

2025 Short Term Work Plan - Report of Accomplishments

#	Project	Completed	Underway	Postponed	Dropped	Notes
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT						
ED1	Host annual downtown business open house; Host annual reception for downtown property owners.	X				
ED2	Public outreach: messenger; signage; brochures and cards, and website review to be conducted bi-monthly	X				
ED6	Host annual meetings with local businesses, including those within industries recommended for recruitment in Fanning Report	X				
ED8	Inventory and assess all potential and existing industrial and commercial properties		X			Needs update by ED
ED13	Develop and update an online business directory in partnership with the Powder Springs Business Group	X				Online directory was updated last year by Jon Gargis.
ED16	Host a Developers Day					
ED17	Create an internship program		X			In partnership with McEachern HS. Also, preliminary discussions with Gtech and KSU for interships through their planning programs
ED18	Create a video on "Why Powder Springs?"		X			
ED23	Develop a tutorial on how to do business in Powder Springs		X			
LAND USE						
LU1	Annex parcels identified in the comprehensive plan	X				Ongoing effort
LU2	Update City boundary map with actions through the General Assembly - annual submittals as appropriates	X				Ongoing effort
LU3	Update the Unified Development Code to eliminate discrepancies, make it more user friendly, and review and revise regulations	X				
LU6	LCI Study: plans for redevelopment areas	X	X			RFP issued FY25; delayed in implementation; underway now
COMMUNITY FACILITIES & SERVICES						
C1	Community Rating System to lower flood insurance premiums	X				Annual
C2	Facilitate functions and events at Thurman Springs Park	X				Annual
C7	Annual citizen survey	X				Ongoing effort
C11	Continue to implement monthly playground safety inspection program	X				Ongoing effort
C12	Develop and implement SOP's for the Downtown Park			X		
	Stormwater Improvements		X			This was originally intended to cover ARPA projects. It has thereafter evolved into an ongoing project and CIP based upon an assessment of the system.
	Richard D. Sailors Beautification Phase 1			X		Move to FY26
	Financial Software transition	X				

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	Facility deficiency CIP			X		Move to FY26
	Painting/Carpet at PD	X				
	Lighting installed at Park Place	X				
	Department assessment & restructure	X				Ongoing
	Lighting deficiency study			X		
NATURAL & HISTORIC RESOURCES						
NH5	Implement the recommendations of the signage and wayfinding study		X			Additional signs manufactured; awaiting installation; more to be developed.
	Amphitheater - Naming Rights			X		
	Amphitheater - Audio & Visual	X				
	Skate Park - Naming Rights			X		
	Skate Park - Terraced Seating			X		
	Thurman Springs Park signage			X		
	Senior programming in park		X			
	Facility Use assessment study (Ford Center & Church)		X			
	Pickleball/Basketball			X		
TRANSPORTATION						
	Transportation Study		X			
ROADWAY						
T23	Street Resurfacing (Citywide)	X				Ongoing effort
T24	Sidewalk & Drainage Associated with Road Projects	X				Ongoing effort
T25	New Traffic Signal at Powder Springs Road at Creekwood by Paran Homes and Powder Springs Storage			X		FY26
T26	New Parallel Access Road from Shopping Area east of Powder Springs Road SW at Richard D Sailors Parkway to New Intersection at Powder Springs Road at Creekwood by Paran Homes and Powder Springs Storage			X		FY26 part of T25
	Truck Traffic Signage		X			Partially completed; additional to be installed.
T21	New Traffic Signal at C.H. James Parkway at Sterlingbrooke Drive;				X	Remove; GDOT will not approve
BICYCLE/PEDESTRIAN						
T27	10' to 12' Concrete Multi-Use Trail Phase 2: From Silver Comet Trail Connector along Old Lost Mountain Road to Oakview Drive to Downtown/Lewis Road		X			Concept development underway.
T28	Austell Powder Springs Road Trail and connection to Silver Comet Trail Connection: From Jackson Way at Pineview Drive along Pineview Drive and Marietta Street to Austell Powder Springs Road SW at Marietta Street					A portion of this project is included with the Austell Powder Springs Roundabout project. This is in concept development stage.
	Dallas PS Roundabout		X			Design completed
	Traffic Islands for Marrietta Street - chicane			X		FY26
	Lewis/Oglesby Improvements		X			Design completed
	Dedicated turn lane at 278				X	Place in new SPLOST unless receive grant

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TRANSIT						
T52	Flex Bus Expansion		X			CobbLinc instituted and expanded in PS inFY25; contract with vendor for parking at PD
General						
	CAP documented HOA meetings			X		
	CAP event in fall	X				
	CAP event in spring				X	
	FUSUS underway with private sector		X			
	Street signs - inventory & replaced/upgraded/cleaned - includes wayfinding signage			X		FY26
	Board Council fall retreat	X				
	Board Council spring retreat				X	
	ARPA Projects - Habitat, Food, SW		X			Ongoing until expended
	City Hall FFE new		X			Both FY25 and 26;
	Samsara reporting		X			
	Beautification Grant Program	X				Annual
	Reading Club - GMA	X				Ongoing
	Youth Council conference/training	X				Annual
	Vehicle Surplus			X		
	Retirement training	X				
	Marketing/PR Plan			X		FY26
	Business panel discussion					
	Homelessness response	X	X			Basic plan completed; needs enhancement
	Affordable housing plan	X	X			Basic plan completed; ongoing using existing housing stock
	Service Delivery Strategy	X	X			Completed prior to deadline; trigger in FY26
	Sewer project at Senior Center			X		
	RFP DDA properties		X			Prepared for issuance FY26
	Banner replacement Lewis Road					
	Banner replacement Marietta Street			X		
	Outdoor musical instruments at Park			X		Grant applied for
	Older American Month event				X	
	Baptist Church Acquisition	X				