



# Gwinnett County Government Communications Division NEWS RELEASE

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## **NEW HOPE ROAD UPGRADES CONTINUE**

(Lawrenceville, Ga., Aug. 16, 2011) – County commissioners gave a green light to three more road improvement projects on New Hope Road on Tuesday. The County completed intersection upgrades at New Hope Road and Luke Edwards Road earlier this summer.

One project will improve sight distance and add turn lanes at Still Road and Hiram Davis Road and upgrade an existing water main. Another will make similar improvements at the Bowman Road intersection.

There will also be new curb, gutter and sidewalk in the Archer High School area on the south side of New Hope Road from Tribble Mill Parkway to Callie Still Road. The SPLOST sales tax provided \$1.9 million for the projects. E.R. Snell Contractors of Snellville, the lowest of six bidders, expects to complete the work next summer.

“These projects are part of a series of improvements to New Hope Road that will improve safety and mobility for local residents and improve pedestrian access to Archer High School,” said Gwinnett Department of Transportation Director Brian Allen.

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