

Florida Greenways and Trails Council Agenda



Date 04/10/2025 | **Location** Everglades Community Church
Start Time 9:00 AM 101 S Copeland Ave., Everglades City, FL 34139

Agenda Item	Presenter
Everglades City Trail Town Walking Tour	Patricia “Patty” Huff President, Everglades Society for Historic Preservation (ESHP)
Everglades City/Council Group Photo	-
Assemble at Meeting Space (Town Hall)	-
Council Welcome	Howie Grimm Mayor, Everglades City
Announcements: <i>Comment Cards, Sign-In</i>	Council Chair
Council Introductions	Council Members
Approve Agenda	
Approve Draft Meeting Minutes (Dec.)	
Sunshine Law Reminder	Katie Slattery Attorney, FDEP Office of General Counsel
Trail Towns – Everglades City Update	Patty Huff & Dayna Fendrick Everglades City Trail Town Committee
Everglades City Paddling Trails	Dennis “Duke” Vasey Admin, Marsh Paddlers
Office of Greenways and Trails (OGT) Updates	Samantha “Sam” Browne Chief, FDEP Office of Greenways and Trails
Coast-to-Coast (C2C) Regional Trail Alliance Update	Samantha “Sam” Browne Chief, FDEP Office of Greenways and Trails
Trail Towns – Venice Story Map	John Groves South Florida Coordinator, FDEP OGT
Lunch	-
FGTS/Wildlife Corridor/Acquisition Overlay Map	Samantha “Sam” Browne Chief, FDEP OGT
Florida Wildlife Corridor Foundation (FWCF) Update – Trail Collaboration Team	PJ Marinelli Chairman, FWCF
Bonita-Estero Rail Trail (BERT) Update	Deb Orton President, BERT
Unpaved Trail Guidelines Committee Update	Steven Carter Central Florida Coordinator, FDEP OGT
Public Comment	-
Adjourn	-
Post Meeting Activity – Fakahatchee Strand Preserve State Park “Swamp Walk”	Council Members, OGT Staff, Presenters

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Florida Greenways and Trails Foundation (FGTF) Update	Ned Baier President, Florida Greenways and Trails Foundation
SUN Trail Update	Vitor Suguri, Ph.D. Planning Studio Manager, FDOT District 1
Chair and Vice Chair Elections	Council Members
Public Comment	-
Confirm Next Meeting Date	OGT Staff
Confirm October Meeting Date	OGT Staff
Council Updates	Council Members
Adjourn	-