

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

MARCH 6, 2025

A Board Workshop was held at the Murdock Administration Complex in Commission Chambers; Room 119, Port Charlotte, Florida.

The following members were present: Chair Tiseo, Commissioner Constance, Commissioner Deutsch, Commissioner Doherty, and Commissioner Truex. Also in attendance were: County Administrator Flores, County Attorney Knowlton, and Minutes Clerk Welsh. The following members were absent: None.

The Meeting was called to order at 3:12 pm, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance.

1. Transportation

John Elias, Public Works Director gave a brief overview of Transportation, Roadway Functional Classification, Functional Classifications of Roadways, Arterial Roadways, Collector Roadways, Local Roads, Roadway Functional Classification Map responded to Ordinance, balanced funding, traffic congestion and count monitoring, electric vehicles, Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) design standards, guard rails systems, challenges, Projected Roadway Level of Service, expectations, impact fees, Intersection Improvements, equipment durability, technology, Automobile Crashes Heat Map (2018-2022), roundabouts, and Toledo Blade Boulevard.

Joanne Vernon, County Engineer gave a brief overview of Annual Data Collection, Traffic Count Location Roadways, Roadway Level of Service, Projected Roadway Level of Service, Intersection Improvements, Automobile Crashes Heat Map (2018-2022), Intersection Improvements: Prioritization, Priority List, Proposed Roadway Budgets, replied to traffic analysis, FDOT, determination, Toledo Blade Boulevard at US 41, and design standards and requirements.

Rick Arthur, Fiscal Services Manager gave a brief overview of Proposed Projects, Projected Revenues, Mid/West County Projects, and South County Projects.

Chair Tiseo discussed Projected Roadway Level of Service, funding sources, cost savings, Intersection Improvements, Charlotte Sports Park, Sunseeker, signalization, Priority List, Veterans at Norman, Toledo Blade Boulevard, design standards and review, Proposed Roadway Budgets, Impact Fee Credit Coordinator and credits, design costs, expedited and property value. **Commissioner Constance** mentioned Intersection Improvements, traffic lights, timing, Multi-use Corridors of Regional Economic Significance (M-CORES), technology, artificial intelligence (AI), life quality, March 31, 2025 Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) Board Meeting, Priority List, Toledo Blade Boulevard at US 41, turn lanes, property acquisition, requirement, efficiency, and roadway design. **Commissioner Deutsch** commented on roadway classifications and expansions, Cornelius Boulevard, Harbor Boulevard, City of Punta Gorda, traffic counts, new developments, FDOT, signal timing, challenges, seasonal impacts, technology, autonomous vehicles, and future planning. **Commissioner Doherty** spoke to roadway classifications, methodology, Gas Tax, revenues, funding sources, FDOT, Deep Creek, Englewood East, determination, Proposed Roadway Budgets, Developers Agreement, design, permitting, and construction requirement, and Proposed Projects. **Commissioner Truex** noted electric vehicles, tax options, language, requirements, collector roads, guard rail systems, and Priority List.

County Administrator Flores responded to Impact Fee Administrator.

AA. County Administrator Comments - None

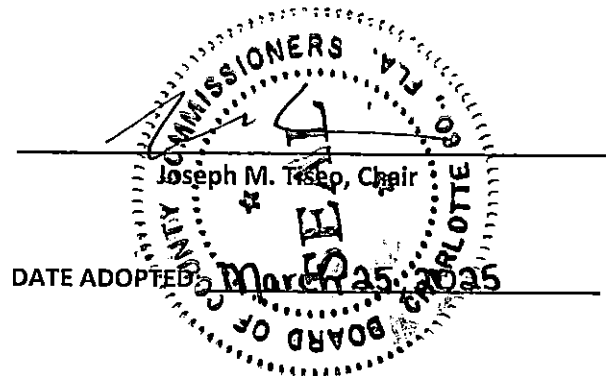
BB. County Attorney Comments - None

CC. Commissioner Comments

Commissioner Constance noted Finance Committee Meeting schedule.

Mr. Arthur replied to March 26, 2025 Finance Committee Meeting.

ADJOURNED: 3:58 pm



ATTEST:

ROGER D. EATON, CLERK
OF THE CIRCUIT COURT AND
EX-OFFICIO TO THE BOARD
OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

By: Kimberly Walsh
Deputy Clerk