



2026 FUCC Summer Conference Agenda

Wednesday, August 5th, 2026
Morning Session

- 7:30am – 8:30am** **Breakfast at *Deck560* – Breakfast Voucher Required**
- 8:00am** **Registration Desk opens**
- 9:00am – 9:30am** **FUCC Officers Meeting**
Chaired by A. Mark Atkininstall, PE, Burgess & Niple, Inc., FUCC Chair
- 9:30am – 10:30am** **Steering Subcommittee**
Brian Dean, Sunshine 811, FUCC Vice-Chair
(Attendance by Steering Subcommittee Chairs is required)
- 10:30am – 11:30am** **Subcommittee Breakout Meetings**
- Planning Subcommittee**
Chaired by Mariah Mader, Duke Energy
- Memberships/Promotions Subcommittee**
Chaired by Melonie Schwartz, Bentley Group, Inc.
(Share with Banquet Planning)
- Banquet Planning Subcommittee**
Chaired by Rebecca Green-Valente, Colliers Engineering & Design
(Share with Membership Subcommittee)
- 11:30am – 1:00pm** **Lunch on Your Own**

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Afternoon Session

- 1:00pm – 1:15pm** **Opening Comments from the FUCC Chair**
Chaired by A. Mark Atkininstall, PE, Burgess & Niple, Inc., FUCC Chair
- 1:15pm – 2:15pm** **Sunshine 811 Updates**
Brian Dean, Sunshine 811
- 2:15pm– 3:15pm** **Utility Interest Group Meetings**
- Telecom/Underground Interest Group**
*Underground Chaired by Garth Thompson, MG Vera, and
Telecom Co-Chaired by Livia de Mattos-Siech, Zayo Group, & Josue Ocando, AT&T*
- Permitting Subcommittee**
Chaired by Kathy Mader-Brown, HDR
- 3:15pm – 3:30pm** **Break / Visit Sponsors' Tables (Island Ballroom Foyer)**
- 3:30pm – 4:30pm** **Subcommittee Breakout Meetings**
- Power Interest Group**
Chaired by Chris Buonanni, FPL
- Joint-Use Subcommittee**
Chaired by Bill Deal, ICE
- TTC/MOT Subcommittee**
Chaired by Robb Brown, Duke Energy
- 4:30pm – 5:30pm** **Banquet Preparation Meeting (Optional Attendance)**
Chaired by Rebecca Green-Valente, Colliers Engineering & Design
- 5:30pm – 7:30pm** **Networking Event (Heron Patio & Heron Room)**
*Hors D'oeuvres will be provided and 2 complimentary drink tickets/Cash Bar
Live Music provided by: **The Trainwreck Band**
****NO OUTSIDE FOOD OR DRINKS ALLOWED PER HOTEL CONTRACT***

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Thursday, August 6th, 2026

All sessions will be held in the Island Ballroom

Morning Session

- 7:00am – 8:30am** **Breakfast at *Deck560* – Breakfast Voucher Required**
- 8:00am** **Registration Desk opens**
- 8:30am – 8:45am** **2026 Summer Meeting Opening Comments & Introductions**
FUCC Chair: A. Mark Atkininstall, PE, Burgess & Niple, Inc.
- 8:45am – 9:45am** **Design Build Subcommittee Meeting**
Chaired by Hank Humbert, WGI
- 9:45am – 10:00am** **Emeritus Sponsors Spotlight**
- 10:00am – 11:30am** **FDOT Forum – DUE/DUA & FDOT Personnel**
Lead by Patrick Overton, PE, FDOT State Construction and State Utilities Engineer
- 11:30am – 12:00pm** **Visit Sponsors’ Tables (*Island Ballroom Foyer*)**
- 12:00pm – 1:30pm** **Lunch on Your Own**

Afternoon Session

- 1:30pm – 1:45pm** **FUCC Announcements**
FUCC Chair: A. Mark Atkininstall, PE, Burgess & Niple, Inc.
- 1:45pm – 2:00pm** **Historian’s Report**
FUCC Historian: Chris McLaughlin, CFB Surveying/MacDriller, Inc.
- 1:45pm – 2:45pm** **City of St. Petersburg Water Transmission Mains (36-inch & 48-inch)**
Presenter: Ellen Crandall, City of St. Petersburg, Engineering and Capital Improvements Department
Organized by: Kathy Mader-Brown, HDR
- 2:45pm – 3:00pm** **Break / Visit Sponsors’ Tables (*Island Ballroom Foyer*)**

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- 3:00pm – 4:00pm** **Power Interest Group: Educational Workshop**
US Army Corps of Engineers Regulatory Division – Permitting Presentation
Presenter: Kimberly Mann
Organized by: Kathy Mader-Brown, HDR
- 4:00pm – 5:30pm** ***Banquet Setup***
Chaired by Rebecca Green-Valente, Colliers Engineering & Design
- 6:00pm** ***FUCC Pirates of the Caribbean – Annual Dinner & Awards Banquet***
(Island Ballroom)
Costume Theme: Pirates of the Caribbean
Come dressed as your favorite pirate!

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Friday, August 7th, 2026

All sessions will be held in the Island Ballroom

8:30am – 9:00am

Networking

9:00am – 11:00am

Opening Comments and FUCC Business Updates

*Opening – A. Mark Atkinstall, PE, Burgess & Niple, **FUCC Chair***

*Invocation & Tribute to Flag – Mark Atkinstall, PE, Burgess & Niple, **FUCC Chair***

*Reading of the Minutes – Brian Dean, Sunshine 811, **FUCC Vice-Chair** (on behalf of FUCC Secretary)*

*Treasurer’s Report – Jodi Rano, SRD Engineers, **FUCC Treasurer***

Utility Notification Center Report

Brian Dean, Sunshine 811

FDOT Central Office Report










Patrick Overton, PE, FDOT State Construction/Utilities Engineer

Subcommittee and Interest Group Reports




Standing Subcommittees

*Steering Subcommittee – Brian Dean, PE, Sunshine 811, **FUCC Vice-Chair***

Approved Motions for Membership Vote – If a vote is required, in accordance with the by-laws, only the following Steering Subcommittee members are allowed to vote:

-  *Power – Art Gilmore, Duke Energy*
-  *Telecom – Stephen Waidley, Frontier*
-  *Gas – Joe Sanchez, FGT*
-  *Water – Warren Gilbreath, Hillsborough County Water Resources Department*
-  *Sewer – Bud Parker, Sarasota County Utilities*
-  *Governmental-Utility – Kris Hayes, Lakeland Electric*
-  *Governmental Non-Utility – Lisa Strout, Hillsborough County Capital Programs*
-  *Contractor – Shayne McGlocklin, Badger Infrastructure Solutions*
-  *Design Consultant – Greg Plemmons, N|V|5*
-  *Coordinator Consultant – Trish Miller, ECHO*
-  *Utility Notification Center – Brian Dean, Sunshine 811*
-  *Geospatial Consultant – Chris McLaughlin, CFB Surveying/MacDriller Inc.*

Business Reports

-  *Awards/Nominations – Stephen Waidley, Frontier, **FUCC Past-Chair***
-  *Program Subcommittee – Mariah Mader, Duke Energy*
-  *Conference Planning – Lori McLaughlin, GFY & Mariah Mader*

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- + Facebook Page – Robb Brown, Duke Energy
- + E- Business/Web Page – Lori McLaughlin, GFY
- + UAM Review – Bryan Lantz, FP&L
- + Bylaws Review – Brian Dean, Sunshine 811 & Chris McLaughlin, CFB Surveying/MacDriller Inc.
- + Membership/Promotions – Melonie Schwartz, Bentley Group
- + Telecom Interest Group – Chris Plank, Comcast
- + TTC/Mot – Robb Brown, Duke Energy
- + Joint Use – Carolyn Greenwell, Greenwell Professional Services
- + Design Build – Henry ‘Hank’ Humbert, WGI
- + Underground Interest Group – Bill Deal, Infrastructure Consulting & Engineering
- + Power Interest Group – Chris Buonanni, FPL
- + Banquet Planning – Rebecca Green-Valenta, Colliers Engineering & Design
- + Permitting – Kathy Mader-Brown, HDR, Inc.
- + Utility Coordination Education – Jeanna Dean, Harbor Coordination Solutions

New Business/Old Business

11:30am

Adjournment – Drive home safe and see you in the Spring!!

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