

City of Norcross

65 Lawrenceville Street

Norcross, GA 30071



Meeting Agenda

Thursday, January 15, 2026

5:00 PM

2nd Floor Conference Room

Parks, Greenspaces, and Trails Commission

Tixie Fowler, Chair

Jon Davis, Commission Member

Joe Weber, Commission Member

Kassie Diehl, Commission Member

Scott Leslie, Commission Member

1. Call to Order**2. Action Item: Ratification of December 2025 meeting minutes.**

[Parks, Green Spaces, and Trails Commission Regular Meeting Minutes 12.18.2025](#)

3. Ongoing Business**A. City Updates** (*Len Housley*)

Director of Public Works (PW, Utilities, Parks) Len Housley will provide updates and lead discussion regarding the following city projects:

1. Norcross Greenway construction
2. Bike route safety signage
3. City Hall Parking Project

B. Stormwater system updates and ordinances review (*Tixie Fowler & Terry Sutton*)

Tixie and Terry to share outcomes of discussion with City Planner and Assistant City Manager earlier that day in which staff will have identified specific building ordinances that may benefit from clarification and/or increased thresholds in order to better support Norcross' ecological conservatoin goals.

C. Piedmont Feasibility Study Marketing (*Michael Jones*)

Consultants conducting this study are scheduled to host a public meeting to gather community input regarding opportunities proposed in the first draft of the study. Michael will share the city's marketing plans for this event, and discuss how the Commission might support staff efforts.

D. Tree Preservation Board Update (*Terry Sutton*)

Terry will update the Commission on recent collaborative efforts between Staff, Tree Preservation Board, and PG&T to review and address opportunities to strengthen and clarify existing ordinances relevant to city conservation interests and infill and/or future land development.

E. Swenson-Brown Forest Preserve (*Jon Davis & Tixie Fowler*)

Jon and Tixie to report on the January 12 meeting with Staff and Tree Preservation Board regarding conservation management plans discussed for that greenspace.

F. Heritage Park Revisioning (*Kassie Diehl*)

Kassie to refresh Commission on initial discussions about this park (made prior to PGT & GI Master Plan). The Commission will identify opportunities for community collaboration, discuss next steps, and identify priorities.

4. New Business**5. ADDITIONAL INPUT AND/OR DISCUSSION NOT OTHERWISE ADDRESSED BY THIS AGENDA****6. Adjourn: Next regularly scheduled meeting to be held on Thursday, February 19, 2026.**

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Meeting Minutes

Thursday, December 18, 2025

5:00 PM

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Parks, Green Spaces, & Trails Commission

Tixie Fowler, Chair

Jon Davis, Commission Member

Joe Weber, Commission Member

Kassie Diehl, Commission Member

Scott Leslie, Commission Member

1. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 5:00 pm by Chair Tixie Fowler.

Attendee Name	Title	Status	Arrived
Tixie Fowler	Chair	Present	
Jon Davis	Board member	Present	
Kassie Diehl	Board member	Present	
Joe Weber	Board member	Present	
Scott Leslie	Board member	Present	

Public Present

Patrick Peters and Carlos Perez – representing Heath & Lineback, Inc.
 Terry Sutton – Tree Preservation Board liaison
 Lisa Carr – citizen

2. Action Item: Ratification of the October and November 2025 meeting minutes.

A motion to approve the October 2025 meeting minutes.

RESULT: APPROVED [UNANIMOUS 4-0]
MOVER: Joe Weber, Board Member
SECONDER: Jon Davis, Board Member
AYES: Davis, Fowler, Leslie, Weber
Tardy: Kassie Diehl, Board Member

A motion to approve the November 2025 meeting minutes.

RESULT: APPROVED [UNANIMOUS 4-0]
MOVER: Jon Davis, Board Member
SECONDER: Tixie Fowler, Chair
AYES: Davis, Fowler, Leslie, Weber
Tardy: Kassie Diehl, Board Member

3. Ongoing Business

A. Tree Preservation Board Update – (Terry Sutton)

This agenda item was tabled until the January meeting to allow more time for consultants to present.

C. Piedmont Pathway Feasibility Study Update (Heath & Lineback)

Patrick Peters and Carlos Perez shared the first draft of the Piedmont Pathway Feasibility Study and invited feedback. In summary, PG&T was very pleased with the study so far and was able to offer the consultants reportedly valuable feedback. Consultants will revised their draft accordingly and are slated to present to Mayor and Council on January 20 (Policy Work Session) and with directed revisions to the public on January 27.

4. New Business

5. ADDITIONAL INPUT AND/OR DISCUSSION NOT OTHERWISE ADDRESSED BY THIS AGENDA

None

6. Adjourn

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held on Thursday, January 15, 2026.

A motion to adjourn at 6:34 pm was made by Kassie Diehl; seconded by Joe Weber. Motion passed 5-0.