

GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AFFAIRS APPLICATION FOR OPPORTUNITY ZONE DESIGNATION

Please PRINT the following information

Applicant Government:

Contact Person:

Phone Number:

Mailing Address:

E-mail:

Name/phone of person filling out this form:

APPLICATION CHECKLIST

**Check to make sure all of the following items on the checklist are included in your submission.
Refer to the DCA Rules, Chapter 110-24-1 for further information.**

- Cover Letter to Commissioner of Community Affairs signed by chief executive officer of all governments joining in the request for designation is included.
- A certified copy of all applicable enterprise zone ordinances, resolutions, and amendments is included.
- A certified copy of all of local government resolutions establishing urban redevelopment area(s), urban redevelopment plan(s) including amendments and related resolutions is included. (as applicable)
- A certification from the local government's attorney that the enterprise zone ordinances, resolutions and policies or the authorizing resolutions for the urban redevelopment plan were adopted in accordance with applicable law and applicable public hearing requirements is included. In the case of a zone or redevelopment plan that includes multiple local governments, the local government attorney in each jurisdiction must execute a certification.
- Documentation of pervasive poverty, under-development, general distress, and blight is included.

Map Requirements:

- Delineates the subject 15% poverty block groups
- Includes Urban Redevelopment Area boundaries; or
- Includes Enterprise Zone boundaries
- Includes local government (city/county) limits
- Is rolled and placed in a tube
- Identifies individual plats within the proposed Opportunity Zone boundaries
- Displays coordinates of four or more map registration points as degrees-minutes-seconds or decimal degrees
- Caption includes:
 - 1) county or municipal corporation, land district and land lot
 - 2) the date of map preparation
 - 3) the scale, stated and shown graphically
 - 4) the name, address, and telephone number of the Opportunity Zone administrator
 - 5) name, address, and telephone number of the preparer

Include this form with your application and mail to:
*Office of Economic Development,
60 Executive Park South, NE, Atlanta, Georgia 30329
Questions? Call 404-679-3173*