Advantage Pinellas is Forward Pinellas’s new Long Range Transportation Plan that links land use and economic development strategies with major transportation investments. The plan will guide transportation decision making, and any transportation project in Pinellas County will need to be in the Advantage Pinellas plan to receive state and federal funding. Advantage Pinellas also includes the Pinellas Suncoast Transit Authority's Community Bus Plan, pairing transportation and transit planning. In addition, with the Forward Pinellas mission of integrating land use and transportation planning, they can plan for how growth will occur and where to support planned redevelopment with transportation improvements.

Mr. Whit Blanton, FAICP, Executive Director of Forward Pinellas, will make a presentation to the City Commission at the December 18 Regular Meeting to explain the Advantage Pinellas initiative.

Potential Motion/Direction Requested: INFORMATION ITEM

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Attachments: None