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SPLOST FUNDS SIDEWALK, INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENTS

(Lawrenceville, Ga., April 20, 2016) – The Gwinnett County Board of Commissioners on Tuesday approved close to \$2.8 million in transportation contracts to build four sections of sidewalk and two intersection improvements. Funding comes from SPLOST.

District 3 Commissioner Tommy Hunter said, “With the weather warming up, it’s time to get to work pouring some sidewalks. I want to thank Gwinnett voters for their approval of SPLOST that funds transportation improvements like the ones that will get under way soon.”

Commissioners approved the low bid of \$493,644.50 by Peach State Construction to install sidewalk in southern Gwinnett County. The sidewalks will run along the east side of Bethany Church Road from U.S. 78 to Overland Trail. Sidewalk will also be added along the east side of Killian Hill Road for 630 feet. Additionally, curb and gutter and drainage improvements will be constructed. These two projects total just over a half mile of sidewalk.

Commissioners also awarded a contract for \$609,654 to low bidder CMES to build sidewalks along Lee Road and Telida Trail, also in southern Gwinnett. Along with .65 miles of sidewalk, curb and gutter and drainage improvements will also be made.

CMES was the low bidder as well on intersection improvements at State Route 124/Braselton Highway at Mount Moriah Road and Hamilton Mill Road at Old Hamilton Mill Road. The award of \$1,690,389 calls for the contractor to add a traffic signal along with left-turn lanes and an eastbound right-turn lane on State Route 124/Braselton Highway at Mount Moriah Road. The Hamilton Mill Road at Old Hamilton Mill Road project will upgrade the intersection and add an eastbound right-turn lane on Hamilton Mill Road. Both projects also include curb and gutter and drainage improvements.

Additional information about these and other SPLOST road improvement projects can be found on the County’s website at www.gwinnettcounty.com.

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