



Georgia Department of Transportation

Transportation Investment Act

Columbus Update – December 10, 2024

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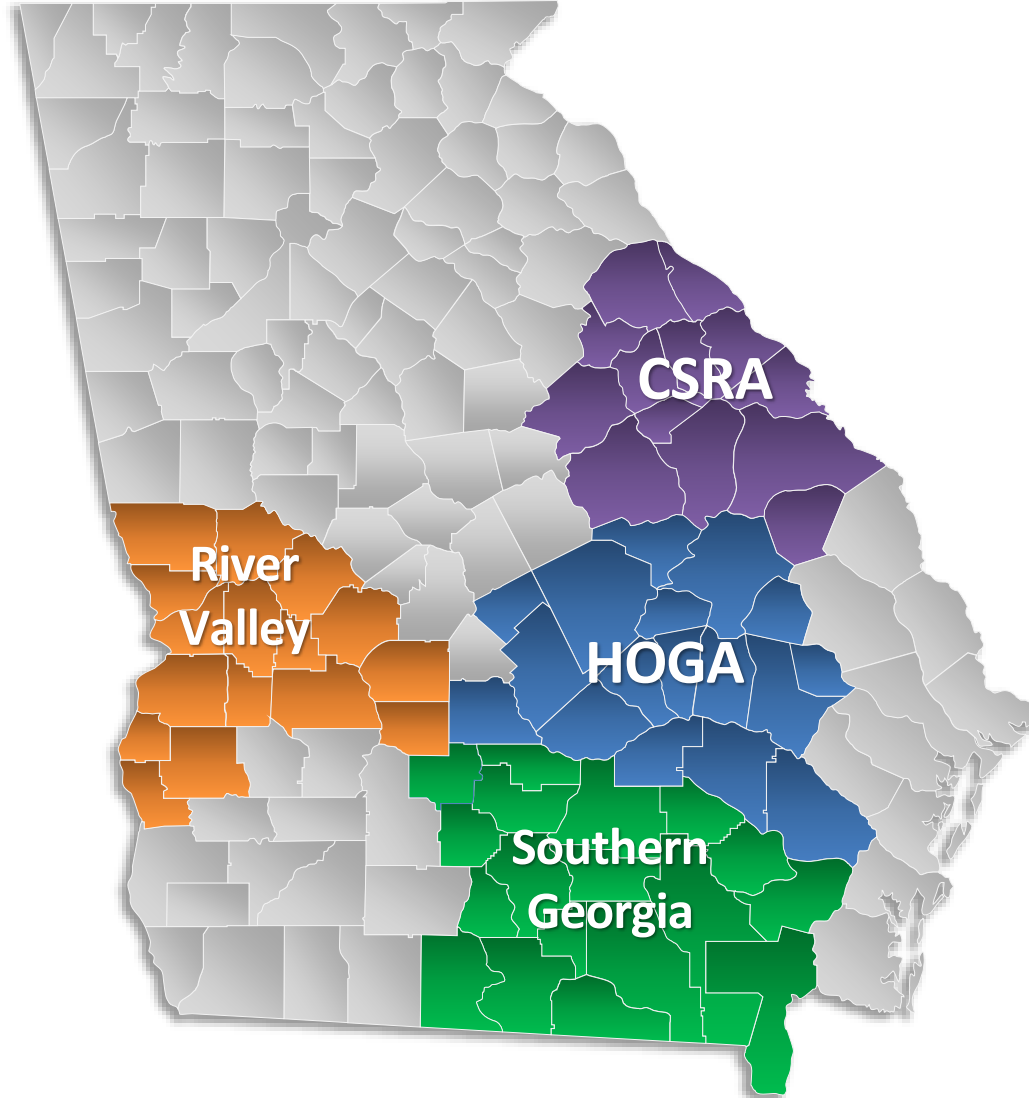
What is TIA?

Transportation Investment Act of 2010 (TIA)

- Created 12 special districts along Regional Commission boundaries
- Each district can levy a 1% sales tax for 10 years
- 75% for projects on the approved investment list
- 25% dispersed to counties and cities
- GDOT responsible for ensuring delivery of all projects



TIA Regions



Final TIA 1 Collections Jan 2013 to Dec 2022

Region	Total	Approved Investment List (75%)	Local Discretionary (25%)
River Valley	\$512,301,207	\$384,225,905	\$128,075,302

Columbus-Muscogee Discretionary Distribution

- Based on LARP factor combining population and road miles
- \$28,098,442 from 1/2013 to 12/2022

Columbus – TIA 1 Project Updates

Complete

- South Lumpkin Multi-Use Facility
 - May 2019
- Columbus River Walk
 - July 2019
- US 27/Custer Rd Interchange
 - May 2018
- SR 219 Passing Lanes
 - Nov 2021

Under Construction

- Buena Vista Rd Interchange
 - Est Summer 2025
- Old Cusseta Rd Interchange
 - Est Fall 2026
- US 27/Veterans Pkwy Widening
 - Est Winter 2026

Local Delivery

- Spiderweb
- METRA

TIA 2 Collections Jan 2023 to Oct 2024

Region	Total	Approved Investment List (75%)	Local Discretionary (25%)
River Valley	\$126,778,894	\$95,084,170	\$31,694,724

Columbus-Muscogee Discretionary Distribution

- Based on LARP factor combining population and road miles
- \$7,116,352 from 1/2023 to 10/2024

River Valley - TIA 2

Pre-Concept Status

Buena Vista Rd

- Wynnton Rd/SR 22 Spur to Annette Ave
- Budget: \$10,700,000 (100% TIA Funds)
- Band 1: 2023 – 2026
- 3-lane typical with sidewalk, trail, and intersection improvements
- Developing traffic projections
- Environmental screenings ongoing
- Next Milestone: Concept Report

Second Ave/SR 85

- Manchester Expy to Talbotton Rd/19th St
- Budget: \$18,200,000 (100% TIA Funds)
- Band 2: 2027 – 2029
- Streetscape, trail, sidewalk, intersection improvements
- Environmental screenings ongoing
- Next Milestone: Concept Report
- Working with maintenance project (M005022)

River Valley - TIA 2

Pre-Concept Status

JR Allen/US 80 Ramp Improvements

- US 80 @ Blackmon and Schomburg Roads
- Budget: \$11,300,000 (Blended TIA and Federal Funds)
- Band 2: 2027 – 2029
- Intersection improvements at the four ramp termini
- Intersection analysis recommended roundabouts at intersections
- Environmental screenings ongoing
- Next Milestone: Concept Report

Manchester Expy/US 27 Alt @ County Line Rd

- Budget: \$36,650,000 (Blended TIA and Federal Funds)
- Band 3: 2030 – 2032
- Interchange reconstruction and bridge replacement
- Developing traffic projections
- Environmental screenings ongoing
- Next Milestone: Concept Team Meeting

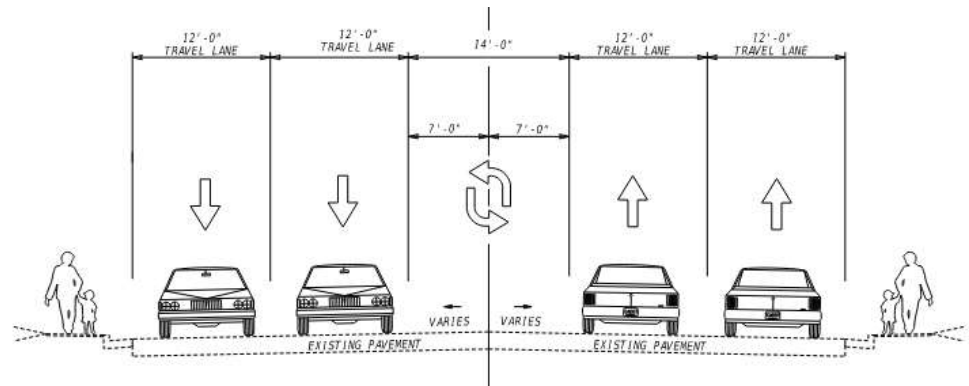
River Valley - TIA 2

Pre-Concept Status

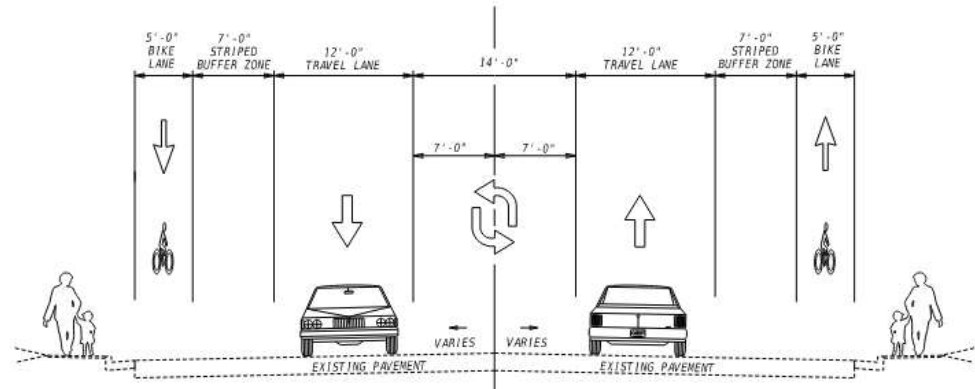
University Ave

- Manchester Expressway to Macon Rd
- Budget: \$6,000,000 (100% TIA Funds)
- Band 1: 2023 - 2026
- Reduce to 2-lanes with bike/ped
- Typical sections determined based on best value and meeting the needs of the project
- Environmental screenings ongoing
- Next Milestone: Concept Report

Manchester Expressway to CSU Entrance



CSU Entrance to Macon Rd



River Valley - TIA 2

Design Status

Andrews Rd

- Cusseta Rd to Buena Vista Rd
- Budget: \$6,800,000 (100% TIA Funds)
- Band 1: 2023 - 2026
- Intersection improvements, trail, and sidewalk
- Concept Report approved
- 10' trail from Cusseta to RR, 5' sidewalk from RR to Buena Vista
- Turn lanes at Clover, Alford, and Cusseta
- Environmental screenings ongoing
- Next Milestone: Public Meeting



River Valley - TIA 2

Design Status

Brennan Rd

- Cusseta Rd to Buena Vista Rd
- Budget: \$9,200,000 (100% TIA Funds)
- Band 1: 2023 - 2026
- Intersection improvements, trail, and sidewalk
- Concept Report approved
- 10' trail from Cusseta to Aldridge, 5' sidewalk from Aldridge to Buena Vista
- Turn lane at Aldridge, center turn lane from RR to Buena Vista
- Environmental screenings ongoing
- Next Milestone: Public Meeting



River Valley - TIA 2

Procurement Status

Williams Rd

- US 27 to I-185
- Budget: \$18,700,000 (100% TIA Funds)
- Band 3: 2030 - 2032
- Widening, intersection improvements, and pike/ped
- Design contract to be advertised Spring 2025

Cusseta Rd

- 10th Ave to Fort Benning Rd
- Budget: \$17,600,000 (100% TIA Funds)
- Band 3: 2030 - 2032
- 3-lane typical, intersection improvements, and pike/ped
- Design contract to be advertised Spring 2025

River Valley - TIA 2 (2023-2032)

Columbus Local Delivery Projects

Columbus Executed Agreements

- Whitesville Road Widening
- Columbus River Walk Repaving and Maintenance
- South Lumpkin Rd Streetscape
- 13th Ave/17th St/Linwood Blvd Intersection Improvements
- Liberty Theater Block Enhancement
- 5th Avenue Trail Connector
- Morris Rd
- Forrest Rd
- Steam Mill Rd
- Columbus Airport
- METRA

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