



L RTP LONG RANGE TRANSPORTATION PLAN

The Collier MPO's 2050 Long Range Transportation Plan (LRTP) is nearing its anticipated adoption

The Public Comment Period is now open for Final Draft 2050 LRTP. Your insights can help us build a smart, safe, and more connected future for Collier County! The Public Comment Period extends through the MPO Board meeting on December 11, 2025.

2050 LRTP Documents Currently Under Review:

As the plan moves through the adoption process, supporting documentation includes the Appendices and Technical Compendium.

The entire suite of documents and presentation are available for public review and comment through the December 11th meeting via the following links:

- [Draft Collier MPO 2050 LRTP](#)
- [Appendices – Collier MPO 2050 LRTP](#)
- [Technical Compendium – Collier MPO 2050 LRTP](#)
- [2050 LRTP Presentation](#)

Comments and questions may be directed to Anne McLaughlin, MPO Executive Director, by phone: 239-252-5884 or email: Anne.McLaughlin@Collier.gov.

To learn more about Collier MPO's Long Range Transportation plan, go to: colliermmpo.org/lrtp.

ANNE MCLAUGHLIN SHOWCASES VISUAL ARTS TALENT IN BOARDROOM

The Collier MPO Executive Director shared her artistic side during the month of October in Boardroom Chambers, presenting her other talent in visual arts.

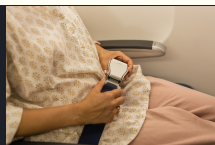
Anne says, "I am inspired by the lush vegetation, abundant greenery and bold, bright flowers growing in profusion here in southwest Florida. Creating art is a way of capturing memories and expressing the joy I feel looking at all the beauty that surrounds us. I usually paint from memory or sketches I've made and occasionally from photographs. I just recently discovered the creative possibilities of digital art and am having fun experimenting with what I see as a contemporary take on the ancient technologies involved in print making.

I want to thank Collier County for offering the opportunity to exhibit my work, and I hope you, the viewer, get as much enjoyment from seeing it as I do creating it."



TRANSPORTATION TRIVIA

The first seat belt was invented in the mid 19th century by George Cayley for use in aircraft.



MPO UPCOMING MEETINGS



Autumn/Winter 2025

- November 18 | BPAC
- November 19 | CMC
- November 24 | TAC/CAC
- December 3, 2025 | LCB
- December 11, 2025 MPO



*Note: The December MPO Board meeting is occurring off cycle on Thursday, December 11, 2025, to meet the LRTP adoption deadline



PUBLIC MEETING

Livingston FPL Trail Extension PD&E Study

FDOT is holding a public meeting for the Livingston FPL Trail Extension Project Development and Environment (PD&E) Study from Radio Rd to

the Collier County line in Collier County. The study will evaluate a new 12' wide shared-use path closing the gap between the Rich King Memorial Greenway and Lee County's anticipated SUNTrail Network to the north.

Information about preliminary alternatives will be presented. This is an opportunity for the public to express their views about the project.

You can review the materials on project webpage: <http://www.swflroads.com/project/447514-1>

Tuesday, November 18, 2025

Anytime between 5 – 7 p.m. A looping video. The project team will be available for discussion.

North Collier Regional Park

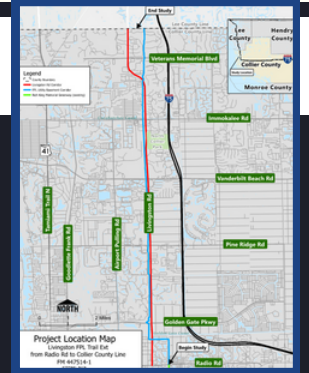
15000 Livingston Road, Naples, FL 34109

**IN
PERSON**

**LIVE
VIRTUAL**

Wednesday, November 19, 2025

5 – 6 p.m. | [Register Here](#)



MARCO ISLAND RECEIVES 22ND FLORIDA TRAIL TOWN DESIGNATION



Pictured: Councilor Bonita Schwan, John Groves, and Kevin Dohm

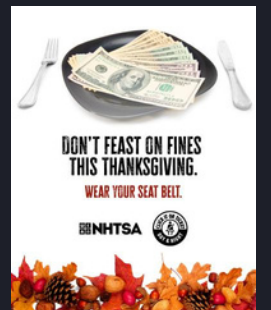
Marco Island was officially named Florida's 22nd Trail Town on October 8, 2025, following nearly 10 months of dedicated collaboration among City Councilor Bonita Schwan, City Manager Mike McNees, Assistant City Manager Dr. Casey Lucius, and Director of Public Works Justin Martin. Their coordinated efforts, which included a site inspection last March by Regional Coordinator John Groves, secured the designation. This recognition highlights Marco Island's commitment to outdoor recreation and promises lasting benefits for residents, visitors, and local businesses.

NHTSA'S NOVEMBER SEAT BELT SAFETY CAMPAIGN

National Highway Traffic Safety Administration's "Click or Ticket."

Loved ones gather on Thanksgiving to share fun stories — don't let yours be about the ticket you just got for not buckling up.

For more information, visit nhtsa.gov/SeatBelts.



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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