

JOHNSON COUNTY PROFILE

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Topics Covered

1. Planning Questions and Stakeholder Responses
2. Trail Alignment and Key Destinations
3. Alignment Matrix

Response to Planning Questions

What are Johnson County's goals in relation to trails?

1. Community bonding
2. Preservation through economic development
3. Improve broadband
4. Events for kids
5. Mobility

Who are we building the trail for?

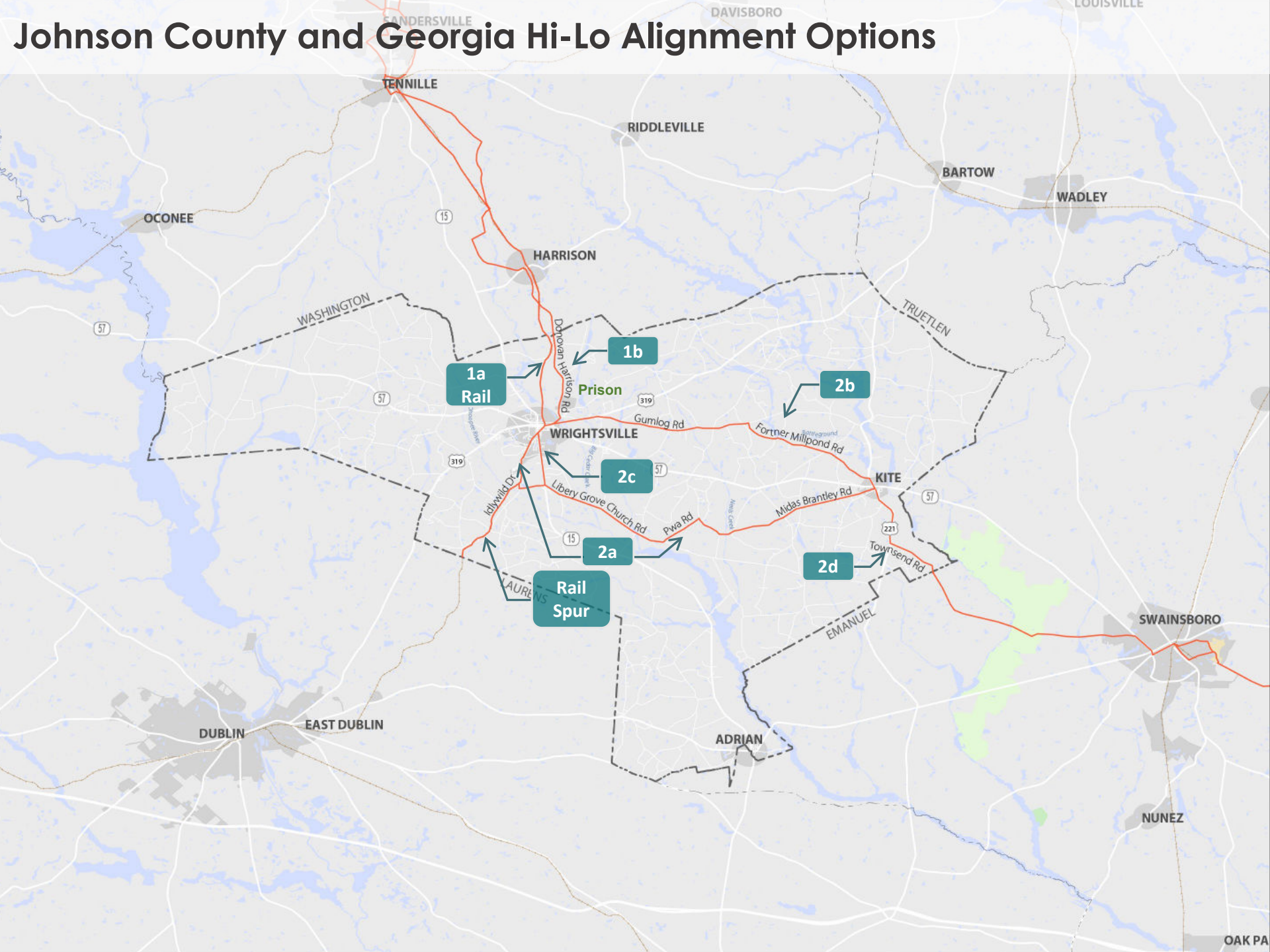
1. Kids going to school/playing
2. Tourists
3. Downtown businesses
4. Seniors needing exercise
5. People without cars
6. Alternative commuters
7. Potential new residents

What are the key destinations in Johnson County?

1. Wrightsville Rec Complex
2. Railroad depot
3. Courthouse Square
4. Grice House
5. Home Circle Cemetery
6. Kite Museum



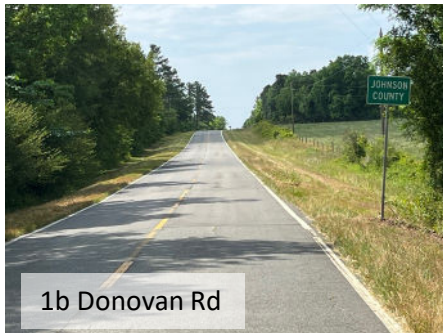
Johnson County and Georgia Hi-Lo Alignment Options



Trail Alignment Matrix

| ID | Roads | Material | Traffic Volume | Destinations | Length (miles) |
|----|-------------------------|----------|----------------|--------------|----------------|
| 1a | Rail Line | NA | NA | Wrightsville | 4.33 |
| 1b | Donovan Harrison Rd | Paved | Medium | Wrightsville | 4.28 |
| 2a | Idlywild Dr | Paved | Medium | Wrightsville | 2.31 |
| 2a | Lord's Pond Rd | Paved | Medium | | 1.15 |
| | Liberty Grove Church Rd | Paved | Medium | | 4.90 |
| | Pwa Rd | Dirt | Low | | 1.61 |
| | Midas Brantley Rd | Paved | Medium | Kite | 6.99 |
| 2b | Gumlog Rd | Paved | Medium | | 7.11 |
| | Fortner Millpond Rd | Dirt | Low | Kite | 5.64 |
| 2c | St Marcus St | Paved | Medium | | 2.20 |
| 2d | Highway 221 | Paved | High | | 2.48 |
| | Townsend Rd | Dirt | Low | | 2.02 |

Alignment Photos



1b Donovan Rd



Wrightsville RR



Wrightsville Depot



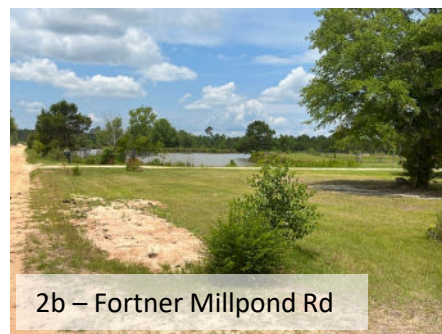
2a – Moore's Chapel Rd



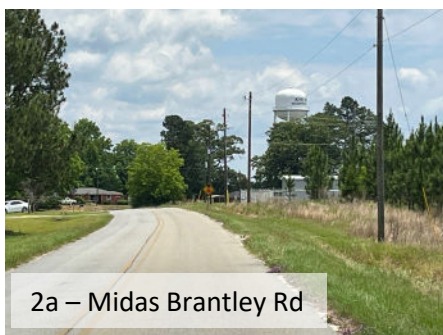
1b Wrightsville – State Prison



2a – Liberty Grove Church Rd



2b – Fortner Millpond Rd



2a – Midas Brantley Rd



2d - Kite Museum



2d – US 221 south of Kite



2d – Townsend Rd

Next Steps

- Stakeholder Meeting – July 12, 2023 3 – 4p
 - Johnson County Annex?
- **Public Meeting – Weds. July 12, 2023 6 – 7:30p**
 - **Johnson County Annex**
 - **2484 W. Elm Street**
 - Please post this to your social media and other outreach channels
- Draft Plan for Review - August
- Final Plan for Adoption - September