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OVERVIEW

Atlanta Public Safety Training Center (PSTC)

A state-of-the-art campus to accommodate the operational, technical, and ongoing career training requirements of Atlanta's Police, Fire Rescue, and Corrections departments, as well as collaborative training with federal, state, and local law enforcement agencies.

Building the Center on 85-acres of City-owned property near Atlanta's Hartsfield Jackson Airport will transform a dormant asset into a dynamic center for progressive law enforcement that meets the immediate and long-term professional development needs of public safety professionals.

The new Atlanta Public Safety Training Center will reimagine law enforcement training, and Police and Fire Rescue community engagement. The Center presents a world-class facility on a wooded campus that will simultaneously be purposed for green space for citizen usage -- park, trails, picnics, activities – thereby encouraging the strong community connection which is the guiding principle for 21st Century law enforcement agencies.

Community Stakeholders Advisory Committee (CSAC)

The legislation by the Atlanta City Council included requirements that the developers coordinate with a Community Advisory Committee on a monthly basis. CSAC is made up of representatives of the local neighborhoods adjacent to the PSTC site, APF, APD, and the City of Atlanta. The resulting conversations have not only increased transparency between developers and community stakeholders through dialogue exchange, but conversations have also influenced a variety of site improvements.

- The public is invited to attend the monthly CSAC meetings via Zoom.
- Reports are issued to the Atlanta City Council summarizing progress on the PSTC
- A PSTC website has been established that regularly updates progress, other actions, and reports
 of the CSAC.

ACTIVITES

JULY 2022

- The planning and design team are currently working on second round revisions based off Dekalb County officials' comment of their review of the Land Disturbance Permit (LDP).
- Parcel combination plat was submitted to Dekalb County and awaiting approval.
- Planning and design team held coordinating page-turn meetings with DEAM, the users, and the owner and reviewed the 100% DD and 50% CD drawings submitted in June.
- The development team has gone out to partners and resources to identify costs based off of the 100% DD and 50% CD drawings.
- The design team worked on progress drawings to complete 100% CD drawings for Leadership Institute, Academic Building and Fire Training Station.

• The CSAC met on July 19, 2022. First Deputy Chief, James McLemore, presented to the committee on the importance of this facility to their department and future of their success.





LOOK AHEAD

- The next meeting date for the CSAC is August 30, 2022.
- The planning and design team working on revisions and response for submittal for the second-round comments for the LDP package to Dekalb County for final approval.
- The design team will submit for 100% CDs for Leadership Institute, Academic Building and Fire Training Station.
- The design team working for submittal for building application for the Leadership Institute, the Academic Building and the Fire Training Station.
- The development team is working on refining budget and strategy to reach budget target and scope.
- The development team starting on General Contractor procurement and process.