



2025 Space Coast TPO Policy Positions

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The Space Coast TPO is the transportation planning organization (TPO) for Brevard County in Central Florida. TPOs were created under federal law to direct urban transportation planning and the allocation of federal and state funds.

We plan for a transportation system that enhances the quality of life and economic development by engaging the community and we aim to provide a safe, multimodal, and resilient transportation system for all.

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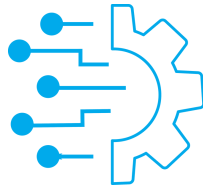
Top Priorities



Increase funding for transportation that does not negatively impact the State Transportation Trust Fund.



Support Vision Zero safety initiatives to reach zero fatalities and serious injuries.



Increase the resiliency and efficiency of Brevard's transportation system by advancing technological network enhancements.





The Space Coast TPO Supports:

Increased funding for transportation investments

- ✓ Funds the Transportation Regional Incentive Program (TRIP) at a predictable level.
- ✓ Develop a resilient network of transportation infrastructure and evacuation routes.
- ✓ Establishes flexible and predictable funding for transit projects identified through the metropolitan transportation planning process by removing various funding limitations for the State Transportation Trust Fund (STTF).
- ✓ Study potential revenue replacement options for the current motor fuels tax which can no longer fully support the current or future needs of Florida's transportation system.
- ✓ Charge alternatively fueled vehicles a fee equal to the fuel tax paid by gasoline or diesel-fueled vehicles, such as an electric vehicle registration fee.

BENEFIT: Additional funds and greater flexibility are needed within existing State funding programs to maximize the efficient use of resources, and allow for the transportation investments necessary to serve our rapidly growing urbanized area and support economic growth in our region.

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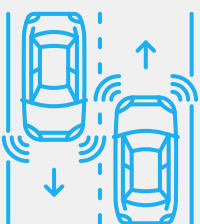
Safety and Innovation

- ✓ Strengthen existing pedestrian and bicycle safety laws.
- ✓ Engineer and redesign roadways for appropriate speeds.
- ✓ Monitor regulations on distracted driving.

BENEFIT: would increase roadway safety and make enforcement easier.

- ✓ Support the advancement of innovative transportation mobility solutions and policies that make Florida the national leader in creative approaches to addressing transportation needs, including Autonomous, Connected, Electric, and advanced traffic signals as well as technologies not yet developed.

BENEFIT: Improves the efficiency and safety of travel. Cities and states that are proactive in the deployment of transportation technology will be better positioned for success and economic stability in the future.





Support: Move Over For People

Expand the current Move Over law to include people and protect vulnerable road users such as pedestrians, bicyclists, and disabled individuals using mobility devices.



Monitor: Hands Free Florida

Regulates distracted driving by prohibiting the use of handheld two-way electronic wireless communications while operating a motor vehicle on any roadway.

SCTPO's Priority Transportation Projects

Support SCTPO's List of Priority Projects consistent with the Regional Long Range Transportation Plan. Check out our 2025 List of Project Priorities.



Scan the QR code for a complete list of ranked transportation projects

As the regional transportation planning agency, the Space Coast TPO provides a forum for local elected officials, transportation experts, and members of the community to work together to improve mobility for residents, businesses, and visitors.

2025 SCTPO Governing Board Members

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