

March 2023 Liaison's Report

- 1. Safe Streets Summit Award Winners: The 10th annual Safe Streets Summit was held in Hollywood on February 2 – 3. Congratulations to the Village of Wellington for receiving the Complete Streets Community Award and to Natalie Crowley, City of Palm Beach Gardens Planning Director, for receiving the Complete Streets Champion Award for Palm Beach County. To view all nominees and learn more, visit SafeStreetsSummit.org.
- 2. City of Westlake Complete Streets: Congratulations to the City of Westlake adopting a Complete Streets Policy on February 7. Learn more at PalmBeachTPA.org/Safety.
- 3. I-95 at Woolbright Road Interchange Public Meeting: The public is invited to learn about operational and safety improvements planned at the Woolbright Road and I-95 at a public meeting scheduled for March 8, at 6 p.m. To learn more, visit D4FDOT.com.
- **AARP Community Challenge Grants:** The AARP provides small grants to fund quick-action projects that can help communities become more livable for people of all ages. Applications are being accepted through March 15. For more information, visit AARP.org/CommunityChallenge.
- TPA Public Participation Plan (PPP): The TPA Draft 2023 PPP is available for public review and feedback through March 16. To view and provide comments, visit PalmBeachTPA.org/PPP.
- March is Florida Bicycle Month! The TPA encourages local municipalities to celebrate by adopting Florida Bicycle Month Proclamations and organizing local events to promote bicycling and bicycle safety. The TPA also encourages participation in the TPA's Florida Bicycle Month Webinar on March 7 and group bicycle ride on March 31. For more information, visit PalmBeachTPA.org/Events.
- 7. Complete Streets and Vision Zero Workshops: Save the dates for a TPA Complete Streets Workshop on March 24 and a Vision Zero Workshop on April 28. More information can be found on at PalmBeachTPA.org/CSWorkshop and PalmBeachTPA.org/VZWorkshop.
- Royal Palm Beach Bike Rodeo: The Village of Royal Palm Beach will be hosting a bicycle rodeo event on March 25 at 9 a.m. in celebration of Florida Bicycle Month. All pre-registrations will receive a free raffle ticket for a bike giveaway! Learn more about this event at RoyalPalmBeach.com
- **Mobile Tour:** The TPA held a mobile tour of the new Brightline Boca Raton Station last month. The next tour will be riding Palm Tran and Tri-Rail on April 7. RSVP at PalmBeachTPA.org/TourTransit.
- 10. March TPA Governing Board Meeting: The next TPA Governing Board meeting will be held on March 16 at 9 a.m. To view the meeting details, visit PalmBeachTPA.org/Board.
- 11. Federal Certification Review Public Meeting: The United States Department of Transportation (USDOT) performs a required certification review of the TPA every four years. A public meeting will be held in-person at the TPA office and virtually April 3 at 5 p.m. The full certification meeting between staff will occur April 4 from 8 a.m. to 5 pm.



2023 TPA Funding Applications

Local Initiatives Program			
APPLICANT	PROJECT	TPA FUNDING REQUESTED	
City of Boca Raton	Citywide Traffic & ITS Improvements Phase 1	\$1,795,636	
City of West Palm Beach	7th Street Improvements	\$1,480,010	
Indian Trail Improvement District	Multi-Use Trails	\$4,108,551	
Palm Beach County	Flashing Yellow Left & Right Turn Arrow Upgrades	\$3,062,143	
Palm Beach County	Signal Upgrades	\$4,825,749	
Palm Tran	Transit Access Improvements on Palm Beach Lakes Blvd	\$789,008	
Village of Wellington	Wellington Trace Complete Streets Improvement	\$1,717,529	

TOTAL REQUESTED \$17,778,626

Transportation Alternatives Program			
APPLICANT	PROJECT	TPA FUNDING REQUESTED	
City of Boca Raton	NW 6 th Way Shared Use Path Connection (El Rio Trail Spur)	\$878,893	
City of Palm Beach Gardens	Lilac Street Sidewalk Widening to Shared Use Path	\$1,051,267	
City of West Palm Beach	Spruce Ave Phase 2 Improvements	\$1,093,297	
Indian Trail Improvement District	Multi-use Trail Project	\$767,018	
Palm Beach County	Camino Real 7' Buffered Bicycle Lanes	\$725,416	
Village of Wellington	East of C-8 Canal 10 ft Shared Use Path	\$595,575	

TOTAL REQUESTED \$5,111,466

State Roadway Modifications			
APPLICANT	PROJECT	TPA FUNDING REQUESTED	
Palm Beach County	Flashing Yellow Arrows	\$2,103,122	
Palm Beach County	Signal Upgrades	\$4,108,738	
	TOTAL REQUESTED	\$6,211,860	