

## ADOPTED. ACCEPTED. APPROVED.



**The 2050 LRTP has been adopted.**

Collier MPO's 2050 Long Range Transportation Plan (LRTP), developed in collaboration with Jacobs Engineering, was adopted on December 11, 2025.

The MPO Board meeting was held a day early to meet the federally required December 11th adoption deadline for the [Collier MPO's Long Range Transportation Plan \(LRTP\)](#).

**The 2050 LRTP** incorporates the following MPO plans by reference: [The Congestion Management Process](#) (approved November 14, 2025); [Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan](#) (approved November 14, 2025); [Safety Action Plan](#) (accepted November 14, 2025); and [Transit Development Plan](#) (approved by the BCC December 9, 2025)

We wish to express our gratitude to the MPO Board for their leadership, to our Advisory Committees for their invaluable insights, and to the talented Jacobs Engineering team for their outstanding work on the LRTP.

## MPO AND CAT SUPPORT LIGHTHOUSE OF COLLIER'S WHITE CANE WALK



L-R: MPO's Suzanne Miceli with CAT's Elena Ortiz Rosado and Omar De Leon



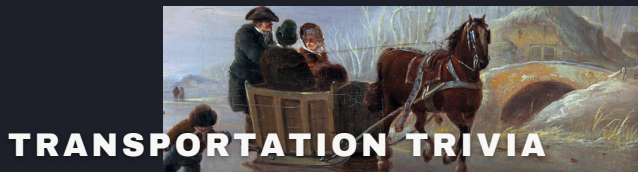
Lighthouse of Collier's event host Rick Hart



White Cane Walk Attendees enjoying the ceremony

Established in 1964 by President Lyndon B. Johnson, White Cane Safety (Awareness) Day commemorates state and federal laws requiring motorists to yield the right of way to pedestrians using a white cane or guide dog. Events held across the country celebrate the achievements, freedom, and independence of blind and visually impaired people.

MPO and Collier Area Transit (CAT) participated in the Lighthouse of Collier's White Cane Walk on November 14th to highlight Collier County's commitment to community outreach and to support the ongoing efforts of The Lighthouse for Blindness & Vision Loss. The event underscored the positive impact the organization has on blind and visually impaired residents of Collier County and surrounding municipalities.



## TRANSPORTATION TRIVIA

The oldest known patent for a sleigh in the United States is represented in [U.S. Patent 1,334](#), which was issued to Daniel Carpenter of Nelson, New York on the 20th of September in 1839.

## Have a Plan.

**Whether You're Driving, Riding or Hosting**



If you're celebrating and drinking this holiday season, remember to plan ahead with a sober driver to take you home. If you're the designated driver, it's important to take the role seriously and don't consume alcohol or use other drugs. Here are some more safety tips:

- Never drink and drive.
- Don't let someone get behind the wheel if that person has been drinking.
- If you're hosting a gathering, make sure everyone has a sober ride home.
- Call 911 if you see a drunk driver.
- Always wear your seat belt. It's your best defense against impaired drivers.

Learn more at the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration's [Drive Sober or Get Pulled Over](#) page.

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## MPO UPCOMING MEETINGS



### Winter 2026

- January 20 | BPAC
- January 21 | CMC
- January 26 | TAC/CAC
- February 13 | MPO Board

## COLLIER METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION

### INTERESTED IN JOINING A COMMITTEE?

The Collier MPO Board is advised by five committees. Committee members are either citizen volunteers, jurisdictional staff, or agency representatives. Check out our [Committees](#) webpage to see if you might be eligible to become a member and fill vacancies for the Citizens Advisory Committee or Local Coordinating Board for the Transportation Disadvantaged!

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