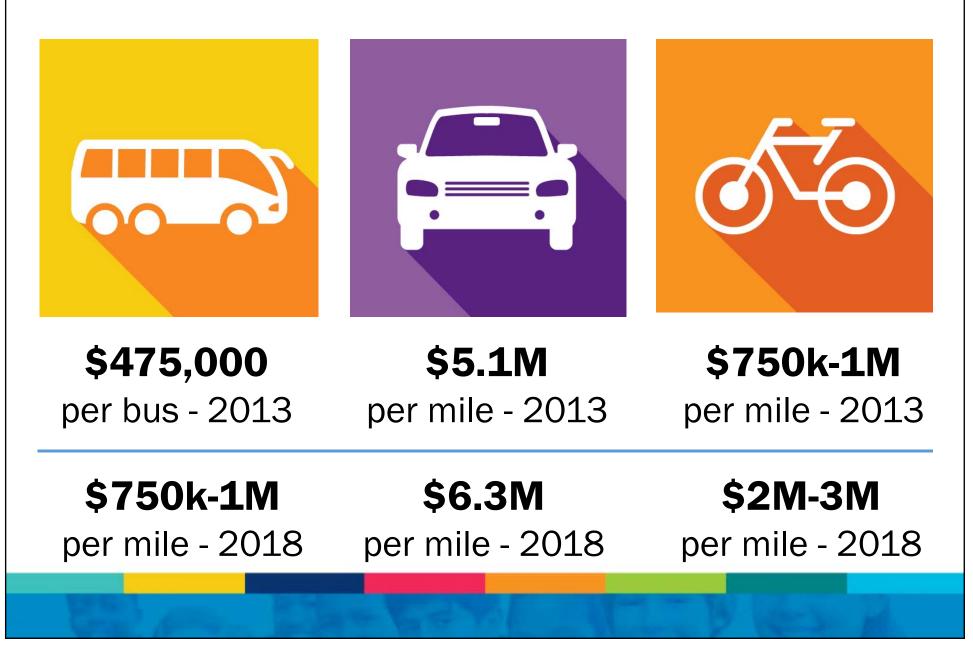
State Roads (Non-NHS)



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Average Transportation Costs



Transportation Funding Years 2019-2040

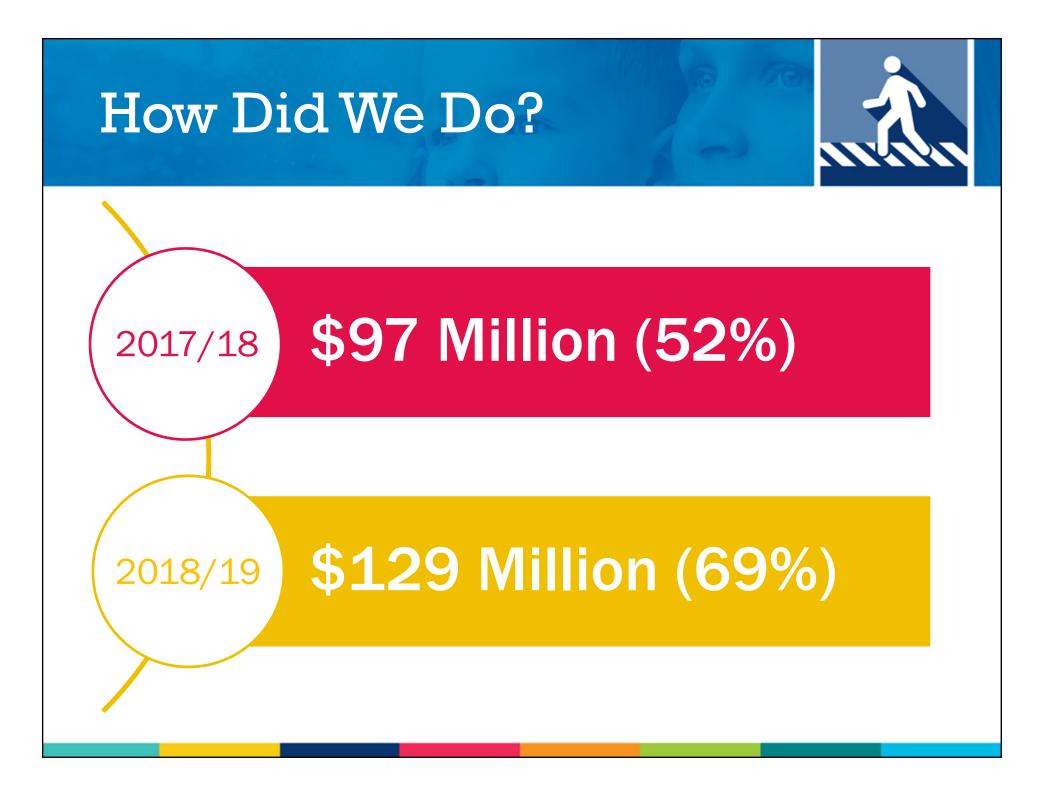
Projects We Can Afford = \$15.1 billion

Unfunded Highway + Transit Needs = \$31.6 billion

Emphasis Areas







Our Process



When was the first idea / plan for Ultimate I-4?

- 1975
- 1982
- 1986
- 1989
- 1992

Core Planning Products



Key Federal MTP Requirements (23 CFR 450.324)

- Minimum 20-year horizon
- Updated every five years
- Must include a System
 Performance Report
- Must be fiscally constrained
- May develop multiple scenarios
- <u>Must be in MTP to receive</u>
 <u>funding</u>



Performance-based process to prioritize projects - why?



- Allows us to use existing plans and data to inform which corridors get funding
- Data from performance measures help people prioritize projects

Performance Measures



Federal Performance Measures (National Highway System) MetroPlan Orlando Performance Measures (all Federal Aid Corridors)

Safety	Travel Time Reliability	Evacuation	Multimodal System	Accessibility to Attractions / Airport / Convention
Bridge Condition	Pavement Condition	Accessibility to Activity Centers	Environmental Justice	Off –Peak Period Congestion
		Air Quality	Actively Managed Corridors	Environmental / Storm water Issues

Transportation Improvement Program

- Projects funded in next 5 years
- Updated annually
- Consistent with adopted MTP
- Becomes part of the State Transportation Improvement Program (STIP)





Public Involvement Plan



- Required by federal law
- Ensures the public has a voice in transportation planning
- Outlines objectives and strategies for public participation & education
- Includes outreach to traditionally underserved communities



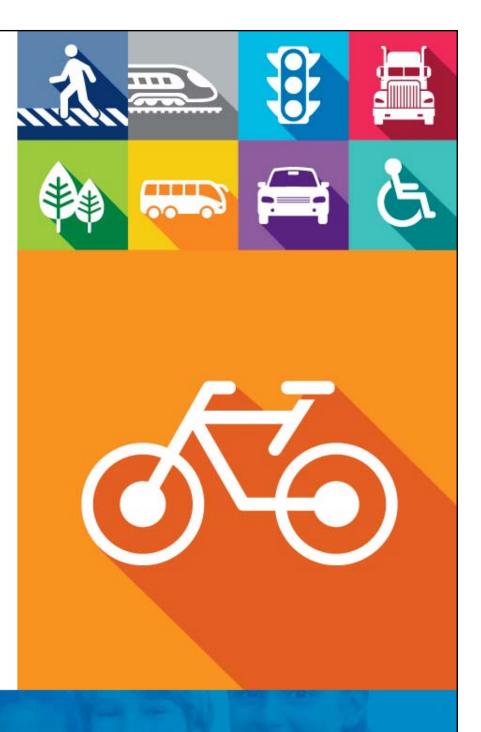
Unified Planning Work Program

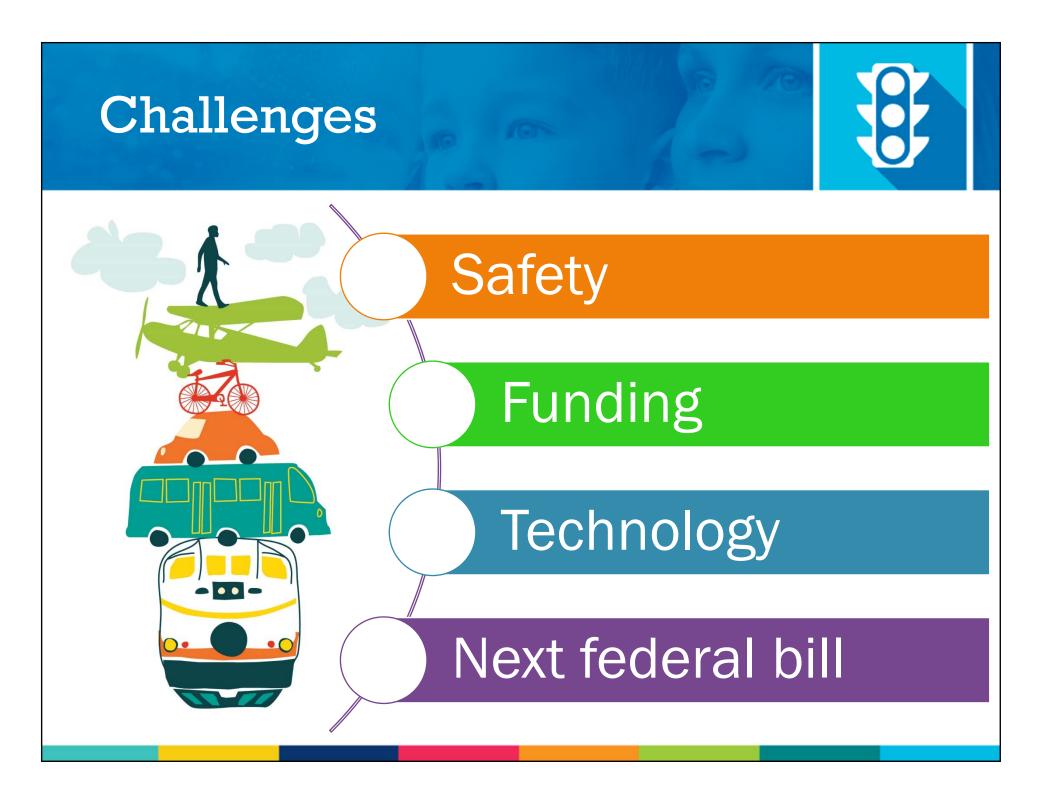
- Two year list of MPO tasks
- Identifies sources of funding, schedules & responsible agencies
- Coordinates planning by all in the regional process
- Describes all federallyfunded studies



Other Work Products

- Transportation Systems
 Management & Operations
- Bicycle & Pedestrian Safety, Monitoring
- Complete Streets Studies
- Freight & Goods Movement
- Nondiscrimination & Language Plan
- Local Government Support





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