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DOWNTOWN UPDATE

Public Safety
DOWNTOWN SAFETY REPORT
2ND HALF OF 2013

- Downtown remains one of the safest places in Atlanta.
- Slight increase in Larcenies from Auto from last year, which has been historically low for a number of years.
- Increases in incidents are reflected in Robberies and Aggravated Assault.
- Continue to stress the Clean Car Campaign through Downtown partners.
- Reach out to Visitors and Event Attendees to be informed about Clean Car Campaign to apply simple practices.
- Addressing Quality of Life issues.
- Continuing Community Policing throughout the City, but especially in Downtown.
- Predictive Policing and Video Integration Center enhancing prevention and enforcement initiatives
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2014: Downtown’s Big Year
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DOWNTOWN CYCLING PROJECTS

Cycle Atlanta Plan

- Strategy to create a connected network of high-quality bicycle facilities in the core of the city
- 5 north-south and east-west corridors
- 31 miles of additional facilities and only $9.0 million to build
ATLANTA BIKE SHARE

• Contract with interested vendor being considered by Atlanta City Council now

• Potential first phase could include:
  • Buckhead to Downtown Decatur including Midtown, Downtown, West End and neighborhoods in between
  • 50 stations and 500 bikes
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While it was tempting to say that the streetcar was responsible for leveraging all this development, that would not be entirely accurate. Rather, the streetcar was said to be part of a ‘perfect storm’ of planning, policy, development opportunities and public-private investment.

*About Portland Streetcar, Reconnecting America*
ATLANTA STREETCAR
ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

- **Sweet Auburn Works, Inc.**
  - National Trust for Historic Preservation Main Street Program established and gaining momentum

- **M.L. King Jr. Landmark District Zoning Updates**
  - Draft updated regulations under review for April 2014 adoption

- **Pop-Up Retail**
  - Applications available now and will launch in April

- **Renewed Investment Interest**
  - Notably, the Atlanta Daily World building and retail and restaurant leasing activity

- **Downtown and Auburn Avenue Opportunity Zone**
  - $3,500 tax credit for 5 years for net-new jobs for qualified employers

- **Auburn Sights and Sounds: An Augmented Reality Application**
  - Georgia Department of Economic Development Tourism Product Development Grant

- **Auburn Avenue History & Culture Project**
  - Georgia DOT Enhancement Grant for augmented wayside signs and 75/85 underpass enhancement

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CAP ANNUAL MEETING

Wednesday, March 19, 2014
Georgia World Congress Center
7:00 a.m. – Registration + Breakfast
8:00 a.m. - Program
DOWNTOWN UPDATE

Member Spotlight
NEW MEMBER SPOTLIGHT
NEXT MEETING: JULY 31, 2014

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