

## Gwinnett County Government Communications Division NEWS RELEASE

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## **BOARD APPROVES ROAD CONTRACTS**

(Lawrenceville, Ga., Jan. 19, 2016) – Gwinnett commissioners on Tuesday approved construction contracts for various SPLOST-funded pedestrian safety and intersection improvement projects.

One project will add about two total miles of sidewalks along the northern side of Burns Road from Beaver Ruin Road to East Johns Road, along both sides of Dickens Road from Indian Trail-Lilburn Road to Indian Way, and along both sides of Beaver Ruin Road from Shady Drive to Beaver Ruin Court. The new sidewalks will fill gaps and provide connectivity to existing sidewalks located in the Lilburn area. The \$1.1 million contract was awarded to low bidder Summit Construction.

CMES Inc. was the lowest responsive bidder at \$732,392 for improvements at two intersections. One project will add another left turn lane onto Lawrenceville Suwanee Road from Walther Boulevard, creating dual left turn lanes, and lengthen the left turn lane from Lawrenceville Suwanee onto Walther. The second project will add a right turn lane on Cruse Road northbound at Pleasant Hill Road. Both projects include pedestrian and traffic signal upgrades.

Work on all three projects is expected to be complete by the end of the year.

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