



The TIA Times

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Heart of Georgia Altamaha Region



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TIA 1 (2013-2022):
Original Approved Investment Budget:
\$366,631,175

TIA 2 (2023-2032):
Original Approved Investment Budget:
\$338,673,177

Stats and Data Available at www.ga-tia.com

Georgia's **Transportation Investment Act (TIA) Program** provides a way for regions to fund
necessary transportation infrastructure projects
through a voter-approved one-cent sales tax.

Your region's <u>project lists</u> were selected at regional roundtables of local elected officials, community members & stakeholders appointed by the <u>Heart of Georgia Altamaha Regional Commission</u>.

<u>Citizen Review Panels</u> of local residents appointed by the Lieutenant Governor or Georgia Speaker of the House meet at least three times per year to oversee the program's progress.



Citizens Review Panels: Your Local Representatives in TIA Projects & Progress

Every Georgia region participating in TIA has a group of local leaders who monitor the program on behalf of that region's residents, ensuring that projects are completed, budgeting is responsible and quality is ensured as directed in the official TIA manual.

Each member of the citizens review panel is selected by either the lieutenant governor or the speaker of the Georgia House of Representatives. All of their meeting presentations and their annual reports to the Georgia Department of Revenue are posted online as public information at www.ga-tia.com. Just click on 'Program Reports' to find the documents for each TIA region.

Dodge County: Airport Road Resurfacing and Shoulder Widening

This summer, contractors completed major construction tasks on this project that resurfaced the entire length of the roadway and widened it two feet on each side from SR 46 to the Laurens County line. The improvements have enhanced safety with a smooth, durable surface and a driving space that allows for better response during emergencies.





Laurens County: US 441 Widening South of Interstate 16

Contractors have installed a new traffic pattern through a portion of this project which in entirety extends from SR 46 to SR 117. A number of construction crews are active, including those clearing land, laying the layers of the new lanes, hauling various materials throughout the work zone.



Treutlen County: Orianna Road & Norristown Road Resurfacing

Motorists will appreciate new roadway surfaces on these two roadways, with 3.5 miles of Orianna Road and 3.9 miles of Norristown Road improved. Seven of the 10 TIA 2 projects in Treutlen County involve roadway resurfacings, and the remaining three projects will convert three roads from dirt to asphalt-paved.

Projects in Preconstruction

Wayne County: US 301 Intersection Improvements

• Final field plan review held, report in development

Appling County - SR 27/US 341 from City Circle Road to Azalea Road

• Design layouts in progress

Wilcox County - 7th Street / 10th Street / Pine City Church Road Resurfacings

Utility plans certified, construction to be bid in January 2026

Contracting and Procurement Information Available on TIA Website

If you are affiliated with a contracting business that handles transportation infrastructure projects - or if you know of one that does - make sure they know how to check out TIA's general contracting information, professional services advertisements, awards announcements and local let schedules. They are updated monthly at https://www.ga-tia.com/Home/Procurement.

As a Georgia DOT-based program, TIA welcomes contractors of all sizes and with all types of owners and encourages all to submit bids and proposals.



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