





SERVICE DELIVERY STRATEGY

FORM 1

COUNTY: BALDWIN

I. GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. FORM 1 is required for **ALL** SDS submittals. 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 that are continuing *without change* in Section III, below. (It is acceptable to break a service into separate components if this will facilitate description of the service delivery strategy.)

OPTION A Revising or Adding to the SDS	OPTION B Extending the Existing SDS
 4. List all services provided or primarily funded by each general purpose local government and authority within the county which are revised or added to the SDS in Section IV, below. (It is acceptable to break a service into separate components if this will facilitate description of the service delivery strategy.) 5. For each service or service component listed in Section IV, complete a separate, updated <i>Summary of Service Delivery Arrangements</i> form (FORM 2). 	 4. In Section IV type, "NONE." 5. Complete one copy of the <i>Certifications for Extension of Existing SDS</i> form (FORM 5) and have it signed by the authorized representatives of the participating local governments. [Please note that DCA cannot validate the strategy unless it is signed by the local governments required by law (see Instructions, FORM 5).] 6. Proceed to step 7, below.
6. Complete one copy of the <i>Certifications</i> form (FORM 4) and have it 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, FORM 4).]	For answers to most frequently asked questions on Georgia's Service Delivery Act, links and helpful publications, visit DCA's website at http://www.dca.ga.gov/development/PlanningQ ualityGrowth/programs/servicedelivery.asp, or call the Office of Planning and Quality Growth at (404) 679-5279.

7. If any of the conditions described in the existing *Summary of Land Use Agreements* form (FORM 3) have changed or if it has been ten (10) or more years since the most recent FORM 3 was filed, update and include FORM 3 with the submittal.

8. Provide the completed forms and any attachments to your regional commission. The regional commission will upload digital copies of the SDS documents to the Department's password-protected web-server.

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 UNDER THE "OPTION A" PROCESS DESCRIBED, ABOVE. 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.

Baldwin County, City of Milledgeville, Downtown Development Authority, Convention and Visitors Bureau, Development Authority of Milledgeville-Baldwin County, Fall Line Regional Development Authority, Sinclair Water Authority

III. SERVICES INCLUDED IN THE EXISTING SERVICE DELIVERY STRATEGY THAT ARE BEING EXTENDED WITHOUT CHANGE:

In this section, list each service or service component already included in the existing SDS which can continue as previously agreed with no need for modification.

Airport, Allied Arts, Animal Control, Building Inspections, Business Licenses, Cemetery, Code Enforcement, Court Services, E-911 Communications, Economic Development, Emergency Management Agency, Emergency Medical Services, Fire Protection/Prevention, Golf, Jail, Law Enforcement, Library, Recreation, Roads and Bridges, Sewage Collection, Sewage Treatment, Solid Waste Collection/Recycling, Solid Waste Disposal, Stormwater Management, Street Cleaning, Street Lighting, Traffic Control, Water Distribution, Water Treatment

IV. SERVICES THAT ARE BEING REVISED OR ADDED IN THIS SUBMITTAL:

In this section, list each new service or new service component which is being added and each service or service component which is being revised in this submittal. For each item listed here, a separate Summary of Service Delivery Arrangements form (FORM 2) must be completed.

NONE







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FORM 3: Summary of Land Use Agreements

Instructions:

Answer each question below, attaching additional pages as necessary. Please note that any changes to the answers provided will require an update 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: BALDWIN
1. What incompatibilities or conflicts between the land use plans of local governments were identified in the process of developing the service delivery strategy?
Baldwin County and the City of Milledgeville have adopted a Joint Comprehensive Plan that contains a compatible and
nonconflicting Land Use element. The county and city utilize the existing land use element contained within the Joint
Comprehensive Plan as a basis for land use classifications within their jurisdictions.

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

 \boxtimes Amendments to existing comprehensive plans

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.

3. 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? Baldwin County, the City of Milledgeville, and the Sinclair Water Authority will work cooperatively to address water and sewer line extensions. The county and city planning staff will work cooperatively to ensure consistency of any actions with the land use element of the comprehensive plan.

4. Person completing form: Greg Boike, Middle Georgia Regional Commission

Phone number: (478) 751-6160 Date completed: February 2, 2018

5. 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:

CARLOS TOBAR, BALDWIN COUNTY MANAGER, (478) 445-4791







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FORM 5: Certifications for Extension of Existing SDS

Instructions: This two page form 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 a 2010 population of over 9,000 residing within the county; and 4) no less than 50% of all other cities with a 2010 population of between 500 and 9,000 residing within the county. Cities with a 2010 population below 500 and local authorities providing services under the strategy are not required to sign this form, but are encouraged to do so.

If the strategy for providing **ANY** local service is being revised, FORM 5 <u>CANNOT</u> be used. When revisions are necessary, a submittal <u>MUST</u> include updates to FORM 1, FORM 2, and FORM 4 that cover ALL local services.

COUNTY: BALDWIN COUNTY

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

We have reviewed our existing Service Delivery Strategy (SDS) and have determined that it continues to accurately
reflect our preferred arrangements for providing <u>ALL</u> local services throughout our county and no changes in our
Strategy are needed at this time. We authorize its extension until:

Select 1 box, below	Type End-Year Below
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🛛 June 30,	2018
October 31,	
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- Each of our governing bodies (County Commission and City Councils) that are a party to this strategy have adopted resolutions agreeing to the Service Delivery arrangements identified in our strategy and have executed agreements for implementation of our service delivery strategy (O.C.G.A. 36-70-21);
- Our service delivery strategy continues to promote the delivery of local government services in the most efficient, effective, and responsive manner for all residents, individuals and property owners throughout the county (O.C.G.A. 36-70-24(1));
- 4. Our service delivery strategy continues to provide 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));
- 5. Our service delivery strategy continues to ensure 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));
- 6. Our Service Delivery Strategy continues to ensure that the officially adopted County and City land use plans of all local governments located in the County are compatible and nonconflicting (O.C.G.A. 36-70-24 (4)(A));
- 7. Our Service Delivery Strategy continues to ensure that the provision of extraterritorial water and sewer services by any jurisdiction is consistent with all County and City land use plans and ordinances (O.C.G.A. 36-70-24 (4)(B)); and
- 8. DCA has been provided a copy of this certification and copies of all forms, maps and supporting agreements needed to accurately depict our agreed upon strategy (O.C.G.A. 36-70-27).

