

DISTRICT 1-CASCADE CORRIDOR: 1ST MAYOR'S COMMUNITY WALK



MAYOR WILLIAM “BILL” EDWARDS COMMUNITY WALK
THURSDAY, JUNE 7TH, 2018
1:00 PM – 3:00 PM
30 DAY REPORT

START LOCATION: WALMART SUPERCENTER, 1105 RESEARCH CENTER ATLANTA DR SW, ATLANTA, GA 30331

ENDING LOCATION: JAY'S KITCHEN, 3752 CASCADE RD, ATLANTA, GA 30331



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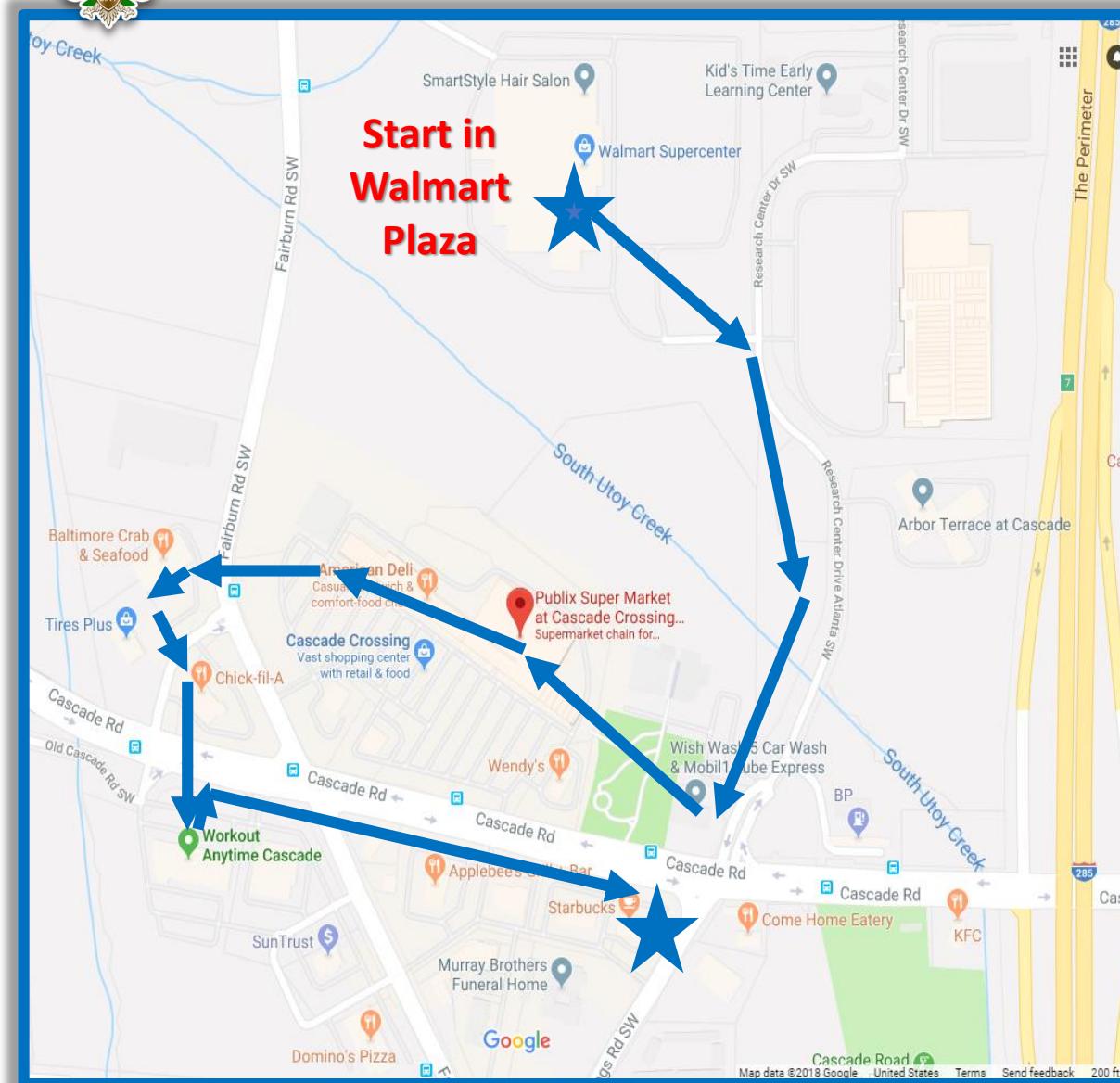


On Thursday June 7, 2018 Mayor Edwards and a host of City of South Fulton Department representatives walked the Cascade Corridor. The purpose of the walk is to introduce the community to administrative leaders and identify key issues and concerns.

At the end of the walk, participants listened to a roll call that listed issues or needs identified during the event. The City published an initial report after the walk, that summarized the problems, their status and which departments are responsible for resolution. This document serves as a 30-day check-in report and provides an update on the issues listed in the initial report. The team will also produce a 60 and 90-day check-in report and will update the community at each checkpoint period or until all issues have been resolved.



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ROUTE SUMMARY

BEGIN: 1105 Research Center Atlanta Dr SW

- ✓ **Head North/South on Research Center Atlanta Drive toward Cascade Rd**
- ✓ **Turn RIGHT onto Cascade Rd**
- ✓ **Keep straight on Cascade Rd (Publix Shopping Plaza)**
- ✓ **Cross over Fairburn Rd**
- ✓ **Cross over Cascade Rd**

END: 3752 Cascade Rd



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ELECTED OFFICIAL PARTICIPANTS

- ✓ **MAYOR WILLIAM “BILL” EDWARDS**
- ✓ **COUNCILMEMBER CATHERINE FOSTER-ROWELL, DISTRICT 1**
- ✓ **COUNCILMEMBER CARMALITHA GUMBS, DISTRICT 2**
- ✓ **COUNCILMEMBER HELEN WILLIS, DISTRICT 3**
- ✓ **COUNCILMEMBER khalid kamau, DISTRICT 6**
- ✓ **COUNCILMEMBER MARK BAKER, DISTRICT 7**
- ✓ **REPRESENTATIVE ROGER BRUCE, DISTRICT 61**



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ADMINISTRATIVE PARTICIPANTS

- ✓ **ODIE DONALD II, CITY MANAGER**
- ✓ **LARRY FEW, CHIEF OF FIRE**
- ✓ **SHIELA ROGERS, INTERIM CHIEF OF POLICE**
- ✓ **SHAYLA REED, INTERIM DIRECTOR COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**
- ✓ **TONY PHILLIPS, DIRECTOR OF PARKS & RECREATION**
- ✓ **ASHLEY MINTER-OSANYINBI, PR SPECIALIST**
- ✓ **ANTONIO VALENZUELA, DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF TRANSPORTATION***
- ✓ **RENARDO PASCHAL, RECORDS ADMINISTRATOR**



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The group gathered for a discussion regarding erecting a new City of South Fulton Gateway at the entryway of the Cascade Corridor.



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Parks and Recreation Director Tony Phillips discussing plans for increased Parks & Recreation programming with constituent



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Mayor Edwards, City Manager Mr. Odie Donald II and Interim Chief of Police Sheila Rogers discussing improved public safety response times and increased community policing



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Mayor Edwards and City Manager Odie Donald II discussing increased communication to notify local businesses that they are within the COSF city limits





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Increase communication of available City services and contact information



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Litter found near the intersection of Kimberly Road and Cascade Road





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Mayor Edwards engaging with small business owners



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Manhole damaged, unsecured utility covers and cracks in the sidewalk near the corner of Cascade Rd and Research Center Drive



ISSUES IDENTIFIED & STATUS

ISSUE IDENTIFIED/BRIEF DESCRIPTION	ADDRESS OR LOCATION OF ISSUE	DEPARTMENT OWNER	ESTIMATED RESOLUTION TIME	STATUS
Welcome to COSF gateway signage to be erected	Gazebo Area-3665 Cascade Road	City Manager	Short-Term	Open
Increased Parks & Recreation programming	Good Fellaz Barbershop-3695 Cascade Rd	Parks & Recreation	Short-Term & Long-Term	In-Progress
Improve public safety response times	Publix-3695 Cascade Rd	Police Department	Short-Term & Long-Term	In-Progress
Improve EMS/public safety response times	Baltimore Seafood-1075 Fairburn Rd SW	Fire Department	Short-Term & Long-Term	Implemented
Secure area neighborhood	Great Expressions-3752 Cascade Rd	Police Department	Short-Term & Long-Term	In-Progress
Publicize local employment opportunities	Publix-3695 Cascade Rd	Communications, Economic Development	Short-Term	In-Progress
Increase Community Policing	Publix-3695 Cascade Rd	Police Department	Short-Term & Long-Term	Implemented
Improve police presence	GNC-3695 Cascade Rd	Police Department	Short-Term & Long-Term	Implemented
More community policing & patrols	China Express-1075 Fairburn Rd SW	Police Department	Short-Term & Long-Term	Implemented
Loitering	Starbucks-3660 Cascade Rd	Police Department	Short-Term	In-Progress
Sign ordinance that allows additional opportunities for marketing & signage	GNC-3695 Cascade Rd	Community Development	Long-Term	Open



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Increase communication to notify local businesses that they are within the COSF city limits	GNC-3695 Cascade Rd	Economic Development, Communications	Short-Term	In-Progress
Clearly identify City limits and identify local businesses within city limits	Chick-fil-A-3725 Cascade Rd	Economic Development, Communications	Short-Term	In-Progress
Increase communication of available City services and contact information	Chick-fil-A-3725 Cascade Rd	Communications	Short-Term	In-Progress
Increase communication regarding how to pay taxes for COSF	GNC-3695 Cascade Rd	Finance, Communications	Short-Term	In-Progress
Increase city services & special events	Piedmont Healthcare-3699 Cascade Road	City-Wide	Long-Term	Implemented
Increase city services & special events	Great Expressions-3752 Cascade Rd	City-Wide	Short-Term & Long-Term	Implemented
Increase public events & activities within community	China Express-1075 Fairburn Rd SW	Communications & External Affairs	Long-Term	Implemented
Improve quality of life	Piedmont Healthcare-3699 Cascade Road	City-Wide	Long-Term	In-Progress
Increase community engagement	China Express-1075 Fairburn Rd SW	City-Wide	Short-Term	Implemented
Business licenses were not displayed at location	Trends Barbershop-1195 Fairburn Rd SW	Community Development	Short-Term	In-Progress
Litter Removal	Kimberly Road and right of way-Kimberly Rd SW & Cascade Rd	Public Works	Short-Term	Scheduled for 7/26
Litter Removal	Near Marta bus stop at intersection of Cascade Rd & Utoy Springs Rd	Public Works	Short-Term	Complete
Manhole damaged and cracks in sidewalk; sinkholes near curb; open/unsecured utility covers	Right of Way in front of Southwest Branch Library-3665 Cascade Rd	Public Works	Short-Term	Scheduled for 7/27