

Report of Accomplishments	STATUS OF PROJECT OR ACTIVITY				**Currently underway or temporarily postponed activities or projects should appear in new STWP	
	Project or Activity from Previous STWP	Completed	**Currently Underway	**Postponed**	Not Accomplished*	*Explanation for Postponed or Not Accomplished Project or Activity
Participate in the Oconee Industrial Development Authority and Chamber of Commerce for promotion of commercial development.			X			
Increase the aesthetic appeal of the community through the placement of public art displays taking advantage of Watkinsville's expanding art community and promote Watkinsville as a day trip destination for arts, crafts and cultural activities.			X			
Incorporate locally significant historic landmarks into the design of new development, where applicable.			X			
Reduce levels of impervious surface through the implementation of tree protection and planting programs.			X			
Redevelop Rocket Field from its existing use as a baseball diamond to a community square available for passive recreation and civic uses.					X	Not accomplished due to lack of public interest.
Expand the existing community park, and develop one additional community park to provide recreation opportunities within walking distance of existing and future residents.		X				
Develop a multi-modal master plan that includes greenway trails, bicycle lanes and sidewalks that coordinates new development with the construction of new facilities.			X			
Develop a multi-use greenway system utilizing stream corridors.			X			
Develop public/private partnerships and require shared parking lots within new Central Business District development to increase the amount of public parking space.		X				
Continue to work with Oconee County in accessing the service delivery strategy and mitigate inefficiencies through strategic planning and cooperative aid agreements.			X			
Modify existing Zoning and Subdivision Regulations as needed to address future development, public health, safety and welfare.			X			
Consider the Future Land Use Map in the zoning amendment procedures when reviewing requests.			X			

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Project Description	13	14	15	16	17	Funding	Responsible Party
Economic Development							
Participate in the Oconee Industrial Development Authority and Chamber of Commerce for promotion of commercial development. <u>CATERPILLAR SITE</u>	X	X	X	X	X	N/A	City of Watkinsville
Increase the aesthetic appeal of the community through the placement of public art displays taking advantage of Watkinsville's expanding art community and promote Watkinsville as a day trip destination for arts, crafts and cultural activities.	X	X	X	X	X	Private donations	City of Watkinsville
Natural and Historic Resources							
Incorporate locally significant historic landmarks into the design of new development, where applicable. <u>Survey by UGA of buildings of historic value.</u>	X	X	X	X	X	City operations \$30,000	City of Watkinsville
Reduce levels of impervious surface through the implementation of tree protection and planting programs.	X	X	X	X	X	City operations	City of Watkinsville
Community Facilities							
Expand the existing community park, and develop one additional community park to provide recreation opportunities within walking distance of existing and future residents. <u>Awaiting DNR trails grant for property contiguous with Harris Shoals Park.</u>	X	X	X	X	X	\$50,000 City operations	City of Watkinsville & DNR
Circulation/Traffic Facilities							
Streetscape II Plan - @ GDOT for approval.	X	X	X	X	X	\$552,500 City operations (\$110,500) & Federal grant (\$442,000)	City of Watkinsville & Federal Grant
Develop a multi-modal master plan that includes greenway trails, bicycle lanes and sidewalks that coordinates new development with the construction of new facilities.	X	X	X	X	X	City operations	City of Watkinsville
Develop a multi-use greenway system utilizing stream corridors.	X	X	X	X	X	City General Fund, SPLOST	City of Watkinsville
Land Use							
Continue to work with Oconee County in assessing the service delivery strategy and mitigate inefficiencies through strategic planning and cooperative aid agreements.	X	X	X	X	X	N/A	City of Watkinsville
Modifying existing Zoning and Subdivision Regulations as needed to address future development, public health, safety and welfare.	X	X	X	X	X	\$5,000 City operations	City of Watkinsville
Consider the Future Land Use Map in the zoning amendment procedures when reviewing rezones.	X	X	X	X	X	N/A	City of Watkinsville



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RESOLUTION OF ADOPTION

WHEREAS, the 1989 Georgia General Assembly enacted House Bill 215, the *Georgia Planning Act*, Requiring all local governments to prepare a five year Short Term Work Program in accordance with the *Minimum Planning Standards and Procedures* promulgated by the Georgia Department of Community affairs; and

WHEREAS, the Short Term Work Program for City of Watkinsville dated 2013-2017, has been prepared in accordance with the *Minimum Planning Standards and Procedures*; and

WHEREAS, the Short Term Work Program for City of Watkinsville, dated 2013-2017 has been approved by the Georgia Department of Community Affairs and the Northeast Georgia Regional Commission.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City of Watkinsville City Council that the Short Term Work Program for City of Watkinsville dated 2013-2017, as approved by the Georgia Department of Community Affairs is hereby adopted, and furthermore, that the Northeast Georgia Regional Development Center shall be notified of said adoption within seven (7) days of the adoption of this resolution.

Adopted this 12th day of June, 2013.

BY:



ATTEST:


