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## **SR 20 RESURFACING THROUGH DOWNTOWN LAWRENCEVILLE BEGINS THURSDAY**

**Winder, Ga.** – Georgia DOT announces a resurfacing project on State Route 20 through the heart of Lawrenceville is set to begin Thursday, August 1<sup>st</sup>, weather permitting.

The nearly \$1.8 million project includes 3.632 miles of milling and resurfacing beginning just south of Hurricane Shoals Road and extending to just west of Park Place/Plantation Boulevard. The parking areas will also be resurfaced along SR 20 and parking will not be allowed in the project area during the work hours.

The contract work hours for the project allow some for some daytime work but currently the plans are to only work from 9:00 p.m. to 6:00 a.m. Sunday night through Friday night.

The contractor, C.W. Matthews Contracting Co, Inc., from Marietta expects to complete this work by August 8<sup>th</sup>, weather permitting.

*Each day, hundreds of Georgia Department of Transportation employees and contractors work on dozens of highway, bridge and intersection improvements throughout the state. Their work often brings them and heavy machinery in close proximity to travel lanes. Fifty-seven Georgia DOT personnel and many more motorists, passengers and contractors' workers have been killed in highway work zone accidents since 1973. Please help us prevent these tragedies by slowing down; being especially attentive and cautious as you pass through construction work zones; and always driving responsibly. Safer Driving; Safer Work Zones; For Everyone. For more information on Georgia DOT, please visit [www.dot.ga.gov](http://www.dot.ga.gov) or subscribe to our Press Release [RSS feed](#). You also may follow us on [Facebook](#) ([www.facebook.com/GeorgiaDOT](http://www.facebook.com/GeorgiaDOT)) and [Twitter](#) (<http://twitter.com/gadepoftrans>).*

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