

JULY IS



MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH MONTH

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“We cannot talk about the future without talking about children. They are our future.”

Past RI President James L. Lacy, 1998-99



TAKE ACTION: Join Rotary, Get Involved

July 29, 2024 Club Assembly

Rotary
Rotary Club of Augusta



PLEDGE AND INVOCATION

Presented by Haskell Toporek



THE SUNSHINE REPORT



Presented by: **Brenda Durant**

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*Member Anniversaries:
Celebrating Years as a Rotarian*

Betty Dyches	35
Tom Kiermann	41
Melvin LaPan	5
Stacy Tallent	16
Herb Upton	49

Presented By : Heather Atkinson

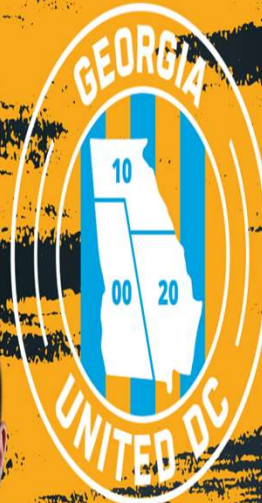
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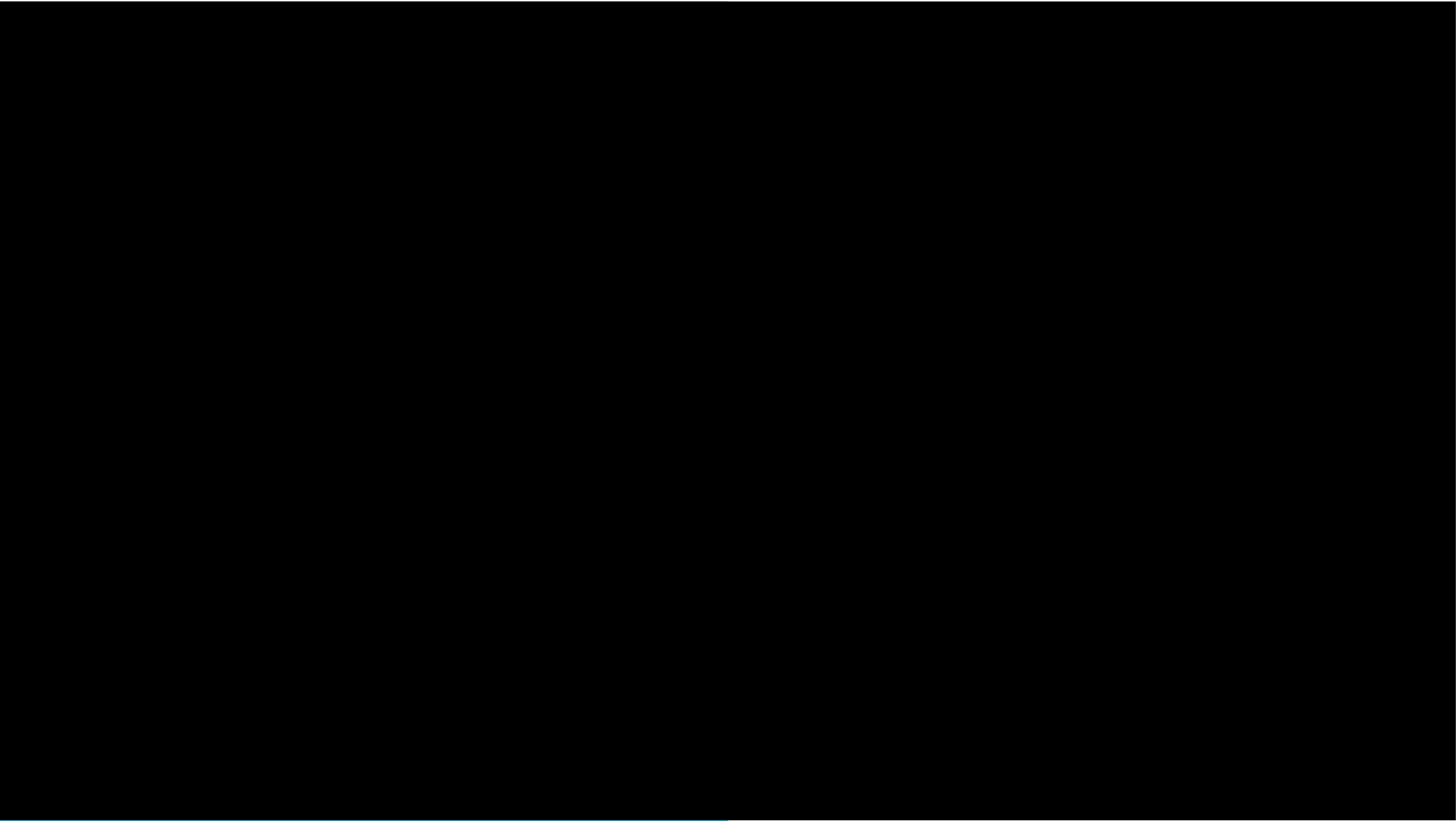


2025 GEORGIA DISTRICT CONFERENCE

APRIL 24-27, 2025
JEKYLL ISLAND, GA

ALL 3 GEORGIA DISTRICTS UNITED TO CELEBRATE AND SERVE







FOUNDATION MONDAY

PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS

The Paul Harris fellow recognition acknowledges individuals who contribute, or who have contributions made in their name, of \$1,000 to the rotary foundation.

DONOR RECOGNITIONS

- \$2,000 to 2,999.99 - one sapphire
- \$3,000 to 3,999.99 - two sapphires
- \$4,000 to 4,999.99 - three sapphires
- \$5,000 to 5,999.99 - four sapphires
- \$6,000 to 6,999.99 - five sapphires
- \$7,000 to 7,999.99 - one ruby
- \$8,000 to 8,999.99 - two rubies
- \$9,000 to 9,999.99 - three rubies

DeJeneiro Pierce PF +2



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**Thank
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New Members Induction

KERRY BRIDGES

DAVID JACOBSEN

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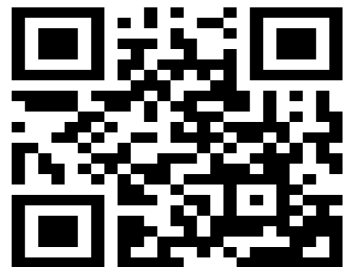


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Today's Challengers

INSIDE CART CHALLENGER

HEATHER ATKINSON



SCAN ME!

Contribute to the blue buckets
or online at mycartfund.org



AAPNAS Properties, LLC
An Office Space Leasing Company

A.K. Gulati, Owner
706-951-1902

OUTSIDE CART CHALLENGER

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Daniel López Londoño, a GRSP student, will be moving to the ELM Hall on The Medical Campus on August 9, 2024. Sheri Osburn is Daniel's Host Family.



Leadership of Augusta 2024-25

Jonathan Aceves, Meybohm Commercial Properties

Lindsay, Black, Doctors Hospital

Dat, Hoang, Savannah River Nuclear Solutions

Ashley Whitaker, Junior Achievement of Georgia





United Way collected, counted, organized, and delivered **27,711** school supplies valued at over **\$94,736** to local children in need across the CSRA! These supplies were distributed to Richmond, Columbia, and Burke Counties.



UPCOMING MEETINGS:

- **AUGUST 5 – KIGWANA CHERRY,
ROTARY IN UGANDA**
- **AUGUST 12 – TBD**
- **AUGUST 19 – STACY TALLENT,
COLLGE FOOTBALL PICK'EM**

Announcement



INDO-AMERICAN CULTURAL ASSOCIATION (IACA)
AUGUSTA, GA
PROUDLY
CELEBRATES THE 78TH INDIAN INDEPENDENCE DAY
INDIA DAY 2024
Celebrating and Empowering Women

COLUMBIA COUNTY
PERFORMING ARTS CENTER
AUGUST 24, 2024

SPONSORS
GRAND PRESENTER



**FLAG
MARCH
PARADE
11 AM**

**FOOD/
SHOPPING
12 PM TO 9 PM**

**HEALTH
FAIR
12 PM - 4PM**

**EXHIBITONS &
BOOTH
12 PM TO 9 PM**

**CULTURAL
PROGRAMS
6 PM**

CULTURAL CHAIRS: MEENU SINCHAL & NEHA PUNJABI
CHAIRMAN: VISHAL SHARMA VICE CHAIRMAN: LOPA AGARWAL
PRESIDENT: PT SUDHARSAN VICE PRESIDENT: SHAJI KAMALASANAN
SECRETARY: SAM DUTTA JOINT SECRETARIES: SHARADA PATEL & SHRUTI SHARMA
PAST PRESIDENT & TREASURER: CHETAN PATEL JOINT TREASURER: MAMTA CHURA
CULTURAL COORDINATORS: ARPITA GANDHI, VRINDA KOSGI & MAMTA CHURA
COMMUNITY OUTREACH: VRINDA KOSGI & KRINA PATEL
DECORATION TEAM: URMI PATEL, NILAM PATEL AND NUPUR PARIKH



Today's Program



Russ Gambill
Vice Chair
Augusta Canal Authority



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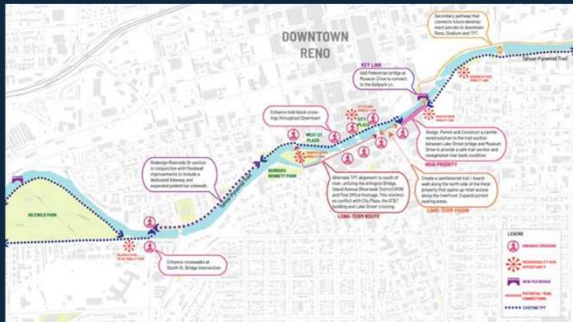
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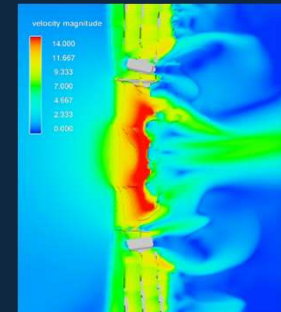


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Master Planning



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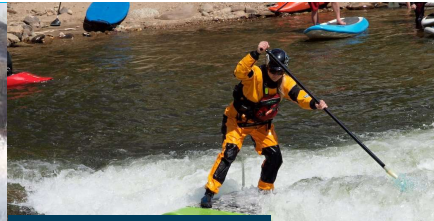




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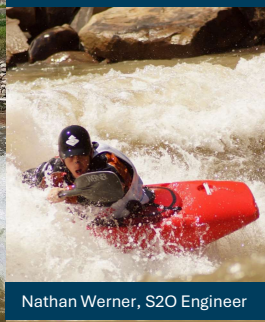
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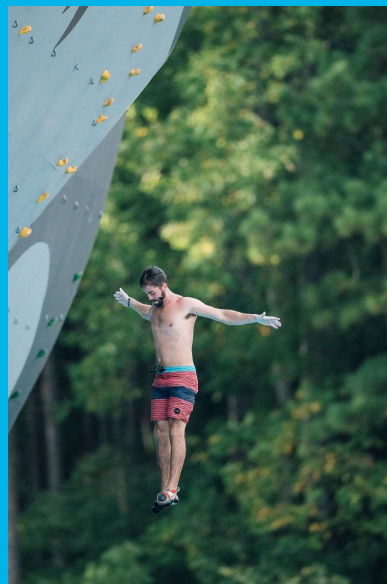
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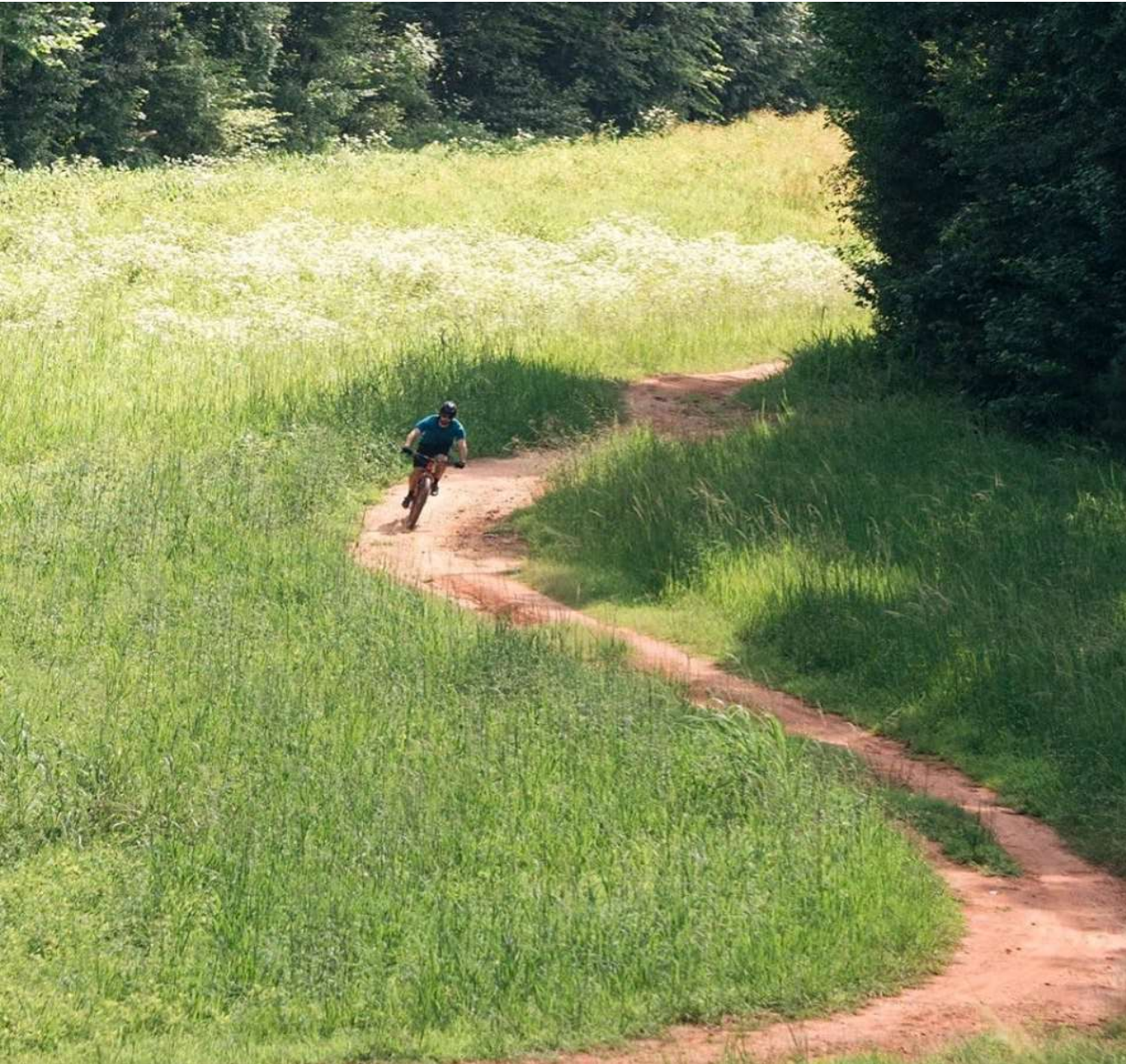
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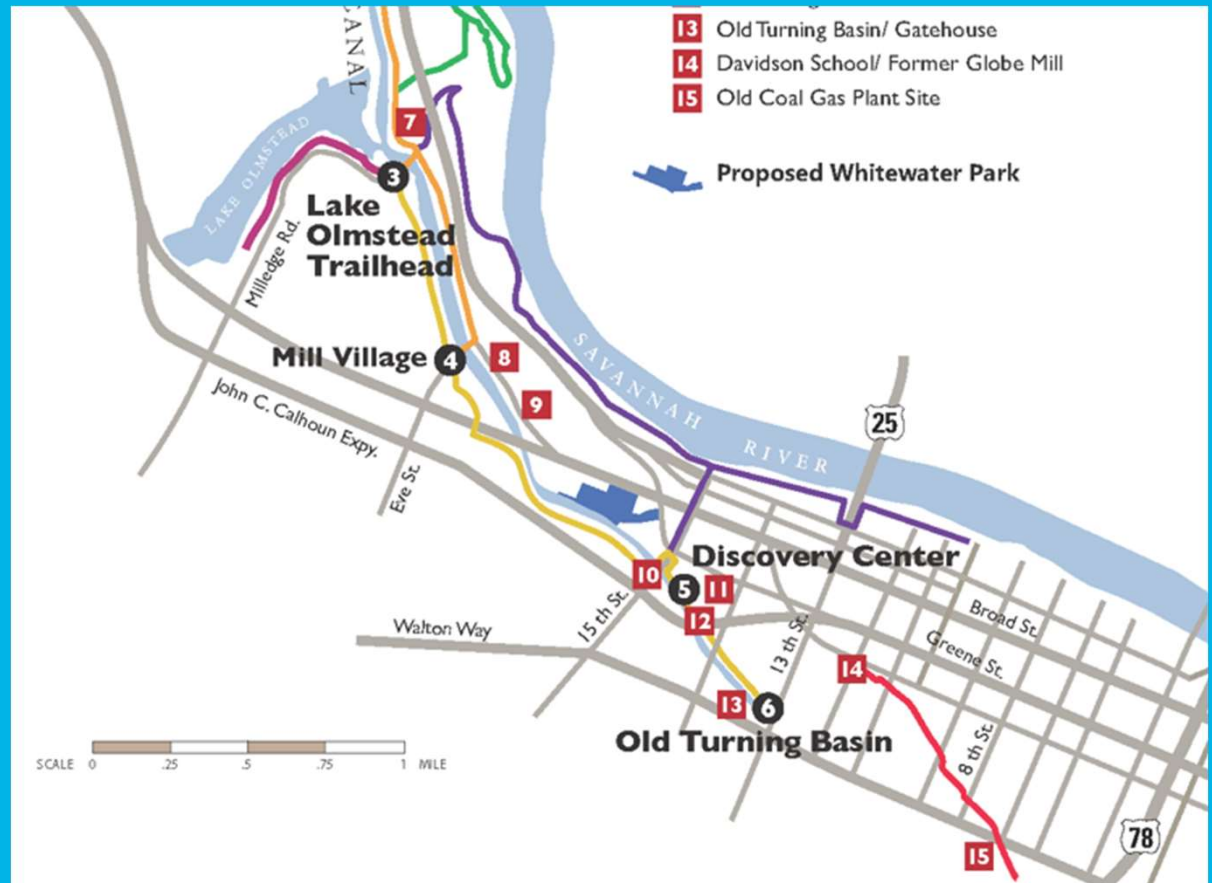
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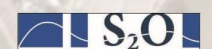
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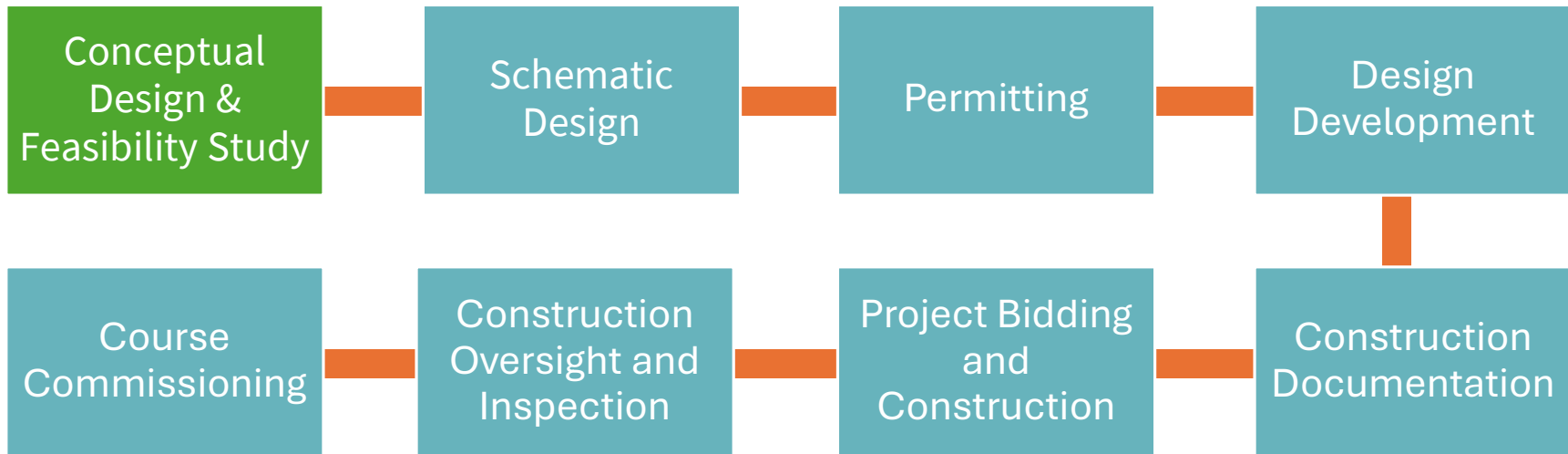
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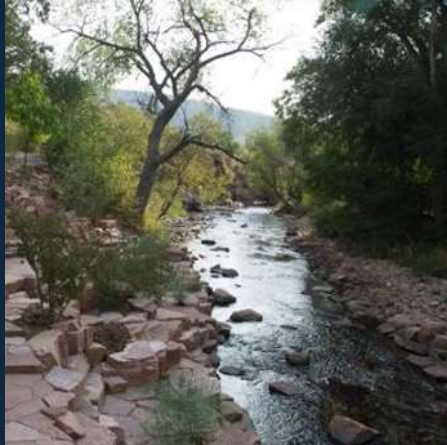


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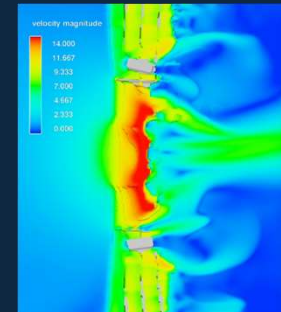


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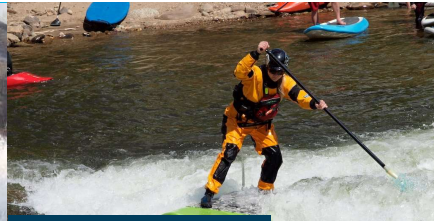




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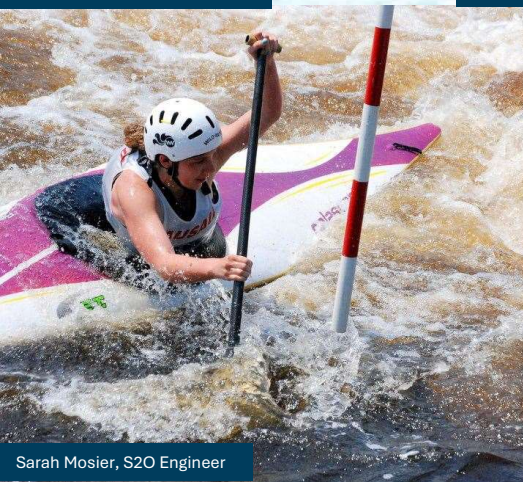
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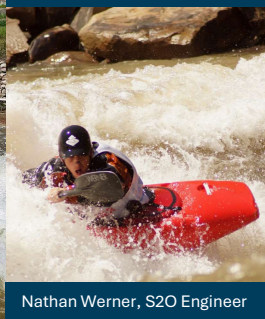
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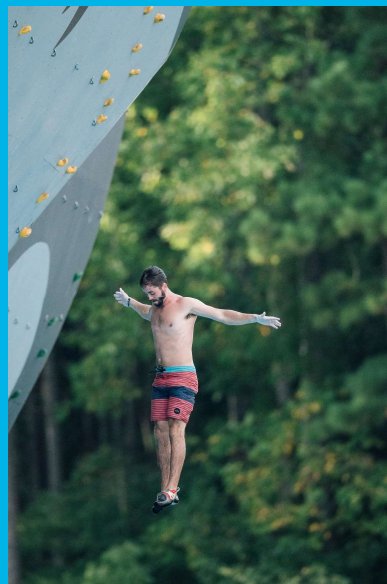
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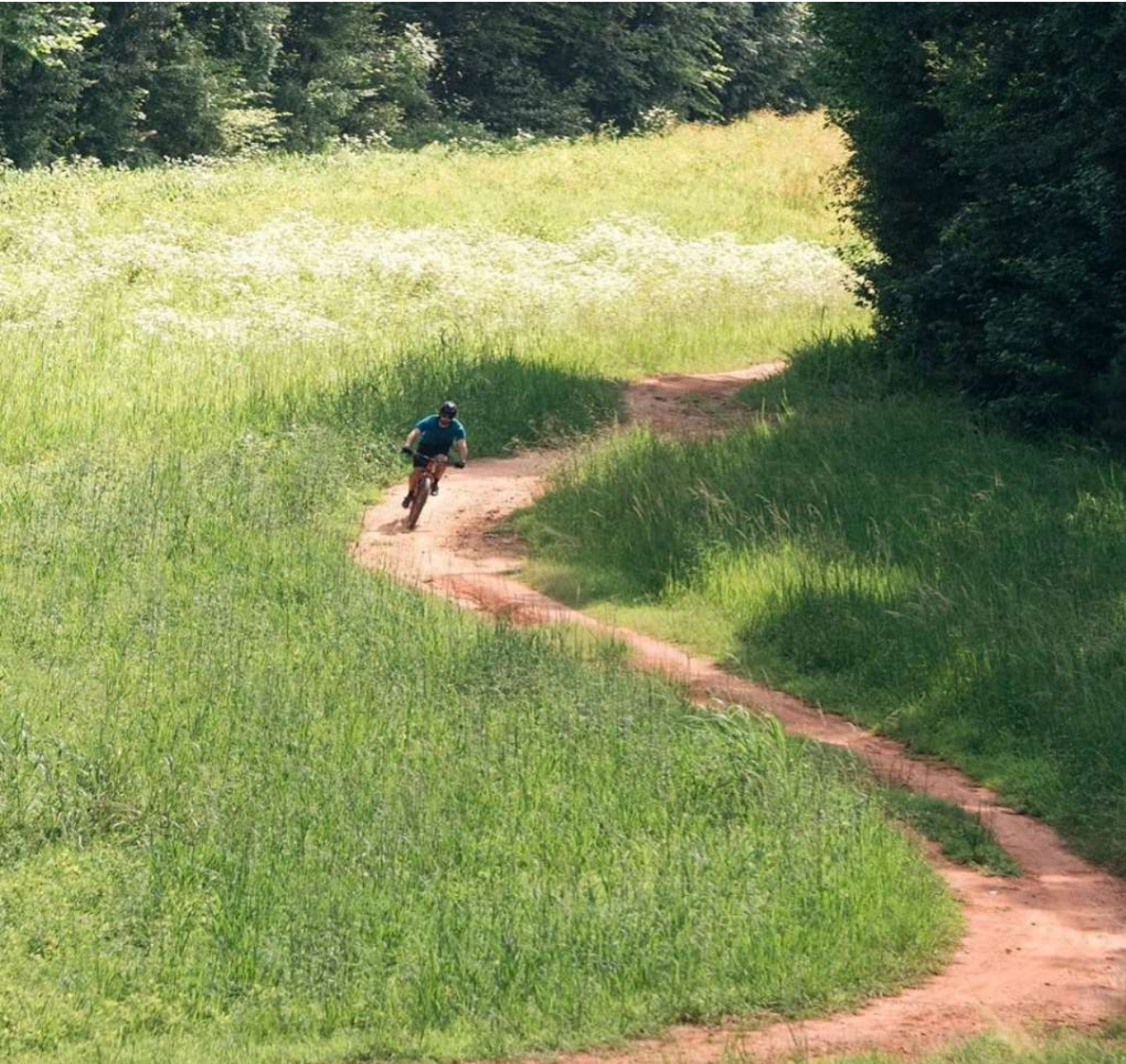
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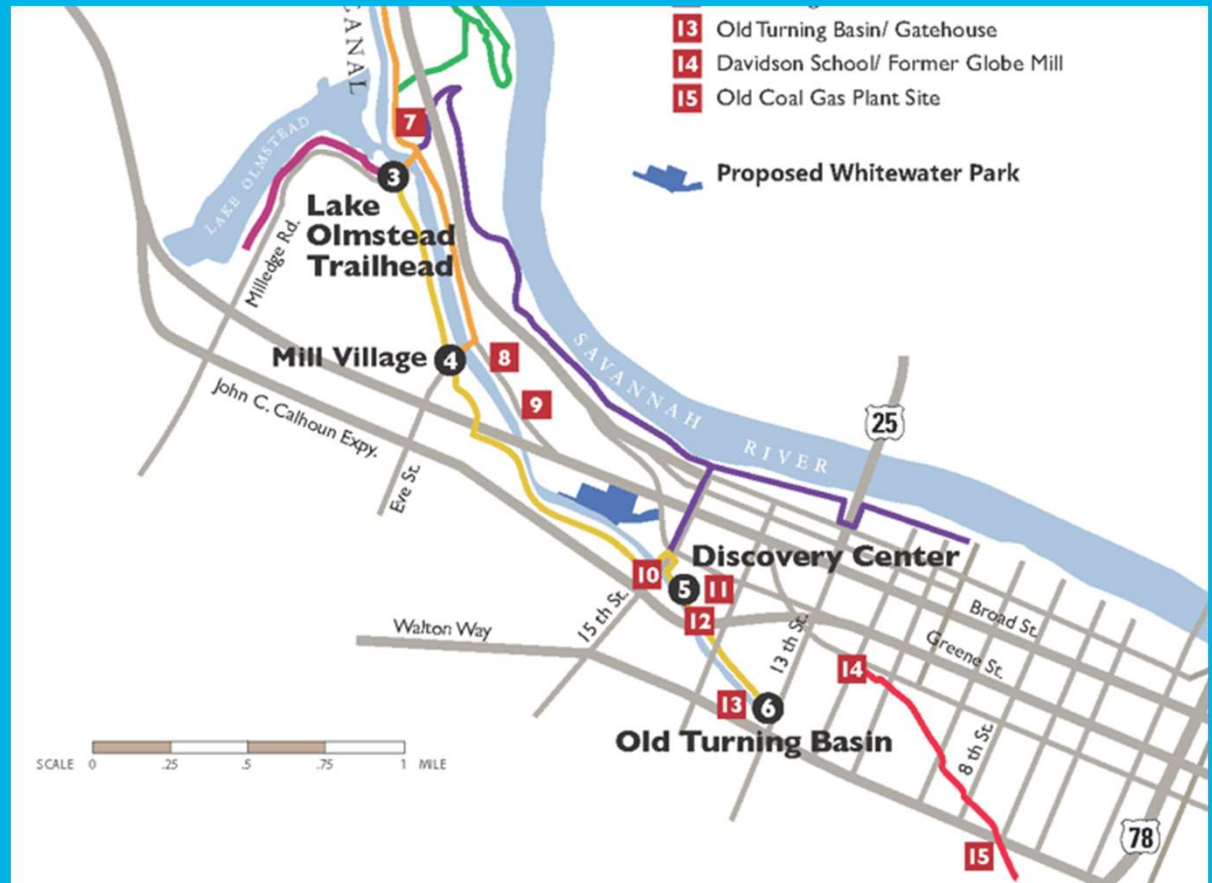
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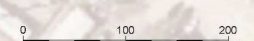
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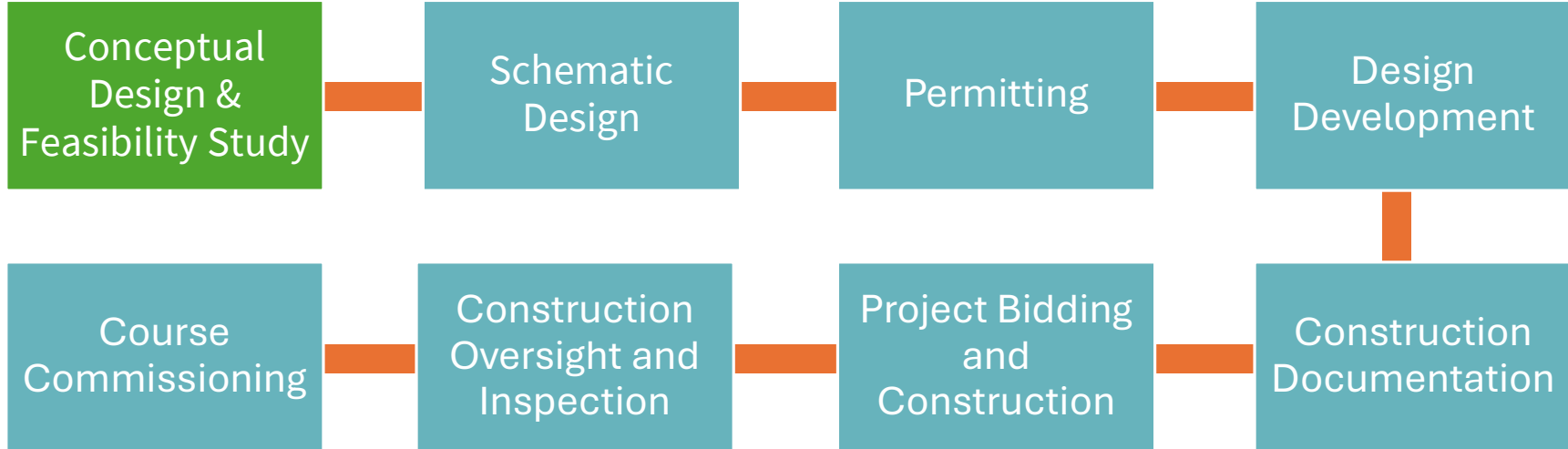
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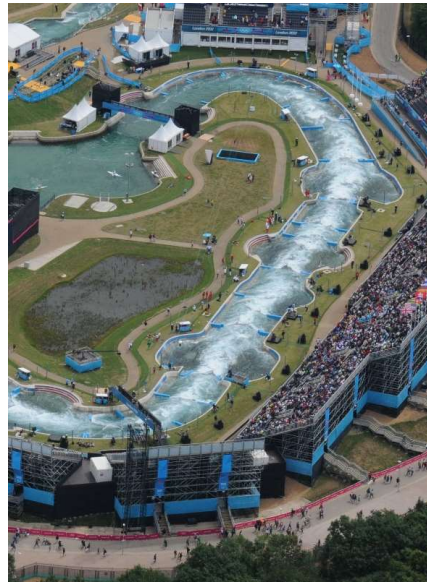
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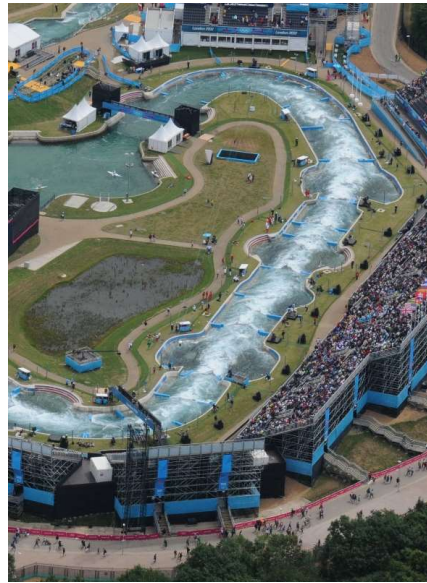
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THE FOUR-WAY TEST

Of the things we think, say or do:

first

Is it the **TRUTH**?

second

Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?

third

Will it build **GOODWILL** and
BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?

fourth

Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to
all concerned?