

MPO RESOLUTION # 05-08

**RESOLUTION OPPOSING SENATE BILL 1512 AND HOUSE BILL 1245 REDIRECTING REVENUE FROM EXISTING \$2 RENTAL CAR SURCHARGE TO THE SOUTH FLORIDA REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY**

WHEREAS, the Interlocal Agreement creating and establishing the Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) for the Miami Urbanized Area requires that the MPO provide a structure to evaluate the adequacy of the transportation planning and programming process; and

WHEREAS, the proposed SB 1512/HB 1245 does not provide additional financial resources, but redirects existing resources; and

WHEREAS, currently 80% of revenues resulting from a \$2 Rental Car Surcharge are deposited in the State Transportation Trust Fund and are allocated on an annual basis to each FDOT district based upon the amount of proceeds attributed to the counties within each respective district; and

WHEREAS, approval of SB 1512/HB 1245 will significantly impact the State Work Program with a reduction of \$135 million worth in local projects,

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BOARD OF THE METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION FOR THE MIAMI URBANIZED AREA**, that Senate Bill 1512 and House Bill 1245 redirecting revenue from existing \$2 rental car surcharge to the South Florida Regional Transportation Authority (SFRTA) is hereby opposed by the MPO Board.

The adoption of the foregoing resolution was moved by Board Member Dennis C. Moss. The motion was seconded by Board Member Audrey M. Edmonson, and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

**Chairman Bruno A. Barreiro-Nay**  
**Vice Chairwoman Barbara J. Jordan-Absent**

Board Member Lynda Bell	-Aye	Board Member Joe A. Martinez	-Absent
Board Member Kevin A. Burns	-Aye	Board Member Dennis C. Moss	-Aye
Board Member Jose "Pepe" Diaz	-Absent	Board Member Julio Robaina	-Aye
Board Member Audrey M. Edmonson	-Aye	Board Member Dorrin D. Rolle	-Aye
Board Member Shirley M. Gibson	-Aye	Board Member Marc D. Sarnoff	-Aye
Board Member Carlos A. Gimenez	-Absent	Board Member Natacha Seijas	-Aye
Board Member Perla T. Hantman	-Absent	Board Member Katy Sorenson	-Aye
Board Member Sally A. Heyman	-Absent	Board Member Rebeca Sosa	-Absent
Board Member William H. Kerdyk	-Aye	Board Member Javier D. Souto	-Absent
		Board Member Richard L. Steinberg	-Absent

The Chairperson thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and approved this 20<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2008.

METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION  
M.P.O.

By Zainab Salim  
Zainab Salim, Clerk  
MPO Secretary

