

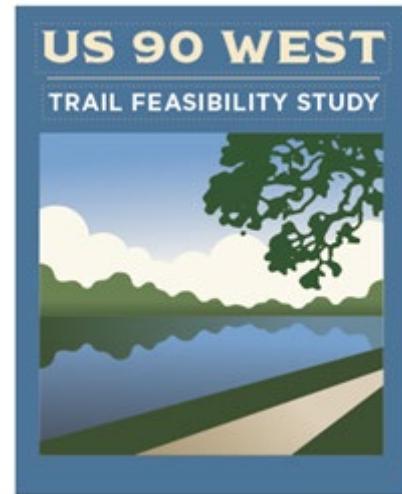


RETREAT AGENDA

US 90 WEST FEASIBILITY STUDY

STATEMENT OF ISSUE

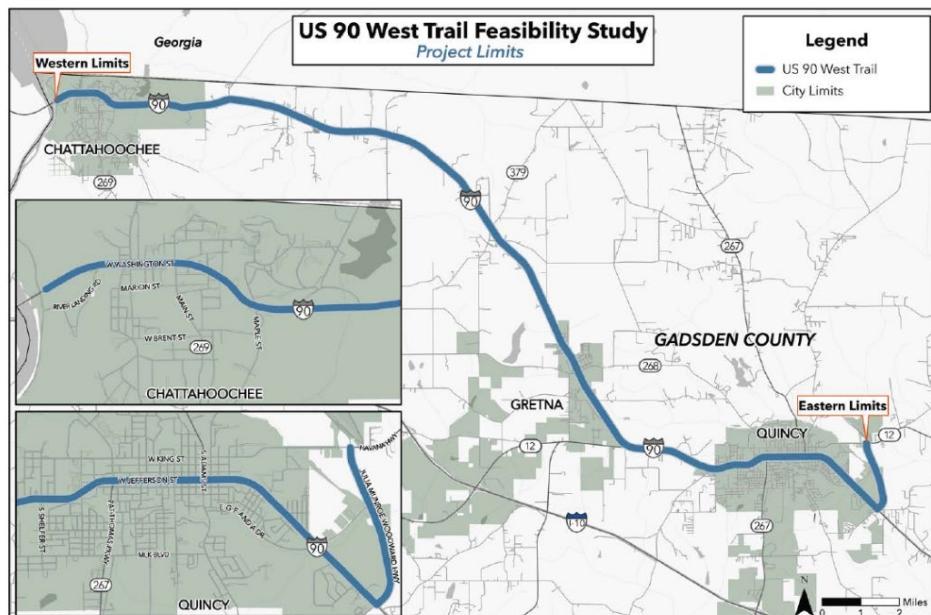
The recently initiated [US 90 West Feasibility Study](#) in Gadsden County, which evaluates the feasibility of constructing a paved 10- to 12-foot multi-use trail along US 90 West from Chattahoochee east to SR 12 in Quincy, will be discussed.



BACKGROUND

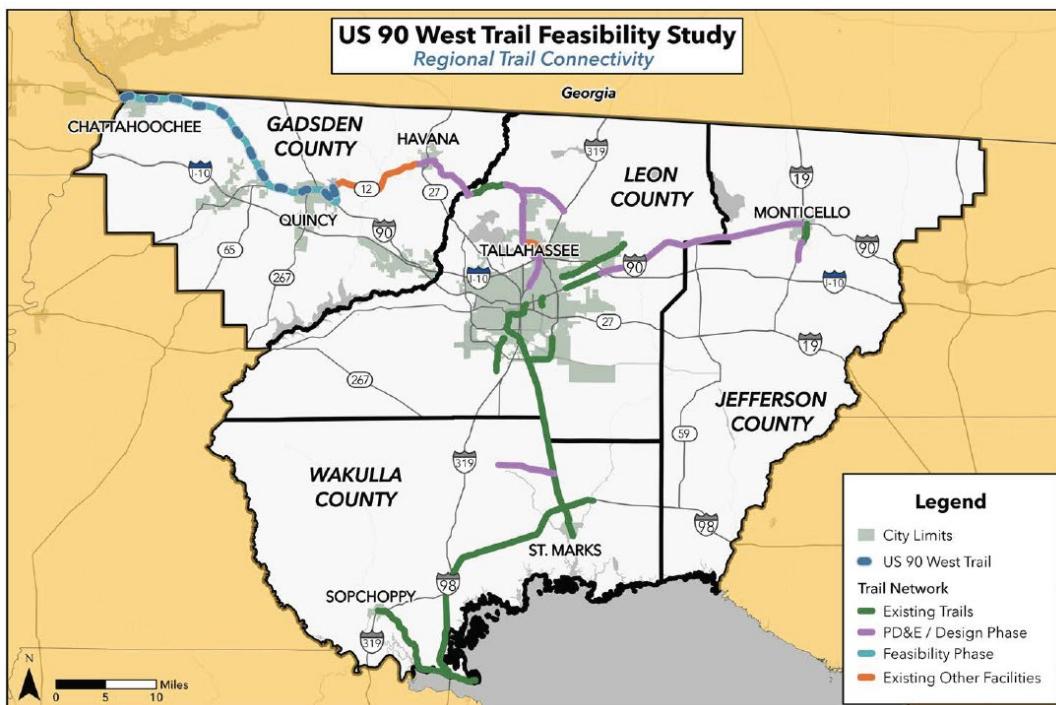
In late 2024, the CRTA was awarded SUN Trails funding to develop a feasibility study along US 90 in Gadsden County. The funding followed the CRTA's successful submission of a grant application for the project, which is included on the Florida Department of Environmental Protection's Land Priorities Trail Network.

The feasibility study is evaluating a trail along US 90 extending from the western limits of the City of Chattahoochee to the eastern limits of the City of Quincy. The approximately 22-mile project limits span from the Jackson County line west of Chattahoochee to SR 12 at the Quincy Bypass/Julia Munroe Woodward Highway (SR 269) east of Quincy, as reflected in the map to the right.



The study represents a first step in the westward expansion of the CRTPA region's multiuse trail system and will enhance connectivity to both existing and planned trails currently under development. For residents along the corridor, the trail will provide a safe, multimodal connection that links communities throughout Gadsden County. Furthermore, given the trail's length, the facility is expected to attract visitors from outside the region, supporting enhanced economic development within the Capital Region.

The below map details existing regional trails as well as trail projects currently under development in the CRTPA region, including the US 90 West Feasibility Study:



EXISTING CONDITIONS REPORT

One of the initial tasks associated with the study has recently been completed and involves the development of an [Existing Conditions Report](#). The report details the conditions along the corridor including potential issues to be addressed as the project moves forward. Also included in the report are the study's goals, shown to the right.

The Existing Conditions Report includes detailed information related to the land uses along the project's corridor as well as information related to the presence of driveways, preliminary right of way availability, wetlands, flood zones, historical and cultural resources, and wildlife species along the corridor.

PROJECT GOALS

- Enhance Safety for All Users
- Establish Continuous Multimodal Connectivity from Chattahoochee to Quincy
- Provide alternative transportation and recreational opportunities for residents, businesses, and visitors along the US 90 corridor in Gadsden County
- Expand the SUN Trails Regional Network in the Capital Region
- Enhance Economic Development and Tourism

NEXT STEPS

Next steps for the project include conducting public meetings along the corridor, identifying viable alternatives, and developing the project's Feasibility Report.

The project is scheduled for completion in late 2026.