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NEWS BRIEFS
—FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE—
CITY OF CHAMBLEE ACQUIRES LAND FOR LINEAR PARK

April 18, 2017—The City of Chamblee Mayor & City Council have approved the acquisition of approximately 10 acres of green space located at 4197 North Shallowford Road. The site is located along Nancy Creek, between North Shallowford Road and North Peachtree Road south of Savoy Drive. The acquisition allows for the continued planning of park and trail connectivity, a goal of Chamblee’s Mayor & Council. “The site’s proximity to Nancy Creek prevents any viable commercial or residential use, but its development as a park or trail amenity could positively affect the redevelopment of Savoy Drive and increase neighborhood connectivity,” said Mayor Eric Clarkson.

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CITY OF CHAMBLEE COMPLETE VANET ROAD REPAIRS

April 18, 2017—The City of Chamblee Public Works Department, working with Chamblee Middle and High Schools and contractor A&S Paving, Inc., completed the repair work of the school crossing at Vanet Road. The work was began during the DeKalb County Schools Spring Break period, which ran from Monday, April 3 and was completed on Thursday, April 13. The 18” culvert pipe underneath the walkway became hazardous from erosion, and the City’s Public Works Department monitored the situation for several months. The erosion issue progressed to a point where City staff felt the walkway was a hazard and closed it on Friday, March 10, 2017, for safety precautions.

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Located just 14 miles from downtown Atlanta, Chamblee is a vibrant urban city with a diverse community and international flair. The City of Chamblee began as a small rail town and was incorporated in 1908. It has grown to more than seven square miles and nearly 30,000 residents. Chamblee is home to a heavy rail MARTA station, a historic downtown and Antique Row, the vibrant Buford Highway corridor, DeKalb-Peachtree Airport (PDK), the Centers for Disease Control and a thriving business community with a unique sense of entrepreneurship and optimism. Visit www.chambleega.gov for more information.