

**Gwinnett County Sustainability Commission****Wednesday, June 21, 2023 – 4:30pm**

Gwinnett Justice and Administration Center  
75 Langley Drive, Lawrenceville, GA 30046  
Conference Room B (Second Floor)

**Present: Robert Blatecky, Daniel Hilton, Krupesh Patel, Dr. Marshall Shepherd**

1. Call to Order  
Robert Blatecky, Chairperson, called the meeting to order and welcomed everyone at 4:30pm.
2. Approval of Agenda  
{Action: Approved: Shepherd; Second: Patel; Vote: 4-0; Blatecky-Yes; Hilton-Yes; Patel-Yes; Shepherd-Yes}
3. Approval of Minutes  
The May 17, 2023, meeting minutes were approved.  
{Action: Approved: Shepherd; Second: Hilton; Vote: 4-0; Blatecky-Yes; Hilton-Yes; Patel-Yes; Shepherd-Yes}
4. GCSC Chair Presentation  
Robert Blatecky, Chairperson, presented an overview of the energy industry. GCSC members discussed the future potential and challenges for the industry.
5. Glass Recycling Grant Presentation  
Ron Adderley, Gwinnett County Support Services Deputy Director, presented an overview of the Gwinnett County Glass Recycling program. The program is set to expand to additional locations across the county in 2023 and 2024.
6. GCSC Sub-Committee Updates  
Dr. Scott Presson has joined the Clean Energy and Electric Transportation Advisory Committee. Robert Blatecky encouraged all GCSC members to take initiative and reach out to the community. GCSC members expressed hope that the future Gwinnett County Environmental Sustainability Officer will help with communicating to Gwinnett County citizens.
7. Discussion on Business Survey

GCSC Members discussed the value of a business survey that would follow up and build on the residential survey. GCSC members expressed that a business survey could provide a different perspective than the residential survey.

8. Public Comments

Marcus Canada, Gwinnett County Planning and Development Section Manager, mentioned that Gwinnett County is adding a sustainability component to the 2045 Unified Plan. An event will be hosted by Gwinnett Planning and Development on Wednesday, June 28 from 6:00pm to 8:00pm at Aurora Theatre. The event will include a presentation from green infrastructure consulting firm, Greenprint Partners, on "How Infrastructure Can Keep Gwinnett Green and Healthy". Robert Blatecky thanked Dr. Marshall Shepherd for taking initiative on the annual report.

9. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 5:53pm.

{Action: Approved: Shepherd; Second: Patel; Vote: 4-0; Blatecky-Yes; Hilton-Yes; Patel-Yes; Shepherd-Yes}

# Glass Recycling Drop-off Grant

Support Services  
June 21, 2023



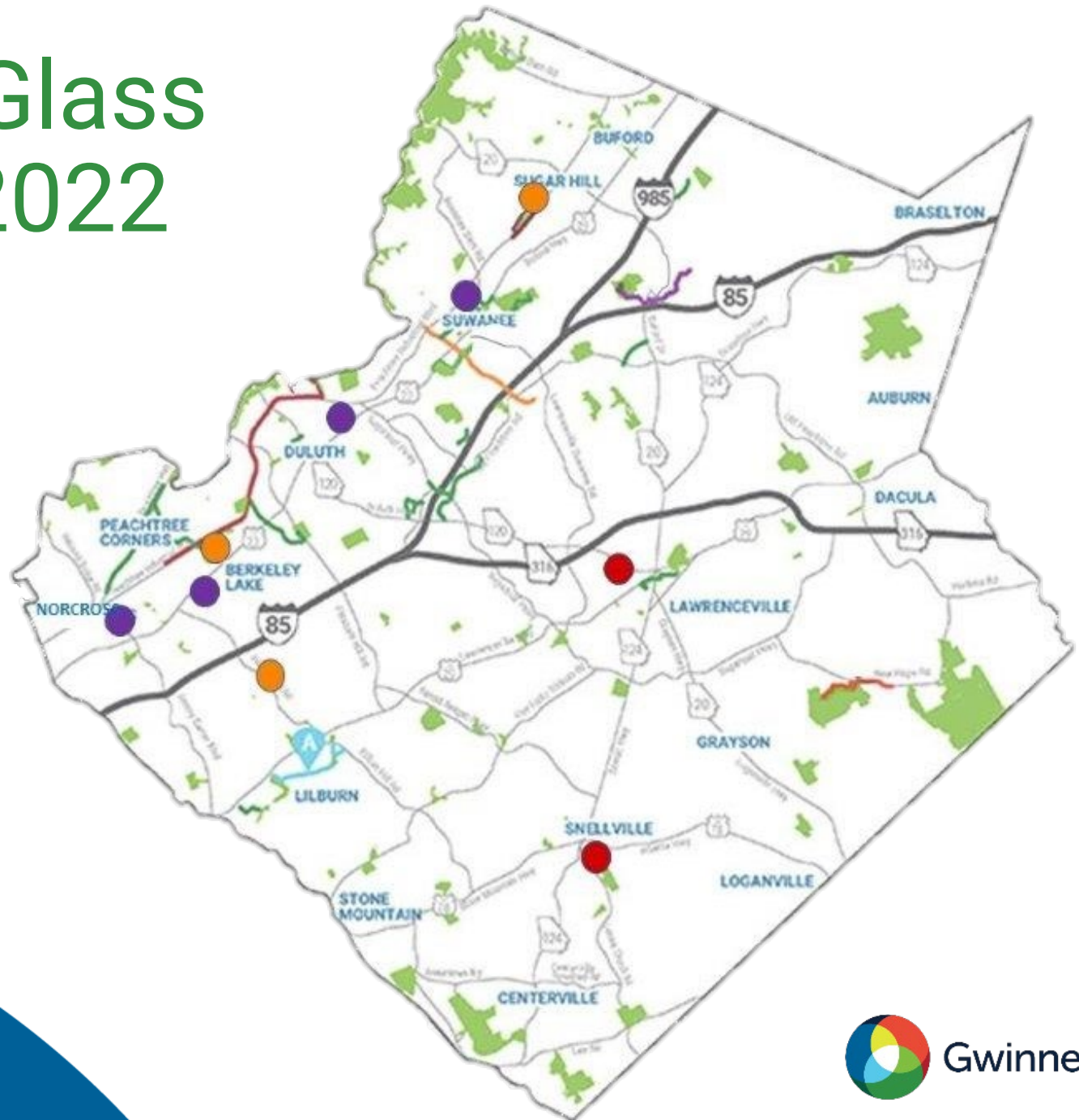
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# Gwinnett County Glass Recycling 2021-2022

## Legend

-  County Park Properties
-  City Sponsored Glass Recycling for Municipal Residents Only
-  City Sponsored Glass Recycling for All Gwinnett County Residents
-  County Sponsored Glass Recycling Third Location Opening in Fourth Quarter



# Gwinnett County Glass Recycling 2023-2024

## Legend

-  County Park Properties
-  City Sponsored Glass Recycling for Municipal Residents Only
-  City Sponsored Glass Recycling for All Gwinnett County Residents
-  County Sponsored Glass Recycling
-  Future County Sponsored Glass Recycling



# Current Locations

Current Locations	Address
Norcross One Stop	5030 Georgia Belle Court, Norcross
Pinckneyville Park	4758 South Old Peachtree Road, Peachtree Corners
EE Robinson Park	885 Level Creek Road, Sugar Hill

# Proposed Locations

Proposed Locations	Address
Lenora Park	4515 Lenora Church Road, Snellville
Rabbit Hill Park	400 Rabbit Hill Road, Dacula
Harbins Park	3200 New Hope Road, Dacula
Lilburn at Mountain Park Activity Building	788 Hillcrest Road, Lilburn
Duncan Creek	3700 Braselton Highway, Dacula
Collins Hill Park	2225 Collins Hill Road, Lawrenceville
Peachtree Ridge Park	3170 Suwanee Creek Road, Suwanee
Bethesda Park	225 Bethesda Church Road, Lawrenceville
Bogan Park	2723 North Bogan Road, Buford
Lucky Shoals Park	4651 Britt Road, Norcross

# Program Objectives



Increase access to glass recycling drop-off locations



Increase quantity of glass recycled



Increase education on the importance of recycling glass



# Project Timeline

- Add 10 glass recycling locations by 12.31.2024
- Collect 750 tons of glass by 12.31.2024
- Reach > 60,000 residents through social media by 12.31.2024



## GLASS RECYCLING ONLY

- Glass food bottles and jars
- Glass beverage bottles
- Clear glass
- Colored glass

*No boxes or bags;  
bottles and jars only*



THANK YOU  
FOR RECYCLING!



# Discussion