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## **Peachtree Corners Spotlighted for Use of ARPA Funding**

In March 2021, Congress approved the American Rescue Plan Act, delivering \$1.4 billion in direct pandemic relief to Georgia's cities through ARPA's State and Local Fiscal Relief Fund (SLFRF). To mark ARPA's one-year anniversary, the Georgia Municipal Association surveyed Georgia cities to learn how investments in SLFRF are bringing much-needed relief to families, businesses, and communities statewide.

Overall, 136 cities responded to the survey. Funding was used in the following ways:

- 87% of cities used funds for infrastructure
- 44% provided premium pay for essential workers
- 26% offset lost revenue
- 26% used to provide economic relief to those disproportionately impacted
- 25% used to directly offset public health crisis
- 26% used for other purposes

The City of Peachtree Corners was spotlighted for:

- An incentive program to 'shop local'
- Partnering with local schools to enhance outdoor recreation areas for students
- Providing free Wifi to a lower-income area
- Distribution of grants to both nonprofit and for-profit businesses