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NORTH ROAD TO GET NEW TRAFFIC SIGNAL

(Lawrenceville, Ga., March 20, 2007) - The City of Snellville and Gwinnett County will share the costs of traffic control improvements on North Road at Wisteria Road under an intergovernmental agreement approved today by the Board of Commissioners.

County contractors will construct new traffic signals and pedestrian upgrades at the intersection. The city will handle engineering, land acquisition and utility relocations for the project in addition to paying \$19,886 for signal pole upgrades to decorative mast arms and \$12,000 for re-striping and pedestrian ramps.

"This is another example of local governments working together on making necessary changes to help control the increasing flow of traffic in Gwinnett," said District 3 Commissioner Mike Beaudreau.

Brian Allen, Gwinnett's Director of Transportation, said the County funding for the project is approximately \$73,000 and will come from the 2001 SPLOST program.