

**GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AFFAIRS
SERVICE DELIVERY STRATEGY**

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FOR WORTH COUNTY

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I. GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

1. Only one set of these forms should be submitted per county. The completed forms should clearly present the collective agreement reached by all cities and counties that were party to the service delivery strategy.
2. List each local government and/or authority that provides services included in the service delivery strategy in Section II below.
3. List all services provided or primarily funded by each general purpose local government and authority within the county in Section III below. It is acceptable to break a service into separate components if this will facilitate description of the service delivery strategy.
4. For **each** service or service component listed in Section III, complete a separate *Summary of Service Delivery Arrangements* form (page 2).
5. Complete one copy of the *Summary of Land Use Agreements* form (page 3).
6. Have the *Certifications* form (page 4) signed by the authorized representatives of participating local governments. Please note that DCA cannot validate the strategy unless it is signed by the local governments required by law (see Instructions, page 4).
7. Mail the completed forms along with any attachments to:

Georgia Department of Community Affairs
Office of Coordinated Planning
60 Executive Park South, N. E.
Atlanta, Georgia 30329

For answers to most frequently asked questions on Georgia's Service Delivery Act, links and helpful publications, visit DCA's website at www.dca.servicedelivery.org, or call the Office of Coordinated Planning at (404) 679-3114.

Note: Any future changes to the service delivery arrangements described on these forms will require an official update of the service delivery strategy and submittal of revised forms and attachments to the Georgia Department of Community Affairs.

II. LOCAL GOVERNMENTS INCLUDED IN THE SERVICE DELIVERY STRATEGY:

In this section, list all local governments (including cities located partially within the county) and authorities that provide services included in the service delivery strategy.

Worth County	Worth County Library Board
City of Sylvester	Worth County Economic Development Authority
City of Poulan	Sylvester Housing Authority
City of Warwick	Worth County Schools
City of Sumner	Baptist Hospital of Worth County

III. SERVICES INCLUDED IN THE SERVICE DELIVERY STRATEGY:

For each service listed here, a separate *Summary of Service Delivery Arrangements* form (page 2) must be completed.

Tax Digest Preparation	Social Services	Library
Ad Valorem Tax Billing and Collections	Agricultural Building/Agent	Stormwater Mgmt.
Recreation	Street Lighting	Solid Waste Mgmt.
Economic Development	Water Supply and Distribution	Zoning
Fire Protection	Animal Control	Public Housing
Roads and Bridges	Law Enforcement	Airport
911 Emergency Dispatch	Sewage Collection/Disposal	
	Cemetery	Emer. Mgmt./Rescue
County Jail	Building Inspection/Code Enforcement	Emer. Medicine
Sheriff Dept.	Voter Registration	Neighborhood Service Ctr.
Court Services	and Elections (citywide)	
	Voter Registration	
	and Elections (Countywide-other)	

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County: Worth County Service: Tax Digest Preparation

1. Check the box that best describes the agreed upon delivery arrangement for this service:

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Worth County

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Other. (If this box is checked, **attach a legible map delineating the service area of each service provider**, and identify the government, authority, or other organization that will provide service within each service area.)

2. In developing the strategy, were overlapping service areas, unnecessary competition and/or duplication of this service identified?

yes no

If these conditions will continue under the strategy, **attach an explanation for continuing the arrangement** (i.e., overlapping but higher levels of service (See O.C.G.A. 36-70-24(1)), overriding benefits of the duplication, or reasons that overlapping service areas or competition cannot be eliminated).

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3. List each government or authority that will help to pay for this service and indicate how the service will be funded (e.g., enterprise funds, user fees, general funds, special service district revenues, hotel/motel taxes, franchise taxes, impact fees, bonded indebtedness, etc.)

Local Government or Authority	Funding Method:
Worth County	General Fund

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

No changes

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

Agreement Name:	Contracting Parties :	Effective and Ending Dates:
<i>none</i>		

6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service, (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.) and when will they take effect?

none

7. Person completing form: Carolynn Segers

Phone Number: (912) 522-3552 Date completed: 8/2/99

8. Is this the person who should be contacted by state agencies when evaluating whether proposed local government projects are consistent with the service delivery strategy? yes no

If not, provide designated contact person(s) and phone number(s) below:

Brian Marlowe
Worth County Administrator
(912) 776-8200

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County: Worth County Service: Billing & Collections - Ad Valorem Tax

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Worth County, Sylvester, Poulan, Warwick, Sumner -- Sylvester serves their jurisdiction for city taxes, and the county serves Poulan, Warwick, and Sumner for collection of those city taxes Worth County serves countywide for collection of county and school taxes.

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- yes no

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Local Government or Authority	Funding Method:
Worth County	General Funds
Sylvester	General Funds
Poulan	General Funds
Warwick	General Funds
Sumner	General Funds

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

No Change

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6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service, (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.) and when will they take effect?

7. Person completing form: Carolynn Segers

Phone Number: (912) 522-3552 Date completed: 8/2/99

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County: Worth County Service Recreation

1. Check the box that best describes the agreed upon delivery arrangement for this service:

Service will be provided countywide (i.e., including all cities and unincorporated areas) by a single service provider. (If this box is checked, identify the government, authority or organization providing the service.)

Sylvester-Worth County Recreation Department, also county provides allocation to Warwick, Sumner and Poulan for recreational purposes.

Service will be provided only in the unincorporated portion of the county by a single service provider. (If this box is checked, identify the government, authority or organization providing the service.)

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Local Government or Authority	Funding Method:
Worth County	General Fund/User Fees
Sylvester	General Fund/User Fees

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

Agreement Name:	Contracting Parties :	Effective and Ending Dates:
Recreation Service Agreement	Sylvester and Worth County	July 1, 1999

6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service, (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.) and when will they take effect?

7. Person completing form: Carolynn L. Segers

Phone Number: (912) 522-3552 Date completed: 8/2/99

8. Is this the person who should be contacted by state agencies when evaluating whether proposed local government projects are consistent with the service delivery strategy? yes no

If not, provide designated contact person(s) and phone number(s) below:

Deborah Bridges Sylvester City Clerk (912) 776-8505	Brian Marlowe Worth County Administrator (912) 776-8200
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County: Worth County Service Fire Protection

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City of Sylvester for Sylvester; and Worth County for balance of county through volunteer departments. Poulan and Sumner also fund their stations with fire engines.

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Local Government or Authority	Funding Method:
City of Sylvester	General Fund
City of Poulan	General Fund
City of Sumner	General Fund
Worth County	General Fund

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

Fire protection is provided within Sylvester city limits by City of Sylvester and is funded by City of Sylvester general funds.

Fire protection is provided to the remaining municipalities and unincorporated area of Worth County through volunteer fire departments organized as private nonprofit organizations which are financially supported by Worth County. In order to ensure tax equity, a special tax district will be created by the county. Poulan and Sumner participate in upkeep of engines.

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

Agreement Name:	Contracting Parties :	Effective and Ending Dates:
Volunteer Fire Dept.	Worth County	7/1 to 6/30, annual self renewing

6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service, (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.) and when will they take effect?

Creation of special tax district to fund fire protection by county outside of Sylvester.

7. Person completing form: Carolynn Segers

Phone Number: (912) 522-3552 Date completed: 8/2/99

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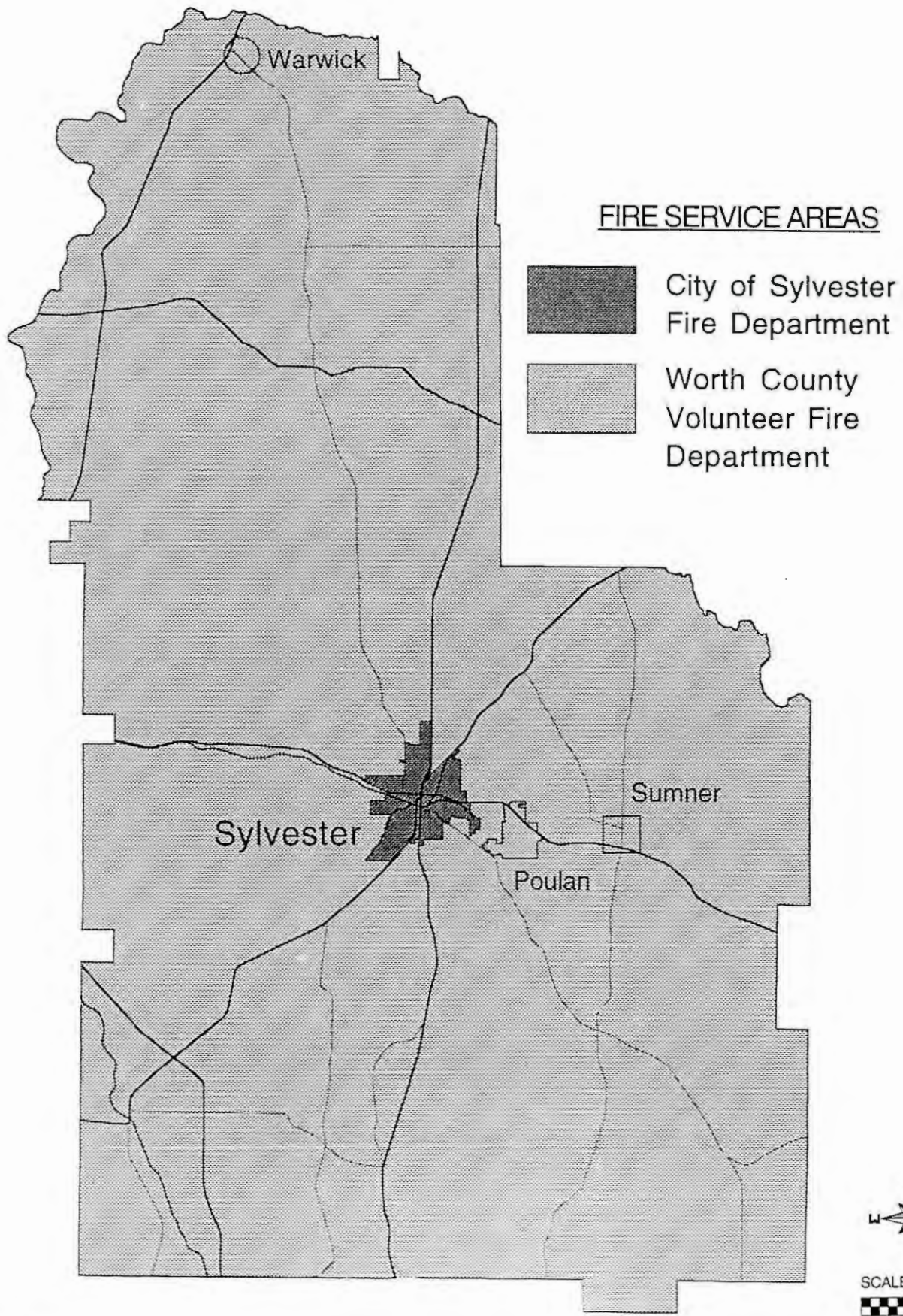
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County: Worth County Service: Roads and Bridges

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Local Government or Authority

Funding Method:

Worth County	General Funds/SPLOST Funds/DOT Funds
Sylvester	General Funds/SPLOST Funds/DOT Funds
Poulan	General Funds/SPLOST Funds/DOT Funds
Warwick	General Funds/SPLOST Funds/DOT Funds
Sumner	General Funds/SPLOST Funds/DOT Funds

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Phone Number: (912) 522-3552 Date completed: Aug. 2, 1999

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County: Worth County **Service:** 911 Emergency Dispatch Service

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Local Government or Authority Funding Method:

Local Government or Authority	Funding Method:
Worth County	Telephone Surcharge and General Fund

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Worth County	General Funds and User Fees

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County: Worth County Service: Sheriff Department

1. Check the box that best describes the agreed upon delivery arrangement for this service:

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Worth County

Service will be provided only in the unincorporated portion of the county by a single service provider. (If this box is checked, identify the government, authority or organization providing the service.)

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Other. (If this box is checked, attach a legible map delineating the service area of each service provider, and identify the government, authority, or other organization that will provide service within each service area.)

2. In developing the strategy, were overlapping service areas, unnecessary competition and/or duplication of this service identified?

yes no

If these conditions will continue under the strategy, attach an explanation for continuing the arrangement (i.e., overlapping but higher levels of service (See O.C.G.A. 36-70-24(1)), overriding benefits of the duplication, or reasons that overlapping service areas or competition cannot be eliminated).

If these conditions will be eliminated under the strategy, attach an implementation schedule listing each step or action that will be taken to eliminate them, the responsible party and the agreed upon deadline for completing it.

3. List each government or authority that will help to pay for this service and indicate how the service will be funded (e.g., enterprise funds, user fees, general funds, special service district revenues, hotel/motel taxes, franchise taxes, impact fees, bonded indebtedness, etc.)

Local Government or Authority Funding Method:

Worth County	General Funds

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

Agreement Name:	Contracting Parties :	Effective and Ending Dates:
none		

6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service, (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.) and when will they take effect?

none

7. Person completing form: Brian Marlowe, County Administrator
 Phone Number: 912-776-8200 Date completed: 8/2/99

8. Is this the person who should be contacted by state agencies when evaluating whether proposed local government projects are consistent with the service delivery strategy? yes no

If not, provide designated contact person(s) and phone number(s) below:

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County: Worth County Service: Court Services

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Worth County and Cities of Sylvester, Poulan, Warwick and Town of Sumner

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- yes no

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Local Government or Authority	Funding Method:
Worth County	general fund
City of Sylvester	general fund
City of Poulan	general fund
City of Warwick	general fund
Town of Sumner	general fund

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

No tax equity issues. Individual cities fund city courts, and Worth County funds all other court services.

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

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<i>none</i>		

6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service, (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.) and when will they take effect?

none

7. Person completing form: Carolynn Segers

Phone Number: (912) 522-3552 Date completed: 8/2/99

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If not, provide designated contact person(s) and phone number(s) below:

Brian Marlowe
(912) 776-8200

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County: Worth County Service: Social Services - Health Department,
Mental Health, Department of Family & Children Services

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Local Government or Authority	Funding Method:
Worth County	General Fund

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

none

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

Agreement Name:	Contracting Parties :	Effective and Ending Dates:
<i>none</i>		

6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service, (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.) and when will they take effect?

none

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County: Worth County Service: Agricultural Building, including County Agent

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Local Government or Authority	Funding Method:
Worth County	General Fund/Rental Fees

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

none

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

Agreement Name:	Contracting Parties :	Effective and Ending Dates:
no		

6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service, (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.) and when will they take effect?

none

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Phone Number: (912) 522-3552 Date completed: 8/2/99

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Local Government or Authority	Funding Method:
Worth County	General Fund/Rental Fees

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

none

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

Agreement Name:	Contracting Parties :	Effective and Ending Dates:
no		

6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service, (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.) and when will they take effect?

none

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County: Worth Service: Street Lighting

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Cities of Sylvester, Poulan, Warwick, and Sumner

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Other. (If this box is checked, attach a legible map delineating the service area of each service provider, and identify the government, authority, or other organization that will provide service within each service area.)

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Local Government or Authority	Funding Method:
City of Sylvester	general fund
City of Poulan	general fund
City of Warwick	general fund
Town of Sumner	general fund

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

None

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

Agreement Name:	Contracting Parties :	Effective and Ending Dates:
<i>None</i>		

6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service, (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.) and when will they take effect?

None

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8. Is this the person who should be contacted by state agencies when evaluating whether proposed local government projects are consistent with the service delivery strategy? yes no

If not, provide designated contact person(s) and phone number(s) below:

Deborah Bridges
Sylvester City Clerk
(912) 776-8505

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County: Worth County Service Water Supply & Distribution

1. Check the box that best describes the agreed upon delivery arrangement for this service:

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Other. (If this box is checked, **attach a legible map delineating the service area of each service provider**, and identify the government, authority, or other organization that will provide service within each service area.)
Sylvester, Poulan, Warwick, and Sumner will provide water services in their incorporated boundaries and may provide service in unincorporated areas as delineated on the attached map.

2. In developing the strategy, were overlapping service areas, unnecessary competition and/or duplication of this service identified?

- yes no

If these conditions will continue under the strategy, **attach an explanation for continuing the arrangement** (i.e., overlapping but higher levels of service (See O.C.G.A. 36-70-24(1)), overriding benefits of the duplication, or reasons that overlapping service areas or competition cannot be eliminated).

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Local Government or Authority	Funding Method:
Sylvester	Enterprise Fund
Poulan	Enterprise Fund
Sumner	Enterprise Fund
Warwick	Enterprise Fund

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

none

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

Agreement Name:	Contracting Parties :	Effective and Ending Dates:
Extraterritorial water and sewer agreement	County and all municipalities	

6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service, (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.) and when will they take effect?

none

7. Person completing form: Carolynn Segers

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Brian Marlowe
Worth County Administrator
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County: Worth County Service: Water Supply & Distribution

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Worth County
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Sylvester, Poulan, Warwick, and will provide water services in their incorporated boundaries and may provide service in unincorporated areas as delineated on the attached map.

2. In developing the strategy, were overlapping service areas, unnecessary competition and/or duplication of this service identified?

yes no

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Local Government or Authority	Funding Method:
Sylvester	Enterprise Fund
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Sumner	Enterprise Fund
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4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

none

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none

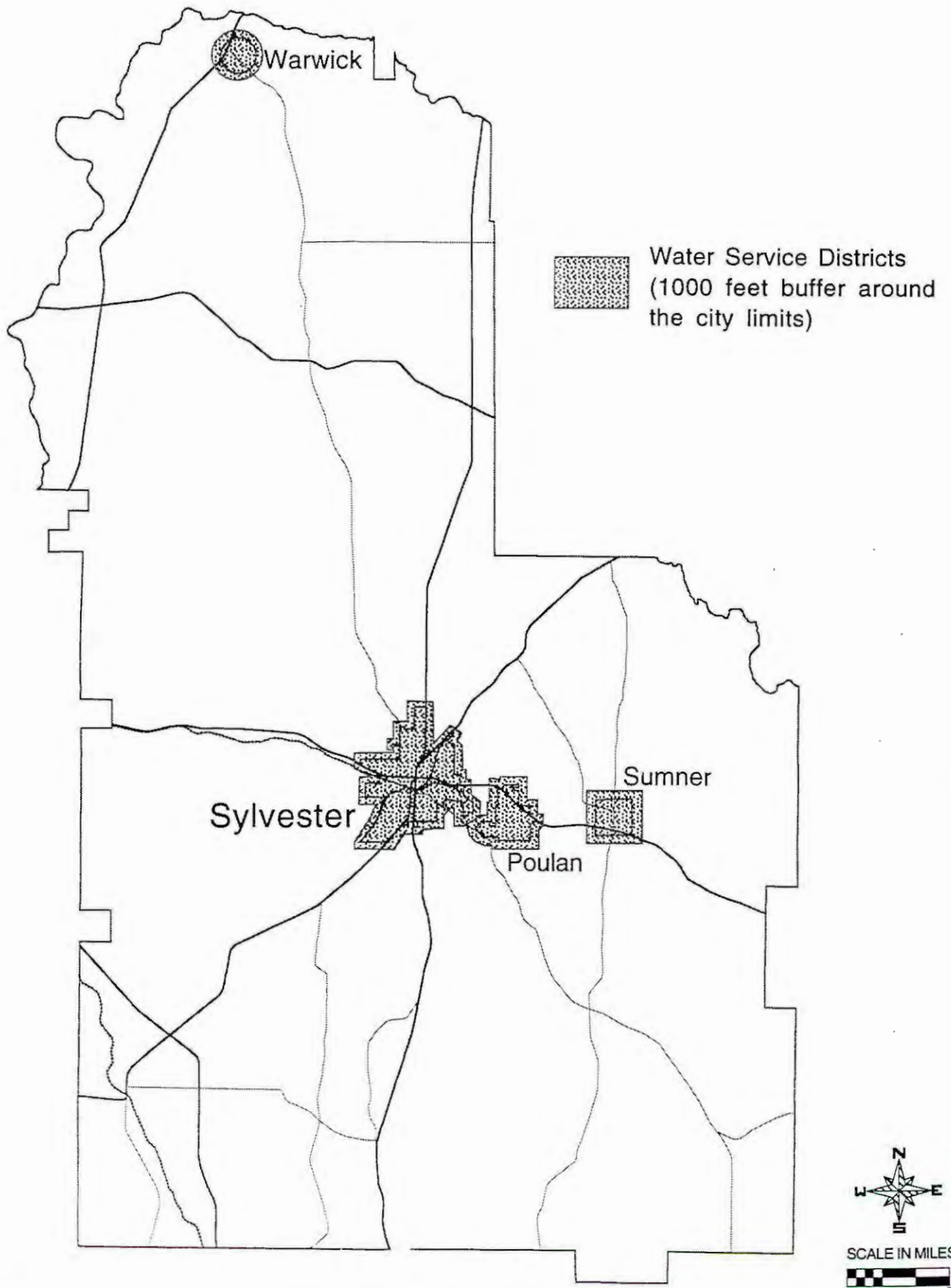
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Brian Manlove
Worth County Administrator
(912) 776-8200



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County: Worth County Service: Animal Control

1. Check the box that best describes the agreed upon delivery arrangement for this service:

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Sylvester and Poulan

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yes no

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Local Government or Authority	Funding Method:
Sylvester	General Fund
Poulan	General Fund

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

no change in strategy

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

Agreement Name:	Contracting Parties :	Effective and Ending Dates:
Animal Control	Sylvester and Poulan	Annual self-renewing

6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service, (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.) and when will they take effect?

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County: Worth County Service Law Enforcement

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Poulan	General Funds
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County: Worth County Service Sewage Collection/Disposal

1. Check the box that best describes the agreed upon delivery arrangement for this service:

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Sylvester	Enterprise Fund

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Agreement Name:	Contracting Parties :	Effective and Ending Dates:
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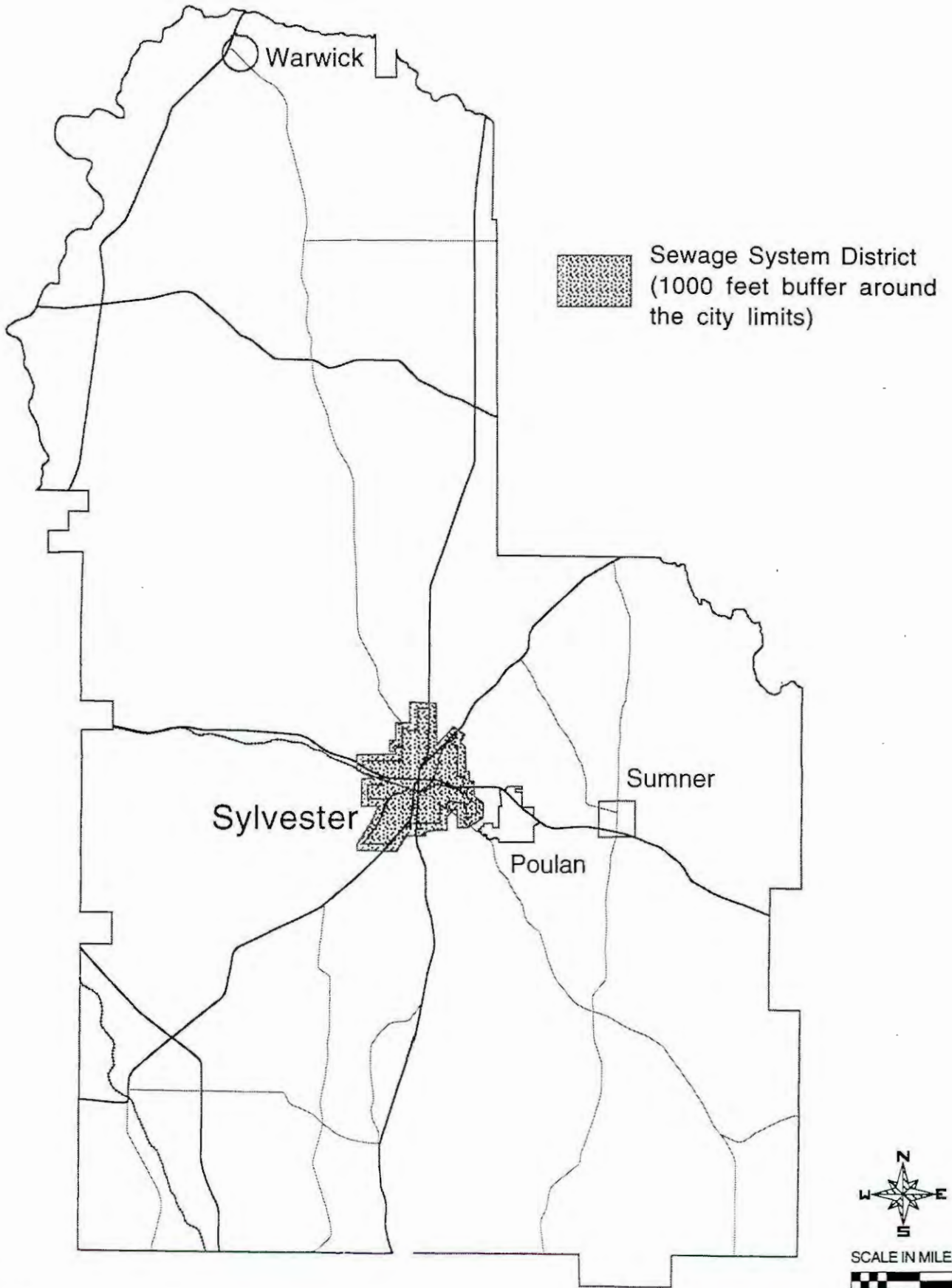
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Sylvester, Poulan, Sumner
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Worth County	General Funds, Permit Fees
Sylvester	General Funds, Permit Fees

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Local Government or Authority	Funding Method:
Worth County	General Fund

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no change in strategy

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none

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County: Worth County Service: Desoto Trail Regional Library Branch

1. Check the box that best describes the agreed upon delivery arrangement for this service:

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Worth County Library Board

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Worth County	General Fund
City of Sylvester	General Fund
Worth Co. Schools	General Fund

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County: Worth County Service Storm Water Management

1. Check the box that best describes the agreed upon delivery arrangement for this service:

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Sylvester, Warwick

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Local Government or Authority	Funding Method:
Sylvester	General Fund
Warwick	General Fund

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Local Government or Authority	Funding Method:
Sylvester	General Fund
Warwick	General Fund

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County: Worth County **Service:** Solid Waste Management

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Sylvester, Poulan, Warwick, Worth County as per Worth Co. Consolidated Solid Waste Plan

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Local Government or Authority	Funding Method:
Worth County	General Fund/Landfill Fees
Sylvester	Enterprise Fund
Poulan	Enterprise Fund
Warwick	Enterprise Fund

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no change in strategy

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Sylvester	Enterprise Fund
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County: Worth County Service: Zoning

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Sylvester, Sumner, Poulan, Warwick, and Worth County
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Warwick	General Fund/User Fees
Sumner	General Fund/User Fees
Poulan	General Fund/User Fees
Worth County	General Fund/User Fees

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County: Worth County Service: Airport

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City of Sylvester

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Local Government or Authority	Funding Method:
Sylvester	General Fund, User Fees, Grants

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Deborah Bridges
Sylvester City Clerk
912-776-8505

SERVICE DELIVERY STRATEGY

SUMMARY OF SERVICE DELIVERY ARRANGEMENTS

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County: Worth Service: Emergency Management and Rescue

1. Check the box that best describes the agreed upon delivery arrangement for this service:

Service will be provided countywide (i.e., including all cities and unincorporated areas) by a single service provider. (If this box is checked, identify the government, authority or organization providing the service.)

Worth County

Service will be provided only in the unincorporated portion of the county by a single service provider. (If this box is checked, identify the government, authority or organization providing the service.)

One or more cities will provide this service only within their incorporated boundaries, and the service will not be provided in unincorporated areas. (If this box is checked, identify the government(s), authority or organization providing the service.)

One or more cities will provide this service only within their incorporated boundaries, and the county will provide the service in unincorporated areas. (If this box is checked, identify the government(s), authority or organization providing the service.)

Other. (If this box is checked, attach a legible map delineating the service area of each service provider, and identify the government, authority, or other organization that will provide service within each service area.)

2. In developing the strategy, were overlapping service areas, unnecessary competition and/or duplication of this service identified?

yes no

If these conditions will continue under the strategy, attach an explanation for continuing the arrangement (i.e., overlapping but higher levels of service (See O.C.G.A. 36-70-24(1)), overriding benefits of the duplication, or reasons that overlapping service areas or competition cannot be eliminated).

If these conditions will be eliminated under the strategy, attach an implementation schedule listing each step or action that will be taken to eliminate them, the responsible party and the agreed upon deadline for completing it.

3. List each government or authority that will help to pay for this service and indicate how the service will be funded (e.g., enterprise funds, user fees, general funds, special service district revenues, hotel/motel taxes, franchise taxes, impact fees, bonded indebtedness, etc.)

Local Government or Authority	Funding Method:
Worth County	General Fund

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

None

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

Agreement Name:	Contracting Parties :	Effective and Ending Dates:

6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service, (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.) and when will they take effect?

7. Person completing form: Carolynn Segers

Phone Number: 912-522-3552 Date completed: Aug. 2, 1999

8. Is this the person who should be contacted by state agencies when evaluating whether proposed local government projects are consistent with the service delivery strategy? yes no

If not, provide designated contact person(s) and phone number(s) below:

Brian Marlowe
Worth County Administrator
912-776-8200

SERVICE DELIVERY STRATEGY

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County: Worth Service: Emergency Medical

1. Check the box that best describes the agreed upon delivery arrangement for this service:

Service will be provided countywide (i.e., including all cities and unincorporated areas) by a single service provider. (If this box is checked, identify the government, authority or organization providing the service.)

Baptist Hospital of Worth County

Service will be provided only in the unincorporated portion of the county by a single service provider. (If this box is checked, identify the government, authority or organization providing the service.)

One or more cities will provide this service only within their incorporated boundaries, and the service will not be provided in unincorporated areas. (If this box is checked, identify the government(s), authority or organization providing the service.)

One or more cities will provide this service only within their incorporated boundaries, and the county will provide the service in unincorporated areas. (If this box is checked, identify the government(s), authority or organization providing the service.)

Other. (If this box is checked, attach a legible map delineating the service area of each service provider, and identify the government, authority, or other organization that will provide service within each service area.)

2. In developing the strategy, were overlapping service areas, unnecessary competition and/or duplication of this service identified?

yes no

If these conditions will continue under the strategy, attach an explanation for continuing the arrangement (i.e., overlapping but higher levels of service (See O.C.G.A. 36-70-24(1)), overriding benefits of the duplication, or reasons that overlapping service areas or competition cannot be eliminated).

If these conditions will be eliminated under the strategy, attach an implementation schedule listing each step or action that will be taken to eliminate them, the responsible party and the agreed upon deadline for completing it.

3. List each government or authority that will help to pay for this service and indicate how the service will be funded (e.g., enterprise funds, user fees, general funds, special service district revenues, hotel/motel taxes, franchise taxes, impact fees, bonded indebtedness, etc.)

Local Government or Authority Funding Method:

Local Government or Authority	Funding Method:
Baptist Hospital	General Fund, User Fees

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

None

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

Agreement Name:	Contracting Parties :	Effective and Ending Dates:
Emergency Services Agreement	Baptist Hospital of Worth County and Worth County Board of Commissioners	Oct. 1, 1998 to Sept. 30, 2001

6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service, (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.) and when will they take effect?

None

7. Person completing form: Carolynn Segers

Phone Number: 912-522-3552 Date completed: Aug. 2, 1999

8. Is this the person who should be contacted by state agencies when evaluating whether proposed local government projects are consistent with the service delivery strategy? yes no

If not, provide designated contact person(s) and phone number(s) below:

Brian Marlowe
Worth County Administrator
912-776-8200

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County: Worth Service: Neighborhood Service Center-Community Action Council

1. Check the box that best describes the agreed upon delivery arrangement for this service:

- Service will be provided countywide (i.e., including all cities and unincorporated areas) by a single service provider. (If this box is checked, identify the government, authority or organization providing the service.)
- Service will be provided only in the unincorporated portion of the county by a single service provider. (If this box is checked, identify the government, authority or organization providing the service.)
- One or more cities will provide this service only within their incorporated boundaries, and the service will not be provided in unincorporated areas. (If this box is checked, identify the government(s), authority or organization providing the service.)
Sylvester
- One or more cities will provide this service only within their incorporated boundaries, and the county will provide the service in unincorporated areas. (If this box is checked, identify the government(s), authority or organization providing the service.)
- Other. (If this box is checked, attach a legible map delineating the service area of each service provider, and identify the government, authority, or other organization that will provide service within each service area.)

2. In developing the strategy, were overlapping service areas, unnecessary competition and/or duplication of this service identified?

yes no

If these conditions will continue under the strategy, attach an explanation for continuing the arrangement (i.e., overlapping but higher levels of service (See O.C.G.A. 36-70-24(1)), overriding benefits of the duplication, or reasons that overlapping service areas or competition cannot be eliminated).

If these conditions will be eliminated under the strategy, attach an implementation schedule listing each step or action that will be taken to eliminate them, the responsible party and the agreed upon deadline for completing it.

3. List each government or authority that will help to pay for this service and indicate how the service will be funded (e.g., enterprise funds, user fees, general funds, special service district revenues, hotel/motel taxes, franchise taxes, impact fees, bonded indebtedness, etc.)

Local Government or Authority

Funding Method:

City of Sylvester	General Funds
Community Action Council	Operating Funds (state and federal funds)

4. How will the strategy change the previous arrangements for providing and/or funding this service within the county?

5. List any formal service delivery agreements or intergovernmental contracts that will be used to implement the strategy for this service:

Agreement Name:	Contracting Parties :	Effective and Ending Dates:

6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service, (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.) and when will they take effect?

7. Person completing form: Carolynn Segers

Phone Number: 912-522-3552 Date completed: Aug. 2, 1999

8. Is this the person who should be contacted by state agencies when evaluating whether proposed local government projects are consistent with the service delivery strategy? yes no

If not, provide designated contact person(s) and phone number(s) below:

Brian Marlowe
Worth County Administrator
912-776-8200

**SERVICE DELIVERY STRATEGY
SUMMARY OF LAND USE AGREEMENTS**

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Instructions:

Answer each question below, attaching additional pages as necessary. Please note that any changes to the answers provided will require updating of the service delivery strategy. If the contact person for this service (listed at the bottom of this page) changes, this should be reported to the Department of Community Affairs.

County: Worth

1. What incompatibilities or conflicts between the land use plans of local governments were identified in the process of developing the service delivery strategy?

Worth County and the County's municipal governments have reviewed the respective communities land use plans for incompatibilities and or conflicts and no major plan incompatibilities or conflicts were identified pursuant to the respective land use plans.

Moreover, Worth County and its municipal governments formally adopted a consolidated comprehensive plan in 1993 where land use issues were jointly considered and appropriately addressed.

2. Check the boxes indicating how these incompatibilities or conflicts were addressed:

- amendments to existing comprehensive plans
 adoption of a joint comprehensive plan
 other measures (amend zoning ordinances, add environmental regulations, etc.)

Note: If the necessary plan amendments, regulations, ordinances, etc. have not yet been formally adopted, indicate when each of the affected local governments will adopt them.

If "other measures" was checked, describe these measures:

3. Summarize the process that will be used to resolve disputes when a county disagrees with the proposed land use classification(s) for areas to be annexed into a city. If the conflict resolution process will vary for different cities in the county, summarize each process.

Worth County and its municipal governments have jointly adopted a land dispute resolution to address land use disputes arising from annexation proposals. The dispute resolution provides for inter-jurisdictional notification, mediation, and a forum for resolution of land use conflicts.

4. What policies, procedures and/or processes have been established by local governments (and water and sewer authorities) to ensure that new extraterritorial water and sewer service will be consistent with all applicable land use plans and ordinances?

Worth County and the Municipal Governments all have adopted an intergovernmental agreement which established a formal process to insure that new extraterritorial water and sewer service extensions are consistent with applicable land use plans.

5. Person completing form: Brian Marlowe, County Administrator

Phone number: 912-776-8200 Date completed: 10/4/99

6. Is this the person who should be contacted by state agencies when evaluating whether proposed local government projects are consistent with land use plans of applicable jurisdictions? yes no

If not, provide designated contact person(s) and phone number(s) below:

**A Resolution Entitled a Resolution Establishing a
Process to Resolve Inter-Governmental Land Use
Classification Disputes Pursuant to Property Annexations
and Land Use Plans**

WHEREAS, the Worth County Board of Commissioners and the Mayor and Councils of its political jurisdictions have found it necessary, desirable and in the public interest to establish a formal process to resolve land use disputes as these relate to property annexation and land use plans, and.

WHEREAS, the Worth County Board of Commissioners and the governing bodies of the County's municipal jurisdictions have jointly developed a cooperative plan to resolve said issues,

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED by the Worth County Board of Commissioners of Worth County, Georgia and the governing bodies of the cities of Poulan, Sumner, Sylvester and Warwick and, **IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED** by the Authority of same:

Section 1. Effective immediately upon the adoption of this Resolution by the respective governments, the following process for resolving land use disputes shall be implemented:

1. Prior to initiating any formal annexation activities, the municipality will notify the county of a proposed annexation and provide information on location of property, size of area, and proposed land use or zoning classification(s) (if applicable) of the property.
Within 30 days following receipt of the above information, the county will forward to the city a statement either: (a) indicating that the county has no objection to the proposed land use for the property; or (b) describing its bona fide objection(s) to the city's proposed land use classification, providing supporting evidence, and listing any possible stipulations or conditions that would alleviate the county's objection(s);
2. If the County has no objection to the City's proposed land use or zoning classification, the City is free to proceed with the annexation. If the County fails to respond to the City's notice in writing within the deadline, the City is free to proceed with the annexation and the County loses its right to invoke the dispute resolution process, or object to land use changes after the annexation.
3. If the county notifies the city that it has a bona fide land use classification objection(s), the city will respond to the county in writing within 30 days of receiving the county's objection(s) by either: (a) agreeing to implement the county's stipulations and conditions and thereby resolve the county's objection(s); (b) agreeing with the county and stopping action on the proposed annexation; (c) disagreeing that the county's objection(s) are bona fide, the city will initiate a joint meeting of the respective governments to resolve the issue(s);
4. If the City initiates mediation, the City and County will agree on a mediator, mediation schedule and determine participants in the mediation. The City and County agree to share equally any costs associated with the mediation.
5. An annexation proposal shall not be effective until any bona fide land use classification objections raised by the county are resolved pursuant to the dispute resolution process.

6. However, the final resolution of any recommendation of a land use classification will be accorded to the governing body considering the annexation. In cases of land use disputes not related to annexation proposals, the final resolution of a land use dispute will be accorded to the jurisdiction in which the subject property is located. Notwithstanding, a government may seek declaratory judgment in a court of proper jurisdiction pursuant to a land use decision.

Section 2. All ordinances and resolutions in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

ATTEST:

Nell Ford

County Clerk

Worth County Board of Commissioners

By: Billy McDonald 5-5-98
Chairman Adopted

ATTEST:

Ann Goldinger

Sumner City Clerk

Mayor and Council, Sumner, Georgia

By: Jan Lunn
Mayor Adopted

ATTEST:

Neva Houston

Warwick City Clerk

Mayor and Council, Warwick, Georgia

By: Theodore Myers
Mayor Adopted

ATTEST:

Marcia K. Russell

Poulan City Clerk

Mayor and Council, Poulan, Georgia

By: Julia K. Loren
Mayor Adopted

ATTEST:

Deborah G. Bridges

Sylvester City Clerk

Mayor and Council, Sylvester, Georgia

By: H. Leroy Wilkerson 6-1-98
Mayor Adopted

**A Resolution Establishing a
Process to Insure Compatibility with Applicable Land Use Plans and Ordinances
and to Resolve Inter-Governmental Land Use Plan and Ordinance Inconsistencies
Pursuant to the Provision of New Extra Territorial Water and Sewer Services**

WHEREAS, the Worth County Board of Commissioners and the Mayor and Councils of its political jurisdictions have found it necessary, desirable and in the public interest to establish a formal process to insure that the provision of new extraterritorial water and sewer service is consistent with all applicable land uses plans and ordinances of adjoining local governments, and

WHEREAS, the Worth County Board of Commissioners and its municipal jurisdictions have determined that a process to insure land use compatibility as it relates to the provision of new extraterritorial water and sewer services and land use plans/ordinances, and

WHEREAS, the Worth County Board of Commissioners and the governing bodies of the County's municipal jurisdictions have jointly developed a cooperative plan to insure consistency with applicable land use plans/ordinances,

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED by the Worth County Board of Commissioners of Worth County, Georgia and the governing bodies of the cities of Sumner, Warwick, Poulan, Sylvester and, **IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED** by the Authority of same:

Section 1. Effective immediately upon the adoption of this Resolution by the respective governments, the following process for insuring that proposed extraterritorial water and sewer service is compatible with the land use plans/ordinances of the new territory shall be implemented:

1. Prior to initiating the development of water and sewer services in extraterritorial boundaries, the local government proposing the new service will notify the adjacent government of the proposed new service by providing information on location of property, size of area, and existing/proposed land use associated with the property.
2. Within 10 working days following receipt of the above information, the local government receiving the notice of water/sewer extension will forward to the local government proposing the extension a statement either: (a) indicating that the proposal is compatible with that community's land use plan and all applicable ordinances; or (b) a description of why the proposal is inconsistent with the land use plan or ordinances providing supporting evidence. If the community proposing the service extension does not receive a response in writing within the deadline, the proposal shall be determined to be consistent with the community's land use plan or land use ordinances.

3. If the community desiring to extend the water or sewer services receives a notification that the proposal is incompatible with the land use plan, the community may respond in writing within 10 days of receiving the notification of land use inconsistency by: (a) requesting a meeting to discuss a formal change to the land use plan; (b) agreeing with the content of the notification and stopping action on the proposed service extension.
4. In the event the respective jurisdictions seek mediation, the governments will agree on a mediator, mediation schedule and determine participants in the mediation. Any costs associated with the mediation will be shared pro rata by the county and the city based on population in accordance with the most recent decennial census.
5. A proposal to extend extraterritorial water and sewer service shall not be implemented until any bona fide land use plan or land use ordinance inconsistencies are resolved pursuant to the dispute resolution process.
6. However, the final determination of the land use plan or land use ordinances will be accorded to the governing body receiving the proposed service extension.

Section 2. All ordinances and resolutions in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

ATTEST:

Nee Ford
County Clerk

Worth County Board of Commissioners

By: Billy McDonald 9-16-99
Chairman Date

ATTEST:

[Signature]
Sumner City Clerk

Mayor and Council, Sumner, Georgia

By: James Damm 10/4/99
Mayor Date

ATTEST:

Neva Houston
Warwick City Clerk

Mayor and Council, Warwick, Georgia

By: Frank T. Myers 10-5-99
Mayor Date

ATTEST:

[Signature]
Poulan City Clerk
WP Disk 47 2/20/99

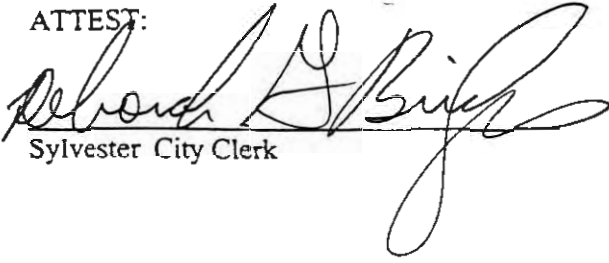
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By: Julie H. [Signature] 9/21/99
Date

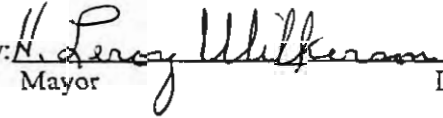
Mayor

Date

ATTEST:


Sylvester City Clerk

Mayor and Council, Sylvester, Georgia

By:  9-5-99
Mayor Date

**SERVICE DELIVERY STRATEGY
CERTIFICATIONS**

Instructions:

This page must, at a minimum, be signed by an authorized representative of the following governments: 1) the county; 2) the city serving as the county seat; 3) all cities having 1990 populations of over 9,000 residing within the county; and 4) no less than 50% of all other cities with a 1990 population of between 500 and 9,000 residing within the county. Cities with 1990 population below 500 and authorities providing services under the strategy are not required to sign this form, but are encouraged to do so. Attach additional copies of this page as necessary.

SERVICE DELIVERY STRATEGY FOR WORTH COUNTY

We, the undersigned authorized representatives of the jurisdictions listed below, certify that:

1. We have executed agreements for implementation of our service delivery strategy and the attached forms provide an accurate depiction of our agreed upon strategy (O.C.G.A. 36-70-21);
2. Our service delivery strategy promotes the delivery of local government services in the most efficient, effective, and responsive manner (O.C.G.A. 36-70-24 (1));
3. Our service delivery strategy provides that water or sewer fees charged to customers located outside the geographic boundaries of a service provider are reasonable and are not arbitrarily higher than the fees charged to customers located within the geographic boundaries of the service provider (O.C.G.A. 36-70-24 (2));
4. Our service delivery strategy ensures that the cost of any services the county government provides (including those jointly funded by the county and one or more municipalities) primarily for the benefit of the unincorporated area of the county are borne by the unincorporated area residents, individuals, and property owners who receive such service (O.C.G.A. 36-70-24 (3));
5. The process(es) for resolving land use disputes arising over annexation were established by the July 1, 1998 deadline (O.C.G.A. 36-70-24-(4)).

SIGNATURE:	NAME: <small>(Please print or type)</small>	TITLE:	JURISDICTION:	DATE:
<i>Billy McDonald</i>	Billy McDonald	Chairman	Worth County	9-16-99
<i>Julie H. Rogers</i>	Julie H. Rogers	Mayor	City of Poulan	9/21/99
<i>Theodore Myers</i>	Theodore Myers	Mayor	City of Warwick	9-21-99
<i>James Trammell</i>	James Trammell	Mayor	City of Sumner	10-5-99
<i>Leroy Wilkerson</i>	Leroy Wilkerson	Mayor	City of Sylvester	10-5-99

**A RESOLUTION ENTITLED
A RESOLUTION FORMALLY ADOPTING
THE WORTH COUNTY SERVICE DELIVERY STRATEGY
AS REQUIRED BY STATE LAW**

Be it resolved, by the Worth County Board of Commissioners, the mayors and City Councils of the cities of Poulan, Sumner, Sylvester and Warwick and it is hereby resolved by authority of same:

Whereas, Worth County has found it necessary to develop a service delivery strategy to provide for the elimination of duplication of services and other purposes as described under Title 36, Chapter 70 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated; and,

Whereas, Worth County and the cities of Poulan, Sumner, Sylvester and Warwick have executed agreements for implementation of our service delivery strategy and the attached forms provide an accurate depiction of our agreed upon strategy (O.C.G.A. 36-70-21); and,

Whereas, Worth County service delivery strategy promotes the delivery of local government services in the most efficient, effective, and responsive manner (O.C.G.A. 36-70-24 (1)); and,

Whereas, Worth County service delivery strategy provides that water or sewer fees charged to customers located outside the geographic boundaries of a service provider are reasonable and are not arbitrarily higher than the fees charged to customers located within the geographic boundaries of the service provider (O.C.G.A. 36-70-24 (2)); and,

Whereas, Worth County service delivery strategy ensures that the cost of any services the county government provides (including those jointly funded by the county and one or more municipalities) primarily for the benefit of the unincorporated area of the county are borne by the unincorporated area residents, individuals, and property owners who receive such service (O.C.G.A. 36-70-24 (3)).

Therefore, be it resolved by the Board of Commissioners of Worth County, Georgia that the Worth County service delivery strategy be submitted to the Department of Community Affairs for approval, and that the chairman be authorized to sign the service delivery strategy document on behalf of the County, and that the mayors of the cities of Poulan, Sumner, Sylvester and Warwick be authorized to sign the service delivery strategy document on behalf of those cities.

Adopted this day, September, 16, 1999.

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Worth County Board of Commissioners

Nee Ford
Witness

By: Billy McDonald 9-16-99
Chairman Date

City of Poulan

By: Julie Rogers 9/21/99
Mayor Date

Town of Sumner

By: James Sumner 10/4/99
Mayor Date

City of Sylvester

By: H. Leroy Wilkerson 9-5-99
Mayor Date

City of Warwick

By: Sheela F. Myers 9-21-99
Mayor Date

Neva Houston
Witness



GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF
COMMUNITY AFFAIRS

Jim Higdon
COMMISSIONER

Roy E. Barnes
GOVERNOR

MEMORANDUM

TO: Honorable Billy McDonald, Chairman
Worth County Commission

Honorable Julie H. Rogers
Mayor, City of Poulan

Honorable Theodore Myers
Mayor, City of Warwick

Honorable James Trammell
Mayor, City of Sumner

Honorable Leroy Wilkerson
Mayor, City of Sylvester

FROM: Jim Higdon
Commissioner

DATE: October 29, 1999

SUBJECT: Verification of Service Delivery Strategy

In accordance with the provisions of the Service Delivery Strategy law, we have determined that your strategy includes the necessary components and addresses the mandatory criteria identified in the law; and therefore, we are pleased to verify your strategy as meeting the requirements of the law.

It is our belief that preparing and implementing a service delivery strategy will assist communities in providing services to their citizens more effectively and efficiently. The benefits of your efforts can be maximized by using your strategy as a reference and management tool as you and other local governments make decisions concerning the provision of local services.

Please remember that the Service Delivery Strategy law states that "projects which are inconsistent with a strategy will be ineligible for state funding and permits." Therefore, prior to seeking future state grant, loan or permit assistance for local service improvements, you should ensure that such requests for assistance are consistent with the locally agreed upon service delivery strategy.

October 29, 1999

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Also, keep in mind that local governments are required to revise their approved strategy when any one of the following conditions are met:

1. In conjunction with the update of your local government's comprehensive plan;
2. Whenever the service delivery or revenue distribution arrangements are changed (e.g., whenever the local governments within the County decide to change how a service is provided or funded); or
3. In the event of the creation, abolition or consolidation of local governments.

With local governments such as Worth County and the Cities of Poulan, Warwick, Sumner, and Sylvester preparing and carrying out rational service delivery strategies, Georgia's citizens can look forward to effective and efficient delivery of local services in the future. We commend you for your hard work and dedication and look forward to working with you in the future.

JH/kdm

cc: Senator Rooney L. Bowen
Representative Ray Holland
Jerry Griffin, ACCG
Jim Calvin, GMA
Dan Bollinger, Executive Director
Southwest Georgia RDC