

Sugarmill Woods Bulletin

January 15, 2012

Dear Residents,

This is a reminder the **Sugarmill Woods Civic Association Annual Meeting** will be held on Monday night this week. We are honored to have **Ms. Debbie Hunt**, Director of Transportation Dev., FDOT District 7 as our guest speaker.

Sugarmill Woods Civic Association 2012 Annual Meeting

**Monday, January 16, 2012
7:00 PM to 9:00 PM**

**First United Methodist Church
8831 West Bradshaw Blvd.
Homosassa, FL**

**Guest Speaker: Debbie Hunt
Director of Transportation Development
District 7, Florida Department of Transportation**

We will hold a short business meeting first, introduce the current SMW CA Board Members, introduce the four residents who graciously volunteered to serve on the 2012 Board, and briefly cover some highlights and activities of 2011.

The majority of the meeting time will be devoted to our guest speaker, **Ms. Debbie Hunt** who will address a subject that is probably not familiar to many of us but will be a topic of discussion throughout 2012 as "Port Citrus" proceeds with a Feasibility Study and more details become available about the proposal itself.

Ms. Hunt's presentation topic is "**Florida Seaports**". She will give a presentation on Florida's Seaports, how many, their size, where they are located, public or private ownership, how they are funded, and other background information.

The presentation **WILL NOT** include a discussion of the pros and cons of the Port Citrus proposal because the Feasibility Study has not been completed yet. Hopefully after the Annual Meeting presentation, you will be more knowledgeable of the subject material and be better informed when the Port Citrus proposal is discussed during the Feasibility Study Phase in various meetings in the County throughout 2012.

Ms. Debbie Hunt was appointed as the Director of Transportation Development for District Seven on June 14, 2011. As the Director, Ms. Hunt leads the development of multiple major transportation projects to help ensure FDOT meets its commitments to the people of Florida. This includes the management and coordination of all production of projects, including planning, design and right of way acquisition among the various District Seven departments as well as with consultants, the Federal Highway Administration,

permitting agencies, utility companies, local governments, Metropolitan Planning Organizations (MPOs), businesses and residential organizations to ensure FDOTs commitments are met.

Prior to accepting her current assignment, Ms. Hunt served as the FDOT Assistant Secretary for Intermodal Systems Development where she was responsible for the executive management and operation of the department's planning, environmental management and public transportation programs. Ms. Hunt played a major role in the development of FDOTs long range and strategic plans and the formulation of policy for developing capital improvement and investment plans for the state's intermodal transportation facilities. She has served as a senior advisor to the Secretary of Transportation and liaison to the Office of the Governor as well as other state and federal agencies regarding intermodal transportation issues. Ms. Hunt has also served as Director of Transportation Operations and Director of Planning and Public Transportation in FDOT's District One.

After the speaker's prepared remarks, we will open the meeting for questions.

We hope you will reserve Monday evening January 16, 2012 to attend the Civic Association Annual Meeting and we look forward to seeing you there.

Sincerely,

Duane Dueker
President, Sugarmill Woods Civic Association

cc: Cypress Village POA, Oak Village Association, Southern Woods POA