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City of Peachtree Corners Mayor to Deliver State of City Address

Mayor Mike Mason expected to unveil future plans, highlight successes

PEACHTREE CORNERS, GA, July 17, 2019 – Mayor Mike Mason will deliver his annual state-of-the-city address on Monday, July 22. The event will be held at the Marriott Hotel, 475 Technology Parkway in Peachtree Corners. A reception with cash bar is scheduled from 6-7 p.m. followed by the mayor's address at 7 p.m.

Mayor Mason is expected to reveal the plans and vision for the city's future and point to a number of successes the city has accomplished in the past year. On the list will be the great strides made in the revitalization of Tech Park, the increase in home values and the many infrastructure improvements including a new roundabout, road repaving, the installation of new sidewalks and continued work on the multi-use trails that will eventually wind through the city.

Certainly, on the top of list of accomplishments, Mayor Mason will point to the great success of the 21-acre Town Center, and the considerable economic impact on the \$80 million investment. Since opening in late April, the Town Center has been attracting thousands of residents and guests to the outdoor concerts and numerous family-friendly events that take place on the 2-acre Town Green. The city undertook this large-scale project without adding any additional debt to tax payers while maintaining a zero-millage rate.

He will, undoubtedly point to one of the city's most exciting projects – the plans for Curiosity Lab at Peachtree Corners, a 1.5-mile intelligent mobility and smart city laboratory which is currently being constructed along Technology Parkway. The 5G enabled autonomous vehicle test track and smart city living lab will be available for both startups and established companies. The lab is expected to draw both new and established technology-savvy businesses to Tech Park.

Mayor Mason will unveil a number of the city's future projects including the Town Center's pedestrian bridge, botanical garden and performing arts center. Construction on the bridge, which will connect The Forum to the Town Center, is expected to begin this summer.

All are invited to attend the mayor's seventh state-of-the-city address to hear more of the vision for the future of Peachtree Corners.

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