

Liaison's Report - April 2021

1. ***Committee Member Service Recognition:*** The TPA recognizes Glen Harvie for his 14 years of service as a representative on the Citizens Advisory Committee. We appreciate his generous commitment of personal time and knowledge to furthering the communities in Palm Beach County.
2. ***Bicycle Month Summary:*** March was Florida Bicycle Month. A total of 13 Florida Bicycle month proclamations were passed, 11 of which were done by municipalities. The TPA participated in 4 events and promoted 8 in total. The TPA also hosted a webinar series throughout the month, with topics on Women in Bicycling and Cycling for Sustainable Cities.
3. ***Member Designated Projects for Surface Transportation Authorization:*** Members of Congress are able to submit specific projects for funding to be included in the 2021 Surface Transportation Authorization legislation. Submissions are due to Congress by April 16, 2021. Please reach out to your TPA committee liaison to coordinate TPA support for a project.
4. ***2021 AARP Community Challenge Grant:*** The AARP Community Challenge Grant provides small grants to fund “quick-action” projects that can help communities become more livable for people of all ages. The deadline to apply is April 14, 2021. For more information, visit [AARP.org/CommunityChallenge](https://www.aarp.org/CommunityChallenge).

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4. ***April TPA Governing Board Meeting:*** The next TPA Governing Board meeting will be held on April 15, 2021 at 9:00 a.m. both in-person and virtually. To view the agenda packet and meeting details, visit PalmBeachTPA.org/Board.
5. ***FDOT Local Agency Program (LAP) Construction Checklist and Specifications Training:*** FDOT is hosting a LAP virtual training on April 21, 2021 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.. This course is intended for Local Agency project, engineering, and procurement staff who develop bid packages, construction specifications, contracts, and other related procurement documents for construction. For more information, visit fdot.gov/programmanagement/LAP/Training-Dates.shtm
6. ***National Bike to School Day:*** Communities across the country will be walking and rolling in support of safe, active travel as part of the tenth annual National Bike to School Day on May 5, 2021. Registration is open to families, neighborhoods, and schools. To register, visit walkbiketoschool.org/registration.
7. ***High Visibility Enforcement (HVE) Funding:*** FDOT offers local enforcement agencies funding contracts for HVE to improve pedestrians and bicycle safety. Applications are accepted on a rolling basis. For more information, visit AlertTodayFlorida.com/HVE.

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