

Center for Urban Transportation Research (CUTR)

Advisory Board Virtual Meeting

February 9, 2021 | 1:00pm-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:

- Ysela Llort, Chair, CUTR Advisory Board and Principal, Renaissance Planning Group, Inc.
- Jon Martz, Vice Chair, Director of Government and Public Affairs, Enterprise Holdings Company
- Kimberlee DeBosier, Director of Operations, WGI, Inc.
- Jean W. Duncan, Administrator of Infrastructure and Mobility, City of Tampa
- Dane Eagle, Executive Director, Florida Department of Economic Opportunity (FDEO)
- Sonny Holtzman, Principal, The Holtzman Group
- Ram Kancharla, Vice President Planning and Development, Port Tampa Bay
- Teresa Sarnoff, Member, Florida Transportation Commission (FTC)
- Kevin J. Thibault, Secretary, Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT)
- Noah Valenstein, Secretary, Florida Department of Environmental Protection (FDEP)
- Joseph Waggoner, Executive Director, Tampa Hillsborough Expressway Authority (THEA)
- 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. Acting CUTR Executive Director
- Lisa Staes, CUTR Associate Director
- CUTR Program Directors

Agenda:

Welcome and Introductions

- Chair, Ysela Llort

Topic #1: Approval of Minutes CUTR

(5 minutes)

- Chair, Ysela Llort

Topic #2: CUTR Budget/COE Strategy

(5 minutes)

- Acting Executive Director, Fred Mannering, Ph.D.

Topic #3: FDOT Update
(10 minutes)

- Secretary Kevin Thibault, P.E. or
- Assistant Secretary Brad Thoburn

Topic #4: CUTR Associate Director Updates

- AD Activities
- New Awards and Other Work Program Topics

(10 minutes)

- Lisa Staes, CUTR Associate Director

Topic #5: Transportation Research Board Annual Meeting

- CUTR at TRB
- Board Member TRB activities/ observations

(10 minutes)

- Chair, Ysela Llort
- Board members
- Lisa Staes, CUTR Associate Director

Topic #6: CUTR Annual Transportation Award Event and Florida Transportation Hall of Fame Awardee Selection Committee

(15 minutes)

- Chair, Ysela Llort
- Lisa Staes, CUTR Associate Director

Topic #7: CUTR Board Student Engagement Opportunities
(10 minutes)

- Chair, Ysela Llort
- Vice Chair, Jon Martz
- Other board members

Topic #8: CUTR Research Presentations

Tampa Hillsborough Expressway Authority Connected Vehicle Pilot Performance Measurement Results

(20 minutes)

- Joe Waggoner
- Dr. Sisinnio Concas

Toward a Florida Automated, Connected, Electric, and Shared (ACES) Transportation System Roadmap

(20 minutes)

- Dr. Pei-Sung Lin
- Dr. Nikhil Menon

Topic #9: CUTR Advisory Board

- Federal Transportation Reauthorization
- CUTR Advisory Board Bylaws Subcommittee
- Other Board Items

(15 minutes)

- Chair, Ysela Llort
- Vice Chair, Jon Martz

Meeting Adjourn

