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NEWS RELEASE

PUBLIC INVITED TO PARTICIPATE IN DROP-IN SESSION ON BLECKLEY COUNTY JOINT COMPREHENSIVE PLAN UPDATE

DATE: Tuesday, March 24, 2026 5:00 – 6:00 PM

**LOCATION: The Cochran City Auditorium,
102 North Second St., Cochran, GA 31014**

Are you concerned about the future of Bleckley County and the City of Cochran? Do you have thoughtful ideas on what needs to be done to make the community a better place? What do you consider to be pressing needs and issues in the community?

The local governments of Bleckley County, the Bleckley County Government, and the City of Cochran are in the process of updating their comprehensive plan required by state law. The current joint comprehensive plan dates back to 2021 and is the principal guide to the long-term growth and development of Bleckley County and the City of Cochran. The new update will focus on achieving a vision set by the community on what it wants to be and addressing identified needs and opportunities.

You are cordially invited to get involved and to participate in this plan update process. You may do so by attending a public drop-in session concerning the comprehensive plan update to be held at the Cochran City Auditorium, 102 North Second Street, in the City of Cochran, GA from 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. on Tuesday, March 24, 2026. The session is designed to be informal, to answer any questions you may have, and to allow for one-on-one input at your convenience. Planning staff from the Heart of Georgia Altamaha Regional Commission will be on hand to discuss the plan and its process, and to receive your input and ideas. There will be no formal presentation. The event is designed as a drop-in at whatever time is convenient for those wishing to participate or learn more.

Please attend and voice your ideas. We want to hear them. Let us know what you think about your community. Do your part in making Bleckley County an even better place to live, work, and play.