



Mount Vernon Corridor Improvements for our Community



A Critical Corridor for our Community

Mount Vernon Road is a critical corridor for Dunwoody residents. Residents traveling to buy groceries at Publix or Fresh Market, catch a bite to eat at Marlow's or Carbonara, or do some shopping at the Shops at Dunwoody, are likely to use Mt. Vernon Road as the primary route.

Subdivisions directly along Mount Vernon Road include:

- Hidden Branches
- Trailridge
- Dunwoody Station
- Bellewood
- Dunwoody West
- Mount Vernon Forest
- Wickford
- Mount Vernon North
- North Wellington

- Mount Vernon Springs
- Dunwoody Club Forest
- Vernon Ridge
- Meadow Lake
- Devinger
- Oxford Chase
- Cedar Chase
- Kingsley

Thousands of residents who live in these subdivisions and others along Mount Vernon depend on the corridor as a primary route to travel to and from work, venture out for family excursions, and run errands.

Sidewalk Improvements to Mount Vernon

The City of Dunwoody recognizes the key role Mount Vernon Road plays in the community. As a result, several projects have been planned to address safety and operational concerns at several key intersections. In the City's Comprehensive transportation Plan, the intersections identified in the highest priority category are Nandina Lane/Chamblee Dunwoody Road, Mount Vernon Way, Vermack Road, Mount Vernon Place, and Tilly Mill Road.

In addition to recommendations for intersection improvement projects, the Comprehensive Transportation Plan recognizes the importance of the sense of community by initiating a "Complete Streets Policy." The concept of Complete Streets centers on the idea that streets are not just for cars and trucks. Whether used for health benefits or a means to avoid traffic congestion, sidewalks and other alternative accommodations provide tremendous value to residents and businesses in Dunwoody.

New sidewalk segments will be designed to close gaps between existing sidewalk segments or to connect them with proposed sidewalks at intersection improvement projects, making this corridor safer, healthier, and more enjoyable for all. These projects are timed in conjunction with DeKalb County's water main replacement project.



DUNWOODY VILLAGE TO VERNON OAKS DR MOUNT VERNON RD

The proposed sidewalk improvements to Mt. Vernon Road, from Dunwoody Village to Vernon Oaks Drive, includes approximately 2,300 ft of new five-foot wide sidewalk, with a six-foot landscape buffer between walkers and the busy traffic on Mt. Vernon Rd. Additional sidewalk segments along Mt. Vernon Road are planned for future construction, eventually creating a safe sidewalk infrastructure that runs the length of Mt. Vernon Rd throughout the City of Dunwoody.





