Metro Atlanta Region Leadership

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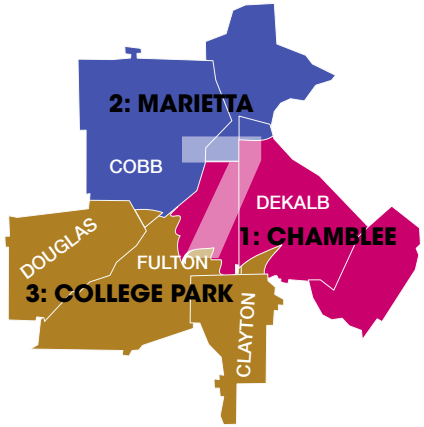
Area Offices

Oversee maintenance, construction and general inquiries in their respective areas.

Chris Woods, *Area One* – (770) 216-3810
City of Atlanta, DeKalb and Rockdale

Alania Hicks, *Area Two* – (770) 528-3232
Cobb County and North Fulton

Lankston Johnson, *Area Three* – (404) 559-6699
Douglas, Clayton and South Fulton



Contact Us

Construction Related Traffic Impacts

Call 511

Customer Service or Help/Property Damage Claims

contact@dot.ga.gov

Communications/Social Media Hub

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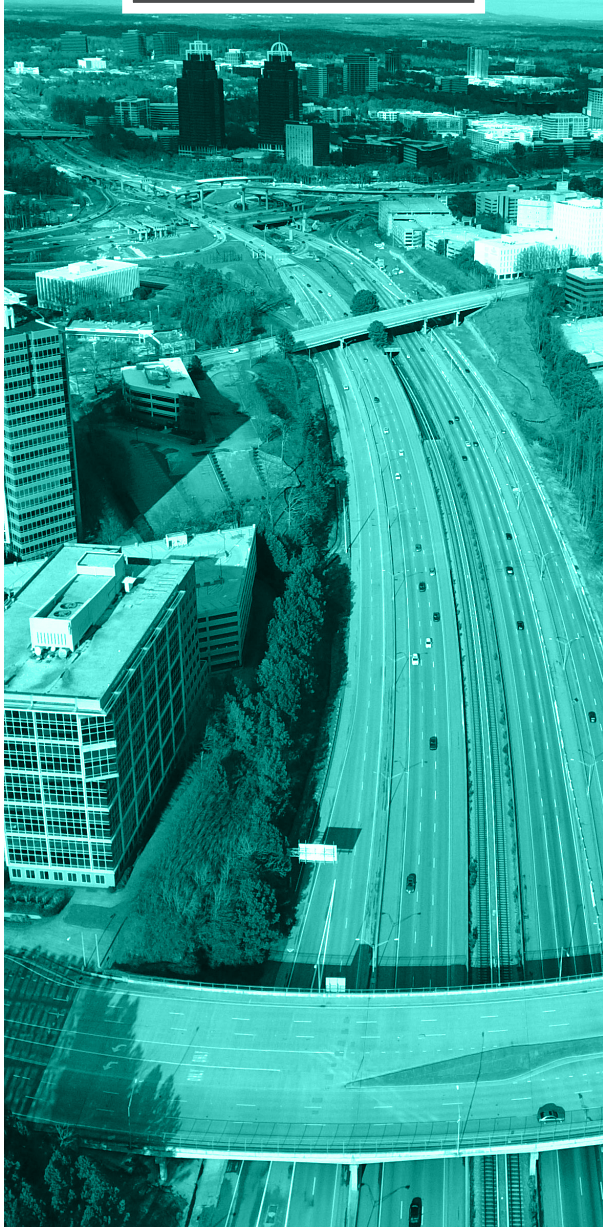

Metro Atlanta Region

Employees serve 6 counties in the metro Atlanta region. They perform maintenance, construction, traffic operations and permitting, and are on-call during inclement weather. Georgia DOT's emergency roadside assistance service HEROs (Highway Emergency Response Operators) is available to motorists traveling through the region. Call 511 and speak to a live operator for assistance.

Vision

Boost Georgia's competitiveness via leadership in transportation.

Mission

Deliver a transportation system focused on innovation, safety, sustainability and mobility.

By the Numbers

6
Counties Served

2,300
State Route Lane Miles

20,000
Off-System Road Miles

1,700
Interstate Lane Miles

611
Bridges

Top Projects

- State Route 92 Widening and Relocation in Douglas County #006900
- Tara Blvd Widening in Clayton County #PI 722030
- Northside Drive Bridge Replacement Project in Fulton County #0007174
- Browns Mill Road at Salem Road Roundabout in DeKalb County #0009988
- State Route 166 at Boat Rock and New Hope Road Roundabout in Fulton County #731830
- Major Mobility Investment Program, visit https://majormobilityga.com

Traffic Signals

The Georgia DOT's metro Atlanta Region office receives 35-40 similar traffic signal requests daily. They generally originate from residents, but also come from local government officials, business owners and private developers.

If you have a request for a new traffic signal or a modification to an existing signal, visit the Georgia DOT home page and click on "Contact Us".

Frequently Requested Resources

Landscaping Needs

Wildflower Program
Began in 1974 when Mrs. Virginia Hand Callaway, then chair of the Birds and Wildflowers Committee of The Garden Club of Georgia, Inc., spearheaded the movement to plant and protect wildflowers on the roadsides. For more info, please contact Chris DeGrace at 404-631-1398.

Roadside Enhancement and Beautification Council Grant (REBC)
Provides funding for roadside enhancement and beautification projects along Georgia's roadsides. For more information contact landscape@dot.ga.gov or (404) 631-1400.

Maintenance

Litter
This team performs yearly pick-up.

Mowing
They mow (during the growing season) at the same intervals throughout the six counties— every 30 days on interstate and 45 days on state routes.