



**GREENVILLE COUNTY, SC**

# **ON THE ROAD, PT. III**

**FINDINGS & NEXT STEPS**

**FEBRUARY 20, 2024**

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# OUR COUNTY

**WE ARE THE LARGEST  
COUNTY IN SC.**

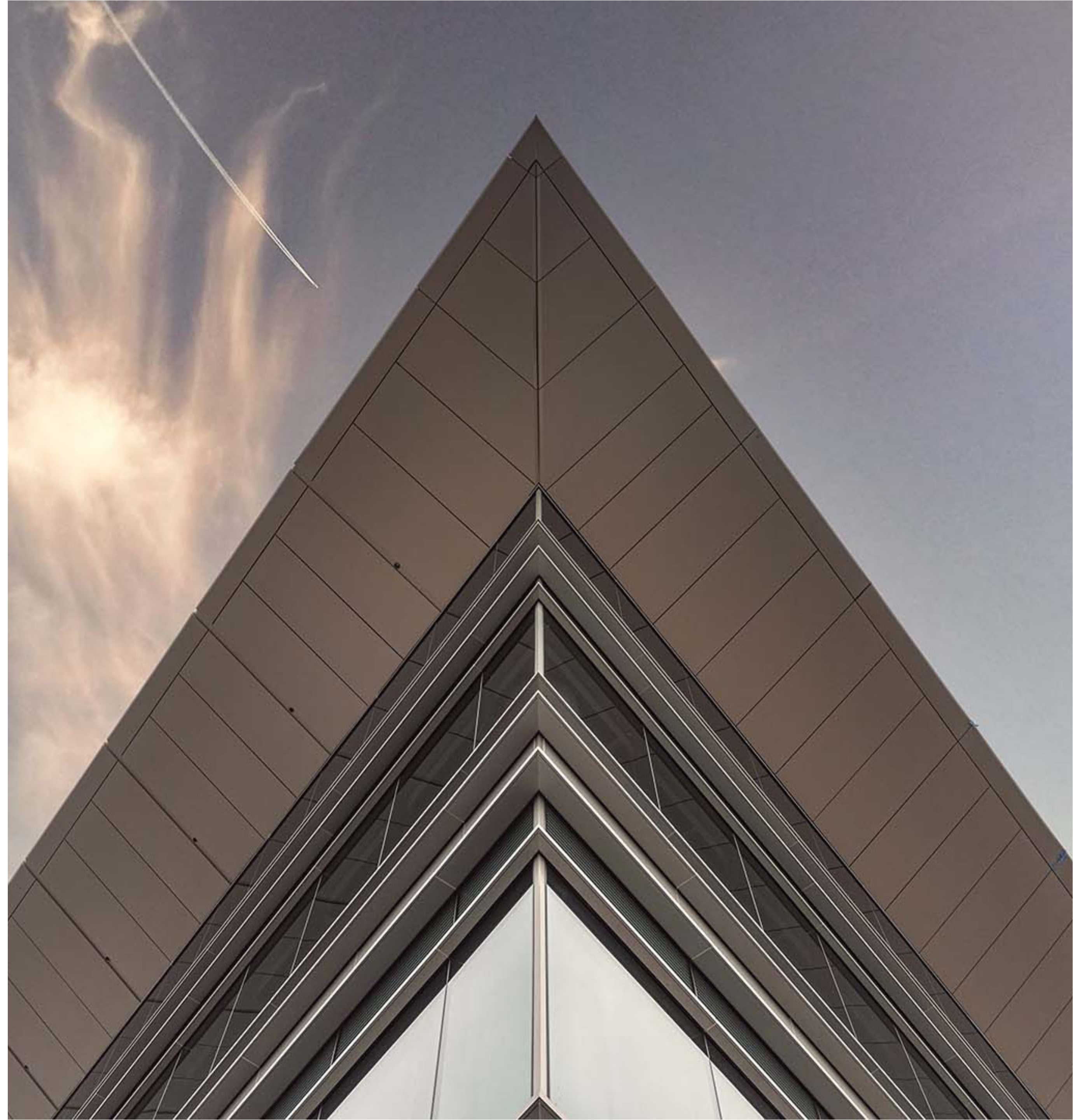
**POPULATION: 574K**

**JOBS: 283K**

**ROADS: 4K LANE-MILES**

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**WE ARE THE HEART  
OF ONE OF THE  
FASTEST GROWING  
REGIONS IN THE US.**





# OUR ROADS

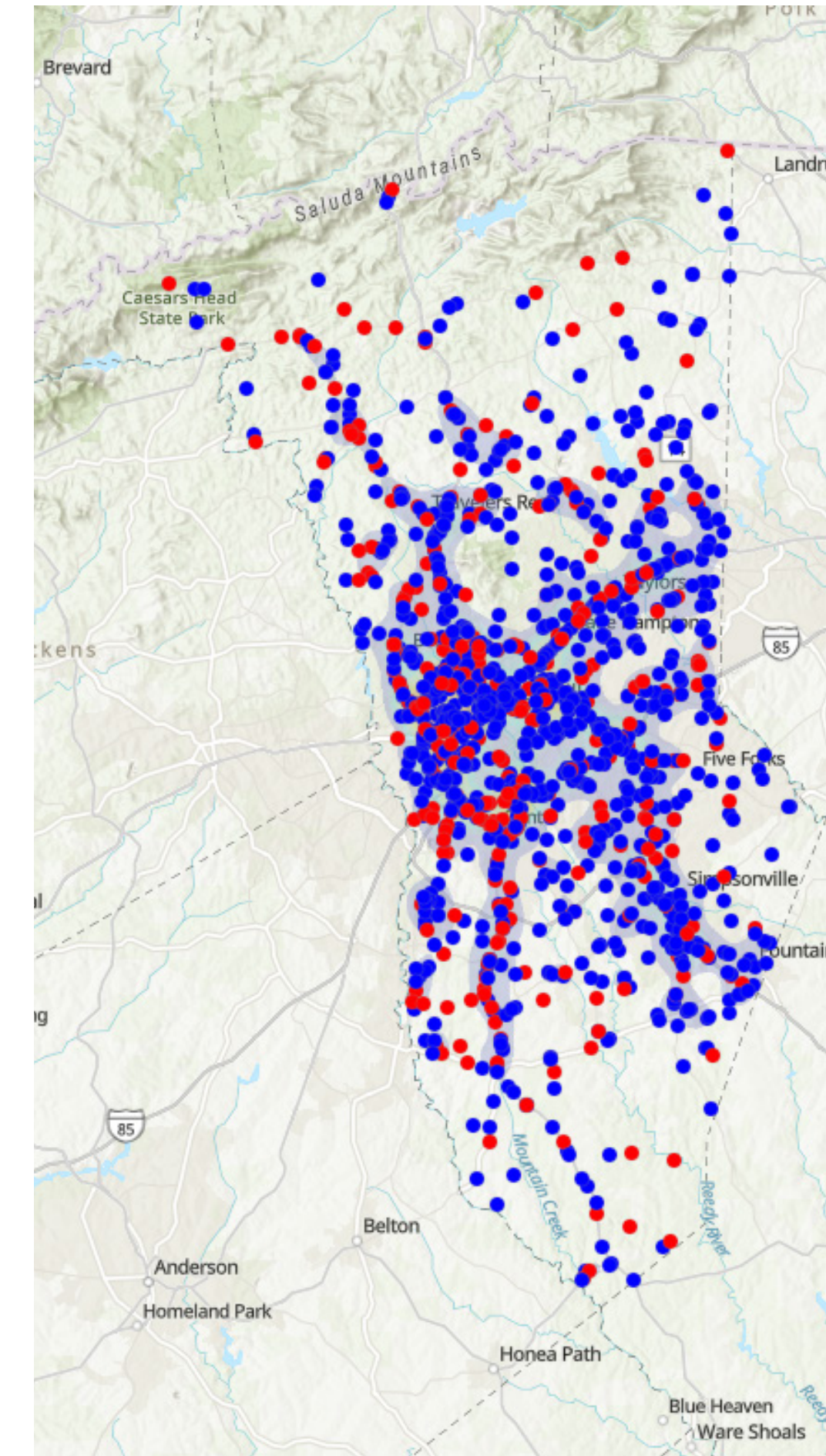
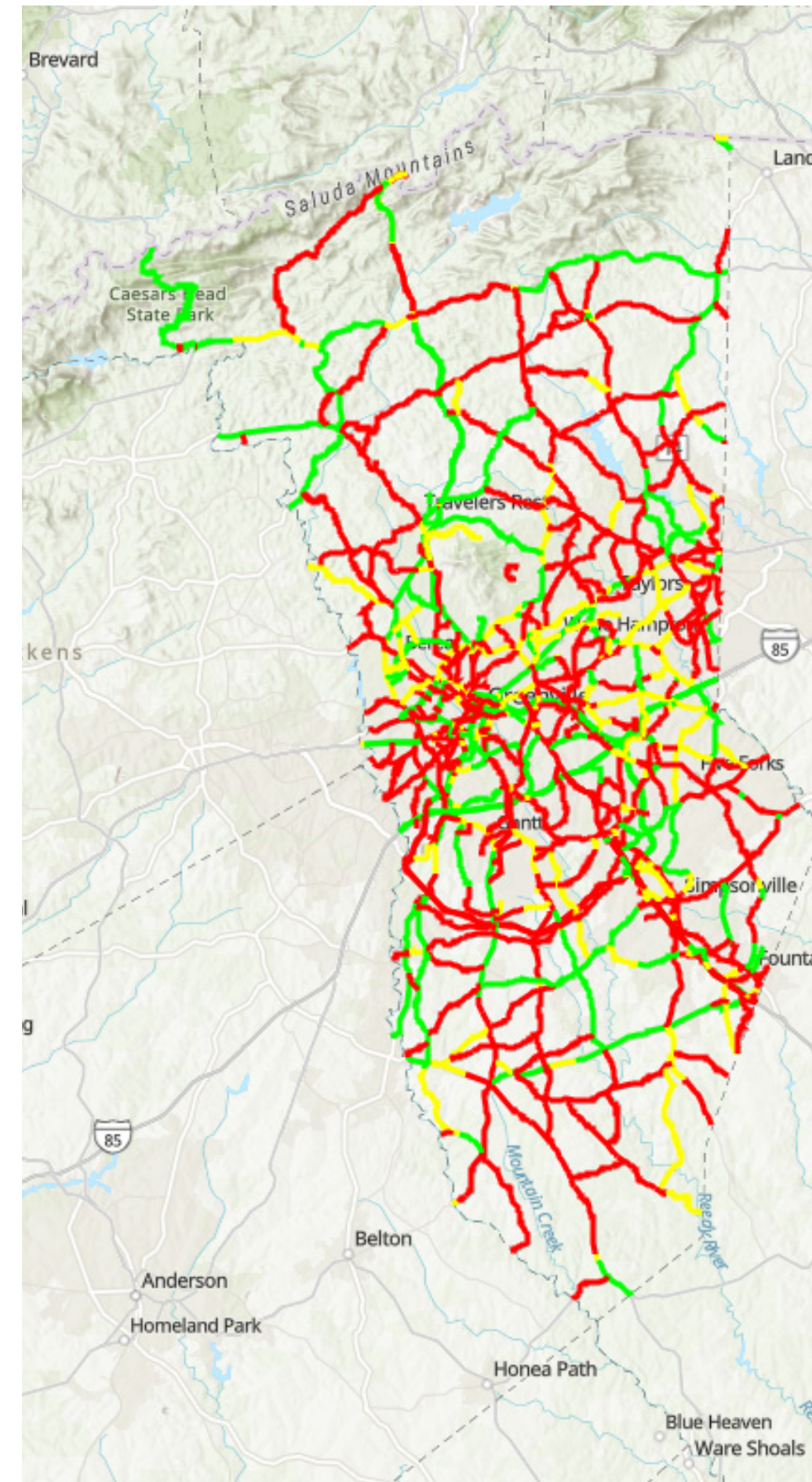
**75% OF OUR ARTERIAL AND COLLECTOR ROADS ARE IN FAIR OR POOR CONDITION.**

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**15% OF OUR BRIDGES ARE LOAD-RESTRICTED OR CLOSED.**

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**FROM 2017-21, MORE PEOPLE DIED ON OUR ROADS THAN ANY COUNTY IN THE STATE.**

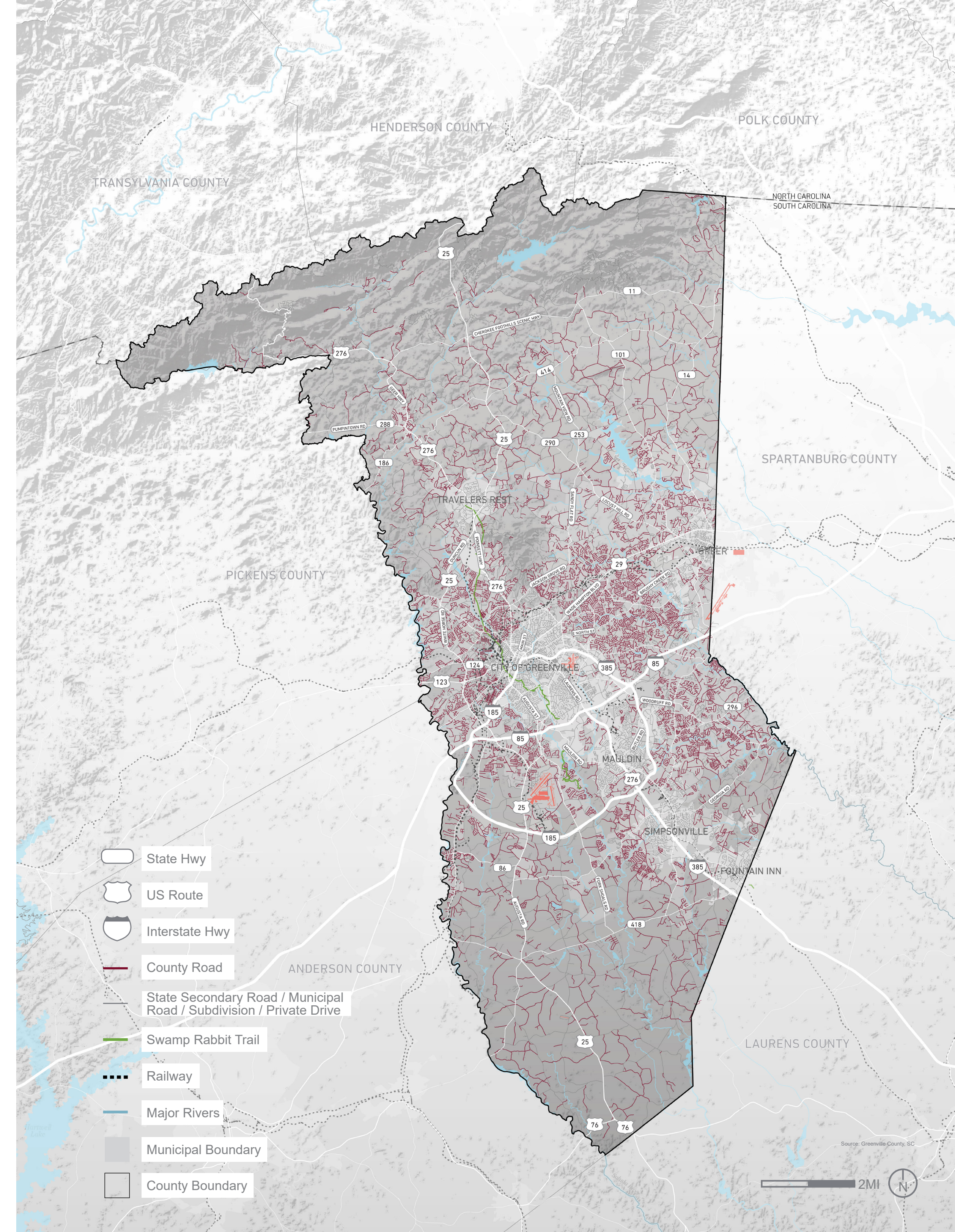




# ROAD PROJECTS

**NEEDED SAFETY AND CORRIDOR PROJECTS ARE NOT GETTING DONE (0 FOR 75 FROM 2014 LIST).**

**THE COST TO RESURFACE IS ALREADY HIGH AND IS INCREASING EVERY YEAR (2X SINCE 2019).**





# FUNDING NEEDS

**\$2 BILLION** TO RESURFACE  
OUR FAIR AND POOR ROADS.

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**\$1 BILLION** FOR STATE,  
COUNTY, GPATS, AND CITY-  
IDENTIFIED HIGH-PRIORITY  
PROJECTS.

THERE IS **NO FUNDING**  
IDENTIFIED FOR THESE  
HIGH-PRIORITY PROJECTS.





# FUNDING OPTIONS

## IDENTIFY A FUNDING TOOL FOR UNFUNDED COUNTYWIDE ROAD IMPROVEMENT AND MAINTENANCE PROJECTS.

Tool	Annual Cost	Annual Revenue	Who Decides?	Who Pays?
Road Maintenance Fee Increase	Additional \$250 per Vehicle	\$131 Million	County Council	County Vehicle Owners
Property Tax Increase	Additional 33 Mills	\$131 Million	County Council	County Residents & Business Owners
Capital Sales Tax	\$0.01 on Purchases (Excludes Groceries)	\$131 Million	Voters	Consumers (Includes Visitors)
Transportation Sales Tax	\$0.01 on Purchases (Includes Groceries)	\$153 Million	Voters	Consumers (Includes Visitors)

**Note:** These figures are based on an eight-year timeframe. For the two sales tax options, annual revenue would increase each year. The “Annual Revenue” column represents the average annual revenue generated over eight years.

**VIEW THE REPORT:**

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