

Agenda

Wednesday, May 6, 2026 | 10 a.m.

Location: UF IFAS Extension Office DeSoto County
2150 NE Roan Street Arcadia, Florida 34266

1. **Call to Order/Roll Call**
2. **Invocation** - Pastor Bill Frank – First Baptist Church of Punta Gorda
3. **Pledge of Allegiance**
4. **Chairs' Comments**
5. **Public Comments on Agenda Items**
6. [SR 31 Improvements](#)
7. [Kings Highway Project Status](#)
8. [Joint Transportation Regional Incentive Program \(TRIP\) Project Priority List](#)
9. [Bermont Road Status \(CR 74\)](#)
10. [US 17 Improvements](#)
11. **Next Meeting Date**
12. **Staff Comments**
13. **Public Comments**
14. **Member Comments**
15. **Adjournment**

Following the conclusion of the joint meeting, there will be a separate, brief meeting of the HRTPO Board

All interested parties are invited to appear and be heard on each of the above items. Written comments filed with the MPO will be considered. Copies of all proposed documents are available by calling the Heartland TPO Office at **863-534-7130** or the Charlotte County–Punta Gorda MPO Office at **941-883-3535**.

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