## **Community Oversight Advisory Team (COAT)**



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### **PUBLIC MEETING**

June 18, 2016 10:00 AM - Noon

SW 10th STREET What is your Vision?







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# **Presentation Overview**

- Why Build Consensus for SW 10<sup>th</sup> Street
- **Outreach to the Community**
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  - **COAT Consensus on Vision**
  - **Achieving Consensus on Recommended Criteria**
- **COAT Presentation to the Broward MPO and Next Steps** 
  - Future of the COAT





# Why Build Consensus for SW 10<sup>th</sup> Street

- Over the past 20 years, there's been **no agreement** on improvements to SW 10<sup>th</sup> Street
- Traffic volume along the corridor has **consistently increased** over the past 20 years and is expected to continue to grow, compounding congestion and noise
- Previous improvement proposals have not adequately considered livability issues or the concerns of adjacent residents
- Meaningful **public engagement** will help put forth a plan that meets the needs of adjacent communities and the region atlarge



Project Phases	Public Involvement Op
<ul> <li>Planning</li> <li>Preliminary, thorough evaluation of corridor needs.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>✓ 40 community meetings</li> <li>✓ Public Workshop (Janua</li> <li>□ Public Meeting (June 18)</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Project Development &amp; Environmental (PD&amp;E) Study</li> <li>Evaluate impacts on corridor's environment.</li> <li>Identify all options for corridor.</li> <li>Conduct in-depth data collection and analysis about the corridor and surrounding areas.</li> </ul>	At least 3 public meeting One public hearing
<ul> <li>Design</li> <li>Develop construction plans based on PD&amp;E study.</li> <li>Hold meetings with the community and the city to inform and get feedback of on design options.</li> </ul>	Public meetings for the optimized on
Right-of-Way (ROW) If needed, identify, appraise, and acquire right- of-way (land) necessary to build project.	Coordination with Prope
<ul> <li>Construction</li> <li>Break ground.</li> <li>Set up maintenance of traffic (traffic detours).</li> <li>Build the project and bring project from paper to reality.</li> </ul>	Construction Kickoff mee Regular Public Informati

\*If consensus on a preferred solution can be reached during the PD&E phase, it is possible to begin preliminary Design and ROW during the PD&E phase.

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# **Outreach to the Community**

- Met with 14 local elected officials and staff between March and May 2015
- Held over 20 meetings with HOAs, Chambers of Commerce and business interests along the corridor between May and Oct 2015
- Catalogued 67 specific issues/concerns related to Noise, Traffic, Infrastructure, Economic Development and Health and Safety
- Created SW 10<sup>th</sup> Street Website: www.SW10thStreetVision.org
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# **Appointment of the Community Oversight Advisory** Team (COAT)

- **9 Members from the City of Deerfield Beach** 
  - 4 Residents from Adjacent Communities
  - 2 Business Representatives
  - **3** Citywide Representatives
- 8 Members from the Study Area (SW 10<sup>th</sup> Street Corridor)
  - 2 from the City of Coral Springs
  - 2 from the City of Coconut Creek
  - 2 from the City of Parkland
    - 2 Representing the region







# **Appointment of the Community Oversight Advisory Team** (COAT)

- **COAT Members Pledged the Following:** 
  - Consider the needs of all Stakeholders
  - Share/exchange information with community they represent
  - Attend all COAT meetings
  - Be prepared to discuss issues and business
  - Work collaboratively and respect others' opinions
  - Act for the good of the entire community
  - Represent the ideas/contributions of the COAT in a positive manner
  - **Operate under the Florida Sunshine Law**





## **COAT Meeting History – November 2015 to Present**

- Discussed community concerns and existing conditions along the corridor
- Learned about the history of planning in Broward County and traffic signal technology
- Received updates on I-95/SW10<sup>th</sup> Street Interchange and the Turnpike/SW10<sup>th</sup> Street Interchange PD&E studies
- Review graphics, schematics, and all available data on the corridor.
- Learned that many of the questions and requests for data could only  $\bullet$ be answered through a PD&E study
- Reached consensus to recommend a PD&E study to the Broward MPO Board





# **Open House and Public Meeting**

- January 30, 2016 Open House
  - Utilized an **Open House** format, giving members of the public the lacksquareopportunity to talk one-on-one with representatives from the Broward MPO, Florida DOT and Consulting Team
  - Received over **110** Feedback Forms addressing approximately 10 common themes
  - June 18, 2016 Public Meeting
    - Held in a traditional format at the request of the COAT
    - A formal public comment period will be provided
    - Written comments may also be submitted on the back of your agenda





# **COAT Consensus on Vision**

The COAT, through collaboration and evaluation of the community needs and concerns, envisions improvements along SW 10<sup>th</sup> Street, which:

- Minimize visual obstructions
- Minimize traffic noise
- Minimize noise and impacts during construction
- Promote economic development and access to businesses
- Preserve local access

- Enhance community connectivity
- Provide community greenspace
- Minimize negative impacts to the environment, including air and water quality
- Reduce demand for travel along SW 10<sup>th</sup> Street by encouraging tolling, carpooling and transit





# **Achieving Consensus on Recommended Criteria**

- The COAT is now working toward consensus on a set of recommended criteria for consideration
- Examples **COULD** include:
  - Building depressed sections of roadway for the express lanes
  - Ensuring access on/off the express lanes for neighborhoods along SW  ${ \bullet }$ 10<sup>th</sup> Street
  - Minimizing the use of flyovers adjacent to residential areas
  - Providing noise walls where appropriate for communities that desire them







# **Future of the COAT**

**IF** the transportation project development process moves forward, the COAT will:

> Remain **engaged** during the PD&E Study Remain **engaged** during the Design Phase Remain **engaged** during the Construction Phase

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