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Media Alert

DeKalb to Hold a Virtual Town Hall on Consent Decree Modifications

DECATUR, Ga. – DeKalb County CEO Michael Thurmond will host a public **virtual town hall meeting** to discuss the details of the modifications to the county's 2010 federal consent decree.

Some of the modifications to the existing consent decree include:

- Increased oversight by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Georgia Environmental Protection Division and U.S. District Court.
- A deadline extension for completion of major repairs and upgrades of the sewer system.
- A civil penalty to be paid by the county.

CEO Thurmond also will reveal DeKalb's "Decade of Renewal," a 10-year plan already underway to upgrade the county's sewer system.

The virtual town hall meeting will be Monday, Oct. 19, at 10 a.m., and can be accessed via:

- www.dekalbcountyga.gov
- Comcast Cable Channel 23 in DeKalb County

Questions are being accepted now and during the town hall via:

- Email at townhall@dekalbcountyga.gov.
- Social media:
 - Facebook: www.facebook.com/ItsInDeKalbGa
 - Twitter: www.twitter.com/ItsInDeKalb.

Questions also will be accepted during the town hall at 404-371-2400.

Who: DeKalb County CEO Michael Thurmond
DeKalb County Government staff

When: Monday, Oct. 19, 10 a.m.