

CHARLOTTE COUNTY, FLORIDA
2014-2024 TRANSIT DEVELOPMENT PLAN (TDP)
CHARLOTTE RIDES
TIMELINE

March 4 – March 6, 2014: Four public input workshops to be conducted on future transit service. March 4th Cultural Center & Mid-County Library; March 5th Charlotte Harbor and Event Center; March 6th Englewood Regional Library.

March 19, 2014: Joint meeting with Sarasota SCAT; Charlotte Transit; MPO staff; & FDOT.

March 25, 2014: BCC meeting; TDP status update to BCC by consultants from Tindale-Oliver.

March – May 2014: Tindale –Oliver to complete Tasks 2-3 in progress and Tasks 4-6. (See below).

April 16, 2014: TAC & CAC meetings; TDP presented to MPO’s Technical Advisory Committee (TAC) and Citizen’s Advisory Committee (CAC).

May 5, 2014: MPO meeting; TDP presented by Tindale-Oliver & MPO staff to Charlotte County – Punta Gorda MPO Board for acceptance.

May Date TBD: Joint meeting with Sarasota SCAT; Charlotte Transit; MPO staff; & FDOT.

May 15, 2014: LCB meeting; Status update of TDP provided to Local Coordinating Board (LCB) by staff.

June 10, 2014: BCC meeting; TDP presented by Tindale-Oliver & County staff to BCC for final approval and adoption.

September 1, 2014: Charlotte County’s TDP due to FDOT.

November 1, 2014: 60 day comment period from FDOT review ends. Note: Comment period is 60 days from date of TDP submission by Charlotte County. Comment period will end prior to November 1st if submitted earlier than September 1st.

TDP ACTIVITIES ALREADY COMPLETED/IN PROGRESS:

October 2013: Kickoff presentation of TDP to BCC by consultants from Tindale- Oliver. Three public workshops conducted throughout Charlotte County. “*Charlotte Rides*” branding for TDP selected.

November 2013: Draft Technical Memorandum #1 of TDP completed. *Task 1 - Establish Baseline and Situation Appraisal* – Completed.

December 2013: Public surveys completed and Key Leader Stakeholders interviewed.

January 2014: Draft Technical Memorandum #2 of TDP completed. *Task 2 – Public Involvement Plan & Activities* – In progress. *Task 3 – Estimate Demand & Mobility Needs* – In progress.

February 2014-May 2014: *Tasks 4 – Develop Goals & Objectives; Task 5 – Prepare Implementation & Financial Plans; Task 6 – Finalize TDP & incorporate Farebox Report.*