

## 9.1. Short Term Work Programs

The purpose of a short term work program (STWP) is to schedule specific actions that a local government intends to take to address the needs and goals identified in their comprehensive plan.

The short term work programs provided in Sections 9.1.1., 9.1.2, and 9.1.3. are based upon **major tasks** which are projected to occur in Murray County and the Cities of Chatsworth and Eton within the next five years. These tasks relate directly to the “Goals, Policies, and Action Items” sections of Elements 2 through 8.

Not all action items listed in Elements 2 through 8 are included as projects in the STWPs. In some instances, the action item is anticipated to be undertaken in later years (2009-2013) rather than during the 2004-2008 STWP cycle. In other instances, the task is an ongoing responsibility of a local government office and it is therefore not appropriate to include it in a short term work program.

The projects and activities listed in the tables below are not prioritized, but follow the order in which they are listed in the comprehensive plan. The first column contains the number of the element where the item can be found. (Note: Some projects may be included in more than one Element.) The second column contains the action item number. The following columns include a brief description of the project, the year it is estimated to be undertaken, the responsible party or parties, a cost estimate, and a funding source. In some cases a cost estimate cannot be prepared because the scope of the project will not be defined until the future.

## 9.1.1. Murray County Short Term Work Program

Element	Action Item #	Murray County Project or Activity	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	Responsible Party	Cost Estimate	Funding Source
EC DEV COM FAC COM FAC INTERGOV	1a. 1a. 2a. 2b. 1d.	Develop a water and sewer facilities master plan, investigate multi-jurisdictional use of water supply resources and wastewater treatment facilities, and pursue options for alternative water sources.	X	X	X	X	X	Water Works, Murray County, Cities, Development Authority	\$50,000 - \$60,000	general fund
EC DEV NAT RES	2a. 3a.	Adopt and implement design guidelines for the Cohutta Chattahoochee Scenic Byway.	X	X	X	X	X	Murray County	staff time	n/a
EC DEV INTERGOV	3a. 1b.	Hire a full-time Economic Development Administrator		X				Murray County, Cities, Chamber	\$75,000 per year	general fund
EC DEV	3b.	Conduct an industrial site suitability analysis		X				Murray County, Cities, Chamber	\$10,000 - \$20,000	general fund
EC DEV	3c.	Develop an informative, well-designed county government website.		X				Murray County	\$4,000 - \$8,000	general fund
EC DEV	6a.	Pursue grant funding for streetscaping and additional amenities which would attract business people, shoppers, and tourists to the downtown area.	X	X	X	X	X	Murray County, Cities, Chamber	staff time	n/a
HOUSING	1a.	Periodically review subdivision standards.		X		X		Murray County	staff time	n/a
HOUSING	1a.	Hire additional code enforcement staff.		X				Murray County	\$50,000 ea.	general fund
NAT RES	1a.	Adopt a steep slope ordinance.	X					Murray County	staff time	n/a
NAT RES	1b.	Investigate stormwater management regulations.			X			Murray County and Cities	staff time	n/a
NAT RES	1c.	Pursue grant funding for septic tank repairs and farm BMPs.			X			Murray County	staff time	n/a
NAT RES	3d.	Create a Joint Historic Preservation Commission			X			Murray County and Cities	staff time	n/a
NAT RES LAND USE TRANS	3e. 2b. 1f.	Develop a master plan for Spring Place prior to the construction of the Spring Place bypass.	X	X				Murray County	\$15,000 - \$25,000	general fund
COM FAC	3a.	Update, adopt, and maintain the Solid Waste Management Plan.	X					Murray County and Cities	staff time	n/a
COM FAC	3b.	Expand recycling opportunities.		X				Murray County	staff time	n/a
COM FAC	4a.	Expand the jail to include additional administrative space and to house an additional 130 inmates.			X	X	X	Murray County	\$5,000,000	SPLOST
COM FAC	4b.	Hire additional officers in all law enforcement agencies.						Murray County	\$50,000	general fund
COM FAC	4f.	Build a new fire station near Northwest Elementary School.				X	X	Murray County	\$150,000	general fund
COM FAC	4k.	Develop a back-up 911 center.			X			Murray County	\$100,000 - \$150,000	general fund or SPLOST
COM FAC	6a.	Complete development of the Recreation Center and continue to expand as needed.	X	X	X	X	X	Murray County	n/a	n/a
COM FAC	6b.	Provide additional facilities at the Petty-Fairy Valley Recreation Park.	X	X	X	X	X	Murray County	\$150,000	grants
COM FAC	6f.	Develop a park with access to Mill Creek and link it to Eton City Park.	X	X	X	X	X	Murray County and Eton	\$250,000 - \$500,000	SPLOST, grants
COM FAC	7a.	Retrofit the existing County Courthouse to provide handicap accessibility or construct a new courtroom.			X			Murray County	\$250,000 - \$1,000,000	general fund, SPLOST
COM FAC	7c.	Expand County government facilities to provide for more space for administration, elections, and juvenile court.				X	X	Murray County	\$250,000 - \$1,000,000	general fund, SPLOST
COM FAC	9c.	Continue to expand the Senior Center.		X			X	Murray County	\$50,000 - \$250,000	general fund, SPLOST

Element	Action Item #	Murray County Project or Activity (continued)	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	Responsible Party	Cost Estimate	Funding Source
LAND USE LAND USE TRANS	1a. 10a 1g..	Develop a corridor overlay zone for the US 76/US 411 corridor and include access management standards.	X	X				Murray County and Cities	\$10,000 - \$20,000	general fund
INTERGOV	1c.	Update the Service Delivery Strategy.	X					Murray County and Cities	staff time	n/a
INTERGOV	2a.	Develop, adopt, and implement a Joint Comprehensive Plan	X	X	X	X	X	Murray County and Cities	staff time	n/a
TRANS	2b.	Seek grant funding for bicycle and sidewalk projects.	X	X	X	X	X	Murray County and Cities	staff time	n/a

## 9.1.2. Chatsworth Short Term Work Program

Element	Action Item #	Chatsworth Project or Activity	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	Responsible Party	Cost Estimate	Funding Source
EC DEV COM FAC COM FAC INTERGOV	1a. 2a. 2b. 1d.	Develop a water and sewer facilities master plan, investigate multi-jurisdictional use of water supply resources and wastewater treatment facilities, and pursue options for alternative water sources.	X	X	X			Water Works, Murray County, Cities, Development Authority	\$50,000 - \$60,000	general fund
EC DEV INTERGOV	3a. 1b.	Hire a full-time Economic Development Administrator		X				Murray County, Cities, Chamber	\$75,000 per year	general fund
EC DEV	3b.	Conduct an industrial site suitability analysis		X				Murray County, Cities, Chamber	\$10,000 - \$20,000	general fund
EC DEV	6a.	Pursue grant funding for streetscaping and additional amenities which would attract business people, shoppers, and tourists to the downtown area.	X	X	X	X	X	Murray County, Cities, Chamber	staff time	n/a
HOUSING	3a.	Develop multi-family housing design guidelines to ensure new housing is compatible with existing neighborhoods and will remain economically viable over the long term.		X				Chatsworth	\$10,000 - \$15,000	general fund
NAT RES	1b.	Investigate stormwater management regulations.			X			Murray County and Cities	staff time	n/a
NAT RES	3d.	Create a Joint Historic Preservation Commission			X			Murray County and Cities	staff time	n/a
NAT RES	3k.	Continue to renovate the L&N Depot.	X	X	X	X	X	Chatsworth and other Interested Parties	\$50,000 - \$150,000	grants and donations
COM FAC	3a.	Update, adopt, and maintain the Solid Waste Management Plan.	X					Murray County and Cities	staff time	n/a
COM FAC	4b.	Hire additional officers in all law enforcement agencies.						Murray County and Cities	\$50,000 ea.	general fund
COM FAC	4g.	Build a second fire station to serve the western portion of the city.					X	Chatsworth	\$150,000	general fund
COM FAC	6c.	Complete work on the Section House at the Chatsworth City Park.	X	X	X	X	X	Chatsworth	\$5,000 - \$50,000	general fund, grants, and donations
COM FAC	6d.	Develop pocket parks in residential neighborhoods.					X	Chatsworth	\$50,000 - \$150,000	grants
LAND USE LAND USE TRANS	1a. 10a 1g..	Develop a corridor overlay zone for the US 76/US 411 corridor and include access management standards.	X	X				Murray County and Cities	\$10,000 - \$20,000	general fund
LAND USE	1b.	Continue streetscaping efforts in Chatsworth and Eton.	X	X	X	X	X	Chatsworth and Eton	\$250,000 - \$750,000	grants
INTERGOV	1c.	Update the Service Delivery Strategy.	X					Murray County and Cities	staff time	n/a
INTERGOV	2a.	Develop, adopt, and implement a Joint Comprehensive Plan	X	X	X	X	X	Murray County and Cities	staff time	n/a
TRANS	2b.	Seek grant funding for bicycle and sidewalk projects.	X	X	X	X	X	Murray County and Cities	staff time	n/a

### 9.1.3. Eton Short Term Work Program

Element	Action Item #	Murray County Project or Activity	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	Responsible Party	Cost Estimate	Funding Source
EC DEV COM FAC COM FAC INTERGOV	1a. 1a. 2a. 2b. 1d.	Develop a water and sewer facilities master plan, investigate multi-jurisdictional use of water supply resources and wastewater treatment facilities, and pursue options for alternative water sources.	X	X	X			Water Works, Murray County, Cities, Development Authority	\$50,000 - \$60,000	general fund
EC DEV INTERGOV	3a. 1b.	Hire a full-time Economic Development Administrator		X				Murray County, Cities, Chamber	\$75,000 per year	general fund
EC DEV	3b.	Conduct an industrial site suitability analysis		X				Murray County, Cities, Chamber	\$10,000 - \$20,000	general fund
EC DEV	6a.	Pursue grant funding for streetscaping and additional amenities which would attract business people, shoppers, and tourists to the downtown area.	X	X	X	X	X	Murray County, Cities, Chamber	staff time	n/a
NAT RES	1b.	Investigate stormwater management regulations.			X			Murray County and Cities	staff time	n/a
NAT RES	3b.	Develop a National Register District Nomination for Eton.		X				Eton	\$5,000 - \$10,000	general fund
NAT RES	3d.	Create a Joint Historic Preservation Commission			X			Murray County and Cities	staff time	n/a
NAT RES	3k.	Continue to renovate the L&N Depot.	X	X	X	X	X	Chatsworth and other Interested Parties	\$50,000 - \$150,000	grants and donations
COM FAC	3a.	Update, adopt, and maintain the Solid Waste Management Plan.	X					Murray County and Cities	staff time	n/a
COM FAC	4b.	Hire additional officers in all law enforcement agencies.						Murray County and Cities	\$50,000 ea.	general fund
COM FAC	4d. 7d.	Construct a new City Hall/Police Station.	X	X				Eton	\$400,000 - \$450,000	general fund
COM FAC	4h.	Convert the Eton City Hall into a fire station.	X	X				Eton	\$10,000	
COM FAC COM FAC	6e. 9b.	Construct an amphitheater, community center, additional restrooms, and additional picnic shelters at the Eton City Park.	X	X	X	X	X	Eton	\$150,000 - \$450,000	general fund, grants
COM FAC	6f.	Develop a park with access to Mill Creek and link it to Eton City Park.	X	X	X	X	X	Murray County and Eton	\$250,000 - \$500,000	SPLOST, grants
LAND USE LAND USE TRANS	1a. 10a 1g..	Develop a corridor overlay zone for the US 76/US 411 corridor and include access management standards.	X	X				Murray County and Cities	\$10,000 - \$20,000	general fund
LAND USE	1b.	Continue streetscaping efforts in Chatsworth and Eton.	X	X	X	X	X	Chatsworth and Eton	\$250,000 - \$750,000	grants
INTERGOV	1c.	Update the Service Delivery Strategy.	X					Murray County and Cities	staff time	n/a
INTERGOV	2a.	Develop, adopt, and implement a Joint Comprehensive Plan	X	X	X	X	X	Murray County and Cities	staff time	n/a
TRANS	2b.	Seek grant funding for bicycle and sidewalk projects.	X	X	X	X	X	Murray County and Cities	staff time	n/a

## 9.2. Reports of Accomplishments

The purpose of a report of accomplishments is to identify the current status of projects and activities listed in an old short term work program. At a minimum, local governments are to indicate whether each activity in their old STWP has been completed, is currently underway, has been postponed, or has not been accomplished. Explanations must be provided for projects which are underway, postponed, or not accomplished.

The following three reports of accomplishments (Murray County, Chatsworth, and Eton) are based upon the 2001-2006 Short Term Work Program, not upon the new Short Term Work Program outlined in Section 9.1. In some cases, items included in the old STWP are now ongoing processes; therefore, they are not included in the new STWP.

### 9.2.1. Murray County Report of Accomplishments

Murray County Work Program Activity	Completed	Currently Underway	Postponed	Not Accomplished	Explanation for Postponed or Unaccomplished Activity
ED.0001.AGP - Develop opportunities for contributions for economic development program activities. (ED1.2)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
ED.0002.AGP - Implement Business Retention Program (ED 2.1)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
ED.0003.AGP - Organize and train marketing and prospect handling team. (ED 3.3)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
ED.0004.AGP - Organize a Task Force on Economic Development to identify properties for industrial development. (ED 3.3)		X			This has not been a priority until recently and is included in the new STWP.
ED.0005.AGP - Continue to sponsor hospitality training sessions using resources of state and regional agencies (ED 4.3)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
ED.0006.TOU - Continue to use State motel tax as public funding base for tourism/ business development (ED 1.1)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
ED.0007.TOU - Continue to maintain and update unified comprehensive marketing package (ED 3.2)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
ED.0008.TOU - Continue to identify and maintain information on current and potential tourist attractions. (ED 4.1)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
ED.0009.TOU - Continue to promote tourist attractions through regional and state agencies (ED 4.2)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.

Murray County Work Program Activity	Completed	Currently Underway	Postponed	Not Accomplished	Explanation for Postponed or Unaccomplished Activity
ED.0010.TOU - Continue to sponsor/promote Appalachian Wagon Train, Christmas Parade, Fall Leaf and Spring Festivals etc. (ED 4.4)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
ED.0011.TRE - Consider innovative ways to strengthen partnerships between schools and parents (ED 6.1)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
ED.0012.TRE - Continue efforts to become a Certified Literate Community (ED 6.2)				X	This project has not been a priority and has been removed from the STWP.
ED.0013.TRE -Continue partners for Educational Excellence (ED 6.3)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
ED.0014.TRE - Implement goals of Murray 2000 (ED 6.4)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
CF.0001.WAT -Continue to study options for tying in to Dalton Application, other possible regional options, or developing own system (CF 3.1)		X			
CF.0002.WAT/SEW-Extend sewerage collection lines to Eton. (CF 3.2A <i>proposed</i> )	X				
CF.0003.SOL -Develop new Subtitle D disposal cell at present landfill site (CF 4.1)	X				
CF.0004.SOL - Establish and begin operations of Resource Recovery Center at landfill. (CF 4.2)	X				
CF.0005.SOL - Continue to enforce anti-littering laws (CF 4.4)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
CF.0006.SOL - Reconsider options for regional cooperation for future waste disposal needs (CF 4.5)	X				
CF.0007. TRA Seek continuing funding for infrastructure maintenance (CF 5.1)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
CF. 0008.TRA Construct phased Spring Place Bypass (CF 5.2A )				X	Construction by GDOT is scheduled to being in 2007.
CF.0009.TRA - Rehabilitate SR52 at L&N (CSX) RR bridge (CF 5.2F)		X			
CF.0010.TRA - Rehabilitate SR2/SR61 bridge (CF 5.3A)		X			
CF.0011.TRA - Promote and support development of the Appalachian Scenic Parkway (CF 5.3C)	X				

Murray County Work Program Activity	Completed	Currently Underway	Postponed	Not Accomplished	Explanation for Postponed or Unaccomplished Activity
CF.0012.REC Build bike path from City Park to County Park on Hyden Tyler Road. (CF 6.1A)			X		Problems occurred with railroad crossings. This project is included in the new STWP as part of the overall bicycle and pedestrian plan.
CF.0013.REC - Establish a Recreation Authority to develop and implement a Recreation Master Plan. (CF 6.1, 2)	X				
CF.0014.REC - Develop recreation master plan (CF 6.1), including construction of new multi-purpose community center on Jackson Lake Road (CF 6.1C).	X				
CF.0015.REC - Implement recommendations of master plan(CF 6.2)	X				
CF.0016.REC- Work to improve school recreational facilities. (CF 6.5 <i>proposed</i> )	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
CF.0017.PUB - Build and equip new fire station in western central part of County (CF 7.2)				X	Other station locations are being considered to meet demand.
CF.0018.PUB -Hire more personnel to maintain 24 hour coverage (CF 7.3)	X				
CF.0019. PUB Implement fitness program for firefighters. (CF 7.3A <i>proposed</i> )	X				
CF.0020.PUB - Maintain existing fire stations to accommodate 24hr. coverage (CF 7.4)	X				
CF.0021.PUB-Construct new fire station on Fort Mountain. (CF 7.5 <i>proposed</i> )	X				
CF.0023.LIB - Expand library to meet recommended State standard of at least .6 sq. ft per capita (CF 9.1)	X				Expansion of the library was completed, but the State standard has not been reached. This item is on the new STWP.
CF.0024.PUB, FS - Construct training Center for Police and Fire Departments (CF 10.3, 7.6 <i>proposed</i> )	X				
CF.0025.PUB -Continue juvenile crime prevention program (CF 10.5)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
CF.0026.PUB - Construct an addition to the County Jail to accommodate a multi-purpose area and chapel. (CF 10.8 <i>proposed</i> )				X	This project was not a priority and funding was unavailable. A different project for expansion of the jail is included in the new STWP.

Murray County Work Program Activity	Completed	Currently Underway	Postponed	Not Accomplished	Explanation for Postponed or Unaccomplished Activity
CF.0027.HOS - Continue to improve ambulance service by increasing number of units as needed. (CF 11.1)	X				This item is also included in the new STWP.
CF.0028.HOS -Continue to maintain alternative transportation system for convalescent and non-emergency calls (CF 11.2)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
CF.0029.HOS -Evaluate demand for multi-purpose wellness center including activities and exercise trails (CF 11.6)				X	Other, higher priority items, have taken precedence over this project. The hospital has different plans for expansion; therefore, this has been removed from the STWP.
CF.0030. EDU - Construct a new middle school. (CF 11.1)	X				
CF.0031. EDU - Construct a new high school. (CF 11.1)			X		Construction of a new high school will not be undertaken in the near future. This is a long range project.
CF.0032.EDU - Expand curriculum to meet needs of growing population (CF 12.3)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
NR.0001.GRO,WSW, SCE, MOU - Implement DNR protection criteria for wetlands, water supply watersheds, groundwater recharge areas, major river corridor, and steep slopes and mountains and implement provisions to protect open space and scenic views. (NR 1.1, 1.2, 2.1, 3.2)			X		This will occur when DNR and DCA lift the "moratorium" on adoption.
NR.0002.HIS - Create County-Cities Historic Preservation Commission (NR 1.1)			X		This project has not been a priority, but is included in the new STWP.
NR.0003.HIS -Continue to heighten preservation awareness through activities and information (NR 2.1)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
NR.0004.HIS - Continue to work with Chamber to use heritage and historic preservation to promote tourism (NR 2.2)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
NR.0005.HIS - Continue to encourage and assist development of heritage education curriculum. (NR 2.3)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
NR.0006.HIS - Continue to encourage and assist with nomination of eligible properties and districts (NR 2.4)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
NR.0007.HIS - Continue to produce educational and promotional materials (NR 2.1,2,3)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.

Murray County Work Program Activity	Completed	Currently Underway	Postponed	Not Accomplished	Explanation for Postponed or Unaccomplished Activity
NR.0008.HIS - Explore advantages to local governments resulting from CLG program (NR 2.6)				X	This project is not a priority for the local government; therefore it has been removed from the STWP.
NR.0009.HIS - Investigate establishment of archeological, agricultural & other conservation districts (NR 2.7)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
NR.0010.HIS - Mitigate adverse affects to historic properties from City-County projects (NR 3.1)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
NR.0011.HIS - Transfer Murray County Historic Resource Survey locational data to GIS based land use maps (NR 3.2)				X	This project has not been accomplished due to lack of funding.
NR.0012.HIS - Flag properties with National Register potential with tax assessor/building inspector (NR 3.3)				X	This project has not been accomplished due to lack of funding.
NR.0013.HIS - Notify owners of historic properties, their significance and possible tax incentives (NR 3.4)				X	This project has not been accomplished due to lack of funding.
NR.0014.HIS - Utilize historic resources to create local tourism attractions (NR 4.1)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
NR.0015.HIS - Encourage special events, heritage festivals, driving or home tours, farmers market (NR 4.2)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
NR.0016.HIS - Promote marketing of vacant historic buildings as historic, encourage adaptive reuse (NR 4.3)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
NR.0017.HIS - Encourage continued use/upkeep of historic properties owned by local governments (NR 4.4)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
HO.0001 - Develop Murray County zoning ordinance to stimulate variety of densities and types (HO 1.1)	X				
HO.0002 - Cooperate with developers to take advantage of federal and state programs (HO 2.1)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
HO.0003 - Amend subdivision regulations (HO 3.1)	X				
HO.0004 - Adopt manufactured housing design standards (HO 5.1)	X				
LU.0001 - Prepare and adopt unified land development regulations (LU 1.1 a-g)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.

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LU.0002 - Develop water/sewer capital improvements program that will expand to growth areas (LU 2.1)			X		This has not been a priority until recently and is included in the new STWP.
LU.0003.Hire a planning and zoning administrator. LU 1.4 <i>proposed</i> )	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
GOV.0001 - Establish Community Development Council (GOV 1.1)			X		This project is no longer a priority and has been removed from the STWP.
GOV.0002 - Initiate Leadership Georgia program to improve citizen awareness (GOV 1.2)	X				
GOV.0003 - Aggressively seek State and Federal grant-in-aid where eligible (GOV 2.1)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
GOV.0004 - Promote use of Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax (GOV 2.2)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
GOV.0005 - Explore feasibility of sales tax dedicated to recreation funding. (GOV 2.3 <i>proposed</i> )	X				
GOV.0006 - Devise a Five-Year Capital Improvements Plan for all County departments. (GOV 2.3 <i>proposed</i> )			X		Staff resources were not available previously to undertake this task. It will be conducted in 2005/2006.
GOV.0007 - Codify the County's Ordinances (GOV 2.4 <i>proposed</i> )	X				

## 9.2.2. Chatsworth Report of Accomplishments

Chatsworth Work Program Activity	Completed	Currently Underway	Postponed	Not Accomplished	Explanation for Postponed or Unaccomplished Activity
ED.0001.AGP - Develop opportunities for contributions for economic development program activities. (ED 1.2)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
ED.0002.AGP - Implement Business Retention Program. (ED 2.1)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
ED.0003.AGP - Organize and train marketing and prospect handling team. (ED 3.3)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
ED.0004.AGP - Sponsor hospitality training sessions using resources of state and regional agencies. (ED 4.3)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
ED.0005.TOU - Continue to use State motel tax as public funding base for tourism/ business development. (ED 1.1)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
ED.0006.TOU -Continue to maintain and update unified comprehensive marketing package. (ED 3.2)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
ED.0007.TOU - Continue to identify and maintain information on current and potential tourist attractions. (ED 4.1)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
ED.0008.TOU - Continue to promote tourist attractions through regional and state agencies. (ED 4.2)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
ED.0009.TOU - Continue sponsoring Appalachian Wagon Train, Fall Leaf and Spring Festivals etc. (ED 4.4)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
ED.0010.DWN - Complete streetscape improvements pursuant to approved plans.	X				
CF.0001.WAT -Continue to study options of tying in to Dalton Application, other possible regional options, or developing own system. (CF 3.1)		X			
CF.0002.SOL -Develop new Subtitle D disposal cell at present landfill site. (CF 4.1)	X				
CF.0003.SOL -Establish and begin operations of Resource Recovery Center at landfill. (CF 4.2)	X				
CF.0004.SOL -Reconsider options for regional cooperation for future waste disposal needs (CF 4.5)	X				

Chatsworth Work Program Activity	Completed	Currently Underway	Postponed	Not Accomplished	Explanation for Postponed or Unaccomplished Activity
CF.0005.TRA - Promote and support development of the Appalachian Scenic Parkway (CF 5.3C)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
CF.0006.REC - Implement recommendations of master plan (CF 6.2)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
CF.0007.LIB - Expand library to meet recommended State standard of at least .6 sq. ft per capita. (CF 9.1)	X				Expansion of the library was completed, but the State standard has not been reached. This item is on the new STWP.
CF.0008.LIB - Build new multi-purpose Community Center (CF 9.2)	X				
CF.0009.PUB - Construct Training Center for Police and Fire Departments. (CF 10.3, 7.6 <i>proposed</i> )	X				
NR.0001.GRO,WSW -Implement DNR protection criteria for wetlands, water supply watersheds, and groundwater recharge areas,. (NR 1.1, 3.2)			X		This will occur when DNR and DCA lift the "moratorium" on adoption.
NR.0002.HIS - Create Joint City-County Historic Preservation Commission (NR 1.1)			X		This project has not been a priority, but is included in the new STWP.
NR.0003.HIS - Continue to heighten preservation awareness through activities and information. (NR2.1)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
NR.0004.HIS - Continue to work with Chamber to use heritage and historic preservation to promote tourism. (NR 2.2)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
NR.0005.HIS - Continue to encourage and assist development of heritage education curriculum.(NR 2.3)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
NR.0006.HIS - Continue to encourage and assist with nomination of eligible properties and districts. (NR2.4)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
NR.0007.HIS - Continue to produce educational and promotional materials. (NR 2.1, 2, 3)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
NR.0008.HIS - Explore advantages to local governments resulting from CLG program. (NR 2.6)				X	This has not been a priority for the local government; therefore it has been removed from the STWP.
NR.0009.HIS - Investigate establishment of local historic districts.	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
NR.0010.HIS - Mitigate adverse affects to historic properties from City-County projects	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.

<b>Chatsworth Work Program Activity</b>	<b>Completed</b>	<b>Currently Underway</b>	<b>Postponed</b>	<b>Not Accomplished</b>	<b>Explanation for Postponed or Unaccomplished Activity</b>
NR.0011.HIS - Transfer Murray County Historic Resource Survey locational data to GIS based land use maps (NR 3.2)				X	This project has not been accomplished due to lack of funding.
NR.0012.HIS - Flag properties with National Register potential with tax assessor/building inspector. (NR 3.3)				X	This project has not been accomplished due to lack of funding.
NR.0013.HIS - Notify owners of historic properties, their significance and possible tax incentives. (NR 3.4)				X	This project has not been accomplished due to lack of funding.
NR.0014.HIS - Utilize historic resources to create local tourism attractions. (NR 4.1)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
NR.0015.HIS - Encourage special events, heritage festivals, driving or home tours, farmers market. (NR NR 4.2)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
NR.0016.HIS - Promote marketing of vacant historic buildings as historic, encourage adaptive reuse. (NR 4.3)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
NR.0017.HIS - Encourage continued use/upkeep of historic properties owned by local governments. (NR 4.4)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
HO.0001 - Cooperate with developers to take advantage of federal and state programs. (HO 2.1)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
LU.0001 - Develop water/sewer capital improvements program that will expand to growth areas. (LU 2.1)			X		This has not been a priority until recently and is included in the new STWP.
GOV.0001 - Establish Community Development Council. GOV 1.1)			X		This project is no longer a priority and has been removed from the STWP.
GOV.0002 - Initiate Leadership Georgia program to improve citizen awareness. (GOV 1.2)	X				
GOV.0003 - Aggressively seek State and Federal grant-in-aid where eligible. (GOV 2.1)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
GOV.0004 - Promote use of Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax. GOV 2.2)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.

### 9.2.3. Eton Report of Accomplishments

Eton Work Program Activity	Completed	Currently Underway	Postponed	Not Accomplished	Explanation for Postponed or Unaccomplished Activity
ED.0001.AGP - Develop opportunities for contributions for economic development program activities. (ED1.2)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
ED.0002.AGP - Implement Business Retention Program (ED 2.1)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
ED.0003.AGP - Organize and train marketing and prospect handling team. (ED 3.3)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
ED.0004.AGP - Continue to sponsor hospitality training sessions using resources of state and regional agencies. (ED 4.3)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
ED.0005.TOU - Continue to use State motel tax as public funding base for tourism/ business development. (ED 1.1)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
ED.0006.TOU - Continue to maintain and update develop unified comprehensive marketing package (ED 3.2)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
ED.0007.TOU - Continue to identify and maintain information on current and potential tourist attractions. (ED 4.1)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
ED.0008.TOU - Continue to promote tourist attractions through regional and state agencies (ED 4.2)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
ED.0009.TOU - Continue to sponsor Appalachian Wagon Train, Fall Leaf and Spring Festivals etc. (ED 4.4)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
CF.0001.WAT -Continue to study options for tying in to Dalton Application, other possible regional options, or developing own system (CF 3.1)		X			
CF.0002.WAT/SEW-Extend sewerage collection lines to Eton. (CF 3.2A proposed )	X				
CF.0003.SOL -Develop new Subtitle D disposal cell at present landfill site (CF 4.1)	X				
CF.0004.SOL - Establish and begin operations of Resource Recovery Center at landfill. (CF 4.2)	X				
CF.0005.SOL - Continue to enforce anti-littering laws (CF 4.4)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.

Eton Work Program Activity	Completed	Currently Underway	Postponed	Not Accomplished	Explanation for Postponed or Unaccomplished Activity
CF.0006.SOL - Reconsider options for regional cooperation for future waste disposal needs (CF 4.5)	X				
CF.0007.TRA - Build maintenance building for Eton Street Department			X		This should be accomplished in 2005/2006.
CF.0008.TRA - Promote and support development of the Appalachian Scenic Parkway (CF 5.3C)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
CF.0009.REC - Implement recommendations of master plan(CF 6.2)	X				
CF.0010.REC- Make improvements to Eton City Park as opportunity arises.	X				
CF.0011.REC - Build new multi-purpose Community Center (CF 9.2)	X				
CF.0012.PUB, FS - Construct training Center for Police and Fire Departments (CF 10.3, 7.6 <i>proposed</i> )	X				
CF.0013.PUB -Continue juvenile crime prevention program (CF 10.5)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
CF.0014.EDU - Expand curriculum to meet needs of growing population (CF 12.3)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
NR.0001.HIS - Create County-Cities Historic Preservation Commission (NR 1.1)			X		This project has not been a priority, but is included in the new STWP.
NR.0002.HIS -Continue to heighten preservation awareness through activities and information (NR 2.1)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
NR.0003.HIS - Continue to work with Chamber to use heritage and historic preservation to promote tourism (NR 2.2)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
NR.0004.HIS - Continue to encourage and assist development of heritage education curriculum. (NR 2.3)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
NR.0005.HIS - Continue to encourage and assist with nomination of eligible properties and districts (NR 2.4)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
NR.0006.HIS - Continue to produce educational and promotional materials (NR 2.1,2,3)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
NR.0007.HIS - Explore advantages to local governments resulting from CLG program (NR 2.6)				X	This has not been a priority for the local government; therefore it has been removed from the STWP.

Eton Work Program Activity	Completed	Currently Underway	Postponed	Not Accomplished	Explanation for Postponed or Unaccomplished Activity
NR.0008.HIS - Investigate establishment of local historic districts (NR 2.7)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
NR.0009.HIS - Mitigate adverse affects to historic properties from County projects (NR 3.1)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
NR.0010.HIS - Transfer Murray County Historic Resource Survey locational data to GIS based land use maps (NR 3.2)				X	This project has not been accomplished due to lack of funding.
NR.0011.HIS - Flag properties with National Register potential with tax assessor/building inspector (NR 3.3)				X	This project has not been accomplished due to lack of funding.
NR.0012.HIS - Notify owners of historic properties, their significance and possible tax incentives (NR 3.4)				X	This project has not been accomplished due to lack of funding.
NR.0013.HIS - Encourage special events, heritage festivals, driving or home tours, farmers market (NR 4.2)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
NR.0014.HIS - Promote marketing of vacant historic buildings as historic, encourage adaptive reuse (NR 4.3)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
NR.0015.HIS - Encourage continued use/upkeep of historic properties owned by local governments (NR 4.4)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
HO.0001 - Cooperate with developers to take advantage of federal and state programs (HO 2.1)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
LU.0001 - Develop water/sewer capital improvements program that will expand to growth areas (LU 2.1)			X		This has not been a priority until recently and is included in the new STWP.
GOV.0001 - Establish Community Development Council (GOV 1.1)			X		This project is no longer a priority and has been removed from the STWP.
GOV.0002 - Initiate Leadership Georgia program to improve citizen awareness (GOV 1.2)	X				
GOV.0003 - Aggressively seek State and Federal grant-in-aid where eligible (GOV 2.1)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.
GOV.0004 - Promote use of Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax (GOV 2.2)	X				This is an ongoing process and therefore has not been included in the new STWP.

## 9.3. Public Participation Program

### 9.3.1. Plan Schedule

The Georgia Planning Act strongly emphasizes public participation in the process of developing a comprehensive plan. For this plan, seven advisory groups were established to review and comment upon the various plan elements. Each group met to review the inventory and assessment sections and develop goals and objectives. The Land Use advisory group met two times, once to discuss existing land use and another time to review future land use. Following is a list of the public hearings and workshops which were held in conjunction with the preparation of this plan.

February 17, 2005 – Joint Public Hearing: This hearing was held to present the purpose of the plan, the planning process and schedule, and the public participation program.

February 22, 2005 – Economic Development Workshop

February 22, 2005 – Housing Workshop

March 1, 2005 – Natural and Cultural Resources Workshop

March 1, 2005 – Community Facilities Workshop

March 15, 2005 – Land Use Workshop #1

March 15, 2005 – Intergovernmental Coordination Workshop

March 29, 2005 – Land Use Workshop # 2

March 29, 2005 – Transportation Workshop

June 27, 2005 – The complete draft plan was made available for public review in hardcopy format at the Chatsworth Library, Chatsworth City Hall, Eton City Hall, and the Murray County Commissioner's Office.

June 30, 2005 – Joint Public Hearing: This hearing was held to brief the community on the contents of the draft Comprehensive Plan; provide an opportunity for residents to make suggestions, additions, or revisions; and to inform the community of when the plan will be submitted to the Regional Development Center and Department of Community Affairs for review.

July 8, 2005 – City Council Meeting, City of Eton. Resolution to approve transmittal of the Draft Comprehensive Plan to the North Georgia Regional Development Center for review.

August 2, 2005 – County Commission Meeting, Murray County. Resolution to approve transmittal of the Draft Comprehensive Plan to the North Georgia Regional Development Center for review.

August 8, 2005 – City Council Meeting, City of Chatsworth. Resolution to approve transmittal of the Draft Comprehensive Plan to the North Georgia Regional Development Center for review.

### 9.3.2. Transmittal Resolutions

#### RESOLUTION

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE TRANSMITTAL OF  
THE JOINT COMPREHENSIVE PLAN FOR MURRAY COUNTY  
AND THE CITIES OF CHATSWORTH AND ETON  
TO THE NORTH GEORGIA REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT CENTER**

**WHEREAS**, the Georgia Planning Act of 1989 requires that local governments in Georgia complete a Comprehensive Plan every ten years in order to retain Qualified Local Government status, and presently requires this task of Murray County; and,

**WHEREAS**, Murray County and the Cities of Chatsworth and Eton have prepared a draft Joint Comprehensive Plan which adheres to the Minimum Local Planning Standards for Local Comprehensive Plans; and,

**WHEREAS**, the public participation program outlined in the Minimum Procedural Standards for Local Comprehensive Plans has been implemented; and,

**WHEREAS**, two joint public hearings were held in conformance with the Minimum Procedural Standards for Local Comprehensive Plans, one prior to the planning process and one at the conclusion of the planning process; and

**WHEREAS**, the planning process detailed in the Minimum Procedural Standards for Local Comprehensive Plans requires that Murray County transmit a draft Comprehensive Plan to the North Georgia Regional Development Center for review;

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that Murray County does hereby submit the Joint Comprehensive Plan to the North Georgia Regional Development Center for proper review, as per the requirements of the Georgia Planning Act.

**APPROVED AND ADOPTED** this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of July, 2005.

BY:

Jim Welch

ATTEST:

Stacie Moss

**RESOLUTION**

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE TRANSMITTAL OF  
THE JOINT COMPREHENSIVE PLAN FOR MURRAY COUNTY  
AND THE CITIES OF CHATSWORTH AND ETON  
TO THE NORTH GEORGIA REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT CENTER**

**WHEREAS**, the Georgia Planning Act of 1989 requires that local governments in Georgia complete a Comprehensive Plan every ten years in order to retain Qualified Local Government status, and presently requires this task of the City of Chatsworth; and,

**WHEREAS**, Murray County and the Cities of Chatsworth and Eton have prepared a draft Joint Comprehensive Plan which adheres to the Minimum Local Planning Standards for Local Comprehensive Plans; and,

**WHEREAS**, the public participation program outlined in the Minimum Procedural Standards for Local Comprehensive Plans has been implemented; and,

**WHEREAS**, two joint public hearings were held in conformance with the Minimum Procedural Standards for Local Comprehensive Plans, one prior to the planning process and one at the conclusion of the planning process; and

**WHEREAS**, the planning process detailed in the Minimum Procedural Standards for Local Comprehensive Plans requires that the City of Chatsworth transmit a draft Comprehensive Plan to the North Georgia Regional Development Center for review;

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the City of Chatsworth does hereby submit the Joint Comprehensive Plan to the North Georgia Regional Development Center for proper review, as per the requirements of the Georgia Planning Act.

**APPROVED AND ADOPTED** this 8th day of August, 2005.

BY:

 George Sanford

ATTEST:

Wilma Nolan

**RESOLUTION**

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE TRANSMITTAL OF  
THE JOINT COMPREHENSIVE PLAN FOR MURRAY COUNTY  
AND THE CITIES OF CHATSWORTH AND ETON  
TO THE NORTH GEORGIA REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT CENTER**

**WHEREAS**, the Georgia Planning Act of 1989 requires that local governments in Georgia complete a Comprehensive Plan every ten years in order to retain Qualified Local Government status, and presently requires this task of the City of Eton; and,

**WHEREAS**, Murray County and the Cities of Chatsworth and Eton have prepared a draft Joint Comprehensive Plan which adheres to the Minimum Local Planning Standards for Local Comprehensive Plans; and,

**WHEREAS**, the public participation program outlined in the Minimum Procedural Standards for Local Comprehensive Plans has been implemented; and,

**WHEREAS**, two joint public hearings were held in conformance with the Minimum Procedural Standards for Local Comprehensive Plans, one prior to the planning process and one at the conclusion of the planning process; and

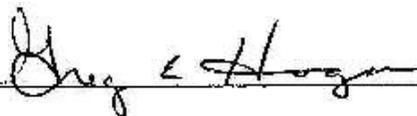
**WHEREAS**, the planning process detailed in the Minimum Procedural Standards for Local Comprehensive Plans requires that the City of Eton transmit a draft Comprehensive Plan to the North Georgia Regional Development Center for review;

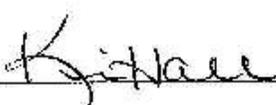
**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the City of Eton does hereby submit the Joint Comprehensive Plan to the North Georgia Regional Development Center for proper review, as per the requirements of the Georgia Planning Act.

**APPROVED AND ADOPTED** this 8th day of July, 2005.

**BY:**

**ATTEST:**

  
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### 9.3.3. Adoption Resolutions

#### RESOLUTION

#### A RESOLUTION TO ADOPT THE JOINT COMPREHENSIVE PLAN FOR MURRAY COUNTY AND THE CITIES OF CHATSWORTH AND ETON 2005-2025

**WHEREAS**, the Georgia Planning Act of 1989 requires that local governments in Georgia complete a Comprehensive Plan every ten years in order to retain Qualified Local Government status, presently requiring this task of Murray County and its incorporated cities; and,

**WHEREAS**, Murray County and the Cities of Chatsworth and Eton have prepared a Joint Comprehensive Plan (the Plan) following the Minimum Local Planning Standards for Local Comprehensive Plans promulgated by the Georgia Department of Community Affairs; and,

**WHEREAS**, the public participation program outlined in the Minimum Procedural Standards for Local Comprehensive Plans as promulgated by the Georgia Department of Community Affairs has been implemented; and,

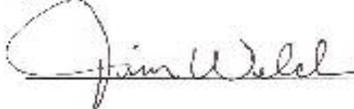
**WHEREAS**, two joint public hearings were held in conformance with the Minimum Procedural Standards for Local Comprehensive Plans, one being held prior to the planning process on February 26, 2004, and one at the conclusion of the planning process on July 1, 2004; and,

**WHEREAS**, the required review process outlined in the Minimum Local Planning Standards is now complete with the Georgia Department of Community Affairs determining that the Plan is in compliance with those standards and the North Georgia Regional Development Center providing positive findings upon conclusion of its inter-jurisdictional review;

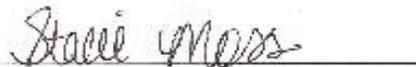
**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that Murray County does hereby officially adopt the Joint Comprehensive Plan of Murray County and the Cities of Chatsworth and Eton, properly titled the Murray County, Chatsworth, and Eton Joint Comprehensive Plan 2005-2025.

**APPROVED AND ADOPTED** this 11<sup>th</sup> day of October ~~November~~, 2005.

BY:



ATTEST:



STRONG BY ORDINANCE 10/11/05

**RESOLUTION**

**A RESOLUTION TO ADOPT  
THE JOINT COMPREHENSIVE PLAN FOR MURRAY COUNTY  
AND THE CITIES OF CHATSWORTH AND ETON 2005-2025**

WHEREAS, the Georgia Planning Act of 1989 requires that local governments in Georgia complete a Comprehensive Plan every ten years in order to retain Qualified Local Government status, presently requiring this task of Murray County and its incorporated cities; and,

WHEREAS, Murray County and the Cities of Chatsworth and Eton have prepared a Joint Comprehensive Plan (the Plan) following the Minimum Local Planning Standards for Local Comprehensive Plans promulgated by the Georgia Department of Community Affairs; and,

WHEREAS, the public participation program outlined in the Minimum Procedural Standards for Local Comprehensive Plans as promulgated by the Georgia Department of Community Affairs has been implemented; and,

WHEREAS, two joint public hearings were held in conformance with the Minimum Procedural Standards for Local Comprehensive Plans, one being held prior to the planning process on February 26, 2004, and one at the conclusion of the planning process on July 1, 2004; and,

WHEREAS, the required review process outlined in the Minimum Local Planning Standards is now complete with the Georgia Department of Community Affairs determining that the Plan is in compliance with those standards and the North Georgia Regional Development Center providing positive findings upon conclusion of its inter-jurisdictional review;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that CITY OF CHATSWORTH does hereby officially adopt the Joint Comprehensive Plan of Murray County and the Cities of Chatsworth and Eton, properly titled the Murray County, Chatsworth, and Eton Joint Comprehensive Plan 2005-2025.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 7th day of November, 2005.

BY:

ATTEST:

George Sanford

Widema Nelson

2005-2025

**RESOLUTION**

**A RESOLUTION TO ADOPT  
THE JOINT COMPREHENSIVE PLAN FOR MURRAY COUNTY  
AND THE CITIES OF CHATSWORTH AND ETON 2005-2025**

**WHEREAS**, the Georgia Planning Act of 1989 requires that local governments in Georgia complete a Comprehensive Plan every ten years in order to retain Qualified Local Government status, presently requiring this task of Murray County and its incorporated cities; and,

**WHEREAS**, Murray County and the Cities of Chatsworth and Eton have prepared a Joint Comprehensive Plan (the Plan) following the Minimum Local Planning Standards for Local Comprehensive Plans promulgated by the Georgia Department of Community Affairs; and,

**WHEREAS**, the public participation program outlined in the Minimum Procedural Standards for Local Comprehensive Plans as promulgated by the Georgia Department of Community Affairs has been implemented; and,

**WHEREAS**, two joint public hearings were held in conformance with the Minimum Procedural Standards for Local Comprehensive Plans, one being held prior to the planning process on February 26, 2004, and one at the conclusion of the planning process on July 1, 2004; and,

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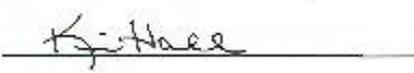
**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that Eton  
does hereby officially adopt the Joint Comprehensive Plan of Murray County and the Cities of Chatsworth and Eton, properly titled the Murray County, Chatsworth, and Eton Joint Comprehensive Plan 2005-2025.

**APPROVED AND ADOPTED** this 1st day of November, 2005.

BY:

ATTEST:

  
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