

MINUTES
Sunshine Meeting
Between Town Council, Town Staff
and School Board Member Roberto Alonso
to Discuss Transportation Planning Organization
January 16, 2026
9:00 AM
Community Conference Room
6601 Main Street
Miami Lakes, Florida 33014

1. Call to Order:

The meeting began at 9:08 a.m.

The following elected officials were present: Vice Mayor Bryan Morera, Councilmember Alex Sanchez, Councilmember Juan Carlos Fernandez attended via phone.

The following Town staff members were present: Town Manager Edward Pidermann, Deputy Town Manager Tony Lopez, Deputy Town Clerk Alexis P. Martinez and Principal Town Planner Susan Alonso.

The following guests were present: Miami-Dade School Board Member Roberto J. Alonso and Chief of Staff for Roberto J. Alonso, Roger F. Miret.

2. Public Comments:

None.

3. Item Discussed:

The meeting was called by Vice Mayor Morera to discuss Transportation Planning Organization (TPO) with School Board Member Robert Alonso in further efforts to advocate for the Town's future traffic projects. The items discussed included but were not limited to preferences for on-ramps, traffic issues for those entering and exiting the Town, exit projects on the east side of Town, concerns with the Gratigny interchange, issues with NW 67th Ave being a main route for freight trucks, Greater Miami Expressway (GMX) event feedback, preventative traffic solutions, improvements to crosswalks and funding for construction.

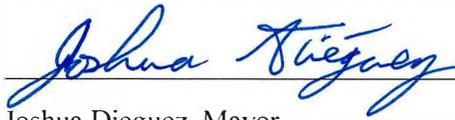
Board Member Alonso spoke about merging the priorities of the Town with the School District, guiding the Greater Miami Expressway (GMX) with feedback and recommendations from the Town, by requesting a cohesive plan from Town Staff to present in the Town's interest, as an item cosponsored by Commissioner Rene Garcia at a Transportation Planning Organization (TPO) board meeting. Board Member Alonso also requested a meeting be held with the County and

Commissioner Rene Garcia and School Board staff to continue efforts to accelerate the Greater Miami Expressway (GMX) Gratigny project.

4. Adjournment:

This meeting was adjourned at 9:51 a.m.

Approved this 17th day February 2026.



Joshua Dieguez, Mayor

Attest:



Gina M. Inguanzo, Town Clerk