

Center for Urban Transportation Research (CUTR)

CUTR Rosa Parks Board Room/Teams Available

May 9, 2023 | 1:00 - 3:00pm

§334.065, Florida Statutes – Center for Urban Transportation Research

- 1) *There is established at the University of South Florida the Florida Center for Urban Transportation Research*
- 2) *The center shall be a continuing resource for the Legislature, the Department of Transportation, local governments, the nation's metropolitan regions, and the private sector in the area of urban transportation research*
- 3) *An advisory board shall be created to periodically and objectively review and advise the center concerning its research program*

Board Members:

- Jean W. Duncan, CUTR Advisory Board Chair, Administrator of Infrastructure and Mobility, City of Tampa
- Ron Howse, CUTR Advisory Board Vice Chair, Chair - Florida Transportation Commission (FTC)
- Kimberlee DeBosier, Director of Operations, WGI, Inc.
- Meredith Ivey, Acting Secretary, Florida Department of Economic Opportunity (FDEO) / Scott Rogers
- Shawn Hamilton, Secretary, Florida Department of Environmental Protection (FDEP) / Chris Stahl
- Ram Kancharla, Vice President Planning and Development, Port Tampa Bay
- Ysela Llort, Chair, CUTR Advisory Board and Principal, Renaissance Planning Group, Inc.
- Jared Perdue, P.E., Secretary, Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) / David Gwynn, District 7 Secretary
- Thornton J. Williams, Managing Partner, Williams Law Group, P.A.

Ex Officio Members:

- Lisa Bacot, Executive Director, Florida Public Transportation Association (FPTA)
- Ralph Yoder, Executive Director, FTC

CUTR Leadership:

- Fred Mannering, Ph.D., CUTR Executive Director
- Lisa Staes, CUTR Associate Director
- Yu Zhang, Ph.D., NICR Director
- CUTR Program Directors

Agenda:

Welcome and Introductions

- Chair, Jean Duncan

Topic #1: Approval of Minutes CUTR (Appendix A) (5 minutes)

- Chair, Jean Duncan

Topic #2: FDOT Update (10 minutes)

- FDOT Secretary, Jared Perdue, P.E.

Topic #3: CUTR Updates

- Executive Director
- NICR Updates
- CUTR Budget Update
- CUTR Transportation Achievement/Florida's Transportation Hall of Fame Event Update
- Student Mock Interviews

(40 minutes)

- Fred Mannering, Ph.D., CUTR Executive Director
- Yu Zhang, Ph.D., NICR Director
- Lisa Staes, CUTR Associate Director
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- Jodi Godfrey

Topic #4: CUTR Presentations

- CUTR's Transit Training and Workforce Development Update
- FDOT's Transit Research Inspection and Procurement Services (TRIPS)

(50 minutes)

- Stephanie Lewis, M.Ed.
- Stephen Wachtler, Director, Transit Safety and Workforce Development Programs
- Carlton Allen, CUTR TRIPS Manager

Topic #5: CUTR Advisory Board Business (10 minutes)

- Vice Chair, Jean Duncan
- Members

Meeting Adjourn