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**Title:** Information update on the proposed kiosk/bathrooms for SunTran at Union Station

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**Attachments:** 1. SUNTRAN-UNION STATION PLAN

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**STAFF RECOMMENDATION (Motion Ready):**  
Information update on the proposed kiosk/bathrooms for SunTran at Union Station

**OCALA’S RELEVANT STRATEGIC GOALS:**  
Operational Excellence, Quality of Place

**PROOF OF PUBLICATION:**  
N/A

**BACKGROUND:** The City’s SunTran Transfer Station is located at 501 NE First Avenue. The transfer/bus station does not have access to restrooms or a location to sell bus tickets/passes.

In January 2022, Ocala City Council approved a task work order with Kimley-Horn and Associates to design a 1,000± sf building facility that includes a restroom for the public and City/SunTran employees, as well as a ticketing kiosk. The proposed facility will be in an existing paved parking lot serving SunTran’s Downtown Transfer Station.

**FINDINGS AND CONCLUSIONS:** Kimley-Horn Associates will be submitting plans for permitting in the coming months. The proposed facility will have a red brick façade and architectural features similar to Union Station (see attached preliminary plans).

**FISCAL IMPACT:** The design for the kiosk/restrooms is funded 100 percent from an FDOT PTGA grant, account #494-050-455-544-54-31010. Construction will be funded 100 percent by a 6 million FTA capital grant.

**PROCUREMENT REVIEW:** N/A

**LEGAL REVIEW:** N/A

**ALTERNATIVE:**

- Approve with changes
- Table
- Deny