

MASTER DEVELOPMENT PLAN FOR THE VICKERY FORSYTHE COUNTY, GA

HPE RESPONSIBILITY:

Conceptual Transportation Design

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Hall Planning & Engineering, Inc. participated as the transportation subconsultant in a charrette to prepare a master plan for the Vickery, a new community in Forsythe County. The design for this private development followed traditional neighborhood design principles. HPE addressed ways transportation systems serving the town could be designed to enhance the walkability of the area. This was done by targeting pedestrian improvements to all the public places including streets and squares. One major goal was to facilitate efficient automobile travel among an excellent pedestrian environment. To achieve this, several workshops were held with the county engineer to establish design concepts acceptable to the public works agency. Street cross-sections were developed and placed in the county's CADD format, ready for future implementation, but only in TND communities. Conventional subdivisions are not allowed to construct the narrower lanes and ROW widths specified for the TND pattern.

