PUBLIC RESPONSES TO AREA HISTORY AND MAPPING PRESENTATION

Related to what was mentioned in this presentation regarding growth of the commercial centers and residential neighborhoods in the Hickory Flat area, there needs to be planning for a non-road adjacent multi-use trail network (as much as possible to assist in pedestrian/biker safety from vehicular traffic) that connects the neighborhoods to the area shopping centers and schools.

Loved watching the history lesson.

The gym needs to remain and needs to be used by more local activity. almost a town hall environment. what a great place for those seeking office to connect with our residents - what would it had been like to have a governors, senate or president to visit.

No opinions here at the moment

Chris,

Great info! This should be taught to all of our HF students!

Nice informative history lesson. Thanks a lot for the education.

I would've liked to see the red lines of the 3 major road ways present on your final "hickory flat" boundary zone picture. It was very hard to tell the area without those roads to reference.

Fascinating history!

Thank you for the history of Hickory Flat. Very interesting and disturbing how much Holly Springs has taken over the area. Could you please send me the slide that shows the boundary area of hickory flat that also showed holly springs? It was hard to make out on the video. Thanks.

1. Stop the invasion of HollySprings.

Hi Chris. See my comments sent to Margaret in Presentation 1 of 3. This is just too big of a deal to handle on Virtual Basis. Please post-pone until a Vaccine is developed and people can be present to share their views.

Also asked me to work on an advisory basis for this effort. I was out of town for the first meeting. When is the second??

It's good to know about the history. I work in marketing, so it would be cool to include aspects of the past in the plans for the future. Always a smart branding and marketing technique. At this point, I mostly think residential neighborhoods and fast food restaurants have taken over the agricultural aspects... so not sure how to represent that part of past into our future.

Agriculture involves more than growing cotton. Look around! The shopping areas are poorly designed for such heavy use. 55 and up communities separate older adults from younger groups causing a lack of knowledge transfer. It is so sad. All I can say is NO! Boundaries are broken as greed swoops in to build, build, build... I cannot tell you how much I hate this idea!

Chris, Love love love love loved your presentation. History it's so important to be shared with anything communities businesses personal etc. I was one of the original Bradshaw Farm homeowners that relocated to the area and was grateful. at the time raised my son at the Hickory flat academy, Hickory Flat Elementary, Dean Rusk and Sequoya high school . Eagle scout project was beautification of the front entrance to Sequoyah high school. Tyler is 26 and to be graduate with a business degree from Kennesaw State University in 2021. I have since purchase 5 1/2 acres off of seldom seen trail to create the seldom seen sanctuary which is a place where business leaders and caregivers can come to seek sanctuary to disconnect to reconnect. Love your presentation and thank you for all that you are doing. Anything I can do to support Please let me know Margaret is aware of my contact information.

Appreciate the history, but you need to get input directly from the people who actually live in the area...not the reasons people once came to the area. Why are current residents coming to the area? What do they expect. Spend your time with the people.

Is the purpose of the boundary just to identify an area to target? Or is this a possible redraw of the community village node? I think it would be most beneficial to focus on the existing CV node and the 140 transitional corridor. These are places that will obviously develop in the future and we can focus on maintaining the existing rural character outside of those land use areas.

Another great presentation. Thank You!

I remember the old Quarles house. Wish they could have kept it.

I understand defining the boundary of the core area of Hickory Flat as you did. But why are residents and businesses just outside of that area not represented on the Committee that is steering this?

I can't find the list on this site, but I was privy to it at the meeting at the library.

The family who built my house on Bailey Road are one of a group of families who WERE\ARE Hickory Flat. Why are we not eligible to be in the inner circle of planning our future, especially those of us who are choosing to establish businesses here?