

Appendix A. List of Accomplishments to the 1994-1998 Comprehensive Plan Short Term Work Program

	Project or Activity from Previous Short-Term Work Program (STWP)	Responsible Party	Year (from previous STWP)	Status	Explanation for Postponed or Not Accomplished Project or Activity
1	Continue on-going coordination of local economic development efforts with Gwinnett County, MEAG, state agencies and other economic development agencies	Norcross	1994-1998	on-going	
2	Encourage on-going participation in the Georgia Business Retention and Expansion process to strengthen existing business and industries	Norcross, County, DDA	1994-1998		
3	Develop promotional brochure to encourage tourism	Norcross, DNR, DCA	1995		
4	Encourage well planned, compatible development	Norcross	1994-1998	on-going	Zoning modifications have been made to allow for more variety
5	Continue capitalization upon the City's historic downtown	Norcross	1994-1998	on-going	Have completed numerous downtown plans since 1994 Comp Plan
6	Develop public relations strategy	Norcross, Consultant	1996	on-going	Have created a new website and other initiatives are underway
7	Prepare Buford Highway Corridor study	Norcross, Consultant	1997	complete	Corridor study prepared by ARC; follow up by Gwinnett Village CID
8	Implement Crime prevention programs	Norcross	1994-1998	on-going	with Gwinnett County
9	Assist in nominating eligible properties to the National Register of Historic Places	Norcross, DNR, ARC	1994-1998	on-going	No additions in Norcross since downtown historic district established
10	Amend City zoning ordinance to incorporate DNR's groundwater recharge area protection standards	Norcross	1994	complete	Adopted groundwater recharge protection Ordinance in 1999
11	Continue enforcing Chattahoochee River Tributary Protection Ordinance	Norcross, ARC	1994-1998	on-going	Replaced by the MRPA- and adopted by City

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12	Annually review development regulations to ensure their appropriateness regarding environmental protection	Norcross	1994-1998		
13	Develop a recognition program to recognize property owners who restore /rehab historic properties	Norcross, DNR, DCA	1994		
14	Implement "Tour of Historical Homes and Structures" program	Norcross, DNR, DCA	1994	on-going	Tour of homes is an annual event- not limited to historic structures
15	Protect the City's various historic resources from adverse development	Norcross	1994-1998	on-going	Requires continual monitoring of regulations and careful development decisions
16	Continue fostering good land management practices in sensitive areas (floodplains, wetlands,etc.)	Norcross	1994-1998	on-going	City has ordinances requiring land disturbance best practices - enforcement is key
17	Work closely with Gwinnett County regarding mutual areas of concern such as police, schools, fire, water, sewerage, EMS, and transportation services	Norcross	1994-1998	on-going	
18	Work closely with the Georgia DOT regarding intersection and other improvements within the city	Norcross	1994-1998	on-going	
19	Continue implementing sidewalk sidewalk improvements in the city	Norcross	1994-1998	on-going	Many improvements completed in downtown, more planned
20	Work closely with Gwinnett County regarding park and recreation improvements in the city	Norcross	1994-1998	on-going	City has undertaken park master plans and is currently developing a new park
21	Prepare rate/service study to analyze the city's utility systems	Norcross, Consultant	1994		
22	Continue on-going street maintenance program	Norcross	1994-1998	on-going	Continual paving and work is done through public works streets
23	Publicize carpooling and ride sharing programs through newsletter, billings, etc.	Norcross	1994-1998		
24	Annually assess solid waste management practices	Norcross	1994-1998		

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25	Examine feasibility of implementing an emergency management system	Norcross	1994, 1995		
26	Monitor the administrative and capital needs of city departments and improve on an ongoing basis	Norcross	1994-1998	ongoing	Has been done and continues, especially through Comprehensive Plan effort
27	Prepare infiltration/inflow study for sewerage system	Norcross, Consultant	1994		
28	Prepare and implement Load Management System	Norcross	1995		
29	Acquire land for and develop new parks	Norcross	1997, 1998	ongoing	New parks under design currently
30	Contact and work with Georgia Power regarding use of rights of way for recreation	Norcross	1994		
31	Continue encouraging Gwinnett County to locate human services center in the City	Norcross	1994, 1995	somewhat complete	There is a Human Services Center just outside Norcross city limits.
32	Continue comparative arrangement with MEAG regarding electrical service improvements	Norcross	1994-1998		
33	Work with Gwinnett County regarding stormwater management	Norcross	1994-1998	ongoing	City has contracted with Gwinnett County for stormwater utility
34	Through planning and zoning, protect and preserve the City's stable residential areas	Norcross	1994-1998	ongoing	Policies to be reviewed/set in conjunction with 2008 Comprehensive Plan and follow up work
35	Continue existing program of code enforcement and zoning administration	Norcross	1994-1998	ongoing	Zoning and Code enforcement have recently intensified efforts in city
36	Amend the City's zoning ordinance to encourage quality cluster residential development	Norcross	1994	complete	Adopted Conservation subdivision Ordinance (2006)
37	Continue updating the Future Land Use and Thoroughfare Plan on an annual basis	Norcross, Consultant	1994-1998	n/a	The 2008 Comprehensive Plan will supercede previous future land use plan
38	Use land use objectives, future land use plan narrative, and map in review of development proposals	Norcross	1994-1998	ongoing	Has been done and continues, Comprehensive Plan effort will produce new land use guidance
39	Revise Short Term Work Program on an annual basis	Norcross	1994-1998	incomplete	STWP revised in 2008