



Vernon Jones
Chief Executive Officer

Dear Neighbor,

On November 8th DeKalb voters have the opportunity to make it possible for our County to continue its efforts in improving our quality of life.

In 2001 DeKalb voters approved a bond referendum that allowed for the acquisition of over 2,100 acres of greenspace and the development of parks throughout the county. The bond enabled us to increase our greenspace by more than 58% and made it possible to construct or renovate recreational centers, swimming facilities, tennis complexes, playgrounds, picnic areas and walking trails.

Recognizing the success of the 2001 bond referendum, the Board of Commissioners and the CEO created a Future Funding Task Force comprised of a cross-county group of community and business leaders to independently assess areas that needed attention. The Task Force identified three critical areas that required additional funding in order to keep up with the growth rate of our county – transportation, libraries, and parks and greenspace. The findings were reported to the Board of Commissioners, and on August 23, the Board voted 7– 0 in favor of putting the bond referendum on the ballot.

On November 8 you have the opportunity to further invest in our future.

1. Vote Yes – Reduce traffic congestion with road improvements
2. Vote Yes – Continue our parks and greenspace program
3. Vote Yes – Expand our library facilities and educational resources

Please join us at the polls on November 8 and VOTE YES three times. Let's keep DeKalb County a great place to live, work and play.

For a Better DeKalb,



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District 1



Gale Walldorff
District 2



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District 3



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