

Planning Our Transportation Future



CENTRAL TRANSPORTATION PLANNING AREA

Updating the Plan as **Miami-Dade County Grows**

The Miami-Dade County Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) is currently updating its Transportation Plan to the Year 2030. Proposed highway, transit, bicycle, and pedestrian improvements to meet the future travel demand in Miami-Dade County are identified in the Miami-Dade Transportation Plan. This Plan guides investments to upgrade the transportation system to meet the projected travel demand for the next twenty-five years.

The county's population is expected to exceed 3.0 million and its employment base to surpass 1.5 million by 2030. The resulting transportation needs are numerous. Travel demand is expected to increase significantly over the next 26 years. The traffic that is associated with this growth, as measured in total trips, is projected to grow 28% in the Central Transportation Planning Area and 43% Countywide. Projects for the Transportation Plan are being formulated to help accommodate the additional trips and to help alleviate future deficiencies in the roadway network facilities.





BOUNDARIES AND CORRIDORS

The Central Transportation Planning Area in Miami-Dade County includes the area east of SW 76th Avenue, south of SW 30th Street to

generally west of NW 37th Avenue, and north of SW 136th Street. This area includes the cities of South Miami and Miami Springs, and the villages of Key Biscayne, Pinecrest, and Virginia Gardens as well as sections of the cities of Hialeah, Coral Gables, and Miami. The Central Area is traversed by several of Miami-Dade's most important transportation corridors, including the SR-826/Palmetto Expressway, the SR-836/East-West Expressway, US-1/South Dixie Highway, Okeechobee Road, SW 8th Street/Tamiami Trail, Flagler Street, and Le Jeune Road.

GOALS

The goals of the Miami-Dade Transportation Plan are to develop a transportation system that optimizes the movement of people and goods while reinforcing sustainability, equitability, and environmental compatibility.

Goals for the Year 2030:

- Improve Transportation Systems & Travel
- Support Economic Vitality
- Enhance Social Benefits
- Mitigate Environmental & Energy Impacts
- Integrate Transportation with Land Use & Development Considerations
- Optimize Sound Investment Strategies

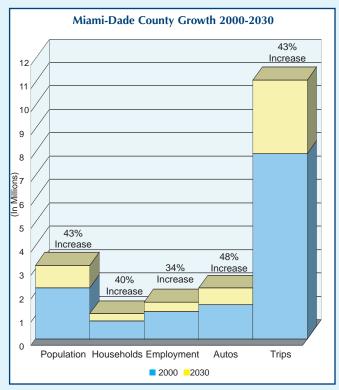
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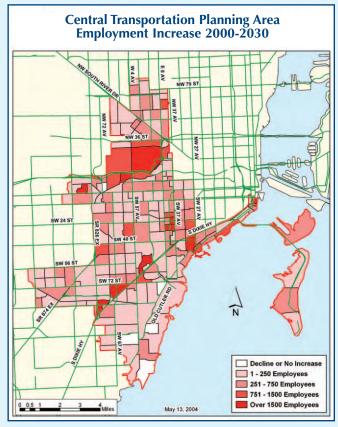
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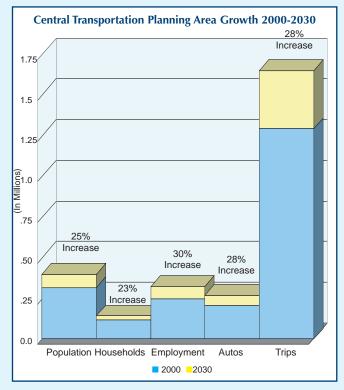
The population in the Central Transportation Planning Area will increase by 25% between 2000 and 2030.



Increase in demographic and transportation data from 2000 to 2030 for Miami-Dade County.



The number of employees in the Central Transportation Planning Area will increase by 30% between 2000 and 2030.



Increase in demographic and transportation data from 2000 to 2030 for the Central Transportation Planning Area.



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