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### ARC QUARTERLY SUMMARY

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#### 1. Monthly Meeting: February 27, 2019

- **ARC Board Approved Arts, Culture, and Creative Placemaking Plan**
- **ARC Board Adopted Resolution Opposing Proposed State Legislation Regarding Building Design Standards**

The ARC Board approved a resolution opposing HB 302 and SB 172, which would prevent cities and counties from adopting or enforcing standards related to building design for one- or two-family homes.

- **New ARC Citizen Member Sworn In**

Alex Wan was sworn in after being elected by a caucus of public board members to represent Citizen District 4, which includes portions of the city of Atlanta and Fulton County. Wan is Executive Director of Horizons Atlanta and served two terms on the Atlanta City Council.

#### 2. Monthly Meeting: March 27, 2019

- **ARC Board Considers TIP Amendment 7**

John Orr, ARC's Transportation Access & Mobility Manager, gave a presentation on the proposed amendment to the Transportation Improvement Program. TIP Amendment # 7 was developed to:

- Include the programming of new projects that impact air quality conformity
- Update programming and financial details for projects in the state DOT's Major Mobility Investment Program (MMIP)
- Address project cost estimate and programmatic changes that are of a time sensitive nature or cannot be handled administratively.

**\*The ARC board is expected to vote on TIP Amendment #7 at its board meeting on May 22.**

- **Bucky Johnson Sworn in an ARC Citizen Board Member**

Bucky Johnson, former mayor of Norcross, was sworn in as an ARC board member representing Citizen District 10, which includes portions of DeKalb and Gwinnett counties. Johnson has served on the ARC board during his time as mayor of Norcross. .

### **3. Transportation Coordinating Committee: April 5, 2019**

- **TIP Amendment #7 Update and Public Comment**

Patrick Bradshaw, ARC, provided an update on the progress of TIP Amendment #7. This is the first read of the Amendment. The public comment period began April 4, 2019. Action by TCC and TAQC on this amendment will occur in May.

- **Chattahoochee River Corridor Planning Activities**

Byron Rushing, ARC, presented an update on the Chattahoochee River Greenway Study. Mr. Rushing noted that the study covers 100-mile stretch of the Chattahoochee River through the ARC region. The study schedule runs from 2018 to 2020.

- **Other and Committee Introduced Topics**

A brief presentation on the Beltline Transit Project was given by Chairman Orr in response to the public comments on the project. Mr. Orr noted that the financially unconstrained transit plan called Concept 3 was updated at the end of the 2018.

### **4. ARC Board Work Session: April 11-12, 2019**

**Topics of discussion:**

- Aerotropolis Area Update
- Finding the Flint
- South Metro Issues & Opportunities
- The Changing Regional Landscape - Changing Region/Local Perspectives
- ARC Operational Response: Aging, Workforce and Transportation
- Aligning Governance for Stronger Operations  
(Increasing Board Engagement)

**THE APRIL 24, 2019 ARC BOARD MEETING HAS BEEN CANCELLED. THE NEXT ARC BOARD MEETING WILL BE HELD ON MAY 22, 2019.**