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Sidewalk Bank Established

The City Council recently modified an ordinance that had required the installation of sidewalks on all new development and re-development projects on existing or new, public or private streets.

At its July meeting the Council approved an amendment to the ordinance creating a Sidewalk Bank which allow developers to provide a financial contribution in lieu of installing sidewalks in locations that would not contribute to the city's sidewalk network nor serve as a pedestrian amenity.

The new ordinance allows developers the ability to contribute the equivalent monetary value of those sidewalk improvements into the City of Peachtree Corners Sidewalk Bank for locations such as industrial areas where pedestrian access is limited.

The funds in the Sidewalk Bank will be used to pay for sidewalks in established areas more suitable to pedestrians. It would also allow the city to continue its efforts in expanding pedestrian connectivity throughout the city.

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