

FTAC RESOLUTION #2-09

RESOLUTION REQUESTING THOSE LONG RANGE PROJECTS IDENTIFIED BY MIAMI-DADE EXPRESSWAY AUTHORITY (MDX) DURING THEIR VISIONING WORKSHOP TO BE MOVED FORWARD AND STUDIED TO DETERMINE THEIR FINANCIAL FEASIBILITY AND VIABILITY FOR MANAGING TRAFFIC AND GROWTH FOR THE MIAMI-DADE COUNTY COMMUNITY

WHEREAS, the Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) have established the Freight Transportation Advisory Committee (FTAC) to advise it on transportation related matters, and

WHEREAS, the FTAC received a presentation by the MDX during their January 21, 2009 meeting regarding the agency's potential long range plan projects that were identified during their recent Visioning Workshop, and

WHEREAS, MDX projects are self-funded, primarily through tolls, and will not result in the diversion of existing or future funds needed for projects by other agencies, and

WHEREAS, FTAC supports the inclusion of all potential long range plan projects in the Miami-Dade MPO's LRTP to be studied including: SR-836 'Western Beltway' system; SR 874 ramp to SW 136th Street; Gratigny Extension east to I-95 and west to the Turnpike; US 1 Managed Lanes; Central Expressway from SR 826 to SR 836, and Okeechobee Conversion.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE FREIGHT TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE (FTAC) OF THE METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION FOR THE MIAMI URBANIZED AREA:

That the FTAC requests those long range projects identified by MDX during their Visioning Workshop to be moved forward and studied to determine their financial feasibility and viability for managing traffic and growth for the Miami-Dade County community.

The foregoing resolution was offered by Zac Gruber, who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Eddie Rodriguez, and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Arata Bill	- Aye
Bryan Del A.	- Absent
Gruber Zac	- Aye
Johnson John	- Absent
Karlinsky Lee	- Absent
Marrero Mariella	- Aye
Munoz Felipe	- Aye
Pimental Barbara	- Absent
Puga Ralph	- Aye
Rodriguez Eddie	- Aye
Rovirosa Jorge	- Absent
Sandler Lee	- Absent
Tannehill Doug	- Aye
Tiede Kornelia	- Aye

Chairman Sylvia Bernstein - Aye

The Chairperson thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and approved this 21st day of January 2009.

FREIGHT TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE

By

Larry Foutz
Larry Foutz, FTAC Secretary

