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7/11/17 meeting  
Bob Daniels

June 26, 2017

L.K. Nandam, P.E.  
District One Secretary  
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RE: Sarasota/Manatee MPO 2017 Adopted Project Priorities

Dear Secretary Nandam:

Please find attached the 2017 project priorities adopted by the Sarasota/Manatee MPO Board on June 19, 2017 for consideration by FDOT for programming and funding in the FY 2018/19–2022/23 Five-Year Work Program. We have provided project priority lists from modal agencies along with our prioritized list of highway capacity, Congestion Management (CMS), multi-use trail, Transportation Alternative (TA), Regional Trail, and Transportation Regional Incentive Program (TRIP) for funding consideration.

We appreciate the Department's consideration, collaboration, and implementation of these important priorities for the Sarasota/Manatee MPO area. For additional information regarding this request please contact me at (941) 359-5772 or [dave@mympo.org](mailto:dave@mympo.org).

Sincerely,

David L. Hutchinson  
Executive Director

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Enclosures

- c. MPO Board Members
- Laura Herrscher, FDOT
- Bessie Reina, FDOT
- Jesten Abraham, FDOT

Adopted June 19, 2017

2017 TRANSPORTATION REGIONAL INCENTIVE PROGRAM (TRIP)  
PROJECT PRIORITY LIST  
POLK TPO - SARASOTA/MANATEE MPO

Priority Rank	Project	Jurisdiction	TRIP Funds Requested
1	River Road from U.S. 41 to north of West Villages Parkway	Sarasota County	\$5,000,000
2	US 41 (14 <sup>th</sup> St W) @ SR 70 (53 <sup>rd</sup> Ave W) add separate westbound right turn lane	Manatee County	\$303,574
3	I-75 Overpass from Lakewood Ranch Blvd to N. Cattlemen Road construct a four lane overpass connecting Lakewood Ranch Blvd to North Cattlemen Rd.	Sarasota County	\$20,600,000
4	SR 684 (Cortez Rd) @ 34 <sup>th</sup> St W extend eastbound right turn lane	Manatee County	\$303,574
5	US 41 - Fruitville: replace existing traffic signal with a modern roundabout. The project will include pedestrian and transit improvements, lighting and landscaping.	City of Sarasota	\$5,500,000
6	SR 789 Complete Street Improvements (Anna Maria Island Multi-Use Trail) Complete Streets improvements from southern Holmes Beach limits to Marina Drive intersection	City of Holmes Beach	\$7,089,017
7	Cattlemen Road @ Richardson roundabout at intersection	Sarasota County	\$5,370,000
8	SR 789 Complete Street Improvements (Anna Maria Island Multi-Use Trail) Complete Streets improvements from Longboat Pass Bridge to 27 <sup>th</sup> Street North	City of Bradenton Beach	\$5,960,734
9	Iona Road construct new road from Fruitville Rd to Palmer Blvd	Sarasota County	\$26,700,000
10	Moccasin Wallow Road from US 41 to Gateway Blvd widen from 2-4 lanes and reconstruct with multi-modal enhancements	Manatee County	\$32,557,016

The Polk TPO did not bring any applications forward for TRIP funding in the 2017 Project Prioritization Cycle.

Adopted June 19, 2017  
**2017 JOINT REGIONAL TRAILS PROJECT PRIORITY LIST**  
**POLK TPO - SARASOTA/MANATEE MPO**

Priority Rank	Project	Jurisdiction	RTAP funds Requested
1	<b>Legacy Trail Northern Extension</b> – Environmental survey for new 7.5-mile addition to existing rails-to-trails corridor connecting <u>Venice and Sarasota</u> downtowns.	Sarasota County	\$425,000
2	<b>Tenoroc Trail Phase I</b> – PD&E Study for a 2.2 mi. segment between Lake Parker and SR 33. The proposed trail provides direct access to 2 regional parks and over 1,600 acres of state-owned conservation/recreation land. A component of Florida's SUNTrail Network, future phases will link Lakeland's Lake-to-Lake Connector to the Van Fleet State Trail and Florida's Coast-to-Coast Trail.	City of Lakeland	\$500,000
3	<b>Willow-Ellenton Greenway Multi-Use Trail from Lincoln Park (Palmetto) to US 301 (Parrish)</b> Design and construction of enhanced trail system for pedestrians and bicycles adjacent to the railroad tracks from Lincoln Park to Erie Rd.	Manatee County	\$2,700,000
4	<b>Haines City Rail-Trail Phase II</b> – First phase between Downtown and Grace Ave. was opened in early 2016. Phase II extends trail to the Ridge Scenic Highway (state designated scenic highway) and Lake Eva Recreational Complex. City is seeking Design and Construction funding.	City of Haines City	\$130,000 (PE) \$1,424,000 (CST)
5	<b>Anna Maria Island Multi Use Trail</b> – SUN Trail extension from Longboat Key to Manatee Avenue parallel to SR 789/Gulf Drive including downtown cycle tracks	Cities of Bradenton Beach and Holmes Beach	\$12,900,000
6	<b>Tenoroc Trail Phase II</b> – PD&E Study for a 12 mi. segment between Phase I and the Polk Parkway/Braddock Rd Interchange and the multi-use trail being constructed by the Turnpike. A component of Florida's SUNTrail Network, the trail will link Lakeland's Lake-to-Lake Connector to the Van Fleet State Trail and Florida's Coast-to-Coast Trail.	Polk County	\$2,000,000
7	<b>Legacy Trail Osprey Park Trailhead (Osprey Park to Legacy Trail)</b> Design and construct a 10 ft. wide multi-use trail connecting Legacy Trail to Osprey Park, including parking, restrooms, and additional amenities.	Sarasota County	\$2,000,000

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**2017 TRANSPORTATION REGIONAL INCENTIVE PROGRAM (TRIP)**  
**PROJECT PRIORITY LIST**  
**CHARLOTTE COUNTY-PUNTA GORDA MPO - SARASOTA/MANATEE MPO**

Priority Rank	Project	Jurisdiction	TRIP Funds Requested
1	<b>River Road</b> from U.S. 41 to north of West Villages Parkway	Sarasota County	\$5,000,000
2	<b>Burnt Store Road (Phase II)</b> from Tern Bay Terminus to Notre Dame Blvd Construction	Charlotte County	\$2,000,000
3	<b>US 41 (14<sup>th</sup> St W) @ SR 70 (53<sup>rd</sup> Ave W)</b> add separate westbound right turn lane	Manatee County	\$303,574
4	<b>I-75 Overpass from Lakewood Ranch Blvd to N. Cattlemen Road</b> construct a four lane overpass connecting Lakewood Ranch Blvd to North Cattlemen Rd.	Sarasota County	\$20,600,000
5	<b>Piper Road North</b> from Henry Street to US 17; four lanes divided in unimproved corridor; ROW/Construction	Charlotte County	\$2,000,000
6	<b>SR 684 (Cortez Rd) @ 34th St W</b> extend eastbound right turn lane	Manatee County	\$303,574
7	<b>US 41 - Fruitville:</b> replace existing traffic signal with a modern roundabout. The project will include pedestrian and transit improvements, lighting and landscaping.	City of Sarasota	\$5,500,000
8	<b>US 41 @ Carmalita Street Extension</b> making Carmalita St two way through the US 41 NB and SB lanes. Add traffic signals at both US 41 intersections; extend multi-use trail from Linear Park along US 41 SB to Carmalita St. and along Carmalita St to Taylor St. ROW/Construction	City of Punta Gorda	\$850,000
9	<b>SR 789 Complete Street Improvements (Anna Maria Island Multi-Use Trail)</b> Complete Streets improvements from southern Holmes Beach limits to Marina Drive intersection	City of Holmes Beach	\$7,089,017
10	<b>Cattlemen Road @ Richardson</b> roundabout at intersection	Sarasota County	\$5,370,000
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