

West Washington Gateway

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Correct Answer - The Chicken

- Don't Chase the Golden Goose for the Egg
- Funding is absolutely
 NOT the end game
- Funding without planning basis is whimsical, not strategic nor sustainable





Planning Basis to Secure Funding

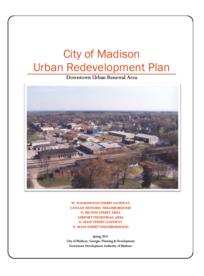
WHAT'S IN YOUR STRATEGY?

- Intent
- Context
- Leverage
- Investment
- Match
- Users
- Maintenance
- Secures and Implements specific <u>local</u> objectives
- Achieves or Augments
 broader regional, state, and national objectives



The Master Plan:

Slum & Blight Urban Redevelopment



2009: Comp Plan | Attention Map – 2 Disinvestment Areas

2009: STWP | Work Program Items

ED#17 – designate area; HS#2 – RAS housing strategy; ED#18 & 22 – plans & designs for commercial nodes

2011: Downtown Urban Redevelopment Plan

2012: STWP | ED#25 – Seek IGA to Implement URP

2013-2014: Property Acquisition & Partnership Activities

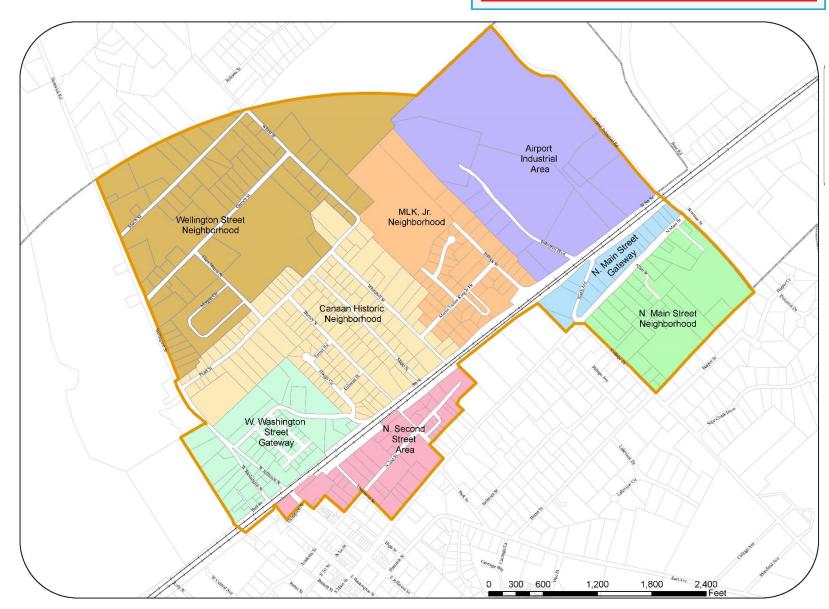
2015: Funding | GEFA Loan/Grant



REDEVELOPMENT DECISIONS

- GOAL: Address slum and blight conditions for 400 acres
- POLICY: Customized Plan, URA, RAS, Implementation Schedule
- LEVERAGE:
 - IGA 3 (2011-2018): +\$125,000 per annum URA @ \$60,000
 - SPLOST & General Funds
 - City-Owned Land, DDA Land, Gifts of Easements
 - Concentrated Civic Group Downtown Development Authority
- TOOLS: HPC-TC, Private & Civic Partnerships, OZ, RAS







CHARACTER AREA GOALS

W. Washington Street Gateway

This is a historic and prominent corridor entrance into the community. Reestablishment of an attractive residential appearance (not necessarily land use) is the primary goal.

Development proposals shall execute one or more of the following:

- Demolition of all non-historic structures;
- Rehabilitation of the five (5) viable historic residential structures as identified on the map;
- Construction of new infill cottages, reflective of the extant residential structures (scale, footprint, spacing, materials, etc.) and meeting Historic Preservation guidelines;





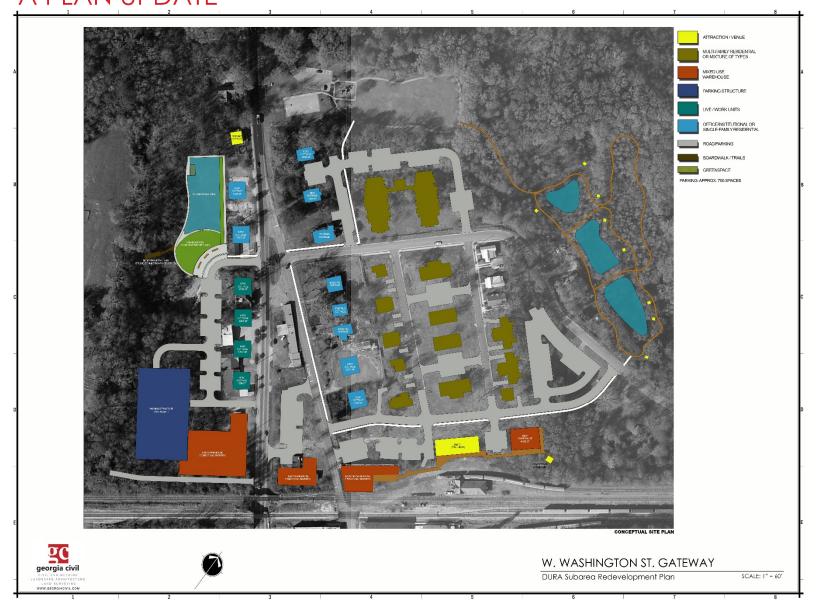
Stormwater Infrastructure

- Removing Barriers
- CreatingOpportunities
- Layered Approach
- Citizen Participation
- Measure Progress
- Plan & Patience





A PLAN UPDATE



















W. Washington St. Gateway







FUNDING

o \$\$\$ > LOAN

GA Environmental Finance Authority

\$1.6M - 20 yrs - 1%

Planning Ahead is Rewarded

\$477 interest savings

\$323 principal forgiveness

o Skin in the Game:

\$350 Local Lending 3.58% \$85 Greenspace SPLOST

o Measured Benefits:

Change in Tax Base; New Job Creation; New Housing Units; Use by Public; Confidence in Using New Tools





REGIONAL WATER PLAN OBJECTIVES

- WQ-1: Comprehensive Planning:
 The URA is part of Madison's long range plan
- WQ-5: Stream Buffer Protection:
 TDRs provide extra protection for Tanyard Branch
- WQ-6: Encourage Flood Plain Management
 City law prohibits development in the flood plain
- WQ-7: Encourage General Stormwater Practices
 City law requires stormwater for developments that disturb at least an acre



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