

NEIGHBORHOOD STRONG

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The Department of City Planning (DCP) is working on a comprehensive effort to strengthen the Southwest Atlanta community by:

- Designing a strategy for community-led area planning and visioning;
- Coordinating community development efforts;
- Curating an area-specific educational program;
- Launching a year-long outreach and awareness campaign;
- Providing technical support; and
- Realigning neighborhood planning units in the southwest quadrant.

BACKGROUND

In the nearly 50 years since NPUs were created, boundaries have not been adjusted to accommodate population shifts, shared spaces, or growth corridors, resulting in widely disparate resident populations and varying levels of strength, functionality, and effectiveness. This project will help strengthen and equip southwest neighborhoods to manage the change rapidly occurring in areas around the City.

OPPORTUNITY

Current conditions offer the opportunity for DCP to encourage resident input for the Campbellton Road corridor; increase awareness of engagement opportunities; bolster comprehensive planning efforts for major corridors, commercial districts and residential neighborhoods in southwest Atlanta; empower neighborhood organizations; and promote equity.

WHY ISN'T THIS A CITYWIDE PROJECT?

While we realize there is an interest in reviewing NPU boundaries all over the city and adjusting where necessary, neighborhoods in the southwest are facing rapid change and can benefit from immediate efforts to stabilize, strengthen and empower the neighborhood organizations to manage that change effectively. We expect to begin robust engagement during our comprehensive review of NPU boundaries citywide in the coming months.

HOW CAN I STAY INFORMED OR GIVE FEEDBACK?

In addition to presenting at Neighborhood Planning Unit meetings and other public meetings upon request, the Department of City Planning will conduct public engagement sessions in October and November. You can find the meeting information on our website.

You can also visit our website to give input or submit any feedback or questions.

TIMELINE

SEPTEMBER 2022

Stakeholder Engagement
Chairs' Work Sessions

OCTOBER 2022

Stakeholder Engagement
Public Meeting #1

NOVEMBER 2022

Stakeholder Engagement
Planning Meetings
Public Meeting #2

DECEMBER 2022

Update Resources
Planning Sessions

JANUARY – MARCH 2023

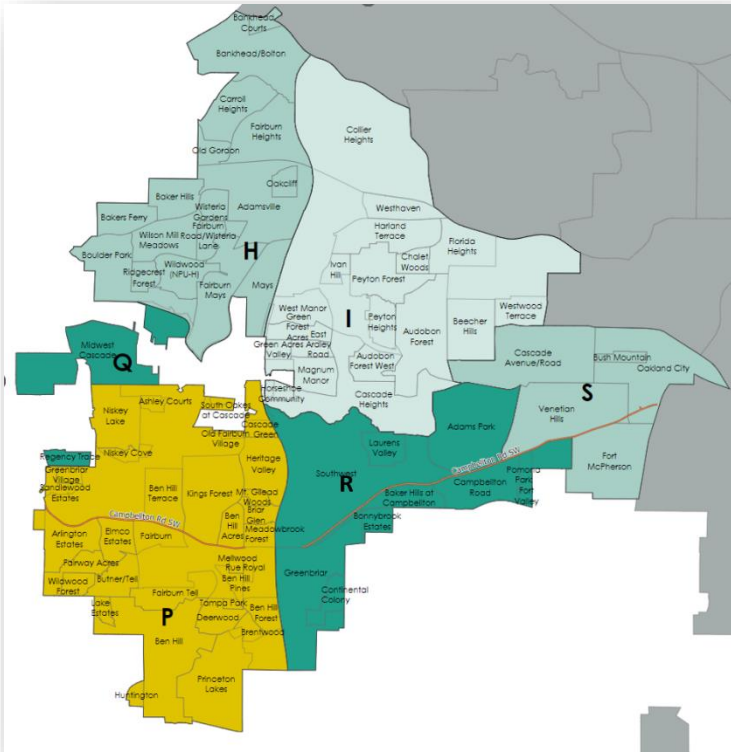
Planning Sessions
Ongoing Engagement and Support

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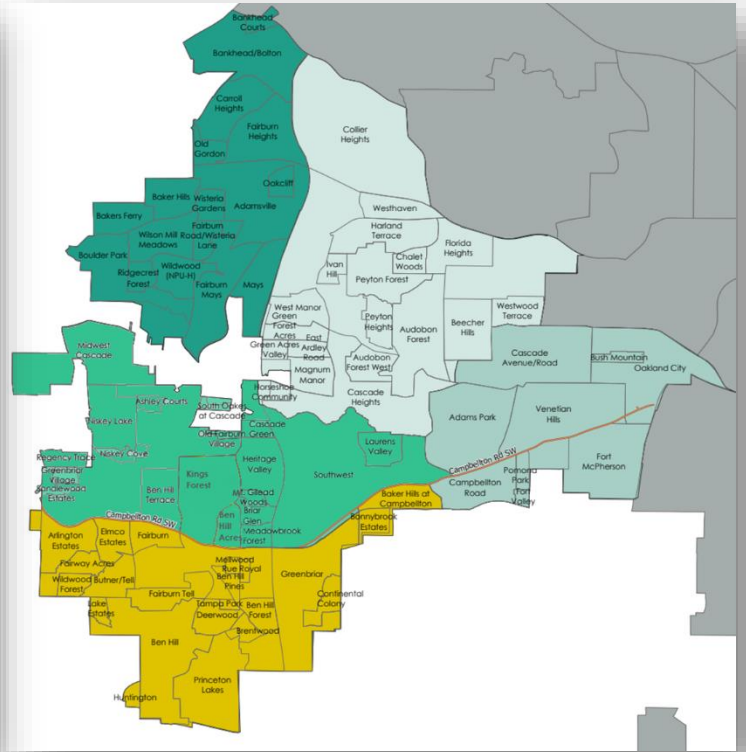


Why are we doing this? In addition to creating three strong, effective neighborhood planning units, reconfiguring NPU boundaries in the southwest quadrant will also give nearly 40,000 residents the opportunity to make formal recommendations along the Campbellton corridor. By reimagining how these NPUs make recommendations, we will add value and volume to the voices of the residents in the southwest.

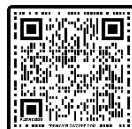
CURRENT



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NEIGHBORHOODS	CURRENT	PLANNED
Adams Park, Pomona Park, Fort Valley, Campbellton Road	NPU-R	
Greenbriar, Bonnybrook Estates, Baker Hills @ Campbellton, Continental Colony	NPU-R	
Ashley Courts, Ben Hill Acres, Ben Hill Terrace, Briar Glen, Cascade Green, Greenbriar Village, Kings Forest, Sandlewood Estates, Niskey Cove, Niskey Lake, South Oakes at Cascade, Old Fairburn Village, Heritage Valley, Mt. Gilead Woods, Meadowbrook Forest	NPU-P	
Laurens Valley, Southwest	NPU-R	



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