

TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE

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Meeting Minutes

June 4, 2024 at 1:30 PM

*Town of Brooks- Hardy Hall
113 Church Alley, Brooks, GA 30205*

1. Call to Order – Maurice Ungaro @ 1:30 pm.
2. Ascertainment of Quorum – 7 of 10 members present, including Maurice Ungaro, Chirs Hindman, Martin Sas, David Borkowski, Phillip Trocquet (for Jaimi Tapp), Sgt Kris Purkey, Paola Kimbell.
3. Approval of Agenda- Motion to accept the agenda by Ungaro/Sas. The agenda was approved (7:0).
4. Approval of Meeting Minutes – Motion to accept the May meeting minutes by Borkowski/Sas. The meeting minutes was approved (7:0).
5. Report of Committee Members
 - a. Brooks – Maurice Ungaro, Town Manager
 - No update.
 - b. Fayette County – Paola Kimbell, Public Works
 - The BOC Annual Retreat was held on May 16, 2024. The reallocation of funds was discussed and seemed to have the support of the board. The official reallocation of funds has been placed on the agenda for the BOC approval.
 - The Hwy 85 traffic signal plans were submitted to GDOT for approval. County staff is working on acquiring the required ROW and combining this project with GDOT's SR 85 bridge replacement project.
 - The design update is still underway for the Woosley roundabout project.
 - Fayette County has requested that GDOT install a larger bi-directional sign at the intersection of Hwy 92 and Hampton Road.
 - The Redwine Roundabout project is nearing completion. The Punchlist walk is scheduled for early next week.
 - The Redwine Tunnel project still requires property acquisition on the last remaining parcel.

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- Veterans and Eastin roundabout plans were received yesterday. The goal is to have this roundabout completed by the first quarter of 2026, before the World Cup.
 - The task order concept for Banks and Ellis Road has been approved.
- c. Fayetteville- Chris Hindman, Director of Public Services
- Mr. Hindman met with the owners of Trilith Studios. The takeaway from the meeting was Trilith’s desire to have a multi-use path constructed along the west side of Veteran’s Parkway. No commitment was given and it was requested that Fayette County be involved in the discussions. Mrs. Kimbell replied that Trilith Studios had in fact reached out to Fayette County with a similar request but did not commit to any actions.
 - The ribbon cutting ceremony for the hospital bridge and pathway project is June 13, 2024.
- d. Peachtree City – David Borkowski, City Engineer
- SR 54 and SR 74 Intersection Improvement project is ongoing with several construction milestones reached in the project.
 - Huddleston Rd and SR 54 Intersection project modifications is open for bids.
 - The Crosstown Parkway roundabout received approval from the city council and the designs for the project are also complete.
- e. Tyrone – Phillip Trocquet, Assistant Town Manager
- The multi-use trail project for downtown Tyrone is almost complete.
 - The Mobility LCI Transportation plan is moving forward. The second PMT meeting is Tuesday. Tyrone has also received the drafted design for Senioa Road and downtown Tyrone.
 - Roundabouts for Arrowwood Rd., Palmetto Rd. and Spencer Lane are in the property acquisition phase.
 - Tyrone is also working on property acquisitions for additional multi-use paths, with completed designs for those projects.
 - Construction for DRI at Jenkins Rd and SR 74 will commence in August 2024.
- f. Woolsey – Vacant
- No update.
- g. Sheriff’s Office – Sgt. Kris Purkey
- Sgt Purkey requested that GDOT conduct a traffic study on the intersection of SR 85 S and SR 74 due to the increase in traffic accidents. The majority of the accidents are from attempted left turns at the intersection. Sgt Purkey proposed a left turn on green arrow

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only to mitigate accidents in that area. Mrs. Kimbell stated that the county would send the request to GDOT.

6. Public Comment

- Clint Holland- updated the committee on the status of the proposed SR 54 corridor study. The proposed plan is currently with the Peachtree City Council for review. Mr. Holland will provide the committee with a copy of the plan. The city of Fayetteville and Peachtree City are the only municipalities that have entered into an agreement concerning the study. Mr. Holland has also requested a meeting with GDOT to gain support for the corridor study.
- Randy Ognio- Mr. Ognio stated that the traffic light at the intersection of Bernhard Rd and SR 85 S cycle time seems to be a bit longer at Bernhard Rd than SR 85. Mr. Ognio also requested that the city of Fayetteville work on a plan to alleviate traffic in the downtown area.
- Keith Larson- Mr. Larson remarked on the success of the Brooks Century ride which took place on May 18, 2024. There were over 150 riders from across Georgia. The success of the ride was in large part to the safety measures of the county and local municipalities. Mr. Larson requested additional LED Stop signs and hybrid beacons to be placed throughout the county.

7. Unfinished Business**8. New Business**

- a. Review of Path/Sidewalk/Trail/Bike Future Projects
- b. Safety Action Plan – Scope and schedule review present by POND Consultants. Slides attached.

9. Adjournment at 3:04 pm Ungaro/Sas (7:0)

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Transportation Committee Membership

Position	Member	Contact Information
1. Brooks representative	Maurice Ungaro <i>Manager, Town of Brooks</i>	mungaro@brooksga.com 770-719-7666
2. Fayetteville representative	Chris Hindman <i>Director, Public Services</i>	chindman@fayetteville-ga.gov
3. Peachtree City representative	David Borkowski <i>City Engineer, Peachtree City</i>	dborkowski@peachtree-city.org
4. Tyrone representative	Jaimi Tapp <i>Citizen, Town of Tyrone</i>	
5. Woolsey representative	Vacant	
6. Sheriff's Office representative	Sgt. Kris Purkey <i>Fayette County Sheriff's Office</i>	kpurkey@fayettecountyga.gov 770-461-6353
7. Fayette Citizen Representative 1	Martin Sas <i>Citizen, Fayette County</i>	
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