# FTC Expressway Authority Cost Savings Study

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## **Presentation Outline**

- Overview/Orientation
- Study Elements
- Process/Schedule

#### **OVERVIEW/ORIENTATION**

## Study Team

- Cambridge Systematics, Inc.
  - Firm Florida expertise, team objectivity
  - Toll experience: Allan Rutter, Jack Henneman
- Center for Urban Transportation Research
  - Depth in Expressway Authority experience
  - Toll experience: Steve Reich, Janet Davis

## Objective

Analyze, assess and recommend opportunities for cost savings and efficiencies from sharing resources among Florida Expressway Authorities

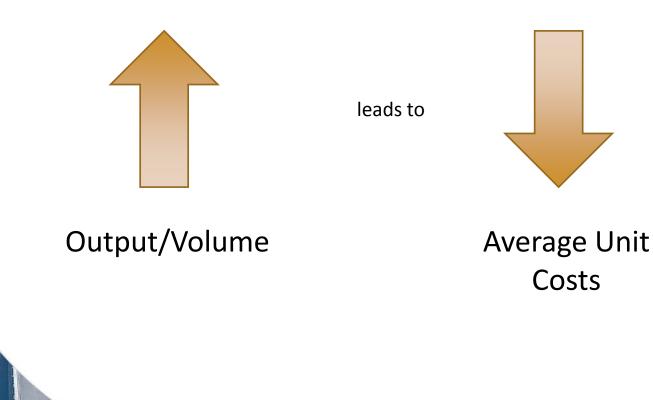


# Expressway Authorities to be Studied

- Mid-Bay Bridge Authority
- Florida Turnpike Enterprise
- Tampa-Hillsborough Expressway Authority
- Orlando-Orange County Expressway Authority
- Osceola County Expressway Authority
  - Miami-Dade Expressway Authority

## **Economies of Scale**

What can be gained from economies of scale? How would that work?





## Other Factors to Consider

- Time is an enemy for new projects
  - Revenues aren't collected
  - Costs are likely to increase
  - Capital market uncertainty
- Net revenues must be maximized
  - Toll collection: decrease collection costs, increase revenue assurance
  - Control costs to leverage revenues for transportation capacity for customers

#### **STUDY ELEMENTS**

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## **Study Elements**

- Design/Project Development
- Construction
- Maintenance
- Operations
- Analyses will take advantage of FTC
  Expressway Authority performance data



- Led by Steve Reich, CUTR
- Involves: project development, environmental clearance, design, right of way acquisition, utility adjustment
- Possibilities: shared contract access, constructability reviews, ROW efficiencies, utility coordination

## Construction

- Led by Allan Rutter, CS
- Involves: construction contracting methods, contract management, alternative delivery methods
- Possibilities: uniform access to D/B and P3, shared CM contract access, tools for revenue acceleration

### Maintenance

- Led by Janet Davis, CUTR
- Involves: facility maintenance (roadway, structures, wayside, equipment), maintenance contracts and standards
- Possibilities: right-sizing performancebased contracts, standard setting

## Operations

- Led by Jack Henneman, CS
- Involves: toll collection, back office, customer relationships
- Possibilities: MOU for common back office (underway), shared support for cash collection, common violation processing and collection services

#### **PROCESS/SCHEDULE**

## **Study Process**

- Interviews, Data Collection
- Build on FTC's Authority performance reporting database
- Analyze information in each Study Element
- Prepare Draft Report
- Discuss recommendations with FTC, stakeholders
- Prepare Final Report

### Schedule



Contract Execution Report on Data Collection Draft Report Submitted Final Draft Report

Final Report Submitted

#### **QUESTIONS/DISCUSSION**