

DATE: *September 26, 2018*
TO: Mayor and City Council
FROM: Assistant *City* Manager
SUBJECT: Construction Contract –Sidewalks on Suwanee Dam and
Whitehead Roads



Information required to present this item is late in coming and will be presented at the work session.

DESIGN AND BID PHASE INFORMATION

This project was borne out of the 2014 SPLOST planning and has two separate components consolidated into one contract. The first includes sidewalk connections along Suwanee Dam Road from Johnson Road north to White Oak Elementary. This will provide some 3 miles of sidewalk on Suwanee Dam Road. In addition, sidewalks are proposed in the contract scope for Whitehead Road from Suwanee Dam Road to Arbor View Lane. This will complete pedestrian connections along two very key transportation corridors and allow for easy pedestrian access to our downtown, parks, and important commercial centers at Highway 20.

The project was advertised for bid in August. After bids were received and verified, the scope of work was reduced through a value engineering review to eliminate costly wall, railing, and guardrail construction along a few segments north of Highway 20 on Suwanee Dam Road thus bringing the adjusted bid quantities down to a manageable total.

Further details associated with this item will be provided at the meeting.