



2040 Regional Transportation Plan 2015 Update

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| Project Name US 129/Athens Hwy from SR 323/Gillsville Hwy to SR 332/Talmo in Jackson County | GHMPO No. GH-008 | GDOT No. 122150 |
| | County Hall/Jackson | City |
| Local Rd. Name Athens Highway | GDOT District 1 | Cong. District 9 |
| US/State Rd. Name US Route 129/State Route 11 | Map ID 8 | RC GMRC/NEG |

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| Project Description Widening of US 129/Athens Hwy from SR 323/Gillsville Hwy to SR 332/Talmo in Jackson County. Project costs reflect only the GHMPO's portion (69%) of the total cost that lies within the MPO boundary. All other information such as length and termini are for entire project. | | | |
| Improvement Type Widening | Regionally Significant Yes | Capacity Adding Yes | Funding Source GDOT |
| Project Intent To improve mobility and decrease congestion on the link between the City of Gainesville and I-85 and onwards to Athens. | | | |

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| Project Termini | Length (miles) 6.72 |
| From SR 323/Gillsville Highway | |
| To SR 332/Talmo in Jackson County | Exist. Lanes 2 Future Lanes 4 |
| Bike / Ped. Bike lanes recommended | Exist. Vol. 12,040 (2013) Design Vol. 23,590 (2040) |
| Connectivity US 129/I-85 | |
| Network Year 2020 | L RTP Project Tier: Short-Term (2015-2023) Open to Traffic Date 2018 |

| STATUS | PHASE | SOURCE | LOCAL | STATE | FEDERAL | OTHER | TOTAL |
|--------------|-----------------|--------|-------|--------------|--------------|-------|--------------|
| Auth. | Right-of-Way | 60110 | \$0 | \$21,898,000 | \$0 | \$0 | \$21,898,000 |
| Auth. | Pre-Engineering | 315 | \$0 | \$537,082 | \$2,148,330 | \$0 | \$2,685,412 |
| Auth. | Right-of-Way | Q05 | \$0 | \$300,200 | \$1,200,800 | \$0 | \$1,501,000 |
| 2016 | Construction | M001 | \$0 | \$5,698,126 | \$22,792,505 | \$0 | \$28,490,631 |
| 2016 | Utilities | M001 | \$0 | \$288,250 | \$1,153,000 | \$0 | \$1,441,250 |
| Auth. | Pre-Engineering | L050 | \$0 | \$200,000 | \$800,000 | \$0 | \$1,000,000 |
| TOTAL | | | \$0 | \$28,921,658 | \$28,094,635 | \$0 | \$57,016,293 |

