

The background image shows a vibrant city plaza. In the center is a large, ornate fountain with multiple water jets. Behind the fountain stands a grand, classical-style building with a central dome and columns. On either side of the fountain are multi-story brick buildings with numerous windows and balconies. Several people are seen walking and standing in the plaza, and there are benches and trees scattered throughout the scene.

# LIVABLE CENTERS INITIATIVE

## 2021 CALL FOR PROJECTS

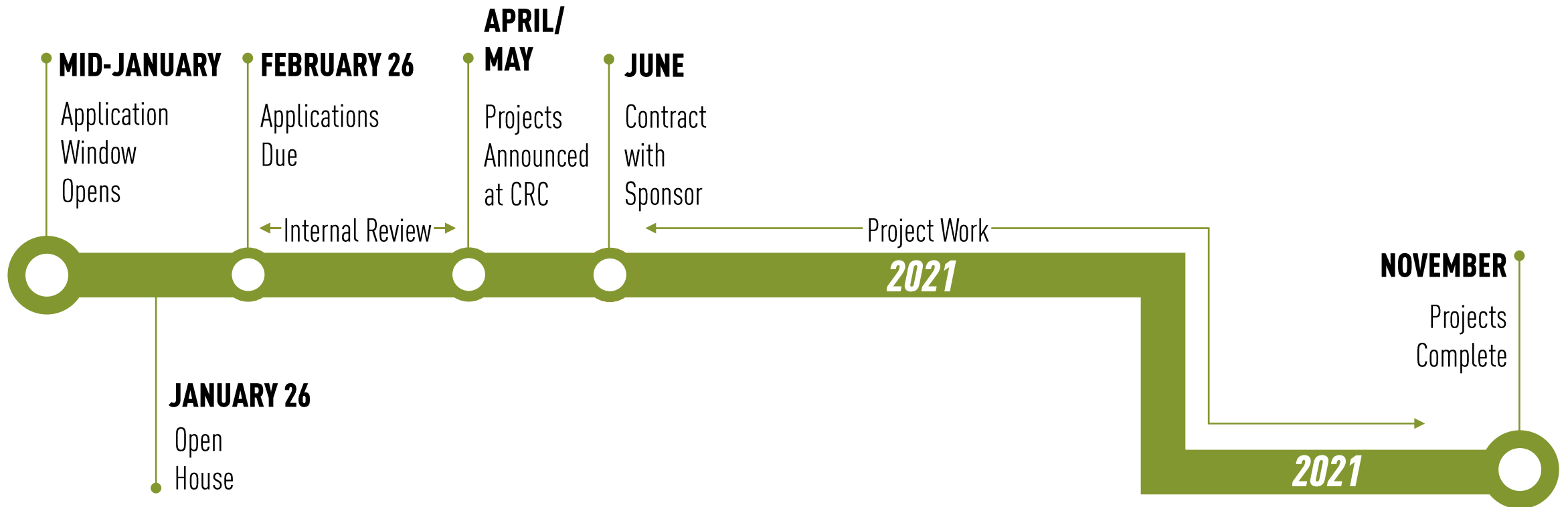


# BASIC APPLICATION INFORMATION

- **Reimbursable grant program.**
  - **ARC pays up to 80% of the study amount**
- **Applicant must be a CID, local government or transit agency**
- **Award up to \$1.8 Million**
- **Must be able to complete work by Nov 2022.**
- **Needs to have a multi-modal transportation nexus**



# 2021 LCI SCHEDULE



# LCI STUDY TYPES



**TACTICAL**

Focus on Implementation



**CATALYTIC**

Focus on Visions

**+ Two Pilot Study Types**





## LCI AREA FOCUS AREAS\*



**MAIN STREETS & DOWNTOWNS**



**TRANSIT AREAS**

# LCI PRIORITIES

**HOW DOES THE STUDY ADVANCE THE FOLLOWING IN THE LCI AREA?**

- **CREATIVE PLACEMAKING**
- **AFFORDABLE HOUSING**
- **GREEN INFRASTRUCTURE**
- **SMART CITY TECHNOLOGY**





# 2021 LCI PILOT STUDIES

ARC

# LCI PRIORITIES PLANNING

- **Facilitate conversations with elected officials and the community on the LCI Priorities within the community**
- **Leads into a follow up LCI Application next year.**





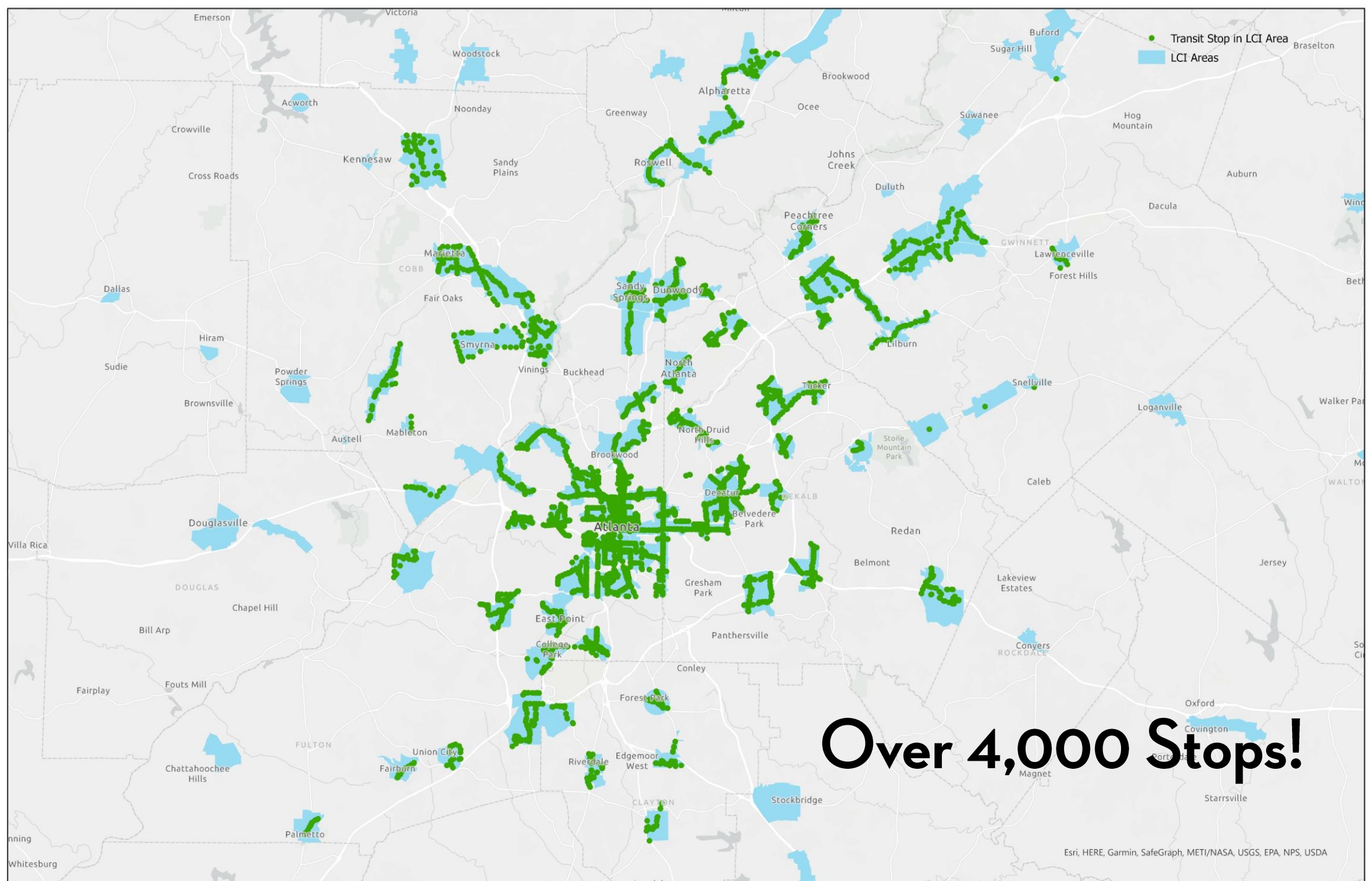


# LCI Transit Creative Placemaking Pilot





How can we do that  
Creative  
Placemaking at  
places like this?





# PILOT PROCESS OVERVIEW

- LCI Areas will apply within LCI Program and for this pilot are the only areas eligible
- Only LCI eligible Sponsors can apply but the project is open to all LCI Study Areas
- Selected LCI Areas will develop creative bus stops concepts outside of existing shelters within their LCI area, or existing shelters with approval from the transit agency.
- Selected LCI Areas will commit in the transmittal application to install and maintain a minimum of one bus stop after the completion of the project within 12 months.
- ARC cannot contribute to construction or final plans.
- Letter of Support from Transit Agency, and Right of Way Owner(s)

# PILOT PROCESS OVERVIEW

- Bus Stop Pilots must be ADA accessible
- The applicant will examine safe access to the stops within the LCI Area or route, and provide recommendations for improvements
- Community Engagement is required within the conceptual design process of the stops
- Stops must show route information
- Stops need to incorporate creative placemaking principles
- Examine of at least 3 stops with concept(s)
- Examine right of way constraints, access, demand, and safety
- Coordination with Transit Agency is required
- The Project can be incorporated within a larger LCI Study