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COLLIER MPO NEWSLETTER | OCTOBER 2024

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YOUR INSIGHTS CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE!



Collier County residents! Here's your chance to shape the future of transportation in our community. We're seeking your input and ideas about enhancing how you live, work, and play throughout Collier County. Take a moment to complete this survey for the Collier MPO Long Range Transportation Plan. Survey links below!

English 🛶

https://forms.office.com/r/Dkvk4HaGbM

Spanish -

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Haitian-Creole -

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COLLIER MPO AND COLLIER COUNTY REPRESENT AT THE **FPTA & CTD JOINT** CONFERENCE

From L-R: Nef (Neftali) Albino, Omar De Leon, Yousi Cardeso, Brandy Otero, Dusty Hansen, Liz Soriano, Elena Ortiz Rosado.

Staff from Collier MPO, Collier Area Transit and Collier County Transportation Management Services attended the joint annual conference of the Florida Public Transportation Association (FPTA) and the Florida Commission for the Transportation Disadvantaged (CTD) in West Palm Beach in September. Staff had the opportunity to network with other professionals, meet vendors, and engage in continued learning opportunities. Topics included state and federal law updates, grants, paratransit, emergency planning, safety, technology, and legislative advocacy.

"TRY TRANSIT DAY" FREE RIDES ON SATURDAY, **NOVEMBER 2, 2024**



In honor of Mobility Week in Florida, CAT is offering FREE RIDES on Saturday, November 2, 2024. Try Transit and take a ride for FREE on any of CAT's 16 routes in Collier County. Saturday, November 2nd is the last day of early voting in Collier County. Ride CAT to any of the 10 early voting poll locations and cast your vote in the General Election. Colliervotes.gov for voting information. Download the Transit app or go to Collier Area Transit for transit information.

SAFETY ACTION PLAN

SS4A SAFETY ACTION PLAN VIRTUAL PUBLIC **WORKSHOP RESCHEDULED FOR OCT 30TH**

Collier MPO's Safe Streets and Roads for All (SS4A) Safety Action Plan virtual public workshop will now be held on October 30, 2024, 5-7 pm. Click here to register for our public event and use your voice to help us shape a safer community for Collier County and the cities of Naples, Marco Island, and Everglades City!

*If you've already registered, your registration will be carried over to this date.

The MPO is gathering feedback on Collier County roadways through a brief survey and interactive map. Completing these activities will take 5-10 minutes, and all responses will remain confidential. Click here to take our Safety Action Plan survey and here to participate in our interactive map!



Florida celebrates its 9th annual statewide Mobility Week from October 25 - November 2, 2024

Mobility Week is a cooperative effort by the Florida Department of Transportation and its partner agencies to promote awareness of safe, multimodal transportation.

Counties, cities, and transportation agencies host events and offer special promotions to encourage Floridians to try new transportation options. It is an ideal time for agencies to highlight transportation achievements, roll out new initiatives, or implement new policies.

Learn more on FDOT's Mobility Week webpage.

UPDATE ON LIGHTHOUSE OF COLLIER'S WHITE CANE WALK

The times for the Lighthouse for Blindness & Vision Loss of Collier County's White Cane Walk have been updated. The event commences October 15th at 12:30 p.m. at the Sugden Theater, and the walk will be from 1:00 - 2:00 pm



Learn more at Lighthouse of Collier's White Cane Walk webpage

DUPCOMING MEETINGS



Fall 2024 Schedule

- October 15 | BPAC
- October 28 | TAC/CAC
- November 8 | MPO Board
- November 20 | CMC

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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