

County Strategy	Hart	RDC	Georgia Mountains
Submitter	County	Reviewer	<input type="checkbox"/>
Submitter Type	County	Expiration Date	8/1/2015
Amend Service	Sewer	Notes:	
Received	7/31/2006	<p>SDS for sewer, with a new expiration date. Map of sewer service areas is included. There is a description of the service delivery arrangements for sewer which is signed by all three local governments. This description ends by saying "It is in the interest of the elected officials of the Hart County community to continue the Sewer service delivery until such time as the participants agree upon an enhanced service delivery." I have not researched this to see if a page 4 is NOT required for extension of an expiration date, which may be all this constitutes. Contact is Jon Caime, Hart County Administrator.</p>	
Assigned			
Reviewer Deadline	8/20/2006		
DCA Deadline	8/30/2006		
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Deficiency Memo			
Revisions Recd			
Verification Memo			

Verification letter
 created 8/29/06
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July 26, 2006

RE: Hart County Service Delivery Strategy-Sewer

VIA EXPRESS MAIL

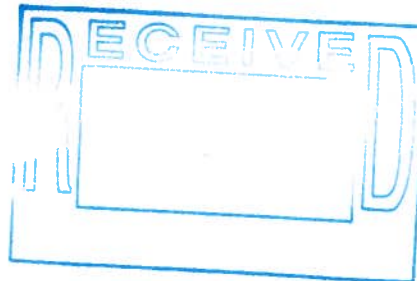
Dear Dan,

Enclosed is the service delivery strategy for sewer for the City of Hartwell, City of Royston, and Hart County. The new expiration date for this SDS coincides with most of the other SDS of the County at 2015.

Sincerely,

Jon Caime
Hart County Administrator

Cc: David Aldrich Hartwell City Manager (for distribution to City of Hartwell), Hart County Board of Commissioners, County Attorney, John Simmons Royston City Manager (for distribution to City of Royston), Pat Goran (HCWSUA)



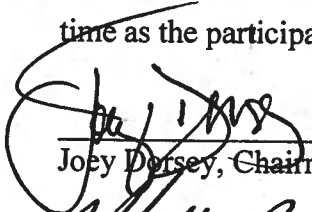
**HART COUNTY, HARTWELL, ROYSTON
SEWER
SERVICE DELIVERY STRATEGY**

Hart County has a State authorized water and sewer authority that has a mission of providing sewer and water service to the unincorporated sections of Hart County. However the development of sewer resources in the County is currently limited. Hart County has sewer service to the Interstate area in the Northern section of the County serving a new industrial park with potential to serve other areas outside this park. Sewer is managed by an intergovernmental agreement with the City of Lavonia in Franklin County.

The City of Hartwell operates a sewer treatment plant and provides sewer service to the City of Hartwell, and to limited unincorporated areas near the city. The City of Hartwell and Hart County recognize the need to be able to provide more sewer service to areas outside the incorporated areas near the city of Hartwell. The parties will continue to investigate ways to provide this service to these areas where both parties benefit.

The City of Royston operates sewer service for the City of Royston. The City is currently at capacity however the City and County intend to explore options to provide additional service in this area.

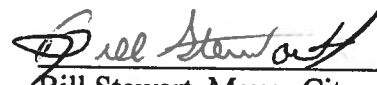
The undersigned agree that the delivery procedure in place does not demonstrate a duplication of service under existing circumstances. It is the interest of the elected officials of the Hart County community to continue the Sewer service delivery until such time as the participants agree upon an enhanced service delivery.



Joey Dorsey, Chairman Hart County Board of Commissioners



Matt Beasley, Mayor City of Hartwell



Bill Stewart, Mayor City of Royston



SERVICE DELIVERY STRATEGY
SUMMARY OF SERVICE DELIVERY ARRANGEMENTS **PAGE 2**

Instructions:

Make copies of this form and complete one for each service listed on page 1, Section 111. 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: Hart Service: Sewer

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): _____

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.)-

Hart County, Hartwell, Royston

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

Yes No

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

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

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

<i>Local Government or Authority:</i>	<i>Funding Method:</i>
Hart County Water and Sewer Auth.	General Fund
Hartwell	General Fund Sewer Enterprise Fund <i>etc.</i>
Royston	Sewer Enterprise Fund

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

The City of Hartwell and Hart County may investigate the potential for providing sewer service to the unincorporated areas near the City of Hartwell. The City of Royston and Hart County may investigate the potential for providing sewer service to the unincorporated areas near the City of Royston.

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

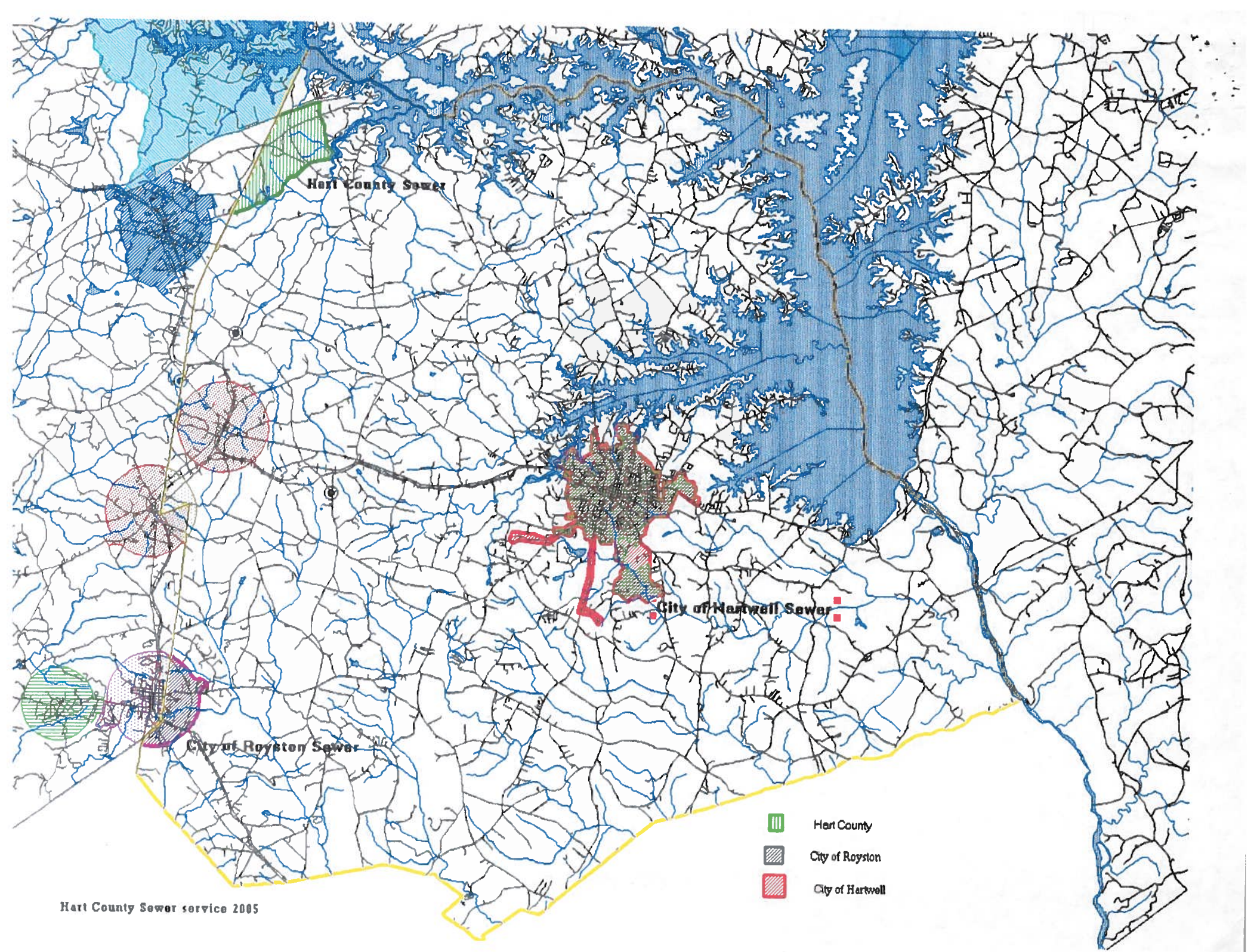
<i>Agreement Name:</i>	<i>Contracting Parties:</i>	<i>Effective and Ending Dates:</i>
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6. What other mechanisms (if any) will be used to implement the strategy for this service (e.g., ordinances, resolutions, local acts of the General Assembly, rate or fee changes, etc.), and when will they take effect?

7. Person completing form: Jon Caime, Hart County Administrator
 Phone number: 706-856-5306 Date completed: 5/16/06

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

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



Hart County Sewer service 2005

-  Hart County
-  City of Royston
-  City of Hartwell