



## RESOLUTION 16-14

**RESOLUTION**, endorsing future passenger rail station locations in Central and South Brevard County and a preferred location for an All Aboard Florida (AAF) station.

**WHEREAS**, the SPACE COAST TRANSPORTATION PLANNING ORGANIZATION (**TPO**) is the designated and constituted body responsible for the urban transportation planning and programming process for the Palm Bay-Melbourne and Titusville Urbanized Areas; and

**WHEREAS**, for several years the TPO's position has been to seek stations in Brevard County as passenger rail service expands throughout Florida, and

**WHEREAS**, the TPO and the Canaveral Port Authority undertook a rail station location study to identify a preferred location for a potential AAF passenger station; and

**WHEREAS**, the TPO cooperated with local governments along the future service route of AAF to identify and evaluate potential passenger rail station locations, and

**WHEREAS**, the TPO's 2040 Long Range Transportation Plan and Vision and the 2015 Strategic Plan support the future implementation in Brevard County of passenger rail service and associated stations; and

**WHEREAS**, Central and South Brevard local governments submitted candidate sites that could serve not only AAF but also future Central Florida commuter rail service as called for in the TPO's Long Range and Strategic Plans.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the SPACE COAST TRANSPORTATION PLANNING ORGANIZATION:

1. Approves the sites identified on Attachment A as "Potential Future Passenger Rail Station Locations."
2. Approves sites in North Cocoa near SR 501, SR 528 and US 1 and the former Cocoa passenger rail station site on US 1 as locally preferred AAF station locations.

**DONE, ORDERED AND ADOPTED THIS 10<sup>th</sup> DAY OF MARCH 2016.**

SPACE COAST TRANSPORTATION  
PLANNING ORGANIZATION

\_\_\_\_\_  
MAYOR KATHY MEEHAN, CHAIRWOMAN

**ATTEST:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
T. PATRICK O'NEILL, VICE-CHAIRMAN