GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AFFAIRS



SERVICE DELIVERY STRATEGY

FOR EARLY COUNTY

PAGE 1

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.

Early County; City of Arlington; City of Blakely; City of Damascus; City of Jakin; Hospital Authority; Development Authority

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.

Airport	Elections (Other)	Parks & Recreation	Tax Assessor
Animal Control	Electric/Gas Utilities	Planning & Zoning	Tax Commissioner
Building Inspection	Emergency Management &	Public Health Services	Tourism
Cemetery	Rescue	Public Works	Voter Registration
Code Enforcement	Fire Protection	Road/Bridge Construction &	Water Supply/Distribution
Courts (Traffic)	Headstart Center	Maintenance	
Courts (Other)	Hospital/Nursing Home /	Senior Center	
Cultural Programs	Emergency Medical	Sewage Collection/Dispoal	
Economic Development	Indigent Defense	Social Services	
E-911	Law Enforcement / Jail	Solid Waste Management	
Elections (Mayor, Council)	Library	Storm Water Management	



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County: Early Service: Airport

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

 \overline{X} 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.): Early 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 servicee:

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.):

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

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).

Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
Early County	General Funds

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

No Change			

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?

N/A

- 7. Person completing form: Kathy Howard, County Administrator Phone number: (229) 723 – 4304 Date completed: June 2009
- 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? X Yes No

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



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County: Early Service: Animal Control

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.):

 \square 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: City of Blakely

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.):

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

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).

Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
City of Blakely	General Funds

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

No Change			

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?

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County: Early Service: Building Inspection

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.):

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

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).

Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
City of Blakely	General Funds

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

No Change			

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?

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County: Early Service: Cemetery

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

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Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
City of Arlington	General Funds
City of Blakely	General Funds
City of Jakin	General Funds

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

No Change

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:

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County: Early Service: Code Enforcement

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

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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:

 \overline{X} 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.): City of Blakely; Early County

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 XNo

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Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
Early County	General Funds
City of Blakely	General Funds

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

No Change

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:

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County: Early Service: Courts (Traffic)

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

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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.):

 \overline{X} 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: City of Arlington; City of Blakely; City of Damascus

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Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
City of Arlington	General Funds
City of Blakely	General Funds
City of Damascus	General Funds

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

No Change

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?

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County: Early Service: Courts (Other)

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

 \overline{X} 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.): Early County

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2. In developing the strategy, were overlapping service areas, unnecessary competition and/or duplication of this service identified?
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Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
Early County	General Funds

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

No Change			

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:

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County: Early Service: Cultural Programs

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

 \overline{X} 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.): Chamber of Commerce

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:

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Yes X No

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Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
Early County	General Funds
City of Blakely	General Funds & Hotel/Motel Taxes

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

No Change

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:
Contract for Services	Chamber & Early County	July 1- June 30
Contract for Services	Chamber & City of Blakely	Jan. 1 – Dec. 31, annually

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?

N/A

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County: Early Service: Economic Development

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

 \overline{X} 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.): Development Authority, Early County 2055

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:
Early County	General Funds
Development Authority	General Funds
Early County 2055	General Funds

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

No Change

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:
Agreement	E Co. Dev. Auth. & E.C. 2055	Oct – Sept, annually

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?

N/A

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County: Early Service: E-911

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

 \overline{X} 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.): Early County Department of Public Safety

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Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
Early County	General Funds & ETS Funds
City of Blakely	General Funds

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

No Change

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:
Law Enforcement Cooperation	Early County, all	Jan. 2004 - Present
	Municipalities and Dept	
	Of Public Safety	

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: Early Service: Elections (Mayor & Council)

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Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
City of Arlington	General Funds
City of Blakely	General Funds
City of Jakin	General Funds
City of Damascus	General Funds

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

No Change

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?

N/A

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County: Early Service: Elections (other)

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

 \overline{X} 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.): Early 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.):

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

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).

Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
Early County	General Funds

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

No Change			

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?

N/A

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County: Early Service: Electric / Gas Utilities

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.):

 \overline{X} 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: City of Arlington; City of Blakely

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.):

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

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).

Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
City of Arlington	General Funds
City of Blakely	General Funds

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

No Change

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?

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County: Early Service: Emergency Management & Rescue

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

 \overline{X} 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.): Early 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 X 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).

Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
Early County	General Funds
City of Blakely	General Funds

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

No Change

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:
Agreement for Services	Early County & Southern	July 2001 - Present
	Nuclear Operating Co., Inc.	

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?

N/A

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County: Early Service: Fire Protection

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:

 \square 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.): Early County and all municipalities

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 XNo

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).

Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
Early County	General Funds
City of Arlington	General Funds
City of Blakely	General Funds
City of Damascus	General Funds
City of Jakin	General Funds

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

No Change

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:
Rural Fire Agreement	Early County & City of Blakely	Nov 2001 - Present

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?

N/A

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County: Early Service: HeadStart Center

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

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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.):

 \overline{X} 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: City of Arlington

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 XNo

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).

Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
City of Arlington	General Funds

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

No Change			

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?

N/A

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County: Early Service: Hospital/Nursing Home/Emergency Medical

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

 \overline{X} 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.): Hospital Authority

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 XNo

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).

Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
Hospital Authority	General Funds
Early County	General Funds
Archbold Memorial Hospital	General Funds

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

No Change

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:
Indigent Care Contract	Early Co. & Hospital Auth	June 1995 – Present
Memorandum of Understanding	Early Co., Hospital Auth. &	Jan. 1995 – Present
	Archbold	
Management & Lease Agmt	Hospital Auth & Archbold	Jan. 1995 - Present

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?

N/A

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County: Early Service: Indigent Defense

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

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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 XNo

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).
Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
Early County	General Funds

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

No Change			

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?

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County: Early Service: Law Enforcement / Jail

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

X 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.): Early County Department of Public Safety

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:

 \square 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.): City of Arlington; City of Damascus provide services within jurisdictions

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.):

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

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).

Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
Early County	General Funds
City of Arlington	General Funds
City of Blakely	General Funds
City of Damascus	General Funds
City of Jakin	General Funds

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

No Change

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:
Law Enforcement Cooperation	Early County, Blakely, Dept of	Jan 2008 – Dec 2011
	Public Safety	

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?

N/A

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County: Early Service: Library

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

 \overline{X} 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.): Desoto Trail Regional Library

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.):

 \mathbf{X} 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.): The City of Jakin also has a municipal library that is partially funded by the county.

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

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).

Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
Early County	General Funds
City of Blakely	General Funds
City of Jakin	General Funds

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

No Change

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?

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County: Early Service: Parks & Recreation

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

 \overline{X} 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.): Department of Recreation Board

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.):

 \checkmark 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.): The City of Arlington has a recreation program that is partially funded by the County. The City of Jakin maintains a city park.

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

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).

Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
Early County	General Funds
City of Arlington	General Funds
City of Blakely	General Funds
City of Jakin	General Funds
Recreation Department	User Fees

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

No Change

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?

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County: Early Service: Planning and Zoning

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

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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:

 \overline{X} 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.): Early County and all municipalities

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.):

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

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).

Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
Early County	General Funds
City of Arlington	General Funds
City of Blakely	General Funds
City of Damascus	General Funds
City of Jakin	General Funds

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

No Change

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:

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N/A

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County: Early Service: Public Health Services

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

 \overline{X} 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.): State of Georgia

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 X 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).

Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
Early County	General Funds

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

No Change			

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?

N/A

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County: Early Service: Public Works

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.):

To ne 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: City of Arlington; City of Blakely; City of Damascus; City of Jakin

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.):

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

Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
City of Arlington	General Funds
City of Blakely	General Funds
City of Damascus	General Funds
City of Jakin	General Funds

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

The County was deleted from this summary although it did not provide public works previously.

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?

N/A

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County: Early Service: Road / Bridge Construction and Maintenance

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:

 \overline{X} 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.): Early County and all municipalities

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.):

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

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).

Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
Early County	General Funds
City of Arlington	General Funds
City of Blakely	General Funds
City of Damascus	General Funds
City of Jakin	General Funds

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

No Change

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?

N/A

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County: Early Service: Senior Center

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

 \overline{X} 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.): Early County Senior Center in Blakely

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.):

 \overline{X} 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: City of Arlington has a Senior Center that serves Calhoun County and Early County

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.):

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

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).

Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
City of Arlington	General Funds
City of Blakely	General Funds

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

No Change

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?

N/A

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County: Early Service: Sewage Collection / Disposal

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.):

 \overline{X} 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: City of Arlington; City of Blakely

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.):

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

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).

Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
City of Arlington	Enterprise Funds
City of Blakely	Enterprise Funds

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

No Change

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?

N/A

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County: Early Service: Social Services

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

X 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.): State of Georgia

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 XNo

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).

Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
Early County	General Funds

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

No Change			

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?

N/A

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County: Early Service: Solid Waste Management

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:

 \overline{X} 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.): Early County and all municipalities

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.):

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

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).

Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
Early County	General Funds
City of Arlington	General Funds & User Fees
City of Blakely	General Funds & Enterprise Funds
City of Damascus	General Funds & User Fees
City of Jakin	General Funds & User Fees

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

No Change

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?

N/A

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County: Early Service: Storm Water Management

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.):

 \overline{X} 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: City of Blakely

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.):

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

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).

Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
City of Blakely	General Funds

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

No Change			

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?

N/A

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County: Early Service: Tax Assessor

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

X 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.): Early 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.):

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

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).

Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
Early County	General Funds

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

No Change			

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?

N/A

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County: Early Service: Tax Commissioner

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

 \overline{X} 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.): Early 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.):

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

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).

Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
Early County	General Funds

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

No Change			

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?

N/A

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County: Early Service: Tourism

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.): Chamber of Commerce

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 X 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).

Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:	
Early County	General Funds	
City of Blakely	General Funds & Hotel/Motel Taxes	

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:
Contract for Services	Chamber & Early County	July 1 – June 30, annually
Contract for Services	Chamber & City of Blakely	Jan 1 – Dec 31, annually

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: Early Service: Voter Registration

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

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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 X No

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Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
Early 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:		

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: _Kathy Howard, County Administrator Phone number: (229) 723 - 4304 Date completed: June 2009
- 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? X Yes No

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



Instructions:

Make copies of this form and complete one for each service listed on page 1, Section III. Use exactly the same service names listed on page 1. Answer each question below, attaching additional pages as necessary. If the contact person for this service (listed at the bottom of the page) changes, this should be reported to the Department of Community Affairs.

County: Early Service: Water Supply / Distribution

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.):

 \overline{X} 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: City of Arlington; City of Blakely; City of Damascus; City of Jakin

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.):

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

Local Government or Authority:	Funding Method:
City of Arlington	Enterprise Funds
City of Blakely	Enterprise Funds
City of Damascus	Enterprise Funds
City of Jakin	Enterprise 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: _Kathy Howard, County Administrator Phone number: (229) 723-4304 Date completed: June 2009
- 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? X Yes No

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

SERVICE DELIVERY STRATEGY SUMMARY OF LAND USE AGREEMENTS

PAGE 3

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: EARLY

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

Early County and its 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, Early County and its municipal governments formally adopted a consolidated comprehensive plan in 2009 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
- X adoption of a joint comprehensive plan
- ⁻ other measures (amend zoning ordinances, add environmental regulations, etc.
- If "other measures" was checked, describe these measures:

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.

Early 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 interjurisdictional notification, mediation and a forum for resolution of land use conflicts.

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.

The County and its municipal governments have all adopted a joint resolution which established a formal process to insure that new extra territorial water and sewer service extensions are consistent with applicable land use plans.

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?

5. Person completing form: Kathy Howard, County Administrator

Phone number: (229) 723-4304

__ Date completed: <u>June 2009</u>

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? X Yes ⁻ No

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



SERVICE DELIVERY STRATEGY CERTIFICATIONS

PAGE 4



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 populations 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 EARLY 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)); and
- 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)).

SIGNATURE:	NAME: (Please print or type)	TITLE:	JURISDICTION:	DATE:
FHund	Richard Ward, III	County Commission Chairman	Early County	6-8-09
Jecome Guld.	Jerome Brakins	Mayor	City of Arlington	6/9/89
Rie Stall	Ric Hall	Mayor	City of Blakely	6-2-09
Servicin Pourdes	Vivian Pounder	Mayor	City of Damascus	6/16/09
Frutty R Mayoro	Timothy Rogers	Mayor	City of Jakin	6-9-09

A RESOLUTION FORMALLY ADOPTING THE UPDATES TO THE EARLY COUNTY SERVICE DELIVERY STRATEGY AS REQUIRED BY STATE LAW

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Whereas, the local governments of Early County are required to review their existing Service Delivery Strategy concurrently with the update to the Early County Consolidated Comprehensive Plan to determine if the Strategy continues to reflect the preferred arrangements for providing local services; and,

Whereas, the governments of Early County have found it necessary to make minor revisions to the Service Delivery Strategy; and,

Whereas, the revised Service Delivery Strategy promotes the delivery of local government services in the most efficient, effective and responsive manner for all residents, individuals and property owners throughout the county; and,

Therefore, be it resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Blakely, Georgia that the revised Early County Service Delivery Strategy be submitted to the Georgia Department of Community Affairs for approval, and that the Mayor be authorized to sign the Service Delivery Strategy document of behalf of the City.

Be it further resolved, by the Mayor and City Council of Blakely, Georgia to approve and adopt these revisions to the Early County Service Delivery Strategy.

Duly enacted this Angle of June, 2009

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Ric Hall Mayor, City of Blakely



Witness

Melinda Crook, City Clerk

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A RESOLUTION FORMALLY ADOPTING THE UPDATES TO THE EARLY COUNTY SERVICE DELIVERY STRATEGY AS REQUIRED BY STATE LAW

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Whereas, the governments of Early County have found it necessary to make minor revisions to the Service Delivery Strategy; and,

Whereas, the revised Service Deli ry Strategy promotes the delivery of local government services in the most efficient, effective and responsive manner for all residents, individuals and property owners throughout the county; and,

Therefore, be it resolved by the Mayor and C²² Council of Damascus, Georgia that the revised Early County Service Delivery Strategy *is* submitted to the Georgia Department of Community Affairs for approval, and that the Mayor be authorized to sign the Service Delivery Strategy document of behalf of the City.

Be it further resolved, by the Mayor and City Council of Damascus, Georgia to approve and adopt these revisions to the Early County Service Delivery Strategy.

Duly enacted this 30 day of June, 2009

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Vivian Pounder Mayor, City of Damascus

Witness

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A RESOLUTION FORMALLY ADOPTING THE UPDATES TO THE EARLY COUNTY SERVICE DELIVERY STRATEGY AS REQUIRED BY STATE LAW

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Whereas, the governments of Early County have found it necessary to make minor revisions to the Service Delivery Strategy; and,

Whereas, the revised Service Delivery Strategy promotes the delivery of local government services in the most efficient, effective and responsive manner for all residents, individuals and property owners throughout the county; and,

Therefore, be it resolved by the Board of Commissioners of Early County, Georgia that the revised Early County Service Delivery Strategy be submitted to the Georgia Department of Community Affairs for approval, and that the chairman be authorized to sign the Service Delivery Strategy document of behalf of the County.

Be it further resolved, by the Board of Commissioners of Early County, Georgia to approve and adopt these revisions to the Early County Service Delivery Strategy.

Duly enacted this 8^{++} day of June, 2009

Richard Ward, III Chairman, Early County Board of Commissioners

Witness

Kathy Howard, County Clerk

A RESOLUTION FORMALLY ADOPTING THE UPDATES TO THE EARLY COUNTY SERVICE DELIVERY STRATEGY AS REQUIRED BY STATE LAW

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Whereas, the governments of Early County have found it necessary to make minor revisions to the Service Delivery Strategy; and,

Whereas, the revised Service Delivery Strategy promotes the delivery of local government services in the most efficient, effective and responsive manner for all residents, individuals and property owners throughout the county; and,

Therefore, be it resolved by the Mayor and City Council of Jakin, Georgia that the revised Early County Service Delivery Strategy be submitted to the Georgia Department of Community Affairs for approval, and that the Mayor be authorized to sign the Service Delivery Strategy document of behalf of the City.

Be it further resolved, by the Mayor and City Council of Jakin, Georgia to approve and adopt these revisions to the Early County Service Delivery Strategy.

Duly enacted this $\underline{9+h}$ day of June, 2009

Timothy Rogers

Mayor, City of Jakin

Witness

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