

Next Steps

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Executive Order: What Happens Next?

- ▶ Task Force shall submit a report on its findings and recommendations to the Governor by *December 1, 2014*
- ▶ Local Governments encouraged to consider possible amendments to their comprehensive plans by *September 30, 2015*
- ▶ Regional planning, water, and transportation agencies encouraged to amend or revise their respective plans by *September 30, 2015*
- ▶ Task Force remains available to address issues related to its recommendations until *February 27, 2015*



Requested Briefings

- ▶ **Central Florida Expressway Authority (today)**
- ▶ **Florida Transportation Commission (November 18)**
- ▶ **MetroPlan Orlando (December 10)**
- ▶ **Central Florida MPO Alliance (January 16)**
- ▶ **East Central Florida Regional Planning Council (January 21)**
- ▶ **Space Coast Transportation Planning Organization (February 12)**



Anticipated Initial DEO Actions

- ▶ **Work with FDOT to support ongoing working group of regional and local agencies**
- ▶ **Provide technical support to local governments to assist with potential plan amendments**
- ▶ **Begin collaboration with local governments, RPC, MPOs, WMDs, transportation authorities, other entities to develop agreement to strengthen consistency among regional and local plans**
- ▶ **Begin work with partners to develop potential policy changes and other implementation tools (emphasis on Centers recommendations)**



Anticipated Initial FDOT Actions

- ▶ **Determine approach to conducting Evaluation studies**
- ▶ **Provide technical assistance to MPOs and other partners for potential amendments to existing plans**
- ▶ **Work with MPOs to develop scope for proposed regional passenger rail and transit system plan**
- ▶ **Begin work with partners to develop potential policy changes and other implementation tools; emphasis on**
 - » Right of way preservation
 - » Multimodal and multi-use partnerships
 - » Linking corridor planning and conservation planning



Potential Approach to Evaluation Studies

- ▶ **Develop framework for future studies**
- ▶ **Begin with comprehensive analysis of all recommended existing corridors and study areas**
 - » Refine travel demand forecasts reflecting updated regional model and completion of North Ranch long-term master plan
 - » Refine analysis of consistency with guiding principles
 - » Identify potential staging or phasing of alternatives
- ▶ **Identify specific projects on existing corridors to set the stage for long-range project development**
- ▶ **Identify and evaluate specific alternatives in study areas for new corridors**

