Meeting Minutes International Drive Community Redevelopment Area (CRA) Advisory Committee November 14, 2019

Members Present: Phil Caronia - Chairman

Kevin Kennedy – Vice Chairman

Melanie Becker – Universal Boulevard POA Sam Butler – Tangelo Park Civic Association

Tim Swan - ETC

County Staff Present: Raymond Williams – Public Works Engineering Division

Frank Yokiel – Public Works Traffic Engineering Division

Colleen Lutz – Public Works Engineering Division Irma Connelly – Public Works Engineering Division Krista Barber - Orange County Convention Center Jay Wallace – Office of Management and Budget Renzo Nastasi – Transportation Planning Division

Others Present: Luann Brooks

Ella Wood

Gabby Alcantara

## I. Call to Order

Chairman Phil Caronia called the meeting to order at 9:04 a.m. at the Convention Center, 9800 International Drive, Orlando, FL 32819.

### **II.** Public Comments

There were no public comments.

### **III.** Administrative Items

There was a motion made by Vice Chairman Kevin Kennedy and seconded by Mr. Butler to approve the August 8, 2019 meeting minutes.

Proposed meeting dates for 2020 were presented.

Mr. Raymond Williams followed up on meeting minutes question of I-Drive lighting. Mr. Frank Yokiel was informed by Duke Energy they intend to introduce new lighting along Universal Blvd from Sand Lake Rd to Point Plaza and plan to upgrade existing lighting along I-Drive.

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#### IV. Financial Overview

Mr. Jay Wallace reviewed the current financial status and projection sheet

## V. CIP Progress Report

Mr. Raymond Williams reviewed the International Drive District Transportation Projects and gave update as follows;

John Young Parkway/Sand Lake Road Interchange is a FDOT partnership project, which is under construction scheduled for estimated completion in Spring 2020.

I-Drive Transit Lanes - Destination Parkway to Sand Lake Road plans are at 90%. Construction is estimated to start early 2021.

I-Drive Transit Feasibility Study is at 30%. International Dr – Sea Harbor Dr to Sand Lake Rd, Via Mercado – International Dr to Universal Blvd, Destination Pkwy – International Dr to Tradeshow Blvd, Tradeshow Blvd – Destination Pkwy to Universal Blvd, Universal Blvd – Tradeshow Blvd to Sand Lake Rd are the study limits. A roadway conceptual analysis is being done on Tradeshow Blvd in conjunction with the study. Several group meetings have been completed. The Project Advisory Committee will continue to reach out to stakeholders.

Mr. Kevin Kennedy inquired on the estimated date for the widening of lanes on International Dr. Mr. Raymond Williams estimates to begin in early 2021.

Kirkman Road Extension is from Carrier Drive to Universal Blvd South. County jurisdiction is from Universal Blvd to the Southern Interchange Ramps with Sand Lake Rd. FDOT jurisdiction is from the Southern Interchange Ramps to Carrier Drive. Design is at 60%.

Sand Lake Road (Apopka Vineland Road to Turkey Lake Road) is projected to start design in 2020. Includes a 10' wide shared use path on south side, continuous eastbound and westbound lanes for right turning vehicles between Rialto Dr and Dr. Phillips Blvd, and a traffic signal warrant study at the Fountain and Plaza Venezia. Construction estimated to be completed by 2023.

Pedestrian Safety Enhancements – Mr. Frank Yokiel gave update. Full traffic signals are being built. Austrian Court, Walgreens/International Drive and Hilton Las Palmeras/Universal Blvd are under design.

Fencing at Rosen College is completed. Universal Property Owners Association has started landscaping around the fence.

Mr. Phil Caronia inquired on the status of the Shingle Creek Lighting. Mr. Yokiel stated contractor has project he estimates the next meeting to be in December to move forward.

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# VI. Other Business

No other business.

# VII. Adjournment

With no further business, Chairman Phil Caronia adjourned the meeting at 9:20 a.m.