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2045 Long Range Transportation Plan

Freight Advisory Working Group Presentation

Long Range Transportation Plan (LRTP)



- 20-year planning horizon *updated every five years.*
- 2040 LRTP *adopted November 3, 2015. 2045 LRTP needs to be adopted by November 3, 2020.*
- 2045 LRTP Scope of Services approved on February 13, 2019.
- Contains Goals and Objectives, Needs Plan and Cost Feasible Plan.

Regional Facilities

- Five Commercial Airports.
- Four Deepwater/Barge Ports.
- Interstate 10.
- CSX Rail Line. May change owners in the future.



Federal Planning Factors

- Code of Federal Regulations 450.306
- Ten Federal Planning Factors—Two relate to Freight.
 - Increase Accessibility and Mobility of People and Freight.
 - Enhance Integration and Connectivity of the Transportation System, across and between modes, for people and freight.

Public Involvement

- Steering Committee.
 - District 3 Freight Coordinator.
 - FDOT/ALDOT Liaisons.
 - Port of Pensacola.
 - Pensacola International Airport.
- Outreach to various groups.
 - Port of Pensacola Users Group.
 - Freight Advisory Working Group.
- Interviews.
 - Port of Pensacola Director.
 - Pensacola International Airport Director.

Related Plans

- National Freight Network.
- Freight Analysis Framework.
- Florida Freight Mobility Trade Plan (2013).
- Alabama Statewide Freight Plan (2017).
- Regional Freight Plan (2010).
- Pensacola International Airport Master Plan (2019).
- Port of Pensacola Master Plan.
- Local Government Master Plans.
- Long Range Transportation Plan--Goals and Objectives, Needs Plan, and Cost Feasible Plan.

Additional Input

- Trucking Industry.
- Railroads.
- Major Employers.
- Distribution Centers.

An aerial photograph of a coastal area, likely in Florida, showing a large body of water (possibly a bay or estuary) with a blue overlay at the bottom. The land is a mix of green vegetation and brownish/tan areas, possibly agricultural or developed. A white outline follows the coastline and some inland features. The text is overlaid on the top right and bottom left of the image.

Thank you!
Comments or questions?

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