



REGIONAL REVIEW FINDING

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TO: Mayor Shirley Franklin
ATTN TO: Michael Fleming, Planner
FROM: Charles Krautler, Director

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signature. Original on file.

The Atlanta Regional Commission (ARC) has completed regional review of the following Development of Regional Impact (DRI). Below is the ARC finding. The Atlanta Regional Commission reviewed the DRI with regard to conflicts to regional plans, goals, and policies and impacts it might have on the activities, plans, goals, and policies of other local jurisdictions and state, federal, and other agencies. The finding does not address whether the DRI is or is not in the best interest of the local government.

Submitting Local Government: City of Atlanta

Name of Proposal: Perry Village

Review Type: Development of Regional Impact

Date Opened: Sep 20 2006

Date Closed: Oct 29 2006

FINDING: After reviewing the information submitted for the review, and the comments received from affected agencies, the Atlanta Regional Commission finding is that the DRI is in the best interest of the Region, and therefore, of the State.

Additional Comments: The proposed development meets many of ARC's Regional Development Plan Policies. The proposed development is located just south of the Bolton/Moore's Mill LCI Study area, as the railroad serves as the southern boundary for the study area. Due to the close proximity to the LCI Study area, it is important that the proposed development meets the goals and recommendations of the Bolton/Moore's Mill LCI.

THE FOLLOWING LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND AGENCIES RECEIVED NOTICE OF THIS REVIEW:

ARC LAND USE PLANNING
ARC DATA RESEARCH
GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
FULTON COUNTY
CITY OF ATLANTA SCHOOLS

ARC TRANSPORTATION PLANNING
ARC AGING DIVISION
GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
COBB COUNTY

ARC ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING
GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AFFAIRS
GEORGIA REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY
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If you have any questions regarding this review, Please call Mike Alexander, Review Coordinator, at (404) 463-3302. This finding will be published to the ARC website.

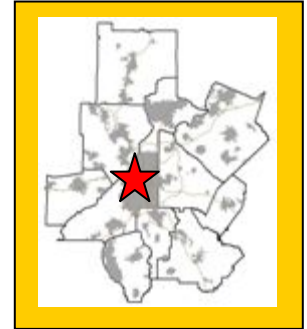
The ARC review website is located at: <http://www.atlantaregional.com/landuse/> .

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FINAL REPORT SUMMARY

PROPOSED DEVELOPMENT:

The proposed Perry Village is a mixed use development on 9.5 acres in the City of Atlanta. The proposed development will include 410 residential units comprised of apartments and condominiums and 38,500 square feet of commercial space. There are two proposed access points along Hollywood Road and Perry Boulevard.



PROJECT PHASING:

The project is being proposed in one phase with a project build out date for 2009.

GENERAL

According to information on the review form or comments received from potentially affected governments:

Is the proposed project consistent with the host-local government's comprehensive plan? If not, identify inconsistencies.

The project site is currently zoned RA-4, C-1, and RG-3. The proposed zoning for the site is MRC-3. Information submitted for the review states that the proposed development is not consistent with the City of Atlanta's Future Land Use Plan, which designates the area as low density commercial and low and medium density residential uses. However, information submitted for the review also states that Future Land Use Plan will be updated by the end of the year to reflect the higher densities being proposed.

Is the proposed project consistent with any potentially affected local government's comprehensive plan? If not, identify inconsistencies.

No comments were received during the review identifying inconsistencies with potentially affected local government's comprehensive plan.

Will the proposed project impact the implementation of any local government's short-term work program? If so, how?

No comments were received concerning impacts to the implementation of any local government's short term work program.

Will the proposed project generate population and/or employment increases in the Region? If yes, what would be the major infrastructure and facilities improvements needed to support the increase?

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Yes, the proposed development would increase the need for services in the area for existing and future residents. Information submitted for the review states that the proposed development is expected to generate approximately 81 new jobs and attract 615 residents.

What other major development projects are planned near the proposed project?

The ARC has reviewed other major development projects, known as Area Plan (1984 to 1991) or as a DRI (1991 to present), within two miles radius of the proposed project.

2003	West Highlands
2001	Winter Properties Marietta Blvd MUD
1994	Chambers Bolton Road Landfill

Will the proposed project displace housing units or community facilities? If yes, identify and give number of units, facilities, etc.

Based on information submitted for the review, the site is mostly undeveloped; however, there are low density retail uses, apartments, one residence, and a church on the proposed site. The apartments, house, church and most of the retail space are all vacant.

Will the development cause a loss in jobs? If yes, how many?

No.

Is the proposed development consistent with regional plans and policies?

The proposed development meets many of ARC's Regional Development Plan Policies. The proposed development is located just south of the Bolton/Moore's Mill LCI Study area, as the railroad serves as the southern boundary for the study area. Due to the close proximity to the LCI Study area, it is important that the proposed development meets the goals and recommendations of the Bolton/Moore's Mill LCI.

The project is located in an area of central Atlanta that is ready for redevelopment. The ARC forecasts population and employment growth in the City of Atlanta over the next 25 years. ARC forecasts a population greater than 97,000 and an employment base greater than 45,000 jobs in northwest Atlanta by 2030. The proposed development provides opportunities for individuals to live and work within close proximity to one another.

The overall goal of the Bolton/Moore's Mill LCI study area is to create a strong sense of place that is inviting to pedestrians and can be characterized by a "live-work-play" environment. The Study outlines activity centers, residential districts, parks and greenspace, and employment areas. By design, the proposed development will help to create a sense of place and destination within the area. The proposed development emphasizes a pedestrian-friendly environment.

Further refinement of the site plan should include inter-parcel connectivity, particularly to the properties adjacent to the parcel on the west side of Hollywood Road. There should also be well-defined pedestrian crossings along Hollywood Road and Perry Boulevard where appropriate.

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Information submitted for the review states that the developer is working to incorporate an affordability component. It is strongly recommended that the development include an affordability component that will allow for individuals of various incomes to live close to employment centers and transit.

FINAL REPORT

Regional Development Plan Policies

1. Promote sustainable economic growth in all areas of the region.
2. Encourage development within principal transportation corridors, the Central Business District, activity centers, and town centers.
3. Increase opportunities for mixed use development, transit-oriented development, infill and redevelopment.
4. At strategic regional locations, plan and retail industrial and freight land uses.
5. Design transportation infrastructure to protect the context of adjoining development and provide a sense of place appropriate for our communities.
6. Promote the reclamation of Brownfield development sites.
7. Protect the character and integrity of existing neighborhoods, while also meeting the needs of communities.
8. Encourage a variety of homes styles, densities, and price ranges in locations that are accessible to jobs and services to ensure housing for individuals and families of all incomes and age groups.
9. Promote new communities that feature greenspace and neighborhood parks, pedestrian scale, support transportation options and provide an appropriate mix of uses and housing types.
10. Promote sustainable and energy-efficient development.
11. Protect environmentally-sensitive areas including wetlands, floodplains, small water supply watersheds, rivers, and corridors.
12. Increase the amount, quality, connectivity, and accessibility of greenspace.
13. Provide strategies to preserve and enhance historic resources.
14. Through regional infrastructure planning, discourage growth in undeveloped areas.
15. Assist local governments to adopt growth management strategies that make more efficient use of existing infrastructure.
16. Inform and involve the public in planning at regional, local, and neighborhood levels.
17. Coordinate local policies and regulations to support Regional Policies.
18. Encourage the development of state and regional growth management policy.

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BEST LAND USE PRACTICES

Practice 1: Keep vehicle miles of travel (VMT) below the area average. Infill developments are the best at accomplishing this. The more remote a development the more self contained it must be to stay below the area average VMT.

Practice 2: Contribute to the area's jobs-housing balance. Strive for a job-housing balance with a three to five mile area around a development site.

Practice 3: Mix land uses at the finest grain the market will bear and include civic uses in the mix.

Practice 4: Develop in clusters and keep the clusters small. This will result in more open space preservation.

Practice 5: Place higher-density housing near commercial centers, transit lines and parks. This will enable more walking, biking and transit use.

Practice 6: Phase convenience shopping and recreational opportunities to keep pace with housing. These are valued amenities and translate into less external travel by residents if located conveniently to housing.

Practice 7: Make subdivisions into neighborhoods with well-defined centers and edges. This is traditional development.

Practice 8: Reserve school sites and donate them if necessary to attract new schools. This will result in neighborhood schools which provide a more supportive learning environment than larger ones.

Practice 9: Concentrate commercial development in compact centers or districts, rather than letting it spread out in strips.

Practice 10: Make shopping centers and business parks into all-purpose activity centers. Suburban shopping centers and their environs could be improved by mixing uses and designing them with the pedestrian amenities of downtowns.

Practice 11: Tame auto-oriented land uses, or at least separate them from pedestrian-oriented uses. Relegate "big box" stores to areas where they will do the least harm to the community fabric.

BEST TRANSPORTATION PRACTICES

Practice 1: Design the street network with multiple connections and relatively direct routes.

Practice 2: Space through-streets no more than a half-mile apart or the equivalent route density in a curvilinear network.

Practice 3: Use traffic-calming measures liberally. Use short streets, sharp curves, center islands, traffic circles, textured pavements, speed bumps and raised crosswalks.

Practice 4: Keep speeds on local streets down to 20 mph.

Practice 5: Keep speeds on arterials and collectors down to 35 mph (at least inside communities).

Practice 6: Keep all streets as narrow as possible and never more than four traffic lanes wide. Florida suggests access streets 18 feet, subcollectors 26 feet, and collectors from 28 feet to 36 feet depending on lanes and parking.

Practice 7: Align streets to give buildings energy-efficient orientations. Allow building sites to benefit from sun angles, natural shading and prevailing breezes.

Practice 8: Avoid using traffic signals wherever possible and always space them for good traffic progression.

Practice 9: Provide networks for pedestrians and bicyclists as good as the network for motorists.

Practice 10: Provide pedestrians and bicyclists with shortcuts and alternatives to travel along high-volume streets.

Practice 11: Incorporate transit-oriented design features.

Practice 12: Establish TDM programs for local employees. Ridesharing, modified work hours, telecommuting and others.

BEST ENVIRONMENTAL PRACTICES

Practice 1: Use a systems approach to environmental planning. Shift from development orientation to basins or ecosystems planning.

Practice 2: Channel development into areas that are already disturbed.

Practice 3: Preserve patches of high-quality habitat, as large and circular as possible, feathered at the edges and connected by wildlife corridors. Stream corridors offer great potential.

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Practice 4: Design around significant wetlands.
Practice 5: Establish upland buffers around all retained wetlands and natural water bodies.
Practice 6: Preserve significant uplands, too.
Practice 7: Restore and enhance ecological functions damaged by prior site activities.
Practice 8: Detain runoff with open, natural drainage systems. The more natural the system the more valuable it will be for wildlife and water quality.
Practice 9: Design man-made lakes and stormwater ponds for maximum environmental value. Recreation, stormwater management, wildlife habitat and others.
Practice 10: Use reclaimed water and integrated pest management on large landscaped areas. Integrated pest management involves controlling pests by introducing their natural enemies and cultivating disease and insect resistant grasses.
Practice 11: Use and require the use of Xeriscape™ landscaping. Xeriscaping™ is water conserving landscape methods and materials.

BEST HOUSING PRACTICES

Practice 1: Offer “life cycle” housing. Providing integrated housing for every part of the “life cycle.”
Practice 2: Achieve an average net residential density of six to seven units per acre without the appearance of crowding. Cluster housing to achieve open space.
Practice 3: Use cost-effective site development and construction practices. Small frontages and setbacks; rolled curbs or no curbs; shared driveways.
Practice 4: Design of energy-saving features. Natural shading and solar access.
Practice 5: Supply affordable single-family homes for moderate-income households.
Practice 6: Supply affordable multi-family and accessory housing for low-income households.
Practice 7: Tap government housing programs to broaden and deepen the housing/income mix.
Practice 8: Mix housing to the extent the market will bear.

LOCATION

Where is the proposed project located within the host-local government's boundaries?

The project is located in the City of Atlanta. The project site approximately 9.5 acres located along the eastern side of Hollywood Road and the northern side of Perry Boulevard. A small portion of the development will also be located on the western side of Hollywood Road and the southern side of Perry Boulevard.

Will the proposed project be located close to the host-local government's boundary with another local government? If yes, identify the other local government.

The proposed development is entirely within the City of Atlanta.

Will the proposed project be located close to land uses in other jurisdictions that would benefit, or be negatively impacted, by the project? Identify those land uses which would benefit and those which would be negatively affected and describe impacts.

The proposed development is surrounded by existing single family residential homes, industrial uses, the railroad, and a child care center.

ECONOMY OF THE REGION



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What new taxes will be generated by the proposed project?

Estimated value of the development is \$51,275,000 million with an expected \$899,630 in annual local tax revenues.

How many short-term jobs will the development generate in the Region?

Short-term jobs will depend upon construction schedule.

Is the regional work force sufficient to fill the demand created by the proposed project?

Yes.

In what ways could the proposed development have a positive or negative impact on existing industry or business in the Region?

None were determined during the review.

NATURAL RESOURCES

Will the proposed project be located in or near wetlands, groundwater recharge area, water supply watershed, protected river corridor, or other environmentally sensitive area of the Region? If yes, identify those areas.

Watershed Protection and Stream Buffers

The property is within the Chattahoochee River Corridor watershed, but is not located within the 2000-foot Chattahoochee River Corridor. The property is subject to the applicable requirements of the Metropolitan River Protection Act (MRPA) for lands in the watershed draining into the Corridor portion of the River, which are primarily requirements for buffers along tributary streams. The USGS coverage for the area shows no streams on or near the property. Any unmapped streams that may be on the property will be subject to the City of Atlanta's stream buffer ordinance, which requires a 75-foot buffer along perennial and intermittent streams. Further, any state waters that may be on the property will be subject to the 25-foot Erosion and Sedimentation Act buffers, which are administered by the Environmental Protection Division of Georgia DNR. Any work within these buffers will require a variance from Georgia EPD.

Stormwater / Water Quality

The project is located in an urbanized area and stormwater may be handled by the City stormwater system. If on-site stormwater detention is required, the project design should adequately address the impacts of the proposed development on stormwater runoff and downstream water quality. The amount of pollutants that will be produced after construction of the proposed development has been estimated by ARC. These estimates are based on some simplifying assumptions for typical pollutant

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loading factors (lbs/ac/yr) from typical land uses in the Atlanta Region. The loading factors are based on regional storm water monitoring data from the Atlanta Region with impervious areas based on estimated averages for land uses in the Atlanta Region. If actual impervious percentages are higher or lower than the estimate, the pollutant loads will differ accordingly. The project is being built over a site that has been partially developed. Given the coverage of the proposed project, commercial was chosen as the use for the entire property. The following table summarizes the results of the analysis:

Estimated Pounds of Pollutants Per Year

Land Use	Land Area (ac)	Total Phosphorus	Total Nitrogen	BOD	TSS	Zinc	Lead
Commercial	7.66	13.10	133.28	827.28	7529.78	9.42	1.69
TOTAL	7.66	13.10	133.28	827.28	7529.78	9.42	1.69

Total Impervious = 85%

If on-site detention is used, the project should implement stormwater management controls (structural and/or nonstructural) as found in the Georgia Stormwater Management Manual (www.georgiastormwater.com) and meet the stormwater management quantity and quality criteria outlined in the Manual. Where possible, the project should utilize the stormwater better site design concepts included in the Manual.

HISTORIC RESOURCES

Will the proposed project be located near a national register site? If yes, identify site.

None have been identified.

In what ways could the proposed project create impacts that would damage the resource?

Not applicable.

In what ways could the proposed project have a positive influence on efforts to preserve or promote the historic resource?

Not applicable.

INFRASTRUCTURE

Transportation

How many site access points will be associated with the proposed development? What are their locations?

A total of three driveways are proposed for the Perry Village Development.

- Two full-access driveways will be provided, opposite to each other, onto Hollywood Road, approximately 240 ft north of the intersection of Hollywood Road and Perry Boulevard.
- One full-access driveway will be provided onto Perry Boulevard approximately 75 ft west of the intersection of Perry Boulevard and Church Street.



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How much traffic (both average daily and peak am/pm) will be generated by the proposed project?

A&R Engineering performed the transportation analysis. GRTA and ARC review staff agreed with the methodology and assumptions used in the analysis. The net trip generation is based on the rates published in the 7th edition of the Institute of Transportation Engineers (ITE) Trip Generation report; they are listed in the following table:

Land Use	A.M. Peak Hour			P.M. Peak Hour			24-Hour
	Enter	Exit	2-Way	Enter	Exit	2-Way	2-Way
100 Condominiums	9	43	52	40	20	60	642
310 Apartments	31	125	156	122	66	188	2013
38,500 sq ft Retail	54	34	88	160	173	333	3652
Reductions	-3	-3	-6	-109	-113	-222	-730
TOTAL NEW TRIPS	91	199	290	213	147	359	5577

What are the existing traffic patterns and volumes on the local, county, state and interstate roads that serve the site?

Incorporating the trip generation results, the transportation consultant distributed the traffic on the current roadway network. An assessment of the existing Level of Service (LOS) and projected LOS based on the trip distribution findings helps to determine the study network. The results of this exercise determined the study network, which has been approved by ARC and GRTA. If analysis of an intersection or roadway results in a substandard LOS "D", then the consultant recommends improvements.

Projected traffic volumes from the Regional Travel Demand Model are compared to the assigned capacity of facilities within the study network. This data is used to calculate a volume to capacity (V/C) ratio. The V/C ratio values that define the LOS thresholds vary depending on factors such as the type of terrain traversed and the percent of the road where passing is prohibited. LOS A is free-flow traffic from 0 to 0.3, LOS B is decreased free-flow from 0.31 to 0.5, LOS C is limited mobility from 0.51 to 0.75, LOS D is restricted mobility from 0.76 to 0.9, LOS E is at or near capacity from 0.91 to 1.00, and LOS F is breakdown flow with a V/C ratio of 1.01 or above. As a V/C ratio reaches 0.8, congestion increases. The V/C ratios for traffic in various network years are presented in the following table. Any facilities that have a V/C ratio of 1.0 or above are considered congested.

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2006-2011 TIP*

ARC Number	Route	Type of Improvement	Scheduled Completion Year
AT-AR-BP120	HOLLYWOOD ROAD	Pedestrian Facility	2007

2030 RTP*

ARC Number	Route	Type of Improvement	Scheduled Completion Year
AR-H-302	I-285 WEST HOV LANES	HOV Lanes	2026
AT-AR-214	I-285 WEST COLLECTOR/DISTRIBUTOR LANES	Interchange Capacity	2030
CO-175A	SR 280 (SOUTH COBB DRIVE)	Roadway Capacity	2030

**The ARC Board adopted the 2030 RTP and FY 2006-2011 TIP on February 22, 2006. USDOT approved on March 30th, 2006.*

Summarize the transportation improvements as recommended by consultant in the traffic study for Perry Village Development.

According to the findings, there will be some capacity deficiencies as a result of future year **background** traffic. The transportation consultant has made recommendations for improvements to be carried out in order to upgrade the existing level of service.

Bolton Road at I-285 Northbound Off Ramp

- Signalize this intersection.

Bolton Road at Browntown Road

- Signalize this intersection.

Hollywood Road at Browntown Road

- Add a dedicated eastbound right-turn lane on Browntown Road.

James Jackson Parkway at Peyton Road

- Complete a detailed signal warrant analysis.

According to the findings, there will be some capacity deficiencies as a result of future year **total** traffic. The transportation consultant has made recommendations for improvements to be carried out in order to upgrade the existing level of service. The recommendations stated in the no-build condition are also applicable to the build condition.

Hollywood Road at Browntown Road

- Add a dedicated southbound right-turn lane on Hollywood Road.

Hollywood Road at Peyton Road/Private Store Driveway

- Add a dedicated eastbound right-turn lane on Peyton Road.

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Is the site served by transit? If so, describe type and level of service and how it will enhance or be enhanced by the presence of transit? Are there plans to provide or expand transit service in the vicinity of the proposed project?

Two MARTA bus routes provide service within ¼ mile of the proposed site.

- MARTA bus route 60 provides service, with a connection to the MARTA Hamilton E. Holmes rail station, Monday through Friday from 4:49 a.m. till 11:48 p.m. with headways between 25 and 30 minutes. Saturday service is provided from 5:45 a.m. till 11:54 p.m. with headways between 20 minutes and 1 hour. Sunday service is provided from 5:45 a.m. till 11:54 p.m. with headways between 45 minutes and 1 hour.
- MARTA bus route 26 provides service, with a connection to the MARTA Bankhead rail station, Monday through Friday from 5:10 a.m. till 10:25 p.m. with headways of 30 minutes. Saturday service is provided from 6:06 a.m. till 7:42 p.m. with headways between 50 and 55 minutes. Sunday service is provided from 6:08 a.m. till 7:24 p.m. with headways of 1 hour.

What transportation demand management strategies does the developer propose (carpool, flex-time, transit subsidy, etc.)?

None proposed.

The development **PASSES** the ARC's Air Quality Benchmark test.

Air Quality Impacts/Mitigation (based on ARC strategies)	Credits	Total
Where Residential is dominant, >15 units/ac	6%	6%
w/in 1/4 mile of Bus Stop (CCT, MARTA, Other)	3%	3%
Where Residential is dominant, 10% Retail or 10% Office	4%	4%
Bike/ped networks that meet Mixed Use or Density target and connect to adjoining uses	5%	5%
Total		18%

What are the conclusions of this review? Is the transportation system (existing and planned) capable of accommodating these trips?

The area surrounding this project is dominated by an industrial character and the surrounding roadway network suffers from increasing congestion as a result of the high level of freight truck movement. According to the traffic study, eight intersections will operate at an LOS E or F in the future year if the recommended improvements are not implemented. With the implementation of the recommended improvements, the number of intersections operating at an LOS of E or F drops to two intersections. It is suggested that all recommended improvements be implemented prior to completion of this project to minimize the impact onto the surrounding roadway system.

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Wastewater and Sewage

Based on regional averages, wastewater is estimated at 0.100 MGD

Which facility will treat wastewater from the project?

Information submitted with the review states that the Utoy Creek plant will provide wastewater treatment for the proposed development.

What is the current permitted capacity and average annual flow to this facility?

The capacity of Utoy Creek is listed below

PERMITTED CAPACITY MMF, MGD ₁	DESIGN CAPACITY MMF, MGD	2001 MMF, MGD	2008 MMF, MGD	2008 CAPACITY AVAILABLE +/-, MGD	PLANNED EXPANSION	REMARKS
40	44	32	34	6	None. Plan before EPD to permit plant at design capacity consistent with draft Chattahoochee River Model.	Existing Consent Decree with the U.S. EPA and Georgia EPD require CSO and SSO improvements throughout City of Atlanta wastewater system by 2007 and 2014, respectively.

MMF: Maximum Monthly Flow. Mgd: million of gallons per day.

₁ Source: Metropolitan North Georgia Water Planning District **SHORT-TERM WASTEWATER CAPACITY PLAN**, August 2002.

What other major developments will be served by the plant serving this project?

ARC has reviewed a number of major developments that will be served by this plant.

INFRASTRUCTURE

Water Supply and Treatment

How much water will the proposed project demand?

Water demand also is estimated at .115 MGD based on regional averages.

How will the proposed project's demand for water impact the water supply or treatment facilities of the jurisdiction providing the service?

Information submitted with the review suggests that there is sufficient water supply capacity available for the proposed project.

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Solid Waste



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How much solid waste will be generated by the project? Where will this waste be disposed?

Information submitted with the review 4165 tons of solid waste per year and the waste will be disposed of by private collection companies.

Will the project create any unusual waste handling or disposal problems?

No.

Are there any provisions for recycling this project's solid waste?

None stated.

INFRASTRUCTURE

Other facilities

According to information gained in the review process, will there be any unusual intergovernmental impacts on:

- **Levels of governmental services?**
- **Administrative facilities?**
- **Schools?**
- **Libraries or cultural facilities?**
- **Fire, police, or EMS?**
- **Other government facilities?**
- **Other community services/resources (day care, health care, low income, non-English speaking, elderly, etc.)?**

None were determined during the review.

HOUSING

Will the proposed project create a demand for additional housing?

No, the development is proposing 410 residential units including condominiums and apartments.

Will the proposed project provide housing opportunities close to existing employment centers?

Yes.



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Is there housing accessible to the project in all price ranges demanded?

The site proposed for the development is located in Census Tract 87.02. This tract had a 7.3 percent increase in number of housing units from 2000 to 2005 according to ARC's Population and Housing Report. The report shows that 52 percent of the housing units are single-family, compared to 69 percent for the region; thus indicating a lack of housing options around the development area.

Is it likely or unlikely that potential employees of the proposed project will be able to find affordable* housing?

Likely, assuming the development is approved with multiple price ranges of housing.

* Defined as 30 percent of the income of a family making 80 percent of the median income of the Region – FY 2000 median income of \$51,649 for family of 4 in Georgia.

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 Use this number when filling out a DRI REVIEW REQUEST.
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DEVELOPMENT OF REGIONAL IMPACT

Fulton County Initial DRI Information (Form1b)

This form is intended for use by local governments within the Metropolitan Region Tier that are also within the jurisdiction of the Georgia Regional Transportation Authority (GRTA). The form is to be completed by the city or county government for submission to your Regional Development Center (RDC), GRTA and DCA. This form provides basic project information that will allow the RDC to determine if the project appears to meet or exceed applicable DRI thresholds. Local governments should refer to both the Rules for the DRI Process 110-12-3 and the DRI Tiers and Thresholds established by DCA.

Local Government Information

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*Note: The local government representative completing this form is responsible for the accuracy of the information contained herein. If a project is to be located in more than one jurisdiction and, in total, the project meets or exceeds a DRI threshold, the local government in which the largest portion of the project is to be located is responsible for initiating the DRI review process.

Proposed Project Information

Name of Proposed Project:		Perry Village
Development Type	Description of Project	Thresholds
Mixed Use	410 Residential Units 38500 sf retail	View Thresholds
Developer / Applicant and Mailing Address:		WoodSmith, LLC and Smith Properties, LLC P.O. Box 889143 Atlanta, GA 30356
Telephone:		404-849-4467
Fax:		770-668-1338
Email:		natesmith@mindspring.com
Name of property owner(s) if different from developer/applicant:		Smith Properties, LLC
Provide Land-Lot-District Number:		17-251 and 17-252
What are the principal streets or roads providing vehicular access to the site?		Hollywood Road and Perry Boulevard
Provide name of nearest street(s) or intersection:		Hollywood Road and Perry Boulevard
Provide geographic coordinates (latitude/longitude) of the center of the proposed project (optional):		/
If available, provide a link to a website providing a general location map of the proposed project (optional). (http://www.mapquest.com or http://www.mapblast.com are helpful sites to use.):		
Is the proposed project entirely located within your local government's jurisdiction?		Y

If yes, how close is the boundary of the nearest other local government?	Approximately one mile
If no, provide the following information:	
In what additional jurisdictions is the project located?	
In which jurisdiction is the majority of the project located? (give percent of project)	Name: (NOTE: This local government is responsible for initiating the DRI review process.)
	Percent of Project:
Is the current proposal a continuation or expansion of a previous DRI?	N
If yes, provide the following information (where applicable):	Name:
	Project ID:
	App #:
The initial action being requested of the local government by the applicant is:	Rezoning
What is the name of the water supplier for this site?	City of Atlanta
What is the name of the wastewater treatment supplier for this site?	City of Atlanta
Is this project a phase or part of a larger overall project?	N
If yes, what percent of the overall project does this project/phase represent?	
Estimated Completion Dates:	This project/phase: Overall project: 18 Months

Local Government Comprehensive Plan

Is the development consistent with the local government's comprehensive plan, including the Future Land Use Map?	N
If no, does the local government intend to amend the plan/map to account for this development?	
If amendments are needed, when will the plan/map be amended?	Fall 2006

Service Delivery Strategy

Is all local service provision consistent with the countywide Service Delivery Strategy?	Y
If no, when will required amendments to the countywide Service Delivery Strategy be complete?	

Land Transportation Improvements

Are land transportation or access improvements planned or needed to support the proposed project?	
If yes, how have these improvements been identified:	
Included in local government Comprehensive Plan or Short Term Work Program?	
Included in other local government plans (e.g. SPLOST/LOST Projects, etc.)?	
Included in an official Transportation Improvement Plan (TIP)?	
Developer/Applicant has identified needed improvements?	
Other (Please Describe): A transportation study will be conducted to determine current and future needs.	Y

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DEVELOPMENT OF REGIONAL IMPACT DRI Review Initiation Request (Form2a)

Local Government Information

Submitting Local Government:	City of Atlanta
Individual completing form:	Michael Fleming
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DRI Review Process

Has the RDC identified any additional information required in order to proceed with the official regional review process? (If no, proceed to Economic Impacts.)	Y
If yes, has that additional information been provided to your RDC and, if applicable, GRTA?	Y
If no, the official review process can not start until this additional information is provided.	

Economic Impacts

Estimated Value at Build-Out:	\$51,275,000
Estimated annual local tax revenues (i.e., property tax, sales tax) likely to be generated by the proposed development:	\$899,630
Is the regional work force sufficient to fill the demand created by the proposed project?	Y
If the development will displace any existing uses, please describe (using number of units, square feet., etc): Existing apartments (44 units), Retail (12,896 SF). Existing vacant retail space, house, and church. See Supplemental Information for details.	

Community Facilities Impacts

Water Supply

Name of water supply provider for this site:	City of Atlanta
What is the estimated water supply demand to be generated by the project, measured in Millions of Gallons Per Day (MGD)?	0.115 MGD
Is sufficient water supply capacity available to serve the proposed project?	Y
If no, are there any current plans to expand existing water supply capacity?	
If there are plans to expand the existing water supply capacity, briefly describe below:	
If water line extension is required to serve this project, how much additional line (in miles) will be required?	

Wastewater Disposal

Name of wastewater treatment provider for this site:	City of Atlanta - Utoy Creek
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What is the estimated sewage flow to be generated by the project, measured in Millions of Gallons Per Day (MGD)?	0.100 MGD
Is sufficient wastewater treatment capacity available to serve this proposed project?	Y
If no, are there any current plans to expand existing wastewater treatment capacity?	
If there are plans to expand existing wastewater treatment capacity, briefly describe below: Diversion structure may force some overflow to the RM Clayton facility as needed. The facility has additional capacity. See Supplemental Information for details.	
If sewer line extension is required to serve this project, how much additional line (in miles) will be required?	

Land Transportation

How much traffic volume is expected to be generated by the proposed development, in peak hour vehicle trips per day? (If only an alternative measure of volume is available, please provide.)	524 (PM); 5,782 (24-hour, 2-way)
Has a traffic study been performed to determine whether or not transportation or access improvements will be needed to serve this project?	Y
If yes, has a copy of the study been provided to the local government?	Y
If transportation improvements are needed to serve this project, please describe below: N/A	

Solid Waste Disposal

How much solid waste is the project expected to generate annually (in tons)?	465 tons per year
Is sufficient landfill capacity available to serve this proposed project?	Y
If no, are there any current plans to expand existing landfill capacity?	
If there are plans to expand existing landfill capacity, briefly describe below:	
Will any hazardous waste be generated by the development? If yes, please explain below:	
	N

Stormwater Management

What percentage of the site is projected to be impervious surface once the proposed development has been constructed?	89%
Is the site located in a water supply watershed?	Y
If yes, list the watershed(s) name(s) below: Chattahoochee River Basin	
Describe any measures proposed (such as buffers, detention or retention ponds, pervious parking areas) to mitigate the project's impacts on stormwater management: The site plan includes a detention pond and buffers. Please see site plan and Supplemental Information for details.	

Environmental Quality

Is the development located within, or likely to affect any of the following:	
1. Water supply watersheds?	N
2. Significant groundwater recharge areas?	N
3. Wetlands?	N
4. Protected mountains?	N
5. Protected river corridors?	N
If you answered yes to any question 1-5 above, describe how the identified resource(s) may be affected below:	

Has the local government implemented environmental regulations consistent with the Department of Natural Resources' Rules for Environmental Planning Criteria?	Y
Is the development located within, or likely to affect any of the following:	
1. Floodplains?	N
2. Historic resources?	N
3. Other environmentally sensitive resources?	N
If you answered yes to any question 1-3 above, describe how the identified resource(s) may be affected below:	

