



NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
FY 2025-2029 TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM (TIP)
PROPOSED TIP AMENDMENTS

The Pasco County Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO), the designated organization responsible for conducting a county-wide transportation planning program, is scheduled to review and approve a set of proposed amendments to the Pasco County MPO FY 2025-2029 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) at their regularly scheduled meeting on August 8, 2024 at 10:00 AM in the BOCC Board Room at the Historic Pasco County Courthouse, 37918 Meridian Ave., Dade City, Florida, 33525. Any individual wishing to comment on the proposed amendments at the meeting may do so in person during the public comment portion of the meeting.

Pursuant to Federal regulations and Florida statutes, the Pasco County MPO TIP includes a five-year (FY 2025 - 2029) list of all transportation projects and programs programmed for funding with Federal and State funds within Pasco County. Additionally, local funds (county/city) are also included on selected projects that may be utilized through various State grant programs.

In accordance with the MPO's Public Participation Plan and in compliance with Federal law - 23 CFR 450.316(b)(1)(i) and 339.175 (b) and (8) Florida Statutes and applicable Federal law, the public is entitled to a reasonable opportunity to comment on the proposed TIP Amendments.

The proposed TIP amendments are available for public review and comment on the MPO website under Public Notices and at the MPO Office at the West Pasco Government Center in New Port Richey. Persons wishing to obtain additional information, or a copy of the proposed TIP amendments, may call the MPO at (727) 847-8140, ext. 8804.

If you are a person who needs translation services, the Pasco County MPO will take reasonable steps at no cost to you to allow participation in this proceeding. At least seven days prior to the meeting, please contact the MPO, West Pasco Government Center, 8731 Citizens Drive, New Port Richey, Florida 34654-5598. The BOCC Board Room in Dade City is served by GOPASCO Routes 30 and 31. To obtain bus schedules or further information, contact GOPASCO at (727) 834-3322 (West Pasco), (352) 521-4587 (East Pasco), or go online at GOPASCO. Individuals unable to

access a GOPASCO bus to attend the meeting may contact GOPASCO at least five days prior to the public hearing to find out if they qualify for alternative transportation service.

If you are a person with a disability who needs any accommodation to participate in this proceeding, you are entitled, at no cost to you, to the provision of certain assistance. Within five working days of receipt of this notice, please contact the Personnel Department, West Pasco Government Center, 8731 Citizens Drive, New Port Richey, Florida 34654-5598; (727) 847-8030 (V) in New Port Richey; (352) 523-2411, Extension 8030 (V), in Dade City; (813) 996-2411, Extension 8030 (V), in Land O' Lakes; or via (727) 847-8949 if you are hearing impaired.

In accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 and other nondiscrimination laws, public participation is solicited without regard to race, color, national origin, age, sex, religion, disability, familial, or income status. It is a priority of the MPO that all citizens of Pasco County are given the opportunity to participate in the transportation planning process including low-income individuals, the elderly persons with disabilities, and persons with limited English proficiency. You may contact the MPO's Title VI Specialist at (727) 847-8140, Extension 7567 if you have any discrimination complaints.