



**OFFICIAL MEETING MINUTES OF THE
PALM BEACH METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION (MPO)
GOVERNING BOARD**

June 18, 2026

301 Datura Street, West Palm Beach, FL 33401

These minutes are a summary of the meeting events and may not reflect all the discussion that occurred. PDF versions of the agenda, backup materials, presentations, and audio recordings are available for review at PalmBeachMPO.org/Board.

1. REGULAR ITEMS

1.A. Call to Order and Roll Call

CHAIR DRUCKER called the meeting to order at 9:34 a.m.

The Recording Secretary called the roll.

Member	Attendance	Member	Attendance	Member	Attendance
Steve Wilson	A	Dana Middleton	P	Bobby Powell	P
Michelle Grau	P	Bev Smith	P	Bruce Guyton	P
Thomas Turkin (Alt)	P	Deandre Poole	P	Jeff Hmara	P
Tom Markert	P	Gregg Weiss	A	Christy Fox	P
Susy Diaz	A	Joel Flores	P	Joseph Peduzzi	P
Jim Kuretski	P	Marci Woodward	P	Michael Napoleone	A
Christopher McVoy	A	Sara Baxter	A	Yvette Drucker	P

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A quorum was present in person. The Secretary further noted that the following members requested permission to participate virtually due to extenuating circumstances:

- Village of Wellington, Mayor Michael Napoleone
- City of Greenacres, Councilmember Suzy Diaz

The Board approved their requests, allowing both members to participate remotely.

1.B. Pledge of Allegiance

CHAIR DRUCKER led the Pledge of Allegiance.

1.C. Modifications to the Agenda

There were no modifications to the agenda.

1.D. Dump the Pump Proclamations – Palm Beach MPO & Palm Beach County (off-site)

CHAIR DRUCKER read the Dump the Pump Proclamation and then introduced Palm Beach County Vice Mayor Marci Woodward to read Palm Beach County's off-site Dump the Pump Proclamation.

Board members took a group proclamation photo.

1.E. Public Comments

There were no public comments received.

1.F. Comments from the Chair and Member Comments

CHAIR DRUCKER provided updates from the City of Boca Raton, noting she will be a speaker at the June 25 Safe Streets Cinema hosted by the Miami TPO.

MARCI WOODWARD provided updates from the South Florida Regional Transportation Authority Board Rail.

Christopher McVoy joined the meeting at 9:47 a.m.

1.G. Executive Director's Report

VALERIE NEILSON, MPO Executive Director, provided updates, available at PalmBeachMPO.org/Board.

JEFF HMARA noted the Multijurisdictional Issues Coordination Forum Executive Committee discussed the Countywide Transportation Master Plan (CTMP) at its June 5 meeting and encouraged the board to participate in upcoming public involvement activities.

JIM KURETSKI shared positive feedback on the 5-E Toolkit documents and emphasized the difficulties of compliance based on state policy.

1. H. APPROVED Consent Agenda Items

A. MOTION TO APPROVE Consent Agenda Items

1. Governing Board Meeting Minutes for May 21, 2026
2. Reappointment to Technical Advisory Committee (TAC)
 - a. Tony Norat, Florida Department of Transportation Alternate
3. Reappointment to the Vision Zero Advisory Committee (VZAC)
 - a. Clinton Williams, City of Delray Beach Representative
4. Appointment to the VZAC
 - a. William Sardinas, Safe Kids Palm Beach County Alternate
5. Appointment to the Transportation Disadvantaged Local Coordinating Board
 - a. Laurie Greco, Area Agency on Aging of Palm Beach/Treasure Coast Alternate
6. Information Technology Services and Management Contract
Resolution approving an agreement with AdvancedBITS, Inc. for Information Technology Services and Management through June 30, 2029, with three one-year extension options.
7. FY 2027 Annual Adjustments to MPO Employee Salaries
Approval of a 4% COLA and a 2% merit increase for eligible employees, effective July 1, 2026. An accompanying memo is attached.

CHAIR DRUCKER asked the Executive Director to explain how the MPO is funded.

MILTON COLLINS, MPO General Counsel, stated that an addendum to the May meeting minutes would be added to document the reasons for the abstention votes.

MOTION to approve the Consent Agenda made by Marci Woodward, seconded Christopher McVoy, and carried unanimously 18-0 as depicted in the table below.

Member	Attendance	Member	Attendance	Member	Attendance
Steve Wilson	A	Dana Middleton	Y	Bobby Powell	Y
Michelle Grau	Y	Bev Smith	Y	Bruce Guyton	Y
Thomas Turkin (Alt)	Y	Deandre Poole	Y	Jeff Hmara	Y
Tom Markert	Y	Gregg Weiss	A	Christy Fox	Y
Susy Diaz	Y	Joel Flores	Y	Joseph Peduzzi	Y
Jim Kuretski	Y	Marci Woodward	Y	Michael Napoleone	Y
Christopher McVoy	Y	Sara Baxter	A	Yvette Drucker	Y

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2. ACTION ITEMS

2.A. MOTION TO ADOPT Fiscal Year (FY) 2027-2031 Transportation Improvement Program

ANDREW UHLIR, Deputy Director of Programs, presented this item.

CHRISTOPHER MCVOY asked if the TIP included the SR-7 project.

MOTION to adopt FY 2027-2031 Transportation Improvement Program made by Joel Flores, seconded by Marci Woodward, and passed 15-3 as depicted in the table below.

Member	Attendance	Member	Attendance	Member	Attendance
Steve Wilson	A	Dana Middleton	Y	Bobby Powell	Y
Michelle Grau	Y	Bev Smith	Y	Bruce Guyton	Y
Thomas Turkin (Alt)	Y	Deandre Poole	Y	Jeff Hmara	Y
Tom Markert	Y	Gregg Weiss	A	Christy Fox	N
Susy Diaz	Y	Joel Flores	Y	Joseph Peduzzi	N
Jim Kuretski	Y	Marci Woodward	Y	Michael Napoleone	Y
Christopher McVoy	N	Sara Baxter	A	Yvette Drucker	Y

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2.B. MOTION TO ADOPT Amendment #2 to the Long Range Transportation Plan (LRTP)

ANDREW UHLIR, Deputy Director of Programs, presented this item.

CHRISTOPHER MCVOY inquired on the removal of carbon reduction funds.

JIM KURETSKI asked about the inclusion of Indiantown Rd projects in the LRTP and commented on the length of time it takes for projects to receive funding.

MOTION to adopt Amendment #2 to the Long Range Transportation Plan (LRTP) made by Bobby Powell, seconded by Joel Flores, and passed 14-4 as depicted in the table below.

Member	Attendance	Member	Attendance	Member	Attendance
Steve Wilson	A	Dana Middleton	Y	Bobby Powell	Y
Michelle Grau	Y	Bev Smith	Y	Bruce Guyton	A
Thomas Turkin (Alt)	Y	Deandre Poole	Y	Jeff Hmara	Y
Tom Markert	Y	Gregg Weiss	A	Christy Fox	N
Susy Diaz	Y	Joel Flores	Y	Joseph Peduzzi	N
Jim Kuretski	N	Marci Woodward	Y	Michael Napoleone	Y
Christopher McVoy	N	Sara Baxter	A	Yvette Drucker	Y

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3. INFORMATION ITEMS

3.A Partner Agency Updates

Lynn Johnson introduced herself as the Interim Executive Director for Palm Tran.

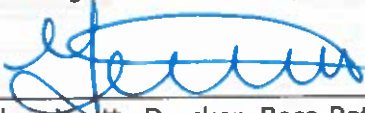
4. ADMINISTRATIVE ITEMS

4.A. Routine MPO Reports

- A. FDOT Scheduling Report – June 2026
- B. Public Involvement Activity Report – May 2026
- C. MPO & FDOT Joint Certification Statement for Calendar Year 2025
- D. Next Meeting – **July 16, 2026**
- E. Adjournment

There being no further business, the Chair declared the meeting adjourned at 10:32 a.m.

This signature attests that the undersigned is the Chair, or a designated nominee, of the MPO Governing Board and that the information provided herein constitutes the true and correct minutes of the Board meeting held on June 18, 2026, and approved on July 16, 2026.



Chair Yvette Drucker, Boca Raton Council Member

EXHIBIT A

Metropolitan Planning Organization Governing Board

Representative Alternate(s) Local Government	Jul '25	Aug '25	Sep '25	Oct '25	Nov '25	Dec '25	Jan '26	Feb '26	Mar '26	Apr '26	May '26	Jun '26
Yvette Drucker, Council Member CHAIR City of Boca Raton	ALT		P	P		P		P	P		P	P
Michael Napoleone, Mayor VICE CHAIR Amanda Silvestri, Councilwoman Village of Wellington	P		P	P		P		ALT	P		P	P
Steve Wilson, Mayor Joaquin Almazan, Vice Mayor City of Belle Glade	A		ALT	A		P		A	ALT		P	A
Bobby Powell, Commissioner – District 7 Palm Beach County	P		E	P		P		P	A		P	P
Michelle Grau, Deputy Mayor Stacy Sipple, Council Member Jon Pearlman, Council Member City of Boca Raton	P		P	P		P		P	P		P	P
Aimee Kelly, Commissioner Thomas Turkin, Vice Mayor City of Boynton Beach	P		P	P		P		P	P		P	ALT
Thomas Markert, Deputy Vice Mayor Judy Mollica, Commissioner City of Delray Beach	P		P	P		P		P	P		P	P
Susy Diaz, Councilmember Judith Dugo, Councilmember City of Greenacres	E		P	E		P		E	P		P	P
Jim Kuretski, Mayor Ron Delaney, Councilor Town of Jupiter	P		P	P		P		P	P		P	P
Christopher McVoy, Commissioner Mimi May, Commissioner City of Lake Worth Beach	P		P	P		P		P	P		P	P
Dana Middleton, Mayor Marcie Tinsley, Councilmember City of Palm Beach Gardens	P		P	P		P		ALT	ALT		P	P

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Bev Smith, Mayor Johnnie Tieche, Council Member Village of Palm Springs	ALT		ALT	P		P		p	p		P	P
Gregg Weiss, Commissioner – District 2 Palm Beach County Maria Sachs, Commissioner – District 5 Maria Marino, Commissioner – District 1 Palm Beach County	P		P	P		P		P	P		P	E
Joel Flores, Commissioner – District 3 Palm Beach County	ALT		P	P		P		E	P		P	P
Marci Woodward, Vice Mayor – District 4	P		P	ALT		P		P	P		P	P
Sara Baxter, Mayor – District 6 Palm Beach County	P		P	E		ALT		E	E		E	E
Deandre Poole, Commissioner Varisa Lall Dass, Commissioner Port of Palm Beach	P		P	P		P		P	P		P	P
Bruce Guyton, Council Member Glen Spiritis, Council Member City of Riviera Beach	P		P	P		A		P	A		P	P
Jeff Hmara, Mayor Richard Valuntas, Vice Mayor Village of Royal Palm Beach	ALT		ALT	P		P		P	P		P	P
Christy Fox, Commissioner City of West Palm Beach	P		P	P		P		P	P		P	P
Joseph Peduzzi, Commissioner Shalonda Warren, Commissioner Cathleen Ward, Commissioner City of West Palm Beach	P		P	E		P		p	A		ALT	P

Attendance Record

** New Appointment

P - Representative Present

ALT- Alternate Present

E - Excused

A - Absent

OTHERS PRESENT

Valerie Neilson
Andrew Uhler
Carly Diglio
Ruth Del Pino
Angelique Gonzalez
Khurshid Mohyuddin
Cesar Martinez
Tony Norat
Marsha Taylor-Long
James Brown
Victoria Williams
Deborah Posey Blocker
Lynn Johnson
Christopher Walker
John Lockhart
Victor Garcia

REPRESENTING

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