



# PALM BEACH Transportation Planning Agency

## Bicycle Trailways Pedestrian Advisory Committee (BTPAC) Liaison's Report - October 8, 2020

1. **TPA Committee Census:** The TPA is requesting all committee members to complete a census on race, sex, and age to assist the TPA in tracking committee diversity in accordance with state statute. The survey can be viewed at [PalmBeachTPA.org/TPA-Committee-Census](https://PalmBeachTPA.org/TPA-Committee-Census).
2. **October is National Pedestrian Safety Month:** National Pedestrian Safety Month aims to focus efforts on raising awareness year-round to reduce deaths, educate road users, and remind us that everyone is a pedestrian. For more information, visit [NHTSA.gov/Events](https://NHTSA.gov/Events).
3. **FDOT TransPlex Web Series:** The Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) is hosting a series of webinars every Friday during the month of October. For more information, visit [FDOT.gov/planning/transplex/](https://FDOT.gov/planning/transplex/).
4. **Mobility Week 2020:** FDOT is conducting a statewide celebration of making smart, efficient, and safe transportation choices during Mobility Week October 30 - November 6, 2020. For additional information, visit [FDOT.gov/projects/MobilityWeek](https://FDOT.gov/projects/MobilityWeek).
5. **FHWA Lane Repurposing Workshop:** The TPA is hosting a FHWA Lane Repurposing web-based workshop on Friday, November 6. Seating is limited and registration closes on November 2. For more information and to register, visit [TPA\\_FHWA\\_Workshop.Eventbrite.com](https://TPA_FHWA_Workshop.Eventbrite.com).
6. **Florida Public Opinion Survey for Pedestrian and Bicycle Safety:** FDOT is conducting a survey on people's knowledge of pedestrian and bicycle safety, and knowledge on traffic laws related to pedestrians and bicycles. To take the survey, visit [PalmBeachTPA.org/FDOTSafetySurvey](https://PalmBeachTPA.org/FDOTSafetySurvey).
7. **America Walks Community Change Grant:** Applications for the 2020 Community Challenge Grant program are due November 9, 2020. Grantees will be awarded \$1,500.00 in community stipends for projects related to creating healthy, active, and engaged places to live, work, and play. For more information and to apply, visit [AmericaWalks.org/Community-Change-Grants/](https://AmericaWalks.org/Community-Change-Grants/).
8. **Safe Routes to School:** Florida's Safe Routes to School (SRTS) grant applications are due December 31, 2020. For more information and to apply, visit [SRTSFL.org](https://SRTSFL.org).
9. **FDOT High Visibility Enforcement (HVE) funds for Pedestrian and Bicycle Safety:** FDOT has funding available for law enforcement agencies to conduct HVE operations to improve pedestrian and bicyclist safety. For more information, visit [AlertTodayFlorida.com/HVE](https://AlertTodayFlorida.com/HVE).
10. **October TPA Governing Board Meeting:** The next TPA Governing Board meeting will be held on October 15 at 9:00 a.m. both in-person and virtually. To view the agenda packet and meeting details, visit [PalmBeachTPA.org/Board](https://PalmBeachTPA.org/Board).
11. **November Meetings:** As a reminder, there are no Governing Board or advisory committee meetings held in November. The next BTPAC meeting will be held on December 3.
12. **BTPAC 2021 Meeting Time:** The TPA will be adjusting the BTPAC meeting time to 9:00 a.m. starting in 2021 to be consistent with its Board and Technical Advisory Committee meeting times.
13. **Safe Streets Summit:** Save the date for the 2021 Safe Streets Summit that will be held virtually on January 28-29. For more information, visit [SafeStreetsSummit.org](https://SafeStreetsSummit.org).