

# FULTON COUNTY COMMISSION MARTA 2021 Q3 BRIEFING

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# AGENDA

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- ✓ Federal Outlook
- ✓ MARTA 2040
  - ✓ Expansion Updates
  - ✓ Bus Shelter Update
  - ✓ Five Points Station Rehab
- ✓ Partnerships
  - ✓ East Point TOD Tour
  - ✓ Minority Financial Institution Investment
  - ✓ MARTA Hope Program and Streets to Home



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# FEDERAL UPDATE



# INFRASTRUCTURE & SURFACE TRANSP REAUTH

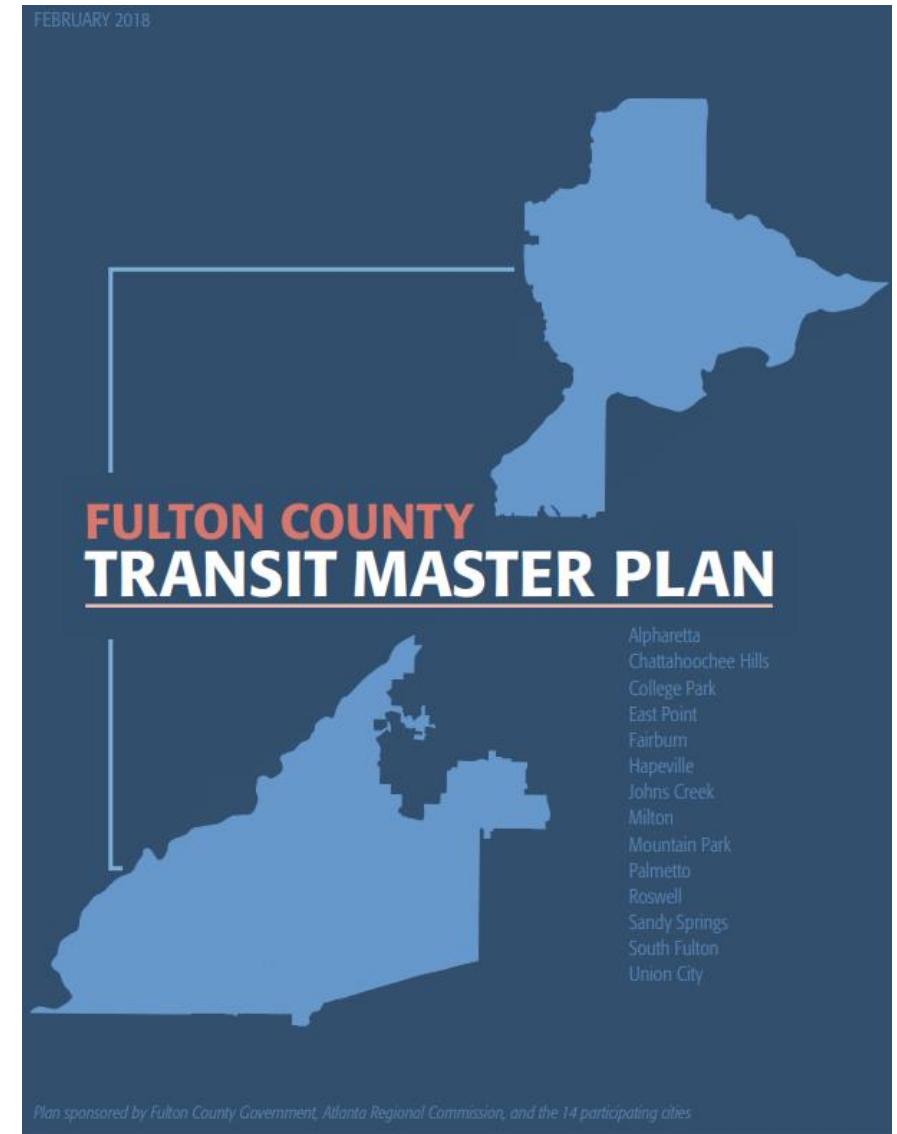
- ✓ Senate bill increases federal transit formula funds by 30%
- ✓ MARTA Priority: Small Starts Program - INCLUDED
  - ✓ Eligibility increased to \$400M
  - ✓ Federal share increased to \$150M
- ✓ Numerous new grant programs administered by Secretary Buttigieg



# MARTA 2040

# EXPANSION PLANNING

- ✓ Evaluating Federal Funding Avenues
- ✓ Exploring Non-Sales Tax Revenue Options with Interested Cities
  - ✓ Tax Allocation District
  - ✓ Special Services District
  - ✓ Ground Lease Revenue Bond

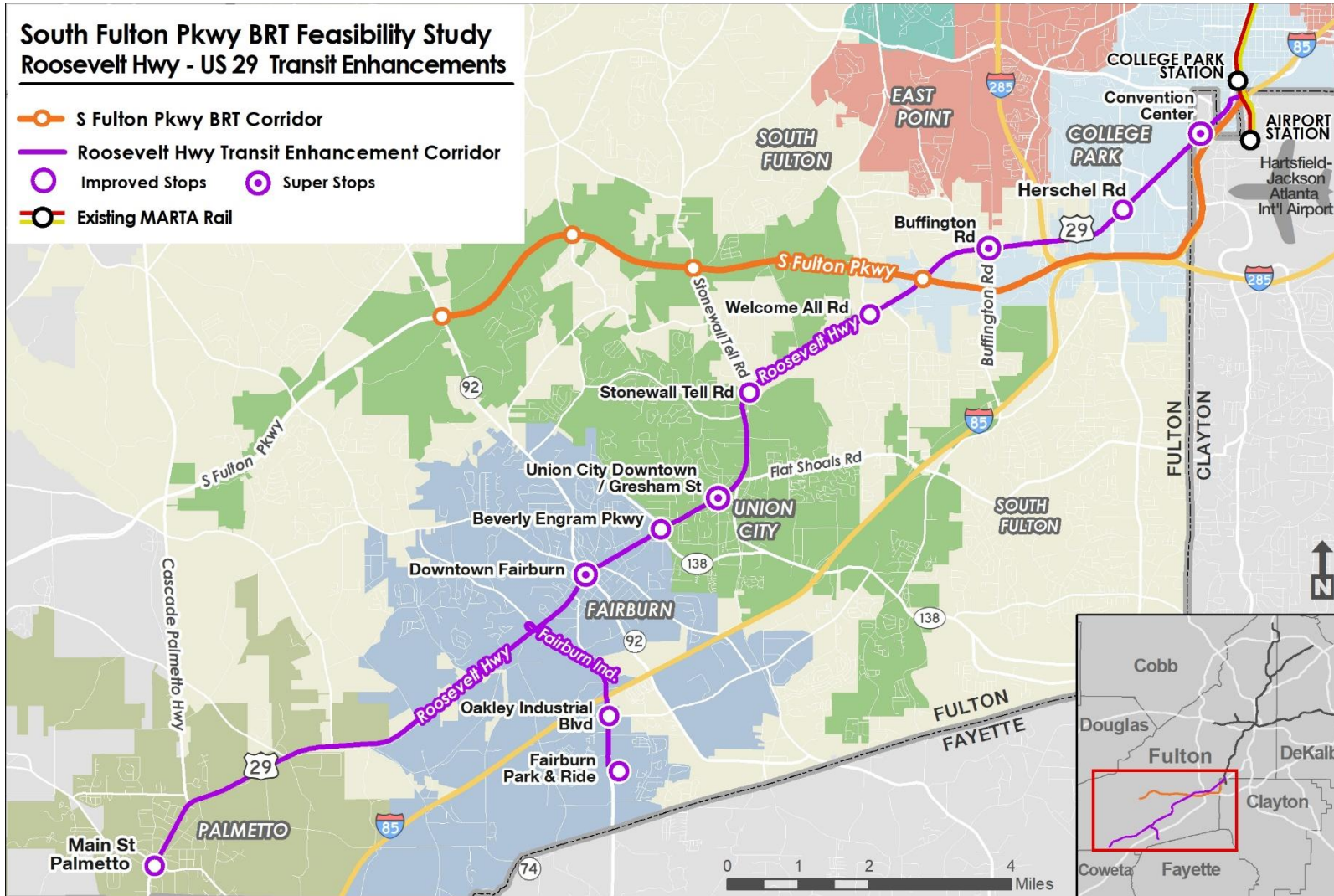




# SOUTH FULTON PLANNING UPDATE

## South Fulton Pkwy BRT Feasibility Study Roosevelt Hwy - US 29 Transit Enhancements

-  S Fulton Pkwy BRT Corridor
-  Roosevelt Hwy Transit Enhancement Corridor
-  Improved Stops  Super Stops
-  Existing MARTA Rail



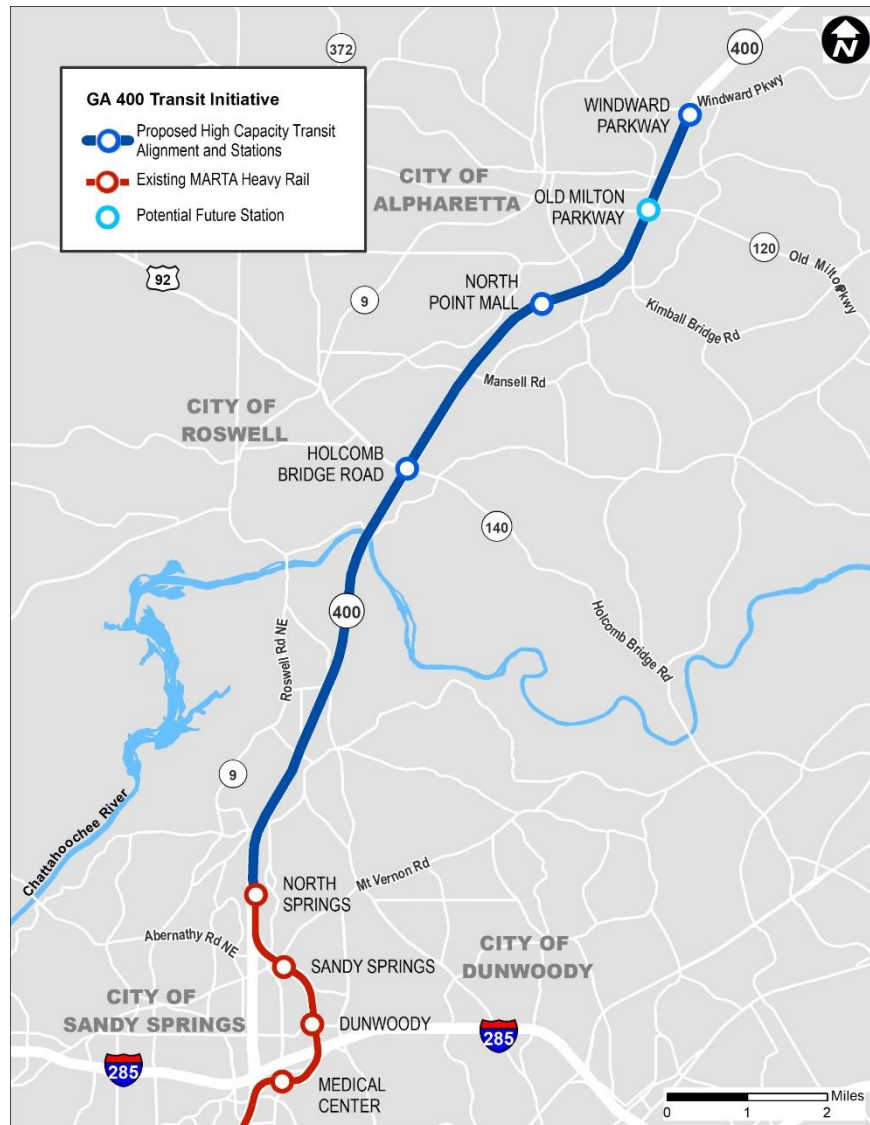
## South Fulton Parkway Project Status

- Completed existing conditions document
- Completed review of previous plans
- Conducted coordination and outreach with local elected officials

## Roosevelt Highway Project Status

- Developed ART Concept for the corridor
  - Identified Enhanced and Super Stop Areas
  - Identified TSP & Queue Jump locations
- Developed initial cost estimates
- Conducted local elected official coordination and outreach
- Conducted review of concept with MARTA service planning

# NORTH FULTON PLANNING UPDATE



## ***GA 400 BRT Status***

- MARTA continues to work on funding strategy
- GDOT announced that no contract was awarded for express lanes

## ***I-285 BRT Status***

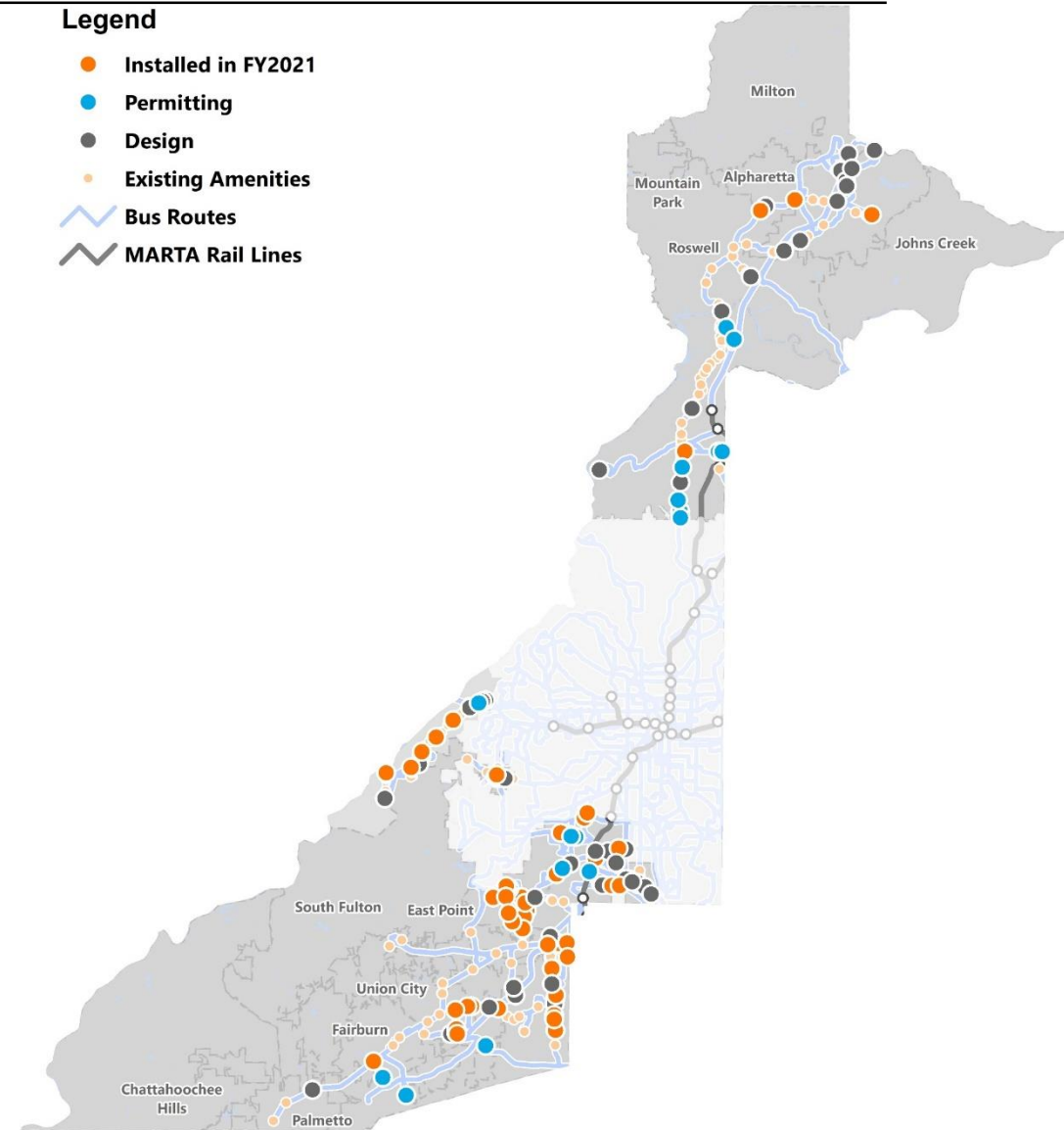
- Top End Mayors briefed 7/28
- MARTA and ATL continue to advance planning

***Coordination with Cobb and Gwinnett as they update their plans***



# FULTON BUS SHELTER UPDATE

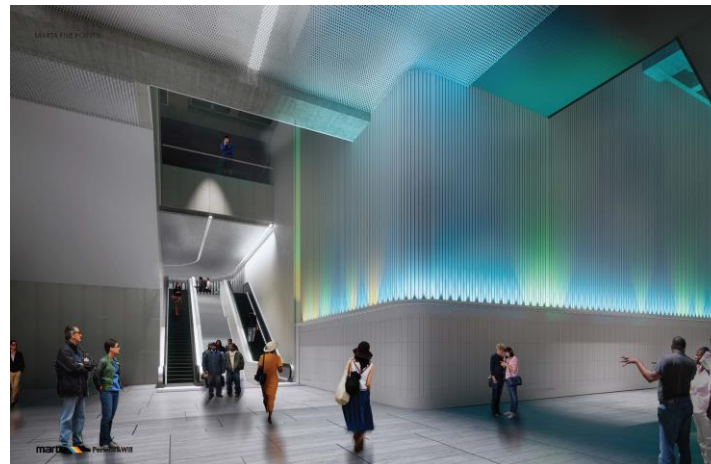
- Fulton County will receive 50 more bus stop amenities in FY 2022
- Progress to date:
  - 52 installed
  - 17 in permitting
  - 44 in design



# FIVE POINTS STATION REHABILITATION



- ✓ Tile walls
- ✓ Platform Tile Paving
- ✓ LED Lighting
- ✓ New drop ceilings/ coffered ceilings
- ✓ Updated Eisenman Facade



# PARTNERSHIPS

marta



State Farm  
ARENA



# EAST POINT TRANSIT ORIENTED DEVELOPMENT

- ✓ Mayor Ingraham and MARTA toured 5 acre and 2 acre MARTA lots
- ✓ MARTA provided overflow parking for 8/25 Wine Down Wednesday



# MINORITY FINANCIAL INSTITUTION INVESTMENT

- ✓ Following Fulton County's lead, MARTA Business Management Committee adopted a resolution to invest MARTA federal COVID relief funds in minority financial institutions



# MARTA HOPE PROGRAM UPDATE

## Successes – as of June 2021



2,119

Total engagements



224

Shelter placements



25

Reunifications



361

Social services referrals



42

Georgia Works



54

Military veterans helped



16

Coordinated Entry





# MARTA HOPE PROGRAM UPDATE

- ✓ MARTA's Artbound Program curated "Streets to Home" by Franco Bejarano to highlight those who are experiencing homelessness.





THANK YOU