

# COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

COMMUNITY RESOURCES COMMITTEE | FEBRUARY 9, 2022

# WHAT IS CDAP?



## PROGRAM GOALS:

- Implement the Atlanta Region's Plan at the local level
- Advance socially equitable planning processes & outcomes
- Promote community resiliency to safeguard against future shocks & stressors
- Foster comprehensive, inclusive, & meaningful community engagement

# WHAT DO WE MEAN BY EQUITY & RESILIENCY?



## **SOCIAL EQUITY:**

The just & fair inclusion into society in which all can participate, prosper, & reach their full potential. Equitable policies & programs address the harm from past planning outcomes & eliminate present & future harm to people of color, minority communities, seniors, disabled-persons, the LGBTQ community, etc.<sup>1</sup>

*1. Definition taken in part from the American Planning Association*

## **COMMUNITY RESILIENCY:**

The capacity for individuals, communities, institutions, businesses, & systems to survive, adapt, & grow no matter what kinds of chronic stresses & acute shocks they experience.<sup>2</sup>

*2. Definition & quote from the Resilient Cities Network*

*Image courtesy of City of Sandy Springs*

# WHAT'S NEW IN 2022?



## **COMMUNITY BASED ORGANIZATIONS:**

A CBO is an organization with a mission to improve the environmental, economic, social, cultural &/or quality of life conditions of a common community of interest.

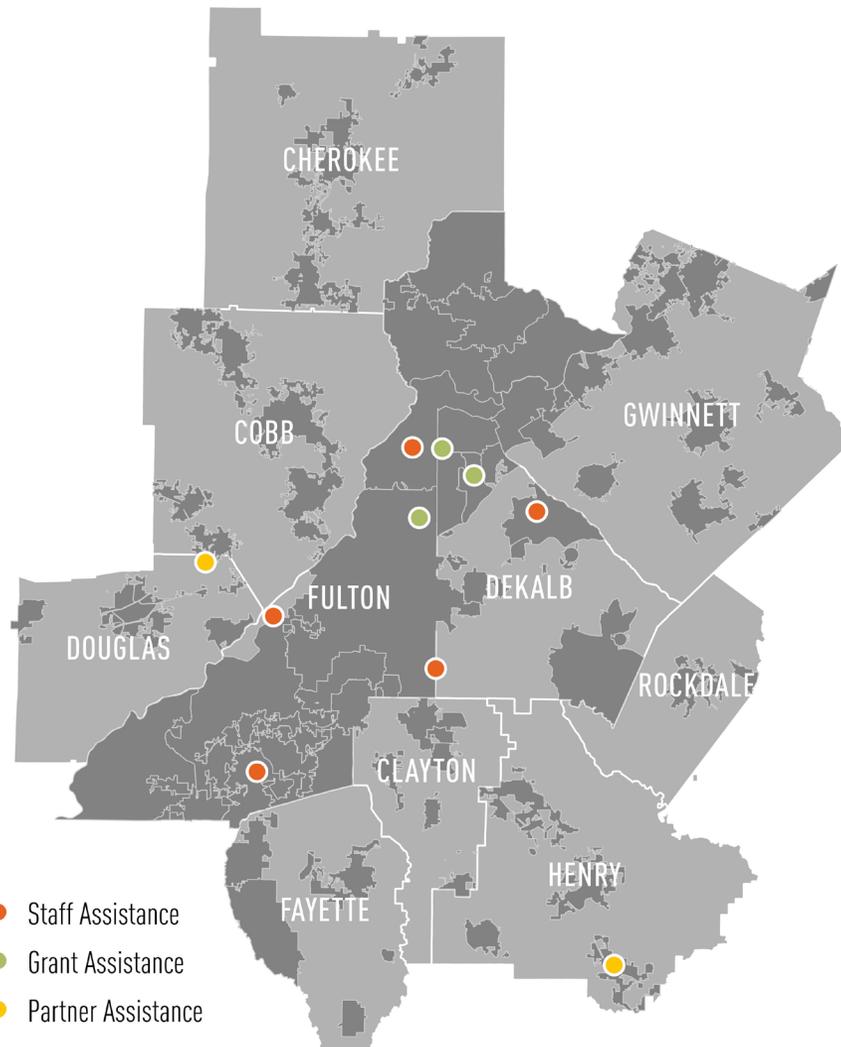
The term “organization” should be broadly interpreted & can encompass groups with formal legal status & unregistered groups, such as block clubs, or other groups that may not have a legal designation yet are still organized to work on collective efforts to benefit their community.<sup>1</sup>

*1. Definition taken from Metro (Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority)*

# PRIORITY ISSUE AREAS



# 2021 PROJECTS



## ARC Staff Assistance

- Fairburn Community Garden Plan
- Sandy Springs Flood Mitigation & Resilience Strategy
- South Fulton Citizen Board Training
- South River Forest Consensus Building & Stakeholder Engagement
- Tucker Arts in the Alleys Initiative

## Partner-Led Assistance

- City of Locust Grove Zoning Code Audit
- Douglas County Lithia Springs Character Area Implementation Strategy

## Grant Assistance

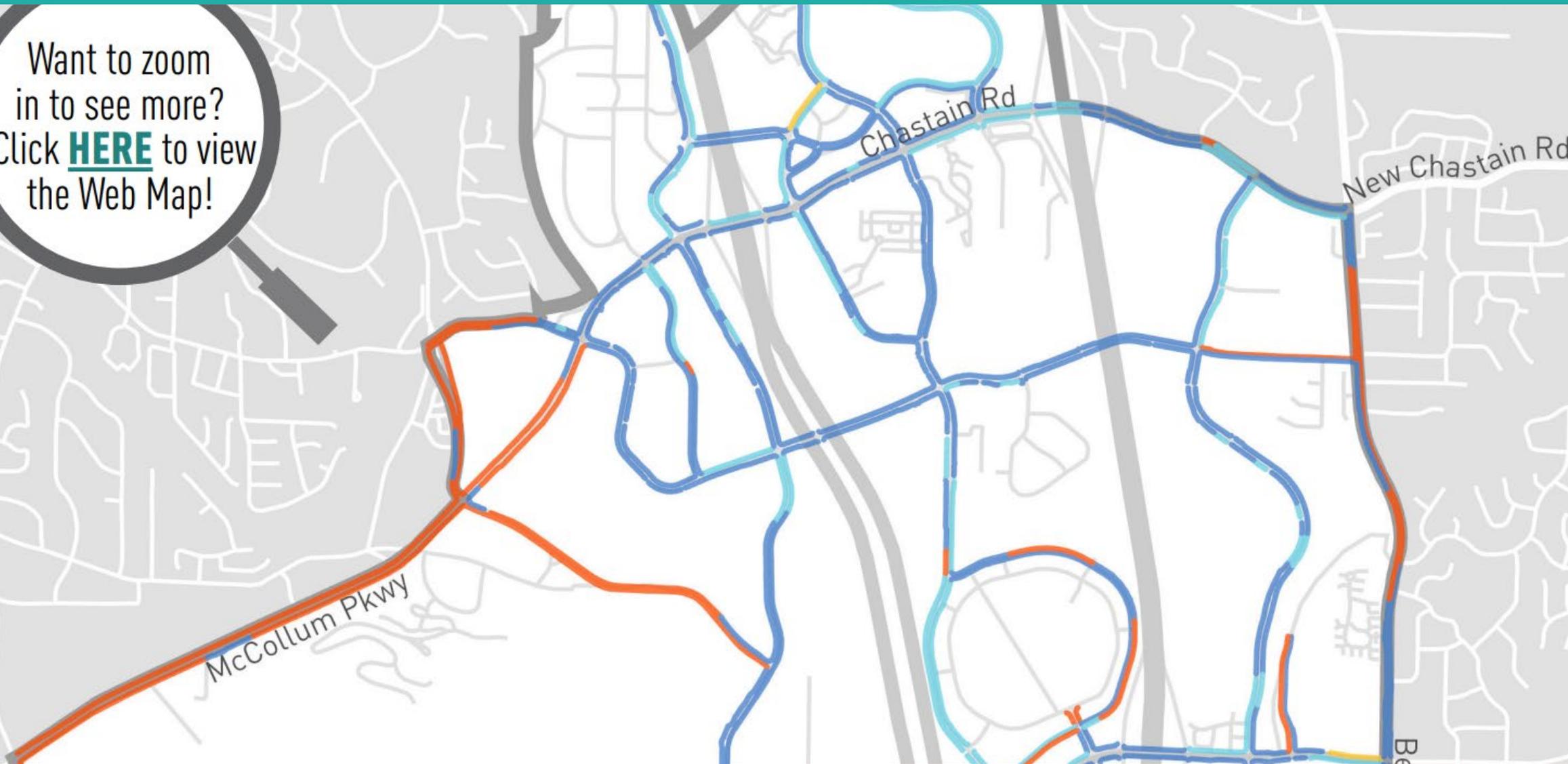
- Chamblee Housing Study
- Dunwoody Edge City 2.0 Redevelopment Plan
- Livable Buckhead

**10**  
**SELECTED**  
**PROJECTS**



# 2020 - TOWN CENTER WALKABILITY ASSESSMENT

Want to zoom  
in to see more?  
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the Web Map!



# 2019 - OLD FOURTH WARD PLANNING PRIORITIES



# 2018 - HAMPTON ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT STRATEGY



# TYPES OF ASSISTANCE



# WHO ARE OUR PARTNERS?



Sustainable Growth Program



Graduate Capstone Projects



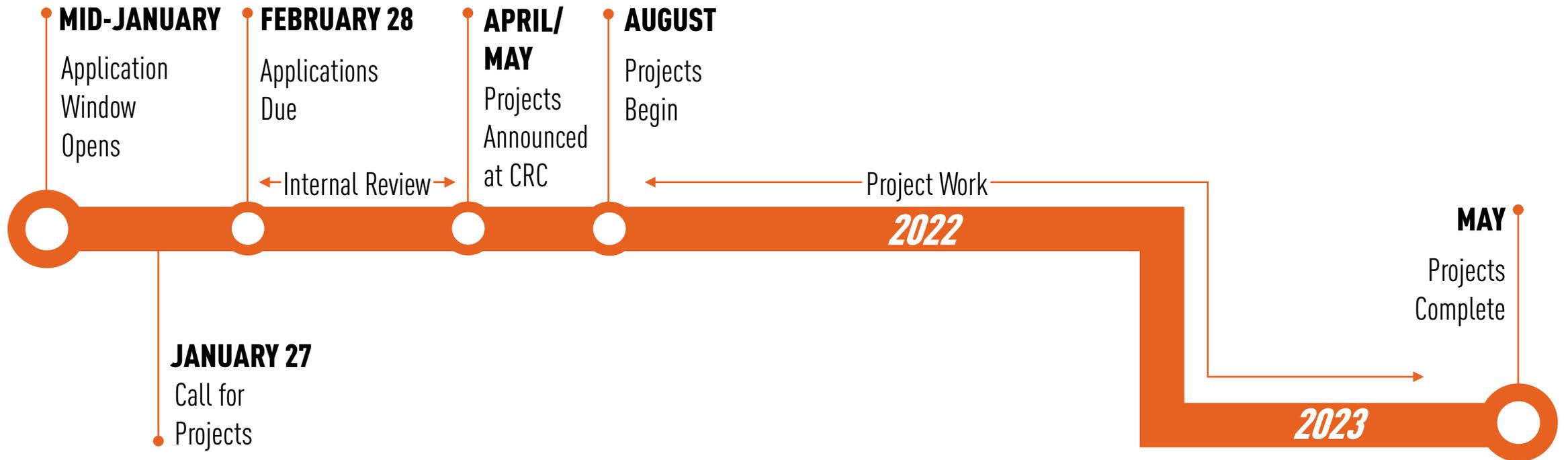
Graduate Studio Projects



Technical Assistance Panels (TAPs)



# WHAT IS THE TIMELINE?



# WHAT DOES YOUR APPLICATION NEED?

- ☑ A good idea that aligns with any ARC priority issue area
- ☑ Completed answers to application questions, including how your project advances social equity &/or community resiliency &/or engages with a Community Based Organization
- ☑ Applicant needs to be a representative from a local government, CID, or non-profit
- ☑ Signed letters of support from elected officials & relevant parties



# WHERE CAN I APPLY?

<https://atlantaregional.org/callforprojects>



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