Freight Advisory Task Force Meeting

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Freight Cluster Plans Application Process

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Freight Cluster Plans

Regional Transportation Plan

Freight Cluster Plan

Scope Content

- Roadways/Connectivity/Traffic
- Safety/Crash Data Review
- Access to Jobs – Bike/Ped/Transit
- Changing freight/logistics industry
- Technology Impacts
- Growth potential
- Land use conflicts
- Bridges
- Truck Parking
- Rail Activity
- Alternative fuels
- Signage
- Lighting

2017 TIP Solicitation

2017 TIP Solicitation included the opportunity to apply for a Freight Cluster Plan grant for the first time.

- Applicants could apply for $200,000 - $250,000 in federal funding
- Applicants provide an additional 20% local funding match

Four local project sponsors applied for $250,000 each, for a total contract value of $312,500:

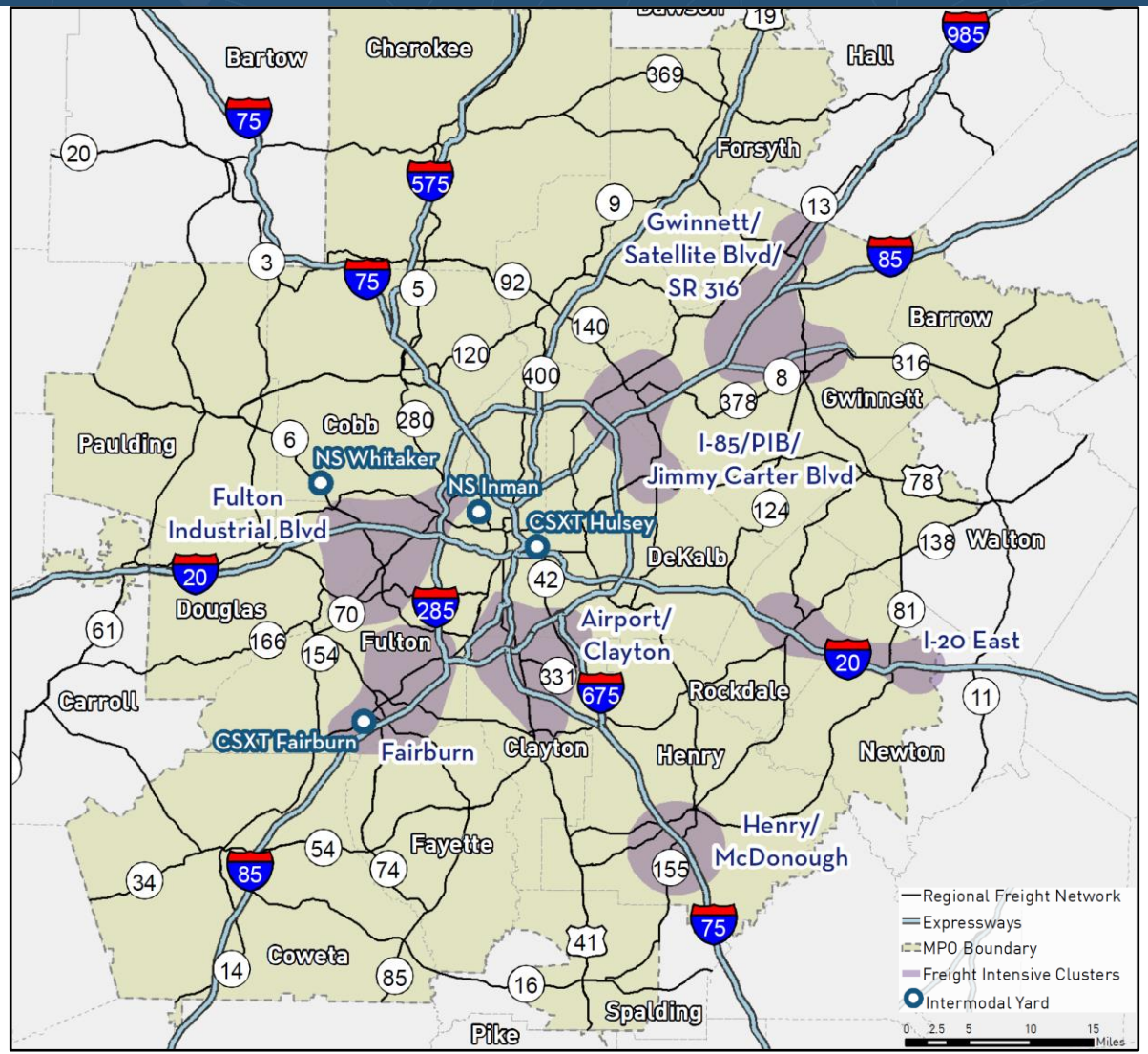
- Aerotropolis Atlanta CIDs
- Gateway 85 CID
- Spalding County
- Stone Mountain CID

2019 Freight Cluster Plan Grant Solicitation

Cluster Plan Types:

- **Existing Cluster** – Study area is located in one of the designated freight clusters in Metro Atlanta.
  - Example: Aerotropolis Atlanta CIDs
- **Emerging Cluster** – Study area is not in a designated freight cluster. Industrial development exists in the study area and there is interest by the local jurisdiction to support industrial growth and plan ahead for it.
  - Example: Spalding County
- **Urban Delivery** – Study area is located in a downtown area or activity center with non-industrial development.
  - Example: Downtown Atlanta

Freight Cluster Map



2019 Freight Cluster Plan Grant Solicitation

Process:

- Submit through the TIP Solicitation website
- Need to include a Preliminary Scope and Project Sponsor Support Resolution
- Login information from the 2017 TIP solicitation is still valid
- If you do not have a login, please contact Patrick Bradshaw at PBradshaw@atlantaregional.org

Schedule:

- Application Open **January 15 – March 29, 2019**
- FY 2020 funding will be used for these grants
  - This is available no earlier than July 1, 2019
- Project sponsors will manage procurement

Questions?

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