

2024 LCI & CDAP Selections

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LCI Overview



What Is the Livable Centers Initiative (LCI) Program?



- Reimbursable grant program (80/20 split)
- Applicant must be a CID or local government
- Approximately \$2 million in funding available annually
- Studies focus on "Main Streets" and Downtowns or Transit Areas
- Tactical or Catalytic Studies

How Do LCI's Goals Address ARC's Strategic Framework?

Healthy, safe, livable communities

- Co-location of diverse housing, employment, recreational, and cultural amenities at major transit, local, and regional centers for people of all ages, abilities, and income levels
- Enhance access to a range of travel modes and increase connectivity.

Diverse stakeholder engagement

 Foster public-private partnerships and sustained community support through an inclusive outreach process.



What Are LCI's Priority Issues?



Affordable/Diverse Housing

Creative Placemaking

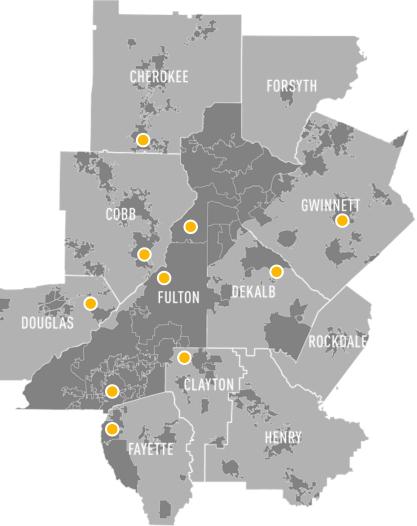
Green Infrastructure

Smart City Technology



What Are the Current (2023) Studies?

- AACIDs Northwest Clayton LCI Update
- City of Stone Mountain Greenway Connectivity Plan
- Cumberland CID Creative Placemaking Plan
- Douglas County Highway 92 Corridor Study
- Fairburn Gateway & Connectivity Study
- Lawrenceville Honest Alley Activation Study
- Sandy Springs North Springs MARTA Corridor Study
- Tyrone Town Center Streetscape Plan
- Upper Westside CID Huff Road Multimodal Study
- Woodstock Highway 92 Redevelopment Plan



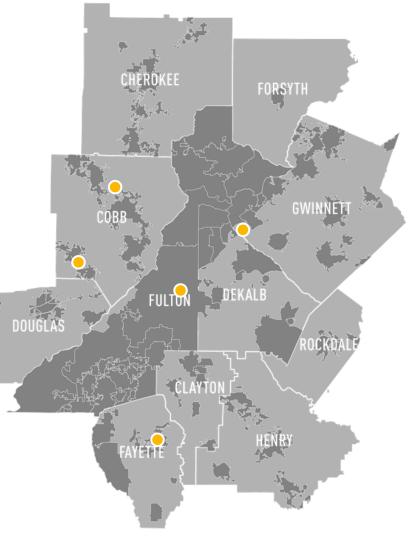


2024 LCI Study Selections



What Studies Did We Select?

- ADID Downtown Atlanta Creative Wayfinding Plan
- Fayetteville Downtown Creative Placemaking Strategy
- Gwinnett Jimmy Carter Boulevard Area Master Plan
- Powder Springs "Springs in Motion" LCI Update & Connectivity Study
- Town Center CID LCI Plan Update







CDAP Overview



What is the Community Development Assistance Program (CDAP)?



REGION

Healthy, safe, livable communities

- Implement the Atlanta Region's Plan at the local level
- Advance socially equitable planning processes & outcomes
- Promote community resiliency to safeguard against future shocks & stressors
- Diverse stakeholder engagement
 - Foster comprehensive, inclusive, & meaningful community engagement

What Types of Assistance Does CDAP Provide?





What Are CDAP's Priority Issue Areas?

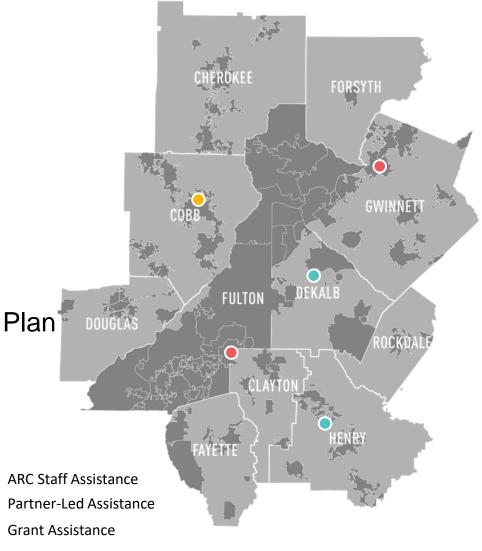




What Are the Current (2023) Projects?

ARC Staff Assistance

- City of Suwanee Roundabout Master Plan
- Partner-Led Assistance
 - City of Marietta Mountain to River (M2R) Trail Activation Strategy
- Grant Assistance
 - DeKalb County Stone Mountain Trail Master Plan
 - Henry County Local Bus Service Creative Placemaking Plan







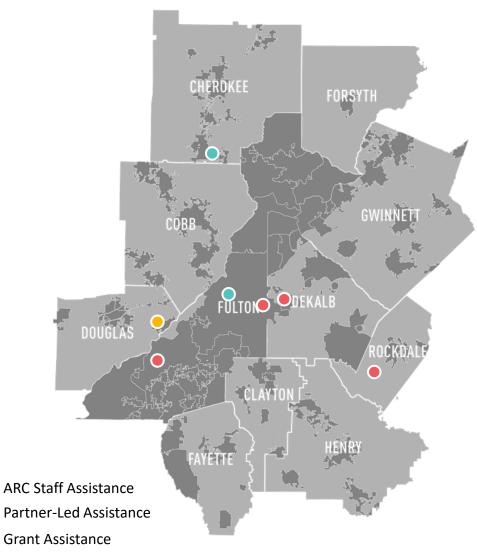
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What Projects Did We Select in 2024?

ARC Staff Assistance

- American Rivers & SRWA Upper South River Watershed Corridor Connectivity Study
- City of South Fulton Housing Assessment
- Little 5 Points (L5P) CID Arts & Culture Assessment
- Partner-Led Assistance
 - City of Decatur Naturally Occurring Affordable Housing (NOAH) Preservation Strategy (Georgia Conservancy)
- Grant Assistance
 - Upper Westside CID Collier Road Corridor Study
 - City of Woodstock Housing Capacity and Gap Analysis







Thank you!

