



Downtown Development Managers Report for Tuesday October 14 2025

Design

I am still receiving inquiries from businesses regarding the downtown Main Street banners from CGI.

Organization

DDA Board met in September twice. Tierra Turner and Christopher Williams are our new board members.

Attended various National League of Cities, Southern Cities Equity and Inclusion zoom meetings.

The Networking Lunch and Learn at Rays Place on Wednesday September 17 was a great success.

Attended the Chamber Small Business Council on Wednesday September 24.

Attended the 5th Annual Aerotropolis Honors on Thursday September 25.

I completed the Leadership Clayton Class for 2025.

I am continuing to attend the Tara Boulevard Taskforce Meeting hosted by Aerotropolis Atlanta.

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Promotions

The Methodist Church Artisans Market had a good turnout for their final Artisans Market on Saturday September 13. . Foot traffic continues to increase and the DDA Main Street ornaments were a success.

The Trans Am takeover celebrating the filming of Smokey and the Bandit is on Saturday October 18, between 1pm and 7pm.

Christmas Tree lighting is on Wednesday December 3 at 6pm.

The Christmas parade is on Saturday December 6.

Economic Vitality

Strictly Phlebotomy ribbon cutting was at 3pm on Friday September 5.

Met with Micro Life on site regarding the 5 parcels for possible micro housing development.

We now have quotes for fencing and the concrete pad for the dumpster on Broad Street.

New business licenses for August in the Downtown District. 1 Optometrist. 1 Dog Spa.