

**HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY
METROPOLITAN PLANNING ORGANIZATION
POLICY COMMITTEE
MEETING OF JULY 22, 2008**

AGENDA ITEM IV-A

Agenda Item: **FY 2007/08 Transportation Improvement Program
Amendment for SR 574 (MLK)**

Presenter: Wally Blain, MPO Staff

Summary: One project is being brought forward this month for the committee's consideration as an amendment to the current Transportation Improvement Program (TIP). This amendment to the MPO's TIP has been requested by FDOT.

SR 574 (Martin Luther King Blvd.) @ I-75 (FPN 255893-5)

Project Length: .219 mile

Add lanes and reconstruction (auxiliary lane)

This is an operational interchange improvement originally planned for the north bound ramp improvements. Additional improvements are needed for west bound thru-lanes which require a scope change and additional construction funding. In an effort to minimize the impact to the traveling public, FDOT would like to construct these two segments at the same time. This will require an additional \$1,283,900 for construction using Surface Transportation Funds from a District-wide Contingency reserve fund (FPN 254490-1).

Recommended Action: That the Policy Committee forwards this amendment to the MPO for consideration.

Attachments: A graphic of the proposed improvement will be distributed at the meeting.