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City of Dunwoody Addresses Ashford Dunwoody Road Construction

Dunwoody – August 06, 2009 – The City of Dunwoody and Perimeter Community Improvement Districts (PCIDs) are undertaking several projects to improve the quality of life for the citizens of Dunwoody. Among them is the PCIDs project on Ashford Dunwoody Road and Mt. Vernon Highway.

The intersection improvement project is managed and funded through the PCIDs. This intersection is part of a package of intersection upgrades between Meadow Lane and Mt. Vernon Highway. Also included is the complete repaving of Ashford Dunwoody Road from Meadow Lane to Mt. Vernon Highway. This entire scope of work was awarded to one contractor with a start date scheduled for October 2008 and a completion deadline of October 2009.

This project includes a redesign of pedestrian crossings, ADA-compliant ramps, enhanced pedestrian signage, updated intersection markings, improved signal timing, illuminated street signage, video detection, traffic signal poles and mast arms. In addition, the intersection is being realigned in a manner in which the continual right turn movement will allow for a "pocket park" feature at the southeast corner of the intersection accessible to pedestrians. The PCIDs are purchasing and installing landscaping for the pocket park to include fescue sod, Bosque elm trees and some low lying drought resistant foliage.

The City of Dunwoody and PCIDs understand the sensitivity of this issue and its effect on the Dunwoody community. The contractor and PCIDs are working diligently to complete the project in a timely manner.

If you have any additional questions or comments, please contact the PCIDs' Program Director Tony Peters at tpeters@perimetercid.org or 770-889-7074.

For questions or for more information regarding the City of Dunwoody or Public Works projects please contact the Public Works Department at 678-382-6700.

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About the City of Dunwoody, Georgia Dunwoody is a city located in metro Atlanta, in northern DeKalb County, Georgia. Dunwoody was officially incorporated as a city on December 1, 2008. The City of Dunwoody will provide quality service to our citizens and support the largest economic engine in the Southeast by planning in a careful and thoughtful manner. The City of Dunwoody will be inventive, transparent and embrace responsible progress which is tempered by our rich history and our desire to maintain a close but vibrant community atmosphere that values family life and entrepreneurial spirit. Dunwoody is a community where activities are centered on the family, schools, religious institutions, and beautiful parks.