Opportunity stretches in front of us as we support completing the Atlanta BeltLine’s 22-mile corridor connecting 45 neighborhoods by 2030. More than ever, the BeltLine is alive with activity: a circuit of energy that carries possibility, inclusivity, and equity across communities, and its impact reaches beyond the loop.
The Atlanta BeltLine project is connecting our city like never before. In 2022, we celebrated the James M. Cox Foundation’s generous $30 million donation that provided the remaining philanthropic funding needed to complete the full 22-mile mainline BeltLine trail corridor by 2030.

Much more than just a trail, the BeltLine is enhancing life around the corridor and beyond the loop. Like concentric circles from a water droplet, the BeltLine’s positive impacts ripple through the community. It brings people together in an environment rich with art and nature that inspires and nourishes. It offers wellness opportunities that fuel healthier lives. And it supports residents living in the surrounding 45 neighborhoods with tools and resources to remain in the place they call home.

All of our strategic objectives—enabling project completion, engaging the public with the BeltLine, and empowering residents to stay in their homes and connect with the economic opportunities the BeltLine creates—made major progress this year. Every investment in the Atlanta BeltLine Partnership has a transformative ripple effect beyond the loop and into the future.

Thank you for your support and engagement with us and for having a tremendous impact on the BeltLine, our city and neighborhoods, and the future of our community.

Kathy Farrell  
*Board Chair*

Rob Brawner  
*Executive Director*

**FROM OUR LEADERSHIP**

**ATLANTA BELTLINE PARTNERSHIP MISSION**

To fulfill, protect, and preserve the Atlanta BeltLine vision by raising funds and building partnerships that enable the Atlanta BeltLine project, engage the public, and empower residents in surrounding neighborhoods.

**ATLANTA BELTLINE VISION**

To be the catalyst for making Atlanta a global beacon for equitable, inclusive, and sustainable city life.
The pledge to complete the BeltLine corridor doesn’t mean our work is done. Rather it’s sharpened our focus on activating the philanthropic and private partners who will help make the promise a reality in the coming years.

$30,000,000 DONATION

from the James M. Cox Foundation supported our continued partnership with the PATH Foundation and provided the remaining philanthropic funding necessary to complete the full 22-mile mainline trail corridor.

Reached $146+ MILLION toward Advancing the Vision campaign that advances trail completion, develops new parks, and empowers BeltLine residents to live, work, and thrive in their neighborhoods.

Served and advised on Mayor Dickens’s Greenspace Advisory Council to champion equitable greenspace needs.
On any given day, the Atlanta BeltLine is a vibrant hub of activity. As its reputation as a place of connection and culture grows, we see advocacy and affinity for the BeltLine rise. In 2022, that led to increased participation in rides, runs and a range of fitness classes and increased the visibility of the BeltLine brand.

**ENGAGE:**

- Fifteen companies became members of our Connectors Circle supporter program giving them access to volunteer, employee engagement, and brand awareness opportunities.
- Relaunched private BeltLine bus tours
- Atlanta BeltLine Race Series: 3,800 registrants
- 2022 Weekly Run Club: 3,000 participants
- 22 Bike tours hosted with more than 400 cyclists.
- 1,700 registered participants
- Free Fitness classes energized for a healthier Atlanta.

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Atlanta’s economic inequality is among the highest in the nation. And its rate of upward mobility is one of the lowest. These factors diminish the opportunities available to our neighbors on the BeltLine. Our programs leverage economic opportunities catalyzed by the BeltLine and create access to resources that put stability within reach to help residents overcome barriers and thrive.

**EMPOWER:**

We deployed door-to-door outreach to share Empower programming information with residents in person.

Supported Atlanta BeltLine, Inc. through a grant from the Kendeda Fund to provide equitable access for businesses through the **BELTLINE MARKETPLACE**

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**Four Hundred**

Home Empowerment Workshops educated more than 400 residents on topics ranging from property tax appeals to home protection.

**$500,000**

Rocket Community Fund invested $500,000 in the Legacy Resident Retention Program (LRRP) and the program doubled its participants.
Reports from Atlanta BeltLine Partnership’s fiscal year 2022 demonstrate the allocation of public and private funding to accomplish our goals of enablement, engagement and empowerment. Full audited financials are available at beltline.org.

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THANK YOU TO OUR DONORS!

We are beyond grateful to the donors who make the work of the Atlanta BeltLine Partnership possible. Thank you to the individuals, foundations, corporations, and organizations contributing to the equity, inclusivity and sustainability of our city. Together, we make Atlanta a model for the future. During the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, we owe our gratitude to the following.

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