



## ***2013 Ponce De Leon Avenue Improvement Projects General Overview***

### **A. Milling/Resurfacing Project – Georgia Department of Transportation**

- i. **Project limits:** Milling and restriping is scheduled for US 29/US 78/US 278/SR 8, which travels from North Avenue to Ponce de Leon Avenue between State Street and Briarcliff Road/Moreland Avenue (SR 42/US 23).
- ii. **Project Scope:** The project comprises the milling of Ponce de Leon Avenue, restriping lanes, and crosswalks consistent with the proposed lane changes associated with the Ponce LCI project and the GDOT Pedestrian Safety Project.

### **B. Safety Improvement Project - Georgia Department of Transportation**

- i. **Project limits:** Piedmont Avenue and Briarcliff Road/Moreland Avenue (SR 42/US 23).
- ii. **Project Scope:** This project will increase pedestrian safety along the corridor through HAWK systems, tactile warning pads, increased pedestrian lighting and increased pedestrian countdown signalization. In addition to improved signalization at all intersections and increased pedestrian lighting throughout the project corridor.

### **C. Ponce de Leon Avenue Pedestrian Facilities and Atlanta BeltLine Intermodal Connections, Livable Centers Initiative (LCI) Grant Project - Atlanta BeltLine, Inc.**

- i. **Project limits:** Ponce de Leon Avenue from Boulevard/Monroe Drive to Freedom Parkway/Freedom Park.
- ii. **Project Scope:** The proposed road section (to be implemented as part of milling project) includes: four vehicular travel lanes; one two-way left turn lane; sidewalks that are ADA compliant and minor pedestrian obstruction from aboveground utility poles; enhanced bus shelters within the project limits; planting strip within the project limits and installation of lighting as necessary; buffered bicycle lanes, and limited sidewalk improvements and resetting of curbs as necessary (currently anticipated under the Atlanta BeltLine Ponce Overpass)

### **D. Transportation, Community, and System Preservation (TCSP) Grant PCM Plaza Interface Project - Atlanta BeltLine, Inc.**

- i. **Project limits:** Atlanta BeltLine, between North Ave and Ponce de Leon Ave.
- ii. **Project Scope:** Construct a pedestrian plaza providing pedestrian connection between the Atlanta BeltLine and Ponce City Market (Former City Hall East). Project elements will include: a plaza area between the rail shed and the Eastside Trail (under construction); a bike/pedestrian connection between the Eastside Trail and the remodeled rail shed; a sidewalk/ramp system that fronts the remodeled rail shed, and funding permits, the sidewalk/ramp system will be extended to North Ave, for access to Historic Fourth Ward Park.