

SPLOST - 2012 Program

Barrow County voters approved a continuation of the 1% Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax (SPLOST) during March 2011 for another six years beginning July 1, 2012 until June 30, 2018. A total of 1,197 citizens voted, 959 (80%) voted for the SPLOST and 238 (20%) voted against the SPLOST. At the time of the referendum, the county had 34,598 registered voters. Therefore, the referendum had a 3.46% voter turn-out rate. Below is the list of approved projects to be funded by SPLOST.

Barrow County

Debt Payments for the 2006 SPLOST General Obligation Bonds	\$27,900,000
Bear Creek Reservoir	8,597,136
Purchase of Equipment including Voting Equipment, Transportation Vehicles and Equipment, Communication Equipment, and Technology, Systems, and Software Upgrades and Improvements	8,000,000
Public Works and Transportation Facilities, Roads, Streets, Curbs, Sidewalks, and Bridges	1,181,432
Parks and Recreation Projects, Facilities, and Improvements	300,000
Water and Sewer Systems Infrastructure Improvements, Facilities, and Equipment	1,181,432
Total Barrow County	47,160,000

City of Auburn

Public Works Facilities	700,000
Acquisition of Municipal Complex	250,000
Event Center	338,636
Paving and Repair of Streets, Curbs, and Sidewalks	600,000
Parks and Recreation Projects, Facilities, and Improvements	1,580,732
Total City of Auburn	3,469,368

Town of Bethlehem

Roads, Streets, Curbs, and Sidewalks (including storm water structures)	531,576
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Town of Braselton

Parks and Recreation Projects, Facilities, and Improvements	233,688
Roads, Streets, Curbs, and Bridges (including storm water structures)	233,688
Total Town of Braselton	467,376

Town of Carl

Roads, Streets, Curbs, and Bridges (including storm water structures)	78,324
Streetscape Improvements	39,162
Parks and Recreation Projects, Facilities, and Improvements	39,162
Total Town of Carl	156,648

City of Statham

Water and Sewer Infrastructure Improvements, Facilities, Equipment	1,405,980
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City of Winder

Water and Sewer Infrastructure Improvements, Facilities, and Equipment	4,357,793
Roads, Streets, Curbs, and Bridges (including storm water structures)	2,451,259
Total City of Winder	6,809,052

Grand Total	60,000,000
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