

Community Work Plan Review Form

2019 Annual Work Plan

Vision Statement	Downtown Bainbridge stands strong as our community's foundation. We are a pillar of Southwest Georgia, a gateway to our heritage, our home, and our hope for what is to come. Our history is rich with Indian lore, scarred by battle, and blessed with beautifully preserved buildings and monuments that honor the changes that our area has experienced since its establishment in 1829. Downtown Bainbridge exhibits its resilience by continuing to invest in downtown, growing opportunity for local entrepreneurs, and creating a memorable experience for our families, residents, and guests.
Mission Statement	To stimulate the revitalization of downtown Bainbridge by: supporting creative economic development endeavors; enhancing its historic appeal and creativity; endorsing its pride and promise; and embracing its diverse economy.

Transformation (implementation) Strategies

Transformation (implementation) Strategy #1:
Improve the physical appearance and public amenities of downtown
Transformation (implementation) Strategy #2:
Recruit developers and investors by marketing the incentives created by our Rural Tax District designation
Transformation (implementation) Strategy #3:
Georgia Placemaking Collaborative partnership with GMA

Top Priorities for Year 2019

Status:			Goal(priority) #1
Achieved	In Progress	Stalled	
			a) Create atmosphere that attracts people to downtown b) Improve downtown pedestrian experience c) Design public restrooms
			Goal(priority) #2
			Decrease vacancy rate within the Rural Tax District zone
			Goal(priority) #3
			"Power of 10"

Comments on Goal/Priority Status