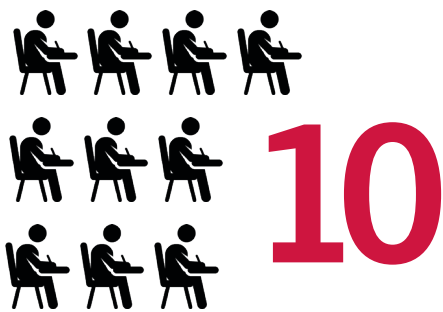


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Student Involvement:



GOVERNMENT COLLABORATION

Intergovernmental collaboration continues to be a priority for the Burke County Archway Partnership. Led by faculty from the J. W. Fanning Institute for Leadership Development, leaders from five cities, the county and the Board of Education have come together to talk about issues and find ways they can work together to improve services for Burke County residents.

Faculty Involvement:



Projects Completed:



ROI: \$180,616

PARK PLANS

UGA students working through Archway produced designs for two park projects in Burke County. Engineering students developed designs for a lot on Highway 24 and a Landscape Architecture student designed plans for 6th Street Park in Waynesboro. Plans include an amphitheater, walking trails, disc golf and splash pads.



PROJECT SPOTLIGHTS

PRIORITY AREAS

1. Workforce Development
2. Housing
3. Intergovernmental Collaboration and Communication

YOUTH LEADERSHIP

With the assistance of Archway, the J.W. Fanning Institute for Leadership Development created a youth leadership program for Burke County youth. Through six sessions, participants received leadership training to improve the community and enhance career readiness. In addition to classes, Archway also put together an internship and career expo to introduce students to local employers.

“Most of the people in Georgia have never been to Athens. They know about the University of Georgia because they see it in their communities.”

*- Jere Morehead
President of the
University of Georgia*



“UGA Archway brings a wealth of knowledge and resources to us. This is an exciting time for our community.”

*- Suzanne Sharkey
Georgia Power*

LAND BANK STUDY

A team of students from the Terry College of Business Institute for Leadership Advancement produced a best practices report for a land bank in Burke County. The report will aid the county in determining feasibility of using a land bank model to convert blighted properties into workforce housing and other productive uses.



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