



ATLANTA REGIONAL COMMISSION

**A RESOLUTION BY THE ATLANTA REGIONAL COMMISSION
ADOPTING UPDATES TO PRINCIPAL ARTERIALS FOR THE
ATLANTA HIGHWAY FUNCTIONAL CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM**

WHEREAS, the Atlanta Regional Commission is the designated Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) for transportation planning within the Atlanta Metropolitan Area Boundary which currently includes all or portions of 18 counties; and

WHEREAS, in March 2012, the US Census Bureau designated a twenty-three county Atlanta Urban Area based on results of the 2010 Census, and

WHEREAS, in January 2013, the Atlanta Regional Commission did adopt an Urban Area Boundary based on this new Atlanta Urban Area designation, which is a boundary used as the demarcation of routes on the Federal-aid highway system for designation as either rural or urban and to define the limits of the Highway Functional Classification System pursuant to 23 CFR 470.105(a) and (b), and

WHEREAS, on October 11, 2013, the Federal Highway Administration did approve the Urban Area Boundary for Atlanta, and

WHEREAS, the Georgia Department of Transportation, in cooperation with the Atlanta Regional Commission and local governments within the 18 county area, has conducted a comprehensive review of the Principal Arterial network of the Atlanta Highway Functional Classification System based on the updated Atlanta Urban Area Boundary, and

WHEREAS, recommended changes are proposed for the Principal Arterial network for the 18 county region's Highway Functional Classification System, as detailed in the attached Table 1, and

WHEREAS, the changes outlined in Table 1 collectively result in a revised Principal Arterial network, as mapped in Figure 1, and

WHEREAS, the Georgia Department of Transportation has indicated its intention that the National Highway System for Georgia be updated through separate action at a later date to align that system with the new Principal Arterial network, and

WHEREAS, additional changes to the Atlanta Highway Functional Classification System for Minor Arterials, Major Collectors, Minor Collectors and Local Streets are still under review and will be presented for separate action at a later date,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Atlanta Regional Commission adopts the updated Principal Arterial network of the Atlanta Highway Functional Classification System for the 18 county area.

I do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the Atlanta Regional Commission on August 27, 2014.


Robin Rutherford, ARC Assistant Secretary

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"Other Principal Arterial" being upgraded to "Other Freeway & Expressway"								
2014-001	1076	Gwinnett	GA 316	3	2	SR 120 (Duluth Highway)	SR 20 / SR 124 (Buford Drive)	Change reflects current work to grade separate intersections along this section of SR 316; section east of SR 20 / SR 124 will remain classified as an "Other Principal Arterial"
"Other Principal Arterial" being downgraded to "Minor Arterial"								
2014-002	122	Cobb	Mars Hill Rd	3	4	SR 120 (Dallas Highway)	Immediately south of US 41 (Cobb Parkway)	Changes 2014-002, 2014-003 and 2014-004 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-003	121	Cobb	Mars Hill Rd	3	4	Immediately south of US 41 (Cobb Parkway)	Immediately north of US 41 (Cobb Parkway)	Changes 2014-002, 2014-003 and 2014-004 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-004	120	Cobb	Mars Hill Road / Kemp Ridge Road	3	4	Immediately north of US 41 (Cobb Parkway)	SR 92 (Lake Acworth Drive)	Changes 2014-002, 2014-003 and 2014-004 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-005	118	Cobb	SR 92 (Lake Acworth Drive / Cowan Road)	3	4	US 41 (Cobb Parkway)	I-75 southbound exit/entrance ramps	Segment comprises portions of two roadways
2014-006	126	Coweta	US 29	3	4	Coweta County / Fulton County line (near Tommy Lee Cook Road)	SR 34 Bypass (Millard Farmer Industrial Boulevard)	
2014-007	160	DeKalb	Ashford Dunwoody Road	3	4	I-285	Immediately south of I-285	Changes 2014-007, 2014-008, 2014-009, 2014-010 and 2014-011 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-008	159	DeKalb	Ashford Dunwoody Road	3	4	Immediately south of I-285	Nancy Creek Drive	Changes 2014-007, 2014-008, 2014-009, 2014-010 and 2014-011 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-009	158	DeKalb	Ashford Dunwoody Road	3	4	Nancy Creek Drive	Harts Mill Road	Changes 2014-007, 2014-008, 2014-009, 2014-010 and 2014-011 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-010	157	DeKalb	Ashford Dunwoody Road / Johnson Ferry Road	3	4	Harts Mill Road	Chamblee City Limits (near Keswick Drive)	Segment comprises portions of two roadways; changes 2014-007, 2014-008, 2014-009, 2014-010 and 2014-011 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-011	156	DeKalb	Johnson Ferry Road	3	4	Chamblee City Limits (near Keswick Drive)	SR 141 (Peachtree Boulevard)	Changes 2014-007, 2014-008, 2014-009, 2014-010 and 2014-011 are contiguous along a single corridor

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2014-012	155	DeKalb	SR 13 (Buford Highway)	3	4	I-285	DeKalb County / Gwinnett County line (near Johnson Drive)	
2014-013	161	Fayette	SR 74 (Joel Cowan Parkway)	3	4	SR 54 (Lanier Avenue)	Fayette County / Coweta County line (Line Creek)	A portion of this segment at the southern end also carries the SR 85 designation
2014-014	700	Gwinnett	Peachtree Industrial Boulevard	3	4	SR 20 (Nelson Brogdon Boulevard / Cumming Highway)	Gwinnett County / Hall County line (near Cemetery Road)	
2014-015	459	Henry	SR 81	3	4	US 19 / US 41	SR 20 (Hampton Road)	
2014-016	139	Newton	West Street	3	4	SR 81 (Washington Street)	SR 81 (Emory Street)	
2014-017	516	Newton	SR 142 (Industrial Park Boulevard)	3	4	I-20 westbound exit/entrance ramps	Flat Rock Road	
2014-018	144	Newton	US 278	3	4	I-20	Elks Club Road	
2014-019	132	Spalding	US 41	3	4	US 19 / SR 155 (Zebulon Road)	Spalding County / Pike County line (at County Line Road)	
2014-020	131	Spalding	SR 155 (Zebulon Road / Hill Street)	3	4	US 19 / US 41	SR 16 (Taylor Street)	
2014-021	130	Spalding	SR 92 (McIntosh Road)	3	4	Cowan Road	US 19 / US 41	
2014-022	975	Walton	SR 10 / US 78 Business (Spring Street)	3	4	SR 138 (Martin Luther King, Jr. Boulevard)	US 78 exit/entrance ramps (east of Monroe)	
"Minor Arterial" being upgraded to "Other Principal Arterial"								
2014-023	1023	Clayton	McDonough Road	4	3	Clayton County / Henry County line (near Babbs Mill Road)	Clayton County / Fayette County line (Morning Creek)	Changes 2014-023, 2014-040 and 2014-053 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-024	1012	Cobb	SR 92 (Dallas Acworth Highway)	4	3	Cobb County / Paulding County line (near Pickets Mill Place)	US 41 (Cobb Parkway)	Changes 2014-024, 2014-025, 2014-037, 2014-057, and 2014-058 are contiguous along a single corridor

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2014-025	1008	Cobb	SR 92 (Hiram Acworth Highway)	4	3	Cobb County / Paulding County line (near Due West Road)	Cobb County / Paulding County line (near Meryton Park)	Changes 2014-024, 2014-025, 2014-037, 2014-057, and 2014-058 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-026	117	Cobb	US 41 (Cobb Parkway)	4	3	Circle 75 Parkway / Spring Road	Cobb County / Bartow County line (near Third Army Road)	
2014-027	1074	Coweta	SR 34 (Franklin Road)	4	3	Coweta County / Heard County line (near Joe Stephens Road)	Thigpen Road / Pete Davis Road	Changes 2014-027 and 2014-030 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-028	128	Coweta	SR 34 (Bullsboro Drive)	4	3	US 29 (Jefferson Street)	SR 54	Changes 2014-028 and 2014-031 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-029	127	Coweta	US 29	4	3	I-85 northbound exit/entrance ramps	SR 16	
2014-030	1075	Coweta	SR 34 (Franklin Road)	4	3	Thigpen Road / Pete Davis Road	SR 34 Bypass (Millard Farmer Industrial Boulevard)	Changes 2014-027 and 2014-030 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-031	129	Coweta	SR 34 / SR 54	4	3	SR 34 (Bullsboro Drive)	Coweta County / Fayette County line (Line Creek)	Changes 2014-028 and 2014-031 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-032	356	DeKalb	US 29 (Lawrenceville Highway)	4	3	US 78 (Stone Mountain Freeway)	DeKalb County / Gwinnett County line (near Sandpiper Drive)	Changes 2014-032 and 2014-050 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-033	355	DeKalb	SR 42 (North Druid Hills Road)	4	3	SR 13 (Buford Highway)	SR 42 (Briarcliff Road)	Changes 2014-033 and 2014-034 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-034	352	DeKalb	North Druid Hill Road	4	3	SR 42 (Briarcliff Road)	US 78 (Stone Mountain Freeway) eastbound entrance ramp	Changes 2014-033 and 2014-034 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-035	203	DeKalb	US 23 (Moreland Avenue)	4	3	Fayetteville Road / Bailey Street	I-285 eastbound exit/entrance ramps	Changes 2014-035 and 2014-045 are contiguous along a single corridor

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2014-036	150	DeKalb	SR 10 (Memorial Drive)	4	3	I-285 southbound exit/entrance ramps	US 78 (Stone Mountain Freeway) exit/entrance ramps	
2014-037	881	Douglas	SR 92 (Dallas Highway)	4	3	SR 92 realignment (FUTURE - near Brown Street)	Douglas County / Paulding County line (near Gothards Creek)	Southern limit reflects current construction of a realignment of SR 92 around Douglasville; new alignment will also be classified as an "Other Principal Arterial" once completed to create a continuous corridor; changes 2014-024, 2014-025, 2014-037, 2014-057, and 2014-058 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-038	879	Douglas	SR 92 (Fairburn Road)	4	3	SR 92 realignment (FUTURE - near Hospital Drive)	SR 154 / SR 166	Northern limit reflects current construction of a realignment of SR 92 around Douglasville; new alignment will also be classified as an "Other Principal Arterial" once completed to create a continuous corridor; changes 2014-038, 2014-039A, 2014-043, 2014-044 and 2014-048 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-039A	880	Douglas	SR 92 / SR 154 / SR 166	4	3	SR 154 / SR 166	Douglas County / Fulton County line (Chattahoochee River)	Changes 2014-038, 2014-039A, 2014-043, 2014-044 and 2014-048 are contiguous along a single corridor; changes 2014-039A and 2014-039B were submitted jointly under one GitHub request, but are split apart in this table for clarity
2014-039B	880	Douglas	SR 154 / SR 166	4	3	SR 92 (Fairburn Road)	Douglas County / Fulton County line (Chattahoochee River)	Changes 2014-039B, 2014-042 and 2014-047 are contiguous along a single corridor; changes 2014-039A and 2014-039B were submitted jointly under one GitHub request, but are split apart in this table for clarity;

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2014-040	1073	Fayette	McDonough Road	4	3	SR 54 (Lanier Avenue)	Fayette County / Clayton County line (Morning Creek)	Changes 2014-023, 2014-040 and 2014-053 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-041	151	Forsyth	SR 141 (Peachtree Parkway)	4	3	Forsyth County / Fulton County line (McGinnis Ferry Road)	SR 400 southbound exit/entrance ramps	Changes 2014-041, 2014-046 and 2014-049 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-042	1021	Fulton	SR 154 / SR 166 (Campbellton Road)	4	3	SR 70 (Fulton Industrial Boulevard / Cascade Palmetto Highway)	I-285 southbound exit/entrance ramps	Changes 2014-039B, 2014-042 and 2014-047 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-043	1010	Fulton	SR 138 (Beverly Engram Parkway)	4	3	US 29 (Roosevelt Highway / Broad Street)	I-85 southbound exit/entrance ramps	Changes 2014-038, 2014-039A, 2014-043, 2014-044 and 2014-048 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-044	1009	Fulton	SR 92 (Campbellton Fairburn Road) / SR 138 (Beverly Engram Parkway)	4	3	SR 70 (Cascade Palmetto Highway)	US 29 (Roosevelt Highway / Broad Street)	Changes 2014-038, 2014-039A, 2014-043, 2014-044 and 2014-048 are contiguous along a single corridor; segment comprises portions of two roadways;
2014-045	154	Fulton	US 23 (Moreland Avenue)	4	3	Fayetteville Road / Bailey Street	US 23 / US 29 / US 78 / US 278 (Ponce de Leon Avenue)	Changes 2014-035 and 2014-045 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-046	152	Fulton	SR 141 (Medlock Bridge Road)	4	3	Fulton County / Gwinnett County line (Chattahoochee River)	Fulton County / Forsyth County line (McGinnis Ferry Road)	Changes 2014-041, 2014-046 and 2014-049 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-047	1022	Fulton	SR 154 / SR 166 (Campbellton Road)	4	3	Fulton County / Douglas County line (Chattahoochee River)	SR 70 (Fulton Industrial Boulevard / Cascade Palmetto Highway)	Changes 2014-039B, 2014-042 and 2014-047 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-048	1015	Fulton	SR 92 / SR 154	4	3	Fulton County / Douglas County line (Chattahoochee River)	SR 70 (Cascade Palmetto Highway)	Changes 2014-038, 2014-039A, 2014-039B, 2014-043, 2014-044 and 2014-048 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-049	153	Gwinnett	SR 141 (Peachtree Parkway)	4	3	SR 141 (Peachtree Industrial Boulevard)	Gwinnett County / Fulton County line (Chattahoochee River)	Changes 2014-041, 2014-046 and 2014-049 are contiguous along a single corridor

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2014-050	1007	Gwinnett	US 29 (Lawrenceville Highway)	4	3	Gwinnett County / DeKalb County line (near Sandpiper Drive)	Jimmy Carter Boulevard	Changes 2014-032 and 2014-050 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-051A	149	Gwinnett	Sugarloaf Parkway	4	3	Peachtree Industrial Boulevard	SR 20 (Grayson Highway)	Changes 2014-051A and 2014-051B are contiguous along a single corridor; changes 2014-051A and 2014-051B were submitted jointly under one GitHub request, but are split apart in this table for clarity
2014-052A	566	Henry	SR 20 (Keys Ferry Street)	4	3	US 23 / SR 42 southbound (Atlanta Street / Griffin Street)	SR 155 (Zack Hinton Parkway)	Changes 2014-052A and 2014-052B complete the principal arterial connection along the one-way pair through downtown McDonough; changes 2014-052A and 2014-052B were submitted jointly under one GitHub request, but are split apart in this table for clarity
2014-052B	566	Henry	SR 20 (John Frank Ward Boulevard)	4	3	SR 155 (Sims Street)	US 23 / SR 42 southbound (Atlanta Street / Griffin Street)	Changes 2014-052A and 2014-052B complete the principal arterial connection along the one-way pair through downtown McDonough; changes 2014-052A and 2014-052B were submitted jointly under one GitHub request, but are split apart in this table for clarity
2014-053	556	Henry	Jonesboro Road / Jonesboro Street	4	3	Henry County / Clayton County line	US 23 / SR 42 (Atlanta Street)	Changes 2014-023, 2014-040 and 2014-053 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-054	549	Henry	SR 20 (McDonough Hampton Road)	4	3	US 19 / US 41	Dorsey Road	Changes 2014-054 and 2014-069 are contiguous along a single corridor; segment along a short piece of Richard Petty Boulevard at the western end of the corridor to complete the connection to US 19 / US 41
2014-055	1028	Newton	SR 81	4	3	Newton County / Henry County line (South River)	Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Avenue (Covington Bypass)	

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2014-056	523	Newton	SR 138	4	3	Newton County / Rockdale County line	Newton County / Walton County line	Changes 2014-056, 2014-059, 2014-060, 2014-066 and 2014-067 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-057	331	Paulding	SR 92 (Dallas Acworth Highway / Hiram Acworth Highway)	4	3	Paulding County / Cobb County line (near Due West Road)	Paulding County / Cobb County line (near Pickets Mill Place)	Segment comprises portions of two roadways; changes 2014-024, 2014-025, 2014-037, 2014-057, and 2014-058 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-058	328	Paulding	SR 92 (Hiram Acworth Highway / Hiram Douglasville Highway)	4	3	Paulding County / Douglas County line (near Gothards Creek)	Paulding County / Cobb County line (near Meryton Park)	Changes 2014-024, 2014-025, 2014-037, 2014-057, and 2014-058 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-059	141	Rockdale	SR 138	4	3	I-20 eastbound exit/entrance ramps	Sigman Road	Changes 2014-056, 2014-059, 2014-060, 2014-066 and 2014-067 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-060	420	Rockdale	SR 138	4	3	Sigman Road	Rockdale County / Newton County line	Changes 2014-056, 2014-059, 2014-060, 2014-066 and 2014-067 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-061	632	Spalding	SR 16 (Taylor Street)	4	3	US 19 / US 41 southbound exit/entrance ramps	Hammond Drive	
2014-062	134	Spalding	SR 16 (Arthur K. Bolton Parkway)	4	3	McDonough Road	Spalding County / Butts County line	Changes 2014-062 and 2014-063 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-063	133	Spalding	SR 16 (Arthur K. Bolton Parkway)	4	3	Barrow Road	McDonough Road	Changes 2014-062 and 2014-063 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-064	1078	Walton	US 78 (Athens Highway)	4	3	Mt. Vernon Road	Walton County / Oconee County line (Apalachee River)	Changes 2014-064 and 2014-065 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-065	1077	Walton	US 78 (Athens Highway)	4	3	Vicinity of Edmondson Road	Mt. Vernon Road	
2014-066	1030	Walton	SR 138	4	3	Lakeshore Drive	US 78 exit/entrance ramps (west of Monroe)	Changes 2014-056, 2014-059, 2014-060, 2014-066 and 2014-067 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-067	1029	Walton	SR 138	4	3	Walton County / Newton County line	Lakeshore Drive	Changes 2014-056, 2014-059, 2014-060, 2014-066 and 2014-067 are contiguous along a single corridor
2014-068	148	Walton	US 78 (Athens Highway)	4	3	Walton County / Gwinnett County line	US 78 (expressway bypass around Monroe)	

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2014-051B	149	Gwinnett	Sugarloaf Parkway	4	2	SR 20 (Grayson Highway)	SR 316	Changes 2014-051A and 2014-051B are contiguous along a single corridor; changes 2014-051A and 2014-051B were submitted jointly under one GitHub request, but are split apart in this table for clarity
"Major Collector" being upgraded to "Other Principal Arterial"								
2014-069	531	Henry	SR 20 (McDonough Hampton Road)	5	3	Dorsey Road	SR 81	Changes 2014-054 and 2014-069 are contiguous along a single corridor

Proposed Principal Arterial Network Functional Classification Review

