

MIAMI-DADE
METROPOLITAN PLANNING
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2011 PUBLIC INVOLVEMENT
OUTREACH EVENTS

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OUTREACH TO THE COMMUNITY
AND
TITLE VI NEIGHBORHOODS

MIAMI-DADE MPO OUTREACH FACT SHEET

Name of Event: Brownsville Community Action Agency (CAA)

Date: 1/28/2011

Location: Bethune Head Start Center

Comments: This was a great meeting. Staff was able to distribute MPO information to a pastor and her husband from a local church and she will be handing it out to their congregation.



MIAMI-DADE MPO OUTREACH FACT SHEET

Name of Event: Allapattah Community Action Agency (CAA)

Date: 2/17/2011

Location: Ebenezer United Methodist Church

Comments: Staff provided an overview of the MPO and explained how they can get involved in the transportation planning process.



MIAMI-DADE MPO OUTREACH FACT SHEET

Name of Event: Naranja PLANT/Leisure City Community Action Agency (CAA)

Date: 3/8/2011

Location: Naranja Neighborhood Center

Comments: Members had concerns about bus shuttles connecting to the South Dade Busway, and street lighting along US-1 from SW 248 Street to SW 288 Street.



MIAMI-DADE MPO OUTREACH FACT SHEET

Name of Event: Edison Community Action Agency (CAA)

Date: 4/26/2011

Location: Edison Center

Comments: This meeting took place in a predominately a Haitian community. Staff was able to give out MPO material in Creole and handle their concerns and questions.



MIAMI-DADE MPO OUTREACH FACT SHEET

Name of Event: Wynwood Community Action Agency (CAA)

Date: 5/17/2011

Location: De Hostos Neighborhood Center

Comments: Staff handed out MPO material in Spanish and Creole and discussed their concerns and questions.



MIAMI-DADE MPO OUTREACH FACT SHEET

Name of Event: Accion Community Action Agency (CAA)

Date: 5/19/2011

Location: Accion Community Center

Comments: This meeting was held in a predominately Hispanic community. It gave staff the opportunity to share information about the MPO and also receive some issues and concerns that the committee members would like to see addressed.



MIAMI-DADE MPO OUTREACH FACT SHEET

Name of Event: Culmer Community Action Agency (CAA)

Date: 9/14/2011

Location: Culmer Center

Comments: The citizens would like to see the Liberty City Local bus operate on Sundays.



MIAMI-DADE MPO OUTREACH FACT SHEET

Name of Event: Goulds Community Action Agency (CAA)

Date: 9/14/2011

Location: Goulds

Comments: Citizens were requesting a left turning signal onto SW 112 Avenue from SW 220 Street.



MIAMI-DADE MPO OUTREACH FACT SHEET

Name of Event: Senior Center Outreach Event

Date: 9/20/2011

Location: Harry Cain Tower

Comments: The Metromover stations and vehicles need to be cleaned. There are vagrants living in the stations, and as senior citizens they don't feel safe.



MIAMI-DADE MPO OUTREACH FACT SHEET

Name of Event: Senior Citizen Outreach

Date: 9/22/2011

Location: Carrie Meek Manor Senior Program Outreach Event

Comments: The seniors were very concerned about their safety crossing NW 19 Street and NW 3 Avenue. They requested Public Works to install a crosswalk.



MIAMI-DADE MPO OUTREACH FACT SHEET

Name of Event: Community Action Agency (CAA) Issues and Self-Sufficiency Committee Event

Date: 9/26/2011

Location: Hialeah

Comments: The members requested that MPO staff attend their individual CAA meetings to hear their transportation concerns, and be added to the MPO's email/ mailing distribution lists.



MIAMI-DADE MPO OUTREACH FACT SHEET

Name of Event: Edison Triplex Community Tenants Association

Date: 10/13/2011

Location: Edison Towers

Comments: The seniors would like to see bus route 77 run more frequently on the weekends, even every half hour.



MIAMI-DADE MPO OUTREACH FACT SHEET

Name of Event: Northside Community Action Agency (CAA)

Date: 11/10/2011

Location: Martin Luther King, Jr. Building

Comments: Requested to be mailed 30 comment cards for the community group.



MIAMI-DADE MPO OUTREACH FACT SHEET

Name of Event: South Beach Community Action Agency (CAA)

Date: 12/8/2011

Location: Miami Beach

Comments: Staff attended this meeting and informed the members about the UPWP. Staff also was able to listen to the concerns that citizens had about school flashers and the South Beach Local bus.



MIAMI-DADE MPO OUTREACH FACT SHEET

Name of Event: Habitat for Humanity: Liberty City Residents Meeting

Date: 12/13/2011

Location: Gwen Cherry Yet/NFL Center

Comments: They asked that the bus stop located at NW 71st Street and NW 21st Avenue be removed so they could build a house for one of the families in need. Staff was able to contact MDT, and the bus stop was removed. Habitat for Humanity is now in the process of building a house for a family.



OUTREACH TO THE BUSINESS COMMUNITY

MIAMI-DADE MPO OUTREACH FACT SHEET

Name of Event: Green Task Force Meeting

Date: 1/26/2011

Location: City of South Miami Chambers

Comments: David Henderson met with the South Miami Green Task Force to discuss ways the city can become more bike friendly.



MIAMI-DADE MPO OUTREACH FACT SHEET

Name of Event: Opa-Locka Circulator Grand Opening

Date: 3/11/2011

Location: Opa-Locka

Comments: The MPO Staff was recognized at this ceremony.



MIAMI-DADE MPO OUTREACH FACT SHEET

Name of Event: “...On the Move” Booklet Distribution

Date: 4/6/2011

Location: Hialeah Area: Hialeah Hospital, Westfield Mall Mgmt., Sears, JC Penney, Macys, Telemundo, Wal-Mart, and Hialeah Elementary

Comments: MPO and South Florida Commuter Services staff distributed the booklets throughout the Hialeah area, which is predominately Hispanic.



MIAMI-DADE MPO OUTREACH FACT SHEET

Name of Event: GCCITE Meeting

Date: 5/13/2011

Location: Stephen P. Clark Center

Comments: This presentation focused on the implementation of the bicycle master plan and the on-going efforts to promote Miami as a bike-friendly city.



MIAMI-DADE MPO OUTREACH FACT SHEET

Name of Event: Miami Bike Summit

Date: 6/22/2011

Location: Coconut Grove

Comments: Staff attended this summit to inform the community about future pedestrian friendly programs and receive input on how to improve the program in Miami-Dade County.



MIAMI-DADE MPO OUTREACH FACT SHEET

Name of Event: Benefits Fair

Date: 6/22/2011

Location: Jackson South Health System

Comments: They would like more service for bus route 252 along SW 152 Street in front of hospital between the hours of 4:30 PM and 7:30 PM to accommodate the 7:00 PM shift change.



MIAMI-DADE MPO OUTREACH FACT SHEET

Name of Event: Benefits Fair

Date: 6/24/2011

Location: Jackson North Health System

Comments: Employees stated that bus routes 2, 9, 10, 22, E, 18, 22, and 77 all provide excellent service.



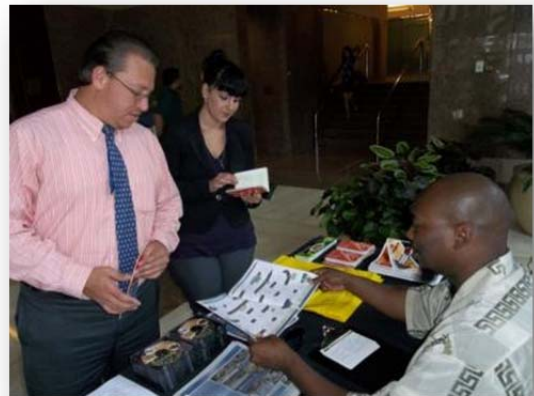
MIAMI-DADE MPO OUTREACH FACT SHEET

Name of Event: Transportation Benefits Fair

Date: 9/1/2011

Location: Jones Lang and LaSalle Building

Comments: Citizens were interested in seeing the BCT 95 Express bus route extend to Brickell Avenue from Miramar.



MIAMI-DADE MPO OUTREACH FACT SHEET

Name of Event: Employee Benefits Fair

Date: 10/20/2011

Location: Mandarin Oriental Hotel

Comments: There were some suggests to install additional signage before the 95 Express Lanes displaying the price.



MIAMI-DADE MPO OUTREACH FACT SHEET

Name of Event: Employee Benefits Fair

Date: 10/21/2011

Location: South Miami Hospital

Comments: There was a request to install a sidewalk along Palm Drive in Homestead.



MIAMI-DADE MPO OUTREACH FACT SHEET

Name of Event: Benefits Wellness Fair

Date: 10/27/2011

Location: Ritz Carlton Hotel

Comments: Many employees travel from Homestead and begin work too early in the morning to ride public transportation, but the people that do take transit requested that there be more places to refill their EASY cards.



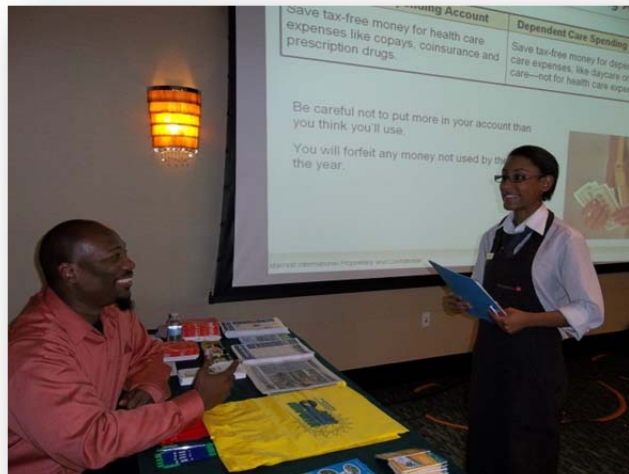
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Name of Event: Employee Benefits Fair

Date: 10/31/2011

Location: Marriott Biscayne Bay

Comments: Staff was interested in alternative transportation options to and from work.



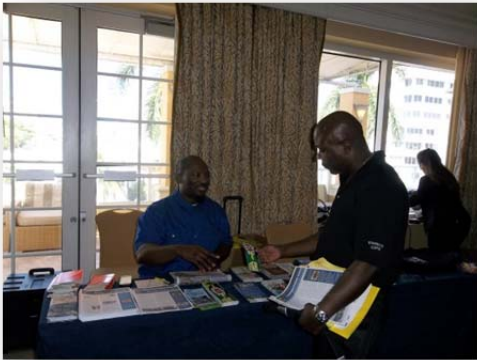
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Name of Event: Benefits Wellness Fair

Date: 11/4/2011

Location: Marriott South Beach

Comments: They would like more buses along routes 120 and C during rush hour. They currently have to wait for 2 or 3 buses to go by, because they are all full.



MIAMI-DADE MPO OUTREACH FACT SHEET

Name of Event: Employee Benefits Fair

Date: 11/8/2011

Location: Viceroy Hotel

Comments: Employees highly praised bus routes 2, 9, and 16 calling them 'excellent' routes.



MIAMI-DADE MPO OUTREACH FACT SHEET

Name of Event: Employee Benefit Fair

Date: 11/10/2011

Location: Eden Roc Hotel

Comments: This was a well-attended event where staff was able to distribute and inform employees about their transportation options.



OUTREACH TO SCHOOLS

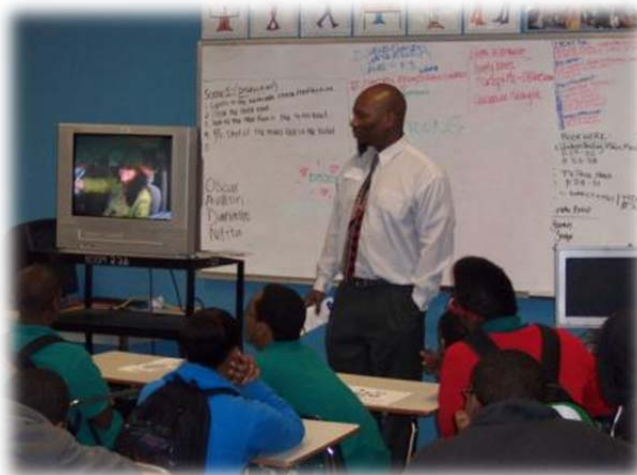
MIAMI-DADE MPO OUTREACH FACT SHEET

Name of Event: PSA Contest Student Outreach

Date: 1/11/2011

Location: William Turner Tech High School

Comments: Staff provided a presentation on the MPO PSA contest and spoke with students about their transportation ideas.



MIAMI-DADE MPO OUTREACH FACT SHEET

Name of Event: Career Day

Date: 3/31/2011

Location: South Hialeah Elementary School

Comments: The students loved learning about transportation and how they can get involved with the transportation planning process.



MIAMI-DADE MPO OUTREACH FACT SHEET

Name of Event: First week of school transportation fair

Date: 8/24/2011

Location: Miami International University

Comments: There needs to be a text alert provided by MDT for the Metrobus system.



MIAMI-DADE MPO OUTREACH FACT SHEET

Name of Event: Benefits Fair

Date: 6/24/2011 and 8/24/2011

Location: Miami-Dade College

Comments: Students would like bus route 56 to run at least every hour between the early morning and the evening rush hours from Miami-Dade College and Miami Children's Hospital.



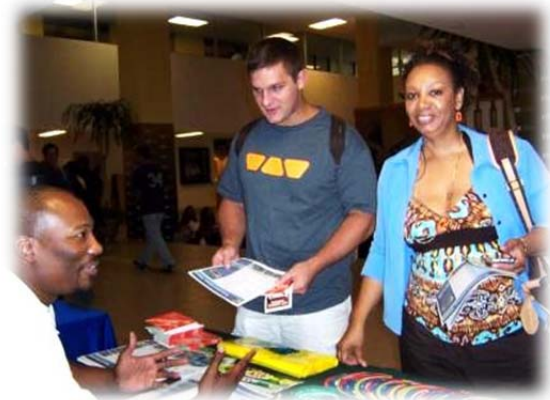
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Name of Event: Transportation Benefits Fair

Date: 8/29/2011

Location: Florida International University

Comments: There needs to be more access to the major highways out of the Doral area.



MIAMI-DADE MPO OUTREACH FACT SHEET

Name of Event: Transportation Benefits Fair

Date: 8/29/2011

Location: Barry University

Comments: Barry University opened up a new parking facility for the students.



MIAMI-DADE MPO OUTREACH FACT SHEET

Name of Event: Sustainability Eco-Fair

Date: 10/19/2011

Location: Florida International University

Comments: Staff attended this event to promote eco-friendly transportation options.



MIAMI-DADE MPO OUTREACH FACT SHEET

Name of Event: International Walk to School Month Event

Date: 10/25/2011

Location: Flamingo Elementary School

