

DIRECTOR OF TRANSPORTATION

Professional Area: Transportation Planning/Policy
Salary Ranges: \$95,000 - \$140,000 annually, negotiable depending on qualifications
Location: Fort Lauderdale, Florida
Closing Date: Friday, June 26, 2020 or until position filled

The Positions

The Broward Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) has an exciting opportunity for a talented transportation policy professionals to join our team as **the Director of Transportation**. This positions will be expected to:

- explain complex transportation projects to elected officials, staff and the general public;
- coordinate transportation projects with the implementing agency, local community, facility owner, and public during planning, design and construction of transportation projects funded through Federal, State and Local Government; and
- coordinate, manage and track numerous projects, prepare and review agenda items and reports on progress, schedule and budget.

Employee must be able to work in a collaborative environment. This position reports to the Executive Director.

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About Broward MPO

The MPO provides essential multimodal transportation planning services to over 30 municipalities and Broward County, while also working with partners in Miami-Dade and Palm Beach counties to plan for the Southeast Florida region. The thriving region is home to almost six million residents, with almost two million in Broward County alone, and another two million anticipated to call Southeast Florida home in the next 20 years. Our region is the fourth largest urbanized area in the United States with a diverse population and opportunities for both urban and suburban lifestyles.

The Broward MPO is nationally recognized for its innovation in transportation planning. Our recently renovated and technology focused office is located in beautiful Fort Lauderdale, Florida, close to world famous attractions and recreational activities including Miami Beach, Palm Beach, Florida Keys,

Everglades, fishing, boating, beautiful beaches, and Orlando and its theme parks. Our office has direct access to transit, rail, interstate and bike/pedestrian facilities for easy commuting options.

The MPO embraces diversity and is a place where employees are appreciated, respected and cultivated with excellent opportunities for professional development and growth. We foster a collaborative environment and encourage innovation and efficiency among employees. Our family atmosphere balanced with a highly motivated team of professionals, who support the success of the agency as well as the individual, make it an ideal place to work.

The Candidate

The ideal candidate is an experienced transportation professional with transportation policy experience, working with elected officials, staff and members of the public and demonstrate a passion for multimodal transportation. This person will have a desire to grow their career with a progressive goal-oriented organization focused on expanding transportation options for the public. The candidate should have experience and interest in the design and implementation of infrastructure with an emphasis on multimodal transportation, including bicycle and pedestrian facilities, safe routes to school, and transit prioritization. The successful candidate will have strong collaborative and problem solving skills and enjoy working with multiple partners to build consensus, communicate and identify technically feasible solutions that are acceptable to the public and elected officials. This person will have strong organizational skills, exceptional writing and verbal communications skills, an interest in working in a fast-paced environment, often as part of a team, and looking for an opportunity to learn new skills. Experience in negotiating with the Florida Department of Transportation is a plus.

The successful candidate will hold a Bachelor's Degree plus eight (8) years of progressive responsible experience in transportation policy or related work (an advanced degree preferred.) A Master's Degree with at least six (6) years' experience is preferred. Candidates with an equivalent combination of relevant training and experience that provides the requisite knowledge, skills, and abilities for this job should apply.

Benefits

The Broward MPO offers a generous compensation package. Benefits include:

- Medical (paid for employee and subsidized family coverages)
- Two-weeks of sick leave
- One week of Comp time
- Short-term disability
- Long-term disability

- Life insurance
- Generous Paid time off (PTO)
- 10 paid holidays
- 3 personal holidays
- Bereavement and jury duty leave
- Florida Retirement System (FRS)
- 457 deferred compensation plan
- Employee development opportunities
- Flexible work schedules

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