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Mr. Douglas Robinson  
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**Re: City of Gainesville Regional Transit System (RTS) FY2010-FY2019 Transit Development Plan (TDP) 2010 Annual Update**

Mr. Robinson,

The Department has completed the review of the Gainesville RTS Transit Development Plan (TDP) 2010 Minor Update as received through your correspondence to us dated November 16, 2010 and subsequent revision dated December 16, 2010. We find the annual TDP update to be in compliance with *Chapter 14-73, Florida Administrative Code (FAC)* as well as the *Transit Development Plan Guidance, August 2009*. The Gainesville RTS Transit Development Plan (TDP) 2010 Minor Update is therefore approved.

We acknowledge that due to software incompatibility issues with the TBEST interface, it was not immediately possible for you to update your system-wide ridership forecasts. Please provide the updated forecasts and any potential implications on the financial plan during your next annual update. We are hopeful that this software incompatibility issue can get corrected in a timely way that might enable you to advance next years TDP timetable and we encourage you to submit the next annual update in September, 2011. We appreciate the opportunity to review the document and ensure compliance with the state requirements. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (904) 360-5650.

Sincerely,

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