Road Impact Fee Alternatives
Ad Hoc Committee

Preferred Alternative

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Formed
By PBMPPO Technical Advisory Comm. in April 2016
Jeff Livergood selected as the Chair

Charge
Examine ways to fund projects that do not qualify as roadway capacity projects (i.e. bicycle, pedestrian & transit).

Reviewed
Current road impact fee expenditures
Road/mobility fee systems used in other jurisdictions

Examined
Status Quo and 3 Alternatives
Alternatives Examined:

- Status Quo
- Alternative 1: Road Impact Fee in Designated Areas (Preferred Alternative)
- Alternative 2: Countywide Multimodal Fee
- Alternative 3: Countywide Multimodal Fee (Municipality Component)
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Status Quo - Retain Road Impact Fee

Administering Agency: Palm Beach County
Summary:
  • Maintain existing road impact fee system
  • Municipalities can add local fees

Necessary Implementation Steps:
  • Permissible under existing framework

Who Leads: Palm Beach County
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Alternative 1: Road Impact Fee in Designated Areas with the Option to Create Municipal Mobility Fees

Administering Agency:
- Palm Beach County: Road Impact Fee in Designated Areas
- Municipalities: Mobility Fees

Summary:
- Eliminate road impact fee in areas with no future road projects, based on LRTP cost feasible plan
- Municipalities may develop their own mobility plans and set mobility fee rates

Necessary Implementation Steps:
- Palm Beach County Commission modifies the ULDC Article 13 to: (1) redraw zone boundaries (zones would be based on MPO LRTP roadway projects)
- Municipalities may adopt mobility plan and fee

Who Leads: Palm Beach County w/MPO support, & Municipalities
|                       | **Status Quo** | **Alternative 1**
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| **Road Impact Fee**   | Retain Road Impact Fee | • Road Impact Fee in Designated Areas  
|                       |                 | • Option to Create Mobility Fees  
| **Administering Agency** | Palm Beach County | • Palm Beach County administers Road Impact Fee in Designated Areas  
|                       |                 | • Local Governments administer their mobility fee  
| **Summary**           | • Maintain existing road impact fee system  
|                       |                 | • Municipalities have added/may add local fees  
|                       |                 | • Collect road impact fee only in areas where planned growth warrants future road-capacity projects (based on Long Range Transportation Plan cost feasible plan)  
|                       |                 | • Local Governments may develop their own mobility plans and set mobility fee rates  
| **Necessary Implementation Steps** | None | • Palm Beach County Commission approval to modify Unified Land Development Code (ULDC) Article 13 to:  
|                       |                 | • Redraw zone boundaries  
|                       |                 | • Zones would be based on MPO LRTP roadway projects  
|                       |                 | • Each local government may adopt mobility plan and fee  
| **Who Leads**         | Palm Beach County | Palm Beach County, with Metropolitan Planning Organization support, & Municipalities  

Palm Beach MPO’s 2040 Long-Range Transportation Plan (LRTP) Cost Feasible Projects Map
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• Discussion

• Questions?