

February 13, 2015

Mr. Welton Cadwell
Chairman
Central Florida Expressway Authority
4974 ORL Tower Road
Orlando, FL 32807

Re: Intergovernmental Coordination and Review and Public Transportation Coordination
Joint Participation Agreement (ICAR)

Dear Mr. Cadwell:

The current ICAR agreement was last signed in 2010. Under Section 6.03(a), Duration, it is required that this agreement be reviewed at the end of every five (5) year term and either amended or affirmed for an additional five year term.

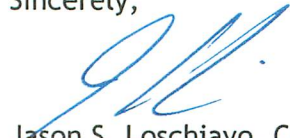
Please note that the agreement has been updated using the most recent Florida Department of Transportation template for ICAR agreements, as well as updating for the removal of the Seminole County Expressway Authority, additional of the Osceola County Expressway Authority, and the recently created Central Florida Expressway Authority which replaced the Orlando-Orange County Expressway Authority. Addresses have also been updated as necessary.

We are requesting that your agency review this agreement and have your Board reaffirm the agreement with the noted changes, as required by Section 6.03(a). The MetroPlan Orlando Board reaffirmed the ICAR with the noted address notification changes at its regularly scheduled meeting of February 11, 2015, VIII. Consent Agenda Item F.

Enclosed are two signed copies of the amended agreement. Note that Section 6.07 allows for "this agreement and any amendments hereto, to be simultaneously executed in several counterparts, each of which so executed shall be deemed to be an original, and such counterparts together shall constitute one and the same instrument." After approval by your board, return one copy to me at MetroPlan Orlando and keep one for your records.

Thank you for your assistance in getting our region's Intergovernmental Coordination and Review and Public Transportation Coordination Joint Participation Agreement up-to-date. I look forward to hearing from you soon by returned signed agreement that your agency's board has reaffirmed the provisions of the ICAR for another five (5) years from June 2015 thru June 2020.

Sincerely,


Jason S. Loschiavo, CPA
Director of Finance and Administration

Enclosures

315 East Robinson Street

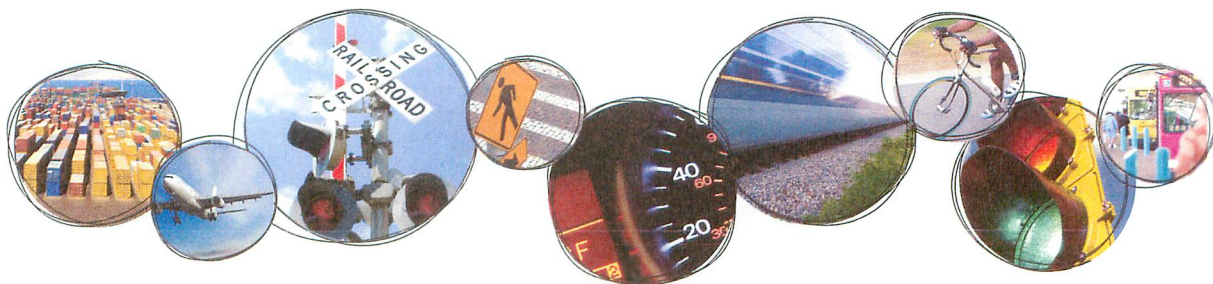
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STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
**INTERGOVERNMENTAL COORDINATION AND REVIEW
AND
PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION COORDINATION
JOINT PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT**

THIS JOINT PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT is made and entered into this ____ day of ____, 2014 by and between the FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (hereinafter "Department"); the ORLANDO URBAN AREA METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION, d/b/a METROPLAN ORLANDO (hereinafter the "MPO" or the "Metropolitan Planning Organization"); the EAST CENTRAL FLORIDA REGIONAL PLANNING COUNCIL (hereinafter the "Regional Planning Council"); the CENTRAL FLORIDA REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY d/b/a LYNX (hereinafter the "Transit Authority"); the GREATER ORLANDO AVIATION AUTHORITY and the SANFORD AIRPORT AUTHORITY (hereinafter the "Aviation Authorities"); and the CENTRAL FLORIDA EXPRESSWAY AUTHORITY and the OSCEOLA COUNTY EXPRESSWAY AUTHORITY (hereinafter the "Expressway Authorities")

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the Federal Government, under the authority of Title 23 United States Code Section 134 and Title 49 United States Code (USC) Section 5303 and any subsequent applicable amendments, requires each metropolitan area, as a condition to the receipt of federal capital or operating assistance, to have a continuing, cooperative, and comprehensive transportation planning process in designated urbanized areas to develop and implement plans and programs consistent with the comprehensively planned development of the metropolitan area;

WHEREAS, Title 23 USC §134, Title 49 USC §5303, and Section 339.175, Florida Statutes (F.S.), provide for the creation of metropolitan planning organizations to develop transportation plans and programs for urbanized areas;

WHEREAS, Title 23 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) §450.314 requires that the State, the Metropolitan Planning Organization, and the operators of publicly owned transportation systems shall enter into an agreement clearly identifying the responsibilities for cooperatively carrying out such transportation planning (including multimodal, systems-level corridor and subarea planning studies pursuant to Title 23 CFR §§450.212 and 450.318) and programming;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 20.23, F.S., the Department has been created by the State of Florida, and the Department has the powers and duties relating to transportation, as outlined in Section 334.044, F.S.;

WHEREAS, pursuant to 23 USC §134(d), 49 USC §5303, 23 CFR §450.310, and Section 339.175(2), (3), and (4) F.S., the Orlando Urban Area Metropolitan Planning Organization, d/b/a METROPLAN ORLANDO, herein after referred to as the Metropolitan Planning Organization or MPO, has been designated and its membership apportioned by the Governor of the State of Florida, with the agreement of the affected units of general purpose local government, to organize and establish the Metropolitan Planning Organization;

WHEREAS, pursuant to an Interlocal Agreement executed on June 7, 2000, and filed with the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Orange, Osceola, and Seminole Counties the Orlando Urban Area Metropolitan Planning Organization, d/b/a METROPLAN ORLANDO was established;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Chapter 75-464 , Laws of Florida, the Greater Orlando Aviation Authority was created and established;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Chapter 71-924, Laws of Florida, the Sanford Airport Authority was created and established;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Chapter 348, Part III, F.S., the Central Florida Expressway Authority was created and established;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Chapter 348, Part V, F.S., the Osceola County Expressway Authority was created and established;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Chapter 343, Part III, F.S., the Central Florida Regional Transportation Authority was created and established;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 339.175(10)(a)(2), F.S., the MPO shall execute and maintain an agreement with the metropolitan and regional intergovernmental coordination and review agencies serving the Metropolitan Planning Area;

WHEREAS, the agreement must describe the means by which activities will be coordinated and specify how transportation planning and programming will be part of the comprehensively planned development of the Metropolitan Planning Area;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 186.504, F.S., Florida Administrative Code (FAC) Rule 29F-1, the East Central Florida Regional Planning Council, herein after referred to as the Regional Planning Council or the RPC, was established and operates with a primary purpose of intergovernmental coordination and review;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 186.505(24), F.S., the RPC is to review plans of metropolitan planning organizations to identify inconsistencies between those agencies' plans and applicable local government comprehensive plans adopted pursuant to Chapter 163, F.S.;

WHEREAS, the RPC, pursuant to Section 186.507, F.S., is required to prepare a Strategic Regional Policy Plan, which will contain regional goals and policies that address regional transportation issues;

WHEREAS, based on the RPC statutory mandate to identify inconsistencies between plans of metropolitan planning organizations and applicable local government comprehensive plans, and to prepare and adopt a Strategic Regional Policy Plan, the RPC is appropriately situated to assist in the intergovernmental coordination of the transportation planning process;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 186.509, F.S., and Rule 29F-3, FAC, the RPC has adopted a conflict and dispute resolution process;

WHEREAS, the purpose of the dispute resolution process is to reconcile differences in planning and growth management issues between local governments, regional agencies, and private interests;

WHEREAS, the parties hereto have determined that the voluntary dispute resolution process can be useful in resolving conflicts and disputes arising in the transportation planning process;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Title 23 CFR §450.314 and Section 339.175(10)(a)(3), F.S., the MPO must execute and maintain an agreement with the operators of public transportation systems, including transit systems, commuter rail systems, airports, seaports, and spaceports, describing the means by which activities will be coordinated and specifying how public transit, commuter rail, aviation, and seaport planning (including multimodal, systems-level corridor and subarea planning studies pursuant to 23 CFR §450.212 and §450.318) and programming will be part of the comprehensively planned development of the Metropolitan Planning Area;

WHEREAS, it is in the public interest that the MPO, operators of public transportation systems, including transit systems, commuter rail systems, port and aviation authorities, jointly pledge their intention to cooperatively participate in the planning and programming of transportation improvements within this Metropolitan Planning Area;

WHEREAS, the undersigned parties have determined that this Agreement satisfies the requirements of and is consistent with Title 23 CFR §450.314 and Section 339.175(10), F.S.; and

WHEREAS, the parties to this Agreement desire to participate cooperatively in the performance, on a continuing basis, of a cooperative, and comprehensive transportation planning process to assure that highway facilities, transit systems, bicycle and pedestrian facilities, rail systems, air transportation and other facilities will be located and developed in relation to the overall plan of community development.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants, promises, and representation herein, the parties desiring to be legally bound, do agree as follows:

ARTICLE 1

RECITALS; DEFINITIONS

Section 1.01. Recitals. Each and all of the foregoing recitals are incorporated herein and acknowledged to be true and correct. Failure of any of the foregoing recitals to be true and correct shall not operate to invalidate this Agreement.

Section 1.02. Definitions. The following words when used in this Agreement (unless the context shall clearly indicate the contrary) shall have the following meanings:

Agreement means and refers to this instrument, as may be amended from time to time.

Corridor or Subarea Study shall mean and refer to studies involving major investment decisions or as otherwise identified in Title 23 CFR §§450.212 and 450.318.

Department shall mean and refer to the Florida Department of Transportation, an agency of the State of Florida, created pursuant to Section 20.23, F.S.

FHWA means and refers to the Federal Highway Administration.

Long Range Transportation Plan is the 20-year transportation planning horizon which identifies transportation facilities; includes a financial plan that demonstrates how the plan can be implemented and assesses capital improvements necessary to preserve the existing metropolitan transportation system and make efficient use of existing transportation facilities; indicates proposed transportation activities; and, in ozone/carbon monoxide nonattainment areas is coordinated with the State Implementation Plan, all as required by Title 23 USC §134(i), Title 49 USC §5303, Title 23 CFR §450.322, and Section 339.175(7), F.S.

Metropolitan Planning Area means and refers to the planning area as determined by agreement between the MPO and the Governor for the urbanized areas designated by the United States Bureau of the Census as described in 23 USC §134(b)(1), 49 USC §5303, and Section 339.175(2)(c) and (d), F.S., and including the existing urbanized area and the contiguous area expected to become urbanized within a 20-year forecast period, which shall be subject to the MPO'S planning authority.

Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) means and refers to the Metropolitan Planning Organization formed pursuant to Interlocal Agreement dated June 7, 2000 as described in Title 23 USC §134(b)(2), Title 49 USC §5303, and Section 339.175(1), F.S.

Regional Planning Council means and refers to the East Central Florida Regional Planning Council created pursuant to Section 186.504, F.S., and identified in Rule 29F-1, FAC.

Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) is the staged multi-year program of transportation improvement projects developed by a metropolitan planning organization consistent with the Long Range Transportation Plan, developed pursuant to Titles 23 USC §134(j), 49 USC §5303, 23 CFR §450.324 and Section 339.175(8), F.S.

Unified Planning Work Program (UPWP) is a biennial program developed in cooperation with the Department and public transportation providers, that identifies the planning priorities and activities to be carried out within a metropolitan planning area to be undertaken during a 2-year period, together with a complete description thereof and an estimated budget, as required by Title 23 CFR §450.308, and Section 339.175(9), F.S.

ARTICLE 2

PURPOSE

Section 2.01. Coordination with public transportation system operators. This Agreement is to provide for cooperation between the MPO, the Department, the Transit Authority, the Aviation Authorities, and the Expressway Authorities in the development and preparation of the UPWP, the TIP, the LRTP, and any applicable Corridor or Subarea Studies.

Section 2.02. Intergovernmental coordination; Regional Planning Council. Further, this Agreement is to provide a process through the RPC for intergovernmental coordination and review and identification of inconsistencies between proposed MPO transportation plans and local government comprehensive plans adopted pursuant to Chapter 163, F.S., and reviewed by the Division of Community Development within the Florida Department of Economic Opportunity.

Section 2.03. Dispute resolution. This Agreement also provides a process for conflict and dispute resolution through the RPC.

ARTICLE 3
COOPERATIVE PROCEDURES FOR PLANNING AND PROGRAMMING
WITH OPERATORS OF PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION SYSTEMS

Section 3.01. Cooperation with operators of public transportation systems; coordination with local government approved comprehensive plans.

- (a) The MPO shall cooperate with the Transit Authority, the Aviation Authorities, and the Expressway Authorities to optimize the planning and programming of an integrated and balanced intermodal transportation system for the Metropolitan Area.
- (b) The MPO shall implement a continuing, cooperative, and comprehensive transportation planning process that is consistent, to the maximum extent feasible, with port and aviation master plans, and public transit development plans of the units of local governments whose boundaries are within the Metropolitan Planning Area.
- (c) As a means towards achievement of the goals in paragraphs (a) and (b) and in an effort to coordinate intermodal transportation planning and programming, the MPO may include, as part of its membership officials of agencies that administer or operate major modes or systems of transportation, including but not limited to transit operators, sponsors of major local airports, and rail operators per Federal regulations. The representatives of the major modes or systems of transportation may be accorded voting or non-voting advisor status. In the Metropolitan Planning Area if authorities or agencies are created by law to perform transportation functions and that are not under the jurisdiction of a general purpose local government represented on the MPO, the MPO may request the Governor to designate said authority or agency as a voting member of the MPO in accordance with the requirements of Section 339.175, F.S. If the new member would significantly alter local government representation in the MPO, the MPO shall propose a revised apportionment plan to the Governor to ensure voting membership on the MPO to be an elected official representing public transit authorities which have been, or may be, created by law.
- (d) The MPO shall ensure that representatives of transit authorities, rail authorities, and airports within the Metropolitan Planning Area are provided membership on the MPO Technical Advisory Committee.

Section 3.02. Preparation of transportation related plans.

- (a) Although the adoption or approval of the UPWP, the TIP, and the LRTP is the responsibility of the MPO, development of such plans or programs shall be viewed as a cooperative effort involving the Department, the Transit Authority, the Aviation Authorities, and the Expressway Authorities. In developing its plans and programs, the MPO shall solicit the comments and recommendations of the parties to this Agreement in the preparation of such plans and programs.

- (b) When preparing the UPWP, the TIP, or the LRTP, or preparing other than a minor amendment thereto (as determined by the MPO), the MPO shall provide notice to the Department, the Transit Authority, the Aviation Authorities, and the Expressway Authorities advising them of the scope of the work to be undertaken and inviting comment and participation in the development process. The MPO shall ensure that the chief operating officials of the Department, the Transit Authority, the Aviation Authorities, and the Expressway Authorities shall receive at least 15 days written notice of all public workshops and hearings, or specified number of days per MPO bylaws, relating to the development of such plans and programs.
- (c) Local government comprehensive plans.
 - (1) In developing the TIP, the LRTP, or Corridor or Subarea studies, or preparing other than a minor amendment thereto (as determined by the MPO), the MPO, the Transit Authority, the Aviation Authorities, and the Expressway Authorities shall analyze for each local government in the Metropolitan Planning Area:
 - (i) each comprehensive plan's future land use element;
 - (ii) the goals, objectives, and policies of each comprehensive plan; and
 - (iii) the zoning, of each local government in the Metropolitan Planning Area.
 - (2) Based upon the foregoing review and a consideration of other growth management factors, the MPO, the Transit Authority, the Aviation Authorities, and the Expressway Authorities, shall provide written recommendations to local governments in the Metropolitan Planning Area in the development, amendment, and implementation of their comprehensive plans. A copy of the recommendations shall be sent to the RPC.
 - (3) The MPO agrees that, to the maximum extent feasible, the LRTP and the projects and project-phases within the TIP shall be consistent with the future land use element and goals, objectives, and policies of each comprehensive plan of the local governments in the Metropolitan Planning Area. If the MPO's TIP is inconsistent with a local government's comprehensive plan, the MPO shall so indicate, and the MPO shall present, as part of the TIP, justification for including the project in the program.
- (d) Multi-modal transportation agency plans.
 - (1) In developing the TIP, the LRTP, or Corridor or Subarea studies, or preparing other than a minor amendment thereto (as determined by the MPO), the MPO shall analyze the master plans of the Transit Authority, the Aviation Authorities, and the Expressway Authorities. Based upon the foregoing review and a consideration of other transportation-related factors, the MPO, shall from time to time and as appropriate, provide recommendations to the parties to this Agreement as well as local governments within the Metropolitan Planning Area, for the development, amendment, and implementation of their master, development, or comprehensive plans.
 - (2) In developing or revising their respective master, development, or comprehensive plans, the parties to this Agreement shall analyze the draft or approved Unified Planning Work Program,

Transportation Improvement Program, Long Range Transportation Plan, or Corridor or Subarea studies, or amendments thereto. Based upon the foregoing review and a consideration of other transportation-related factors, the parties to this Agreement shall from time to time and as appropriate, provide written recommendations to the MPO with regard to development, amendment, and implementation of the plans, programs, and studies.

- (3) The MPO agrees that, to the maximum extent feasible, the Transportation Improvement Program shall be consistent with the affected master plans and development plans of the parties to this Agreement.

ARTICLE 4

INTERGOVERNMENTAL COORDINATION AND REVIEW

Section 4.01. Coordination with Regional Planning Council. The RPC shall perform the following tasks:

- (a) Within 30 days of receipt, the RPC shall review the draft TIP, LRTP, Corridor and Subarea studies, or amendments thereto, as requested by the MPO, to identify inconsistencies between these plans and programs and applicable local government comprehensive plans adopted pursuant to Chapter 163, F.S., for counties and cities within the Metropolitan Planning Area and the adopted Strategic Regional Policy Plan.
 - (1) The parties recognize that, pursuant to Florida law, the LRTP and the TIP of the MPO must be considered by cities and counties within the Metropolitan Planning Area in the preparation, amendment, and update/revision of their comprehensive plans. Further, the LRTP and the projects and project phases within the TIP are to be consistent with the future land use element and goals, objectives, and policies of the comprehensive plans of local governments in the Metropolitan Planning Area. Upon completion of its review of a draft TIP or LRTP, the RPC shall advise the MPO and each county or city of its findings;
 - (2) The RPC shall advise the MPO in writing of its concerns and identify those portions of the submittals which need to be reevaluated and potentially modified if the RPC review identifies inconsistencies between the draft TIP or LRTP and local comprehensive plans; and
 - (3) Upon final adoption of the proposed Transportation Improvement Program, Long Range Transportation Plan, Corridor and Subarea studies, or amendments thereto, the MPO may request that the RPC consider adoption of regional transportation goals, objectives, and policies in the Strategic Regional Policy Plan implementing the adopted Transportation Improvement Program, Long Range Transportation Plan, Corridor and Subarea studies, or amendments thereto. If the proposed plan, program, or study, or amendments thereto, was the subject of previous adverse comment by the RPC, the MPO will identify the change in the final adopted plan intended to resolve the adverse comment, or alternatively, the MPO shall identify the reason for not amending the plan as suggested by the RPC.
- (b) Provide the availability of the conflict and dispute resolution process as set forth in Article 5 below.

ARTICLE 5
CONFLICT AND DISPUTE RESOLUTION PROCESS

Section 5.01. Disputes and conflicts under this Agreement. This process shall apply to conflicts and disputes relating to matters subject to this Agreement, or conflicts arising from the performance of this Agreement. Except as otherwise provided in this Article 5, only representatives of the agencies with conflicts or disputes shall engage in conflict resolution.

Section 5.02. Initial resolution. The affected parties to this Agreement shall, at a minimum, ensure the attempted early resolution of conflicts relating to such matters. Early resolution shall be handled by direct discussion between the following officials:

for the Florida Department of Transportation: by the District Director for Planning and Programs
for METROPLAN ORLANDO the Metropolitan Planning Organization: by the Executive Director
for the East Central Florida Regional Planning Council: by the Executive Director
for the Central Florida Regional Transportation Authority: by the Executive Director
for the Greater Orlando Aviation Authority: by the Executive Director
for the Sanford Airport Authority: by the President/Chief Executive Officer
for the Central Florida Expressway Authority: by the Executive Director
for the Osceola County Expressway Authority; by the Executive Director

Section 5.03. Resolution by senior agency official. If the conflict remains unresolved, the conflict shall be resolved by the following officials:

for the Florida Department of Transportation: by the District Secretary
for METROPLAN ORLANDO, the Metropolitan Planning Organization: the Chairman of the Board
for the East Central Florida Regional Planning Council: by the Chairman of the Board
for the Central Florida Regional Transportation Authority: by the Chairman of the Board
for the Greater Orlando Aviation Authority: by the Chairman of the Board
for the Sanford Airport Authority: by the Chairman of the Board
for the Central Florida Expressway Authority: by the Chairman of the Board
for the Osceola County Expressway Authority; by the Chairman of the Board

Section 5.04. Resolution by the Office of the Governor. If the conflict is not resolved through conflict resolution pursuant to Sections 5.02, 5.03, and 5.04 of this Agreement, the parties shall petition the Executive Office of the Governor for resolution of the conflict pursuant to its procedures. Resolution of the conflict by the Executive Office of the Governor shall be binding on all parties.

ARTICLE 6

MISCELLANEOUS PROVISION

Section 6.01. Constitutional or statutory duties and responsibilities of parties. This Agreement shall not be construed to authorize the delegation of the constitutional or statutory duties of any of the parties. In addition, this Agreement does not relieve any of the parties of an obligation or responsibility imposed upon them by law, except to the extent of actual and timely performance thereof by one or more of the parties to this Agreement or any legal or administrative entity created or authorized by this Agreement, in which case this performance may be offered in satisfaction of the obligation or responsibility.

Section 6.02. Amendment of Agreement. Amendments or modifications of this Agreement may only be made by written agreement signed by all parties hereto with the same formalities as the original Agreement.

Section 6.03. Duration; withdrawal procedure.

- (a) Duration. This Agreement shall have a term of (5) years and shall automatically renew at the end of said (5) years for another (5) term and every (5) years thereafter. At the end of the (5) year term and at least every (5) years thereafter, the parties hereto shall examine the terms hereof and agree to amend the provisions or reaffirm the same. However, the failure to amend or to reaffirm the terms of this Agreement shall not invalidate or otherwise terminate this Agreement.
- (b) Withdrawal procedure. Any party may withdraw from this Agreement after presenting in written form a notice of intent to withdraw to the other parties to this Agreement and the MPO, at least (90) days prior to the intended date of withdrawal; provided, that financial commitments made prior to withdrawal are effective and binding for their full term and amount regardless of withdrawal.

Section 6.04. Notices. All notices, demands and correspondence required or provided for under this Agreement shall be in writing and delivered in person or dispatched by certified mail, postage prepaid, return receipt requested. Notice is required to be given and shall be addressed as follows:

Executive Director
METROPLAN ORLANDO
315 E. Robinson Street, Suite 355
Orlando, FL 32801-1949

Executive Director
Greater Orlando Aviation Authority
Orlando International Airport
One Jeff Fuqua Blvd
Orlando, FL 32827-4392

Executive Director
East Central Florida Regional Planning Council
309 Cranes Roost Blvd., Suite 2000
Altamonte Springs, FL 32701

President/CEO
Sanford Airport Authority
1200 Red Cleveland Blvd
Sanford, FL 32773-6844

Executive Director
Central Florida Regional Transportation Authority
455 North Garland Avenue
Orlando, FL 32801

Secretary, District Five
Florida Department of Transportation
719 S. Woodland Blvd
Deland, FL 32720

Chairperson
Central Florida Expressway Authority
4974 ORL Tower Road
Orlando, FL 32807

Chairperson
Osceola County Expressway Authority
1 Courthouse Square, Suite 1100
Kissimmee, FL 34741

A party may unilaterally change its address or addressee by giving notice in writing to the other parties as provided in this section. Thereafter, notices, demands and other pertinent correspondence shall be addressed and transmitted to the new address.

Section 6.05. Interpretation.

- (a) Drafters of Agreement. All parties hereto were each represented by, or afforded the opportunity choice of wording. Consequently, no provision hereof should be more strongly construed against any party as drafter of this Agreement.
- (b) Severability. Invalidation of any one of the provisions of this Agreement or any part, clause or word hereof, or the application thereof in specific circumstances, by judgment, court order, or administrative hearing or order shall not affect any other provisions or applications in other circumstances, all of which shall remain in full force and effect; provided, that such remainder would then continue to conform to the terms and requirements of applicable law.
- (c) Rules of construction. In interpreting this Agreement, the following rules of construction shall apply unless the context indicates otherwise:
 - (1) The singular of any word or term includes the plural;
 - (2) The masculine gender includes the feminine gender; and
 - (3) The word “shall” is mandatory, and “may” is permissive.

Section 6.06. Attorney’s Fees. In the event of any judicial or administrative action to enforce or interpret this Agreement by any party hereto, each party shall bear its own costs and attorney’s fees in connection with such proceeding.

Section 6.07. Agreement execution; use of counterpart signature pages. This Agreement, and any amendments hereto, may be simultaneously executed in several counterparts, each of which so executed shall be deemed to be an original, and such counterparts together shall constitute one and the same instrument.

Section 6.08. Effective date. This Agreement shall become effective upon its recording by all parties hereto.

Section 6.09. Other authority. In the event that any election, referendum, approval, permit, notice, or other proceeding or authorization is required under applicable law to enable the parties to enter into this Agreement or to undertake the provisions set forth hereunder, or to observe, assume or carry out any of the provisions of the Agreement, said parties will initiate and consummate, as provided by law, all actions necessary with respect to any such matters as required.

Section 6.10. Parties not obligated to third parties. No party hereto shall be obligated or be liable hereunder to any party not a signatory to this Agreement. There are no express or intended third party beneficiaries to this Agreement.

Section 6.11. Rights and Remedies not waived. In no event shall the making by the Department of any payment to the MPO constitute or be construed as a waiver by the Department of any breach of covenant or any default which may then exist on the part of the MPO, and the making of any such payment by the Department while any such breach or default exists shall in no way impair or prejudice any right or remedy available to the Department in respect of such breach or default.

Section 6.12 Data, records, reports and other documents. Subject to the right to claim an exemption from the Florida Public Records Law, Chapter 119, F.S., the parties shall provide to each other such data, reports, records, contracts, and other documents in its possession relating to the MPO as is requested. Charges are to be in accordance with Chapter 119, F.S.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned parties have executed this Joint Participation Agreement on behalf of the referenced legal entities.

Signed, Sealed, and Delivered in the presence of:

METROPLAN ORLANDO

BY: _____
Chairman

ATTEST: _____
DATE: 2/13/15

EAST CENTRAL FLORIDA REGIONAL
PLANNING COUNCIL

BY: _____
Chairman

ATTEST: _____
DATE: _____

THE CENTRAL FLORIDA REGIONAL
TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY

BY: _____
Chairman

ATTEST: _____
DATE: _____

THE GREATER ORLANDO AVIATION
AUTHORITY

BY: _____
Chairman

ATTEST: _____
DATE: _____

THE SANFORD AIRPORT AUTHORITY

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Chairman

ATTEST: _____
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THE OSCEOLA COUNTY EXPRESSWAY
AUTHORITY

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Chairman

ATTEST: _____
DATE: _____

THE CENTRAL FLORIDA
EXPRESSWAY AUTHORITY

BY: _____
Chairman

ATTEST: _____
DATE: _____

FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

BY: _____
District Five Secretary

ATTEST: _____
DATE: _____

APPROVED AS TO FORM, LEGALITY
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

BY: _____
ATTORNEY
DATE: _____
TITLE: _____

[Every participant identified in this Agreement shall sign and date this Agreement with the appropriate witnesses]

STATE OF FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
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WHEREAS, pursuant to Chapter 71-924, Laws of Florida, the Sanford Airport Authority was created and established;

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WHEREAS, PURSUANT TO Section 348.95 et seq., Florida Statutes, the Seminole County Expressway Authority was created and established;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 343.6 et seq., Florida Statutes, the Central Florida Regional Transportation Authority created and established

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 339.175(10)(a)2., FS, the Metropolitan Planning Organization shall execute and maintain an agreement with the metropolitan and regional intergovernmental coordination and review agencies serving the Metropolitan Area;

WHEREAS, the aforesaid agreement must describe the means by which activities will be coordinated and specify how transportation planning and programming will be part of the comprehensively planned development of the Metropolitan Area;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 186.504, FS, and Chapter 29 Rule 29F-1.01, Florida Administrative Code (FAC), the East Central Florida Regional Planning Council was established and operates with a primary purpose of intergovernmental coordination and review;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 186.505(24), FS, the East Central Florida Regional Planning Council is to review plans of metropolitan planning organizations to identify inconsistencies between those agencies' plans and applicable local government comprehensive plans adopted pursuant to Chapter 163, FS;

WHEREAS, the Regional Planning Council, pursuant to Section 186.507, FS, is required to prepare a Strategic Regional Policy Plan, which will contain regional goals and policies that address regional transportation issues;

WHEREAS, based on the Regional Planning Council's statutory mandate to identify inconsistencies between plans of metropolitan planning organizations and applicable local government comprehensive plans, and to prepare and adopt a Strategic Regional Policy Plan, the Regional Planning Council is appropriately situated to assist in the intergovernmental coordination of the intermodal transportation planning process;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 186.509, FS, and Chapter 29 F-3, FAC, the Regional Planning Council has adopted a conflict and dispute resolution process;

WHEREAS, the purpose of the dispute resolution process is to reconcile differences in planning and growth management issues between local governments, regional agencies, and private interests;

WHEREAS, the parties hereto have determined that the voluntary dispute resolution process is useful in the process of resolving conflicts and disputes arising in the transportation planning process;

WHEREAS, pursuant to 23 CFR 450.314 and Section 339.175(10)(a)3., FS, the Metropolitan Planning Organization must execute and maintain an agreement with the operators of public transportation systems, including transit systems, commuter rail systems, airports, and seaports, describing the means by which activities will be coordinated and specifying how public transit, commuter rail, aviation, and seaport planning (including corridor and subarea studies pursuant to 23 CFR 450.212 and 450.318) and programming will be part of the comprehensively planned development of the Metropolitan Area;

WHEREAS, it is in the public interest that the MPO, operators of public transportation systems, including transit systems, commuter rail systems, port and aviation authorities, jointly pledge their intention to cooperatively participate in the planning and programming of transportation improvements within this Metropolitan Area;

WHEREAS, the undersigned parties have determined that this Agreement satisfies the requirements of and is consistent with 23 CFR 450.314 and Section 339.175(10), FS; and

WHEREAS, the parties to this Agreement desire to participate cooperatively in the performance, on a continuing basis, of a coordinated, comprehensive transportation planning process to assure that highway

facilities, mass transit, rail systems, air transportation and other facilities will be properly located and developed in relation to the overall plan of community development.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants, promises, and representation herein, the parties desiring to be legally bound, do agree as follows:

ARTICLE 1 RECITALS; DEFINITIONS

Section 1.01. Recitals. Each and all of the foregoing recitals be and the same hereby incorporated herein and acknowledged to be true and correct. Failure of any of the foregoing recitals to be true and correct shall not operate to invalidate this Agreement.

Section 1.02. Definitions. The following words when used in this Agreement (unless the context shall clearly indicate the contrary) shall have the following meanings:

Agreement means and refers to this instrument, as amended from time to time.

Corridor or Subarea Study shall mean and refer to studies involving major investment decisions or as other identified in 23 CFR 450.318.

Department shall mean and refer to the Florida Department of Transportation, an agency of the State of Florida, created pursuant to Section 20.23, FS.

FHWA means and refers to the Federal Highway Administration.

Long Range Transportation Plan is at a minimum a 20-year plan which: identifies transportation facilities; includes a financial plan that demonstrates how the plan can be implemented and assesses capital improvements necessary to preserve the existing metropolitan transportation system and make efficient use of existing transportation facilities; indicates proposed transportation enhancement activities; and, in ozone/carbon monoxide nonattainment areas, is coordinated with the State Implementation Plan, all as required by 23 U.S.C. 134(i), 23 CFR 450.322, Section 339.175(7), FS.

Metropolitan Area means and refers to the planning area as determined by agreement between the (insert name) Metropolitan Planning Organization and the Governor in the urbanized areas designated by the United States Bureau of the Census as described in 23 U.S.C. 134(b)(1) and Section 339.175, FS, which shall be subject to the Metropolitan Planning Organization's planning authority.

MPO means and refers to the metropolitan planning organization formed pursuant to Interlocal Agreement dated (insert date) as amended or superseded from time to time.

Regional Planning Council means and refers to the East Central Florida Regional Planning Council created pursuant to Section 186.504, FS, and identified in Chapter 29F-1.01, FAC.

Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) is the staged multi-year program of transportation improvement projects developed by a metropolitan planning organization consistent with the Long-Range Transportation Plan and developed pursuant to title 23 U.S.C. 134(j), 49 U.S.C. 5304, 23 CFR 450.324 and Section 339.175(8), FS.

Unified Planning Work Program is a biennial program developed in cooperation with the Department and public transportation providers, that lists all planning tasks to be undertaken during a two year time frame, with a complete description thereof and an estimated budget, all as required by 23 CFR 450.308, and Section 339.175(9), FS.

ARTICLE 2 PURPOSE

Section 2.01. Coordination with public transit operators. As set forth in Article 3 of this Agreement, the purpose of this Agreement is to provide for cooperation with the Department, the Transit Authority, the Aviation Authorities, and the Expressway Authorities in the development and preparation of the Unified Planning Work Program, the Transportation Improvement Program, the Long-Range Transportation Plan, and any applicable Corridor or Subarea Studies.

Section 2.02. Intergovernmental coordination; Regional Planning Council. As set forth in Article 4 of this Agreement, the purpose of this Agreement is to provide a process through the Regional Planning Council for intergovernmental coordination and review and identification of inconsistencies between proposed Metropolitan Planning Organization transportation plans and local government comprehensive plans adopted pursuant to Chapter 163, FS, and approved by the Florida Department of Community Affairs.

Section 2.03. Dispute resolution. As set forth in Article 5 of this Agreement, the purpose of this Agreement is to provide a process for conflict and dispute resolution through the Regional Planning Council.

ARTICLE 3 COOPERATIVE PROCEDURES FOR PLANNING AND PROGRAMMING WITH OPERATORS OF PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION SYSTEMS

Section 3.01. Cooperation with operators of public transportation systems; coordination with local government approved comprehensive plans.

(a) The Metropolitan Planning Organization shall cooperate with the Transit Authority, Aviation Authorities, and the Expressway Authorities to optimize the planning and programming of an integrated and balanced intermodal transportation system for the Metropolitan Area.

(b) The Metropolitan Planning Organization shall implement a continuing, cooperative, and comprehensive transportation planning process that is consistent, to the maximum extent feasible, with port and aviation master plans, and public transit development plans of the units of local governments whose boundaries are within the Metropolitan Area.

(c) As a means towards achievement of the goals in paragraphs (a) and (b) and in an effort to coordinate intermodal transportation planning and programming, the Metropolitan Planning Organization may include as part of its membership officials of agencies that administer or operate major modes or systems of transportation, including but not limited to transit operators, sponsors of major local airports, maritime ports, and rail operators. The representative of the major modes or systems of transportation may be accorded voting or non-voting advisor status. In the Metropolitan Area if authorities or agencies have been or may be created by law to perform transportation functions and are performing transportation functions, and that are not under the jurisdiction of a general purpose local government represented on the Metropolitan Planning Organization, the Metropolitan Planning Organization shall request the Governor to designate said authority or agency as a voting member of the MPO in accordance with the requirements of Section 339.175, FS. If the new member would alter local government representation in the Metropolitan Planning Organization, the Metropolitan Planning Organization shall propose a revised apportionment plan to the Governor to ensure voting membership on the Metropolitan Planning Organization to an official representing public transit authorities which have been, or may be, created by law.

(d) The Metropolitan Planning Organization shall ensure that representatives of ports, transit authorities, and airports within the Metropolitan Area are provided membership on the Metropolitan Planning Organizations Technical Advisory Committee.

Section 3.02. Preparation of transportation related plans.

(a) Although the adoption or approval of the Unified Planning Work Program, the Transportation Improvement Program, and the Long-Range Transportation Plan is the responsibility of METROPLAN ORLANDO the Metropolitan Planning Organization, development of such plans or programs shall be viewed as a cooperative effort involving the Department, the Transit Authority, , Aviation Authority, and the Expressway Authorities. In developing its plans and programs, METROPLAN ORLANDO the Metropolitan Planning Organization shall solicit the comments and recommendations of the parties to this Agreement in the preparation of such plans and programs.

(b) At the commencement of the process of preparing the Unified Planning Work Program, the Transportation Improvement Program, or the Long-Range Transportation Plan, or preparing other than a minor amendment thereto (as determined by the Metropolitan Planning Organization), the Metropolitan Planning Organization shall extend notice to the Department, the Transit Authority, the Aviation Authorities, and the Expressway Authorities, advising the scope of the work to be undertaken and inviting comment and participation in the development process. The MPO shall ensure that the chief operating officials of the Department, the Transit Authority, the Aviation Authorities, and the Expressway Authorities shall receive approximate 15 days written formal notice of all public workshops and hearings relating to the development of such plans and programs. It is stipulated by the parties to this Agreement that the failure by the (insert name) Metropolitan Planning Organization to properly extend written or other notice shall not invalidate, or lodged as a claim to invalidate, the adoption of the aforementioned plans and programs.

(c) Local government comprehensive plans.

(1) In developing the TIP, Long-Range Transportation Plan, or a Corridor or Subarea Studies, or preparing other than a minor amendment thereto (as determined by the MPO), METROPLAN ORLANDO, the Metropolitan Planning Organization, the Central Florida Regional Transportation Authority, , the Greater Orlando Aviation Authority, and the Sanford Airport Authority, and Orlando-Orange County Expressway Authority , and the Seminole County Expressway Authority shall analyze for each local government in the Metro Area: (i) the comprehensive plan future land use elements; (ii) the goals, objectives, and policies of the comprehensive plans; and (iii) the zoning, of each local governments in the Metropolitan Area. Based upon the foregoing review and a consideration of other growth management factors, the MPO, the Transit Authority, , Aviation Authorities, and the Expressway Authorities, shall provide written recommendations to local governments in the Metropolitan Area in the development, amendment, and implementation of their comprehensive plans. A copy of the recommendations shall be sent to the Regional Planning Council.

(2) METROPLAN ORLANDO, the Metropolitan Planning Organization agrees that, to the maximum extent feasible, the Long-Range Transportation Plan and the project and project phases within the Transportation Improvement Program shall be consistent with the future land use element and goals, objectives, and policies of the comprehensive plans of local government in the Metropolitan Area. If the MPO's Transportation Improvement Program is inconsistent with a local government comprehensive plan, the MPO shall so indicate, and the MPO shall present, as part of the Transportation Improvement Program, justification for including the project in the program.

(d) Multi-modal transportation agency plans.

(1) In developing the Transportation Improvement Program, Long-Range Transportation Plan, or a Corridor or Subarea Studies, or preparing other than a minor amendment thereto (as determined by the Metropolitan Planning Organization, METROPLAN ORLANDO, the Metropolitan Planning Organization shall analyze the affected: , master plans of the , the Greater Orlando Aviation Authority and the Sanford Airport Authority, the Central Florida Regional Transportation Authority, and the Orlando-Orange County Expressway Authority and the Seminole County Expressway Authority. Based upon the foregoing review and a

consideration of other transportation-related factors, METROPLAN ORLANDO the Metropolitan Planning Organization, shall from time to time and as appropriate, provide recommendations to the parties to this Agreement as well as local governments within the Metropolitan Area, for the development, amendment, and implementation of their master, development, or comprehensive plans.

(2) In developing or revising their respective master or development plans, the parties to this Agreement shall analyze the draft or approved Unified Planning Work Program, Transportation Improvement Program, Long-Range Transportation Plan, or Corridor and Subarea Studies, or amendments thereto. Based upon the foregoing review and a consideration of other transportation-related factors, the parties to this Agreement shall from time to time and as appropriate, provide written recommendations to the Metropolitan Planning Organization MPO with regard to development, amendment, and implementation of the plans, programs, and studies.

(3) METROPLAN ORLANDO, the Metropolitan Planning Organization agrees that, to the maximum extent feasible, the Transportation Improvement Program shall be consistent with the affected master plans and development plans of the parties to this Agreement.

(e) By letter agreement to be executed by METROPLAN ORLANDO, the Metropolitan Planning Organization and the affected Transit Authority, Aviation Authorities, the Expressway Authorities, and public transit providers represented by Metropolitan Planning Organization members, METROPLAN ORLANDO the Metropolitan Planning Organization and the affected agency or authority shall mutually develop a process for planning coordination, forwarding recommendations, and project programming consistency to be referred to as the "letter agreement". This process shall be the same as the METROPLAN ORLANDO INTERNAL OPERATING PROCEDURES, attached hereto as Exhibit I, to be referred to as the "letter agreement". The parties to this Agreement agree that METROPLAN ORLANDO, the Metropolitan Planning Organization need only include in the Transportation Improvement Program those state-funded airport and seaport projects that directly relate to surface transportation activities. The process agreed to in the "letter agreement" shall provide flexible deadlines for inter-agency comment on affected plans referenced in this section. Upon approval, the "letter agreement" shall be appended to this Agreement and shall be an exhibit hereto. The signatories to the "letter agreement" may revise or terminate the "letter agreement" upon 30 days written notice to all other parties to this Agreement but without approval of other parties hereto.

ARTICLE 4

INTERGOVERNMENTAL COORDINATION AND REVIEW

Section 4.01. Coordination with Regional Planning Council. The Regional Planning Council shall perform the following tasks:

(a) Within 30 days of receipt, review the draft of the proposed Transportation Improvement Program, Long-Range Transportation Plan, Corridor and Subarea Studies, or amendments thereto, as requested by the Metropolitan Planning Organization, to identify inconsistencies between the foregoing plans and programs and applicable local government comprehensive plans adopted pursuant to Chapter 163 *et seq.*, FS, for counties and cities within the Metropolitan Area and the adopted Strategic Regional Policy Plan.

(1) The parties hereto recognize that, pursuant to Florida law, the Long-Range Transportation Plan and the Transportation Improvement Program of the (insert name) Metropolitan Planning Organization must be considered by cities and counties within the Metropolitan Area in the preparation, amendment, and update/revision of their comprehensive plans. Further, the Long-Range Transportation Plan and the projects and project phases within the Transportation Improvement Program are to be consistent with the future land use element and goals, objectives, and policies of the comprehensive plans of local governments in the Metropolitan Area to the maximum extent feasible. Therefore, promptly upon completion of its review of the draft proposal, the Regional Planning Council shall advise the Metropolitan Planning Organization and each affected county or city of its findings;

(2) If, after completing its review of the draft proposal, the East Central Florida Regional Planning Council deems that the plans and programs submitted are not acceptable, the Regional Planning Council shall promptly advise METROPLAN ORLANDO, the Metropolitan Planning Organization, in writing of its concerns and identify those portions of the submittals which need to be reevaluated and potentially modified; and

(3) Upon final adoption of the proposed Transportation Improvement Program, Long-Range Transportation Plan, Corridor and Subarea Studies, or amendments thereto, METROPLAN ORLANDO, the Metropolitan Planning Organization may request that the East Central Florida Regional Planning Council consider adoption of regional transportation goals, objectives, and policies in the Strategic Regional Policy Plan implementing the adopted Transportation Improvement Program, Long-Range Transportation Plan, Corridor and Subarea Studies, or amendments thereto. If the proposed plan, program, or study, or amendments thereto, was the subject of previous adverse comment by the East Central Florida Regional Planning Council, the Metropolitan Planning Organization will identify the change in the final adopted plan intended to resolve the adverse comment, or alternatively, the Metropolitan Planning Organization shall identify the reason for not amending the plan as suggested by the East Central Florida Regional Planning Council.

(b) Provide the availability of the conflict and dispute resolution process as set forth in Article 5 below.

ARTICLE 5 CONFLICT AND DISPUTE RESOLUTION PROCESS

Section 5.01. Disputes and conflicts under this Agreement. This process shall apply to conflicts and disputes relating to matters subject to this Agreement, or conflicts arising from the performance of this Agreement. Except as otherwise provided in this Article 5, only representatives of the agencies with conflicts or disputes shall engage in conflict resolution.

Section 5.02. Initial resolution. The affected parties to this Agreement shall, at a minimum, ensure the attempted early resolution of conflicts relating to such matters. Early resolution shall be handled by direct discussion between the following officials:

for the Florida Department of Transportation: by the District Director for Planning and Programs
for METROPLAN ORLANDO the Metropolitan Planning Organization: by the Executive Director
for the East Central Florida Regional Planning Council: by the Executive Director
for the Central Florida Regional Transportation Authority: by the Executive Director
for the Greater Orlando Aviation Authority: by the Executive Director
for the Sanford Airport Authority: by the President/Chief Executive Officer
for the Orlando-Orange County Expressway Authority: by the Executive Director
for the Seminole County Expressway Authority; by the Executive Director

Section 5.03. Resolution by senior agency official. If the conflict remains unresolved, the conflict shall be resolved by the following officials:

for the Florida Department of Transportation: by the District Secretary
for METROPLAN ORLANDO, the Metropolitan Planning Organization: the Chairman of the Board

for the East Central Florida Regional Planning Council: by the Chairman of the Board

for the Central Florida Regional Transportation Authority: by the Chairman of the Board

for the Greater Orlando Aviation Authority: by the Chairman of the Board

for the Sanford Airport Authority: by the Chairman of the Board

for the Orlando-Orange County Expressway Authority: by the Chairman of the Board

for the Seminole County Expressway Authority: by the Chairman of the Board

Section 5.04. Alternative Regional Planning Council dispute resolution. If a resolution is not possible, the parties may undertake dispute resolution pursuant to the Regional Planning Council procedure set forth in Chapter 29F-3, FAC. All parties to the dispute must agree to undertake this procedure before it may be invoked.

Section 5.05. Resolution by the Office of the Governor. If the conflict is not resolved through conflict resolution pursuant to Sections 5.02, 5.03, and 5.04 of this Agreement, the parties shall petition the Executive Office of the Governor for resolution of the conflict pursuant to its procedures. Resolution of the conflict by the Executive Office of the Governor shall be binding on all parties.

ARTICLE 6 MISCELLANEOUS PROVISION

Section 6.01. Constitutional or statutory duties and responsibilities of parties. This Agreement shall not be construed to authorize the delegation of the constitutional or statutory duties of any of the parties. In addition, this Agreement does not relieve any of the parties of an obligation or responsibility imposed upon them by law, except to the extent of actual and timely performance thereof by one or more of the parties to this Agreement or any legal or administrative entity created or authorized by this Agreement, in which case this performance may be offered in satisfaction of the obligation or responsibility.

Section 6.02. Amendment of Agreement. Amendments or modifications of this Agreement may only be made by written agreement signed by all parties here to with the same formalities as the original Agreement.

Section 6.03. Duration; withdrawal procedure.

(a) Duration. This Agreement shall have a term of (5) years and shall automatically renew at the end of said (5) years for another (5) term and every (5) years thereafter. At the end of the (5) year term and at least every (5) years thereafter, the parties hereto shall examine the terms hereof and agree to amend the provisions or reaffirm the same. However, the failure to amend or to reaffirm the terms of this Agreement shall not invalidate or otherwise terminate this Agreement.

(b) Withdrawal procedure. Any party may withdrawal from this Agreement after presenting in written form a notice of intent to withdrawal to the other parties to this Agreement and the MPO, at least (90) days prior to the intended date of withdrawal; provided, that financial commitments made prior to withdrawal are effective and binding for their full term and amount regardless of withdrawal.

Section 6.04. Notices. All notices, demands and correspondence required or provided for under this Agreement shall be in writing and delivered in person or dispatched by certified mail, postage prepaid, return receipt requested. Notice is required to be given and shall be addressed as follows:

Executive Director
METROPLAN ORLANDO
315 E. Robinson Street, Suite 355

Executive Director
East Central Florida Regional Planning
Council

Orlando, FL 32801-1949

309 Cranes Roost Blvd., Suite 2000
Altamonte Springs, FL 32701-

Executive Director
Greater Orlando Aviation Authority
Orlando International Airport
One Airport Blvd
Orlando, FL 32827-4399

President/CEO
Sanford Airport Authority
1200 Red Cleveland Blvd
Sanford, Florida 32773-6844

Executive Director
Central Florida Regional Transportation Authority
455 North Garland Avenue
Orlando, FL 32801

Executive Director
Orlando-Orange County Expressway Authority
4974 ORL Tower Rd.
Orlando, FL 32807

Executive Director
Seminole County Expressway Authority
520 West Lake Mary Blvd. #200

Secretary, District Five
Florida Department of Transportation
719 S. Woodland Blvd

Sanford, FL 32773

Deland, FL 32720 A party may unilaterally change its address

or addressee by giving notice in writing to the other parties as provided in this section. Thereafter, notices, demands and other pertinent correspondence shall be addressed and transmitted to the new address.

Section 6.05. Interpretation.

(a) Drafters of Agreement. All parties hereto were each represented by, or afforded the opportunity for representation by legal counsel, and participated in the drafting of this Agreement and in the choice of wording. Consequently, no provision hereof should be more strongly construed against any party as drafter of this Agreement.

(b) Severability. Invalidation of any one of the provisions of this Agreement or any part, clause or word hereof, or the application thereof in specific circumstances, by judgment, court order, or administrative hearing or order shall not affect any other provisions or applications in other circumstances, all of which shall remain in full force and effect; provided, that such remainder would then continue to conform to the terms and requirements of applicable law.

(c) Rules of construction. In interpreting this Agreement, the following rules of construction shall apply unless the context indicates otherwise:

- (1) The singular of any word or term includes the plural;
- (2) The masculine gender includes the feminine gender; and
- (3) The word "shall" is mandatory, and "may" is permissive.

Section 6.06. Attorney's Fees. In the event of any judicial or administrative action to enforce or interpret this Agreement by any party hereto, each party shall bear its own attorney's fees in connection with such proceeding.

Section 6.07. Agreement execution; use of counterpart signature pages. This Agreement, and any amendments hereto, may be simultaneously executed in several counterparts, each of which so executed shall be deemed to be an original, and such counterparts together shall constitute one and the same instrument.

Section 6.08. Effective date. This Agreement shall become effective upon its execution by all parties hereto.

Section 6.09. Other authority. In the event that any election, referendum, approval, permit, notice, or other proceeding or authorization is required under applicable law to enable the parties to enter into this

Agreement or to undertake the provisions set forth hereunder, or to observe, assume or carry out any of the provisions of the Agreement, said parties will initiate and consummate, as provided by law, all actions necessary with respect to any such matters for required.


Section 6.10. Parties not obligated to third parties. No party hereto shall be obligated or liable hereunder to any party not a signatory to this Agreement. There are no express or intended third party beneficiaries to this Agreement.


Section 6.11. Rights and remedies not waived. In no event shall the making by the Department of any payment to the Metropolitan Planning Organization constitute or be construed as a waiver by the Department of any breach of covenant or any default which may then exist on the part of the Metropolitan Planning Organization, and the making of any such payment by the Department while any such breach or default exists shall in no way impair or prejudice any right or remedy available to the Department in respect of such breach or default.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned parties have executed this Joint Participation Agreement on behalf of the referenced legal entities.

Signed, Sealed, and Delivered in the presence of:

METROPLAN ORLANDO

BY: 
Chairman

ATTEST: 
DATE: 6/25/10

EAST CENTRAL FLORIDA REGIONAL

PLANNING COUNCIL

BY: _____
Chairman

ATTEST: _____
DATE: _____

THE CENTRAL FLORIDA REGIONAL
TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY

BY: _____
Chairman

ATTEST: _____
DATE: _____

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Chairman

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Chairman

ATTEST: _____
DATE: _____

THE ORLANDO-ORANGE COUNTY
EXPRESSWAY AUTHORITY

BY: _____
Chairman

ATTEST: _____
DATE: _____

THE SEMINOLE COUNTY EXPRESSWAY
AUTHORITY

FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

BY: _____
Chairman

BY: Mark J.
District Five Secretary

ATTEST: _____
DATE: _____

ATTEST: James P. [Signature]
DATE: 7-2-10

APPROVED AS TO FORM, LEGALITY
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

BY: [Signature]
ATTORNEY
DATE: 6-29-10
TITLE: _____

[Every participant identified in this Agreement shall sign and date this Agreement with the appropriate witnesses]

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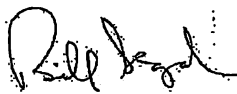
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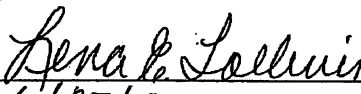
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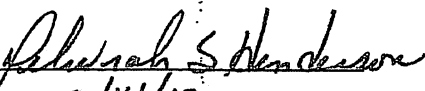
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PLANNING COUNCIL

BY: _____
Chairman

ATTEST: _____
DATE: _____

THE CENTRAL FLORIDA REGIONAL
TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY

BY: 
Chairman

ATTEST: 
DATE: 10/14/10

THE GREATER ORLANDO AVIATION
AUTHORITY

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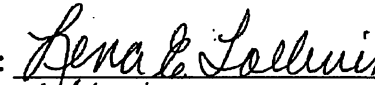
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Chairman

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Chairman

ATTEST: _____
DATE: _____

THE SANFORD AIRPORT AUTHORITY

BY: 

Chairman

ATTEST: 
DATE: 8/3/10

THE ORLANDO-ORANGE COUNTY
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Chairman

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DATE: _____

THE SEMINOLE COUNTY EXPRESSWAY
AUTHORITY

BY: _____
Chairman

ATTEST: _____
DATE: 11-16-2010

FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

BY: _____
District Five Secretary

ATTEST: _____
DATE: _____

APPROVED AS TO FORM, LEGALITY
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

BY: _____
ATTORNEY
DATE: _____
TITLE: _____

[Every participant identified in this Agreement shall sign and date this Agreement with the appropriate witnesses]

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Signed, Sealed, and Delivered in the presence of:

METROPLAN ORLANDO

BY: Bill Boyd
Chairman

ATTEST: _____
DATE: _____

THE CENTRAL FLORIDA REGIONAL
TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY

BY: _____
Chairman

ATTEST: _____
DATE: _____

EAST CENTRAL FLORIDA REGIONAL
PLANNING COUNCIL

BY: [Signature]
Chairman

ATTEST: [Signature]
DATE: 12/16/10

THE GREATER ORLANDO AVIATION
AUTHORITY

BY: _____
Chairman

ATTEST: _____
DATE: _____

Section 6.07. Agreement execution; use of counterpart signature pages. This Agreement, and any amendments hereto, may be simultaneously executed in several counterparts, each of which so executed shall be deemed to be an original, and such counterparts together shall constitute one and the same instrument.

Section 6.08. Effective date. This Agreement shall become effective upon its execution by all parties hereto.

Section 6.09. Other authority. In the event that any election, referendum, approval, permit, notice, or other proceeding or authorization is required under applicable law to enable the parties to enter into this Agreement or to undertake the provisions set forth hereunder, or to observe, assume or carry out any of the provisions of the Agreement, said parties will initiate and consummate, as provided by law, all actions necessary with respect to any such matters for required.

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METROPLAN ORLANDO

BY: Bill Boyd
Chairman

ATTEST: Dena E. Sullivan
DATE: 6/25/10

THE CENTRAL FLORIDA REGIONAL
TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY

BY: _____
Chairman

ATTEST: _____
DATE: _____

EAST CENTRAL FLORIDA REGIONAL
PLANNING COUNCIL

BY: _____
Chairman

ATTEST: _____
DATE: _____

THE GREATER ORLANDO AVIATION
AUTHORITY

BY: Phillip N. Brown
Chairman **Phillip N. Brown, A.A.E.**
Executive Director

ATTEST: 3/15/10
DATE: _____

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BY: 

Chairman

ATTEST: 

DATE: 6/25/10

EAST CENTRAL FLORIDA REGIONAL
PLANNING COUNCIL

BY: _____

Chairman

ATTEST: _____

DATE: _____

THE CENTRAL FLORIDA REGIONAL
TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY

BY: _____

Chairman

ATTEST: _____

DATE: _____

THE GREATER ORLANDO AVIATION
AUTHORITY

BY: _____

Chairman

ATTEST: _____

DATE: _____

THE SANFORD AIRPORT AUTHORITY

BY: _____

Chairman

ATTEST: _____

DATE: _____

THE ORLANDO-ORANGE COUNTY
EXPRESSWAY AUTHORITY

BY: 

Chairman Walter A. Petram, Jr.

ATTEST: 

DATE: 7-28-10