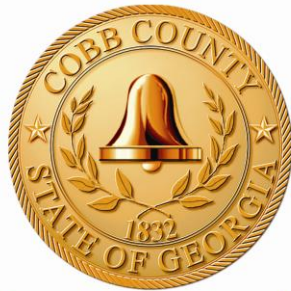


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Overview of Proposed Cobb County Transit Projects American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA)

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Discussion Outline



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- Brief Overview of Cobb Community Transit (CCT)
- Cobb County ARRA Project Description
- Project Selection
- Job Creation



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Brief Overview of CCT



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- CCT provides public transportation throughout Cobb and Downtown Atlanta that's safe, reliable and convenient!
- Express routes connect with MARTA Rail Stations and downtown employment centers
- Fleet Size - 120
 - 95 fixed route service buses
 - 25 Paratransit
- Free transfers between MARTA and CCT!



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CCT Existing Facilities



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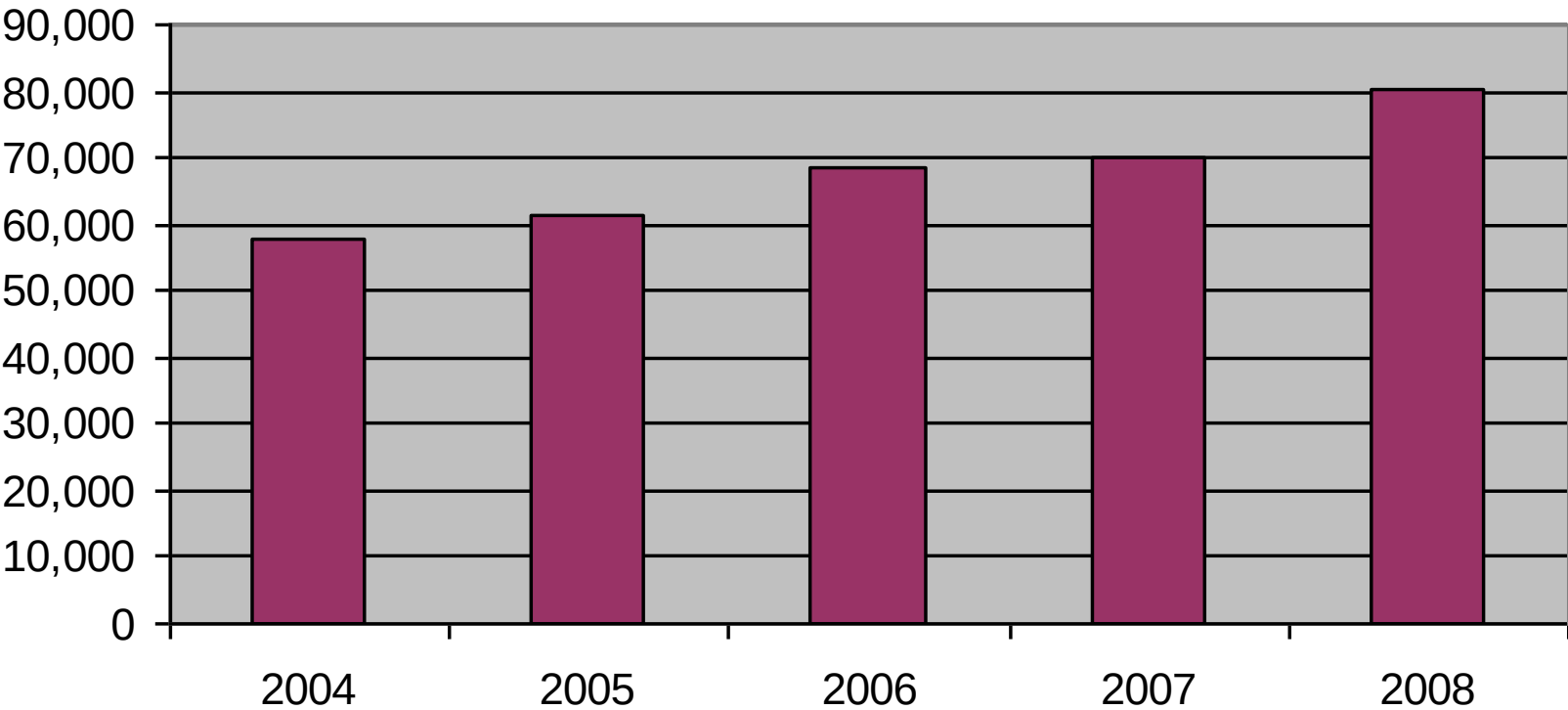


- Admin / Maintenance facility
 - Located in Central Marietta
- Transfer Centers
 - Cumberland Mall
 - South Marietta Parkway
- Park and Ride Lots
 - 8 Located throughout the County





Paratransit Ridership



Fixed Route Service



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- Ridership Increases
- Fleet Expansion
- GRTA Express Program



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Approximately \$9M

- Primary use of funds
 - Facilities Upgrade/Expansion
- Other
 - ADA Paratransit Operations
 - Preventive Maintenance



CCT Headquarters (Administrative / Operations / Maintenance)

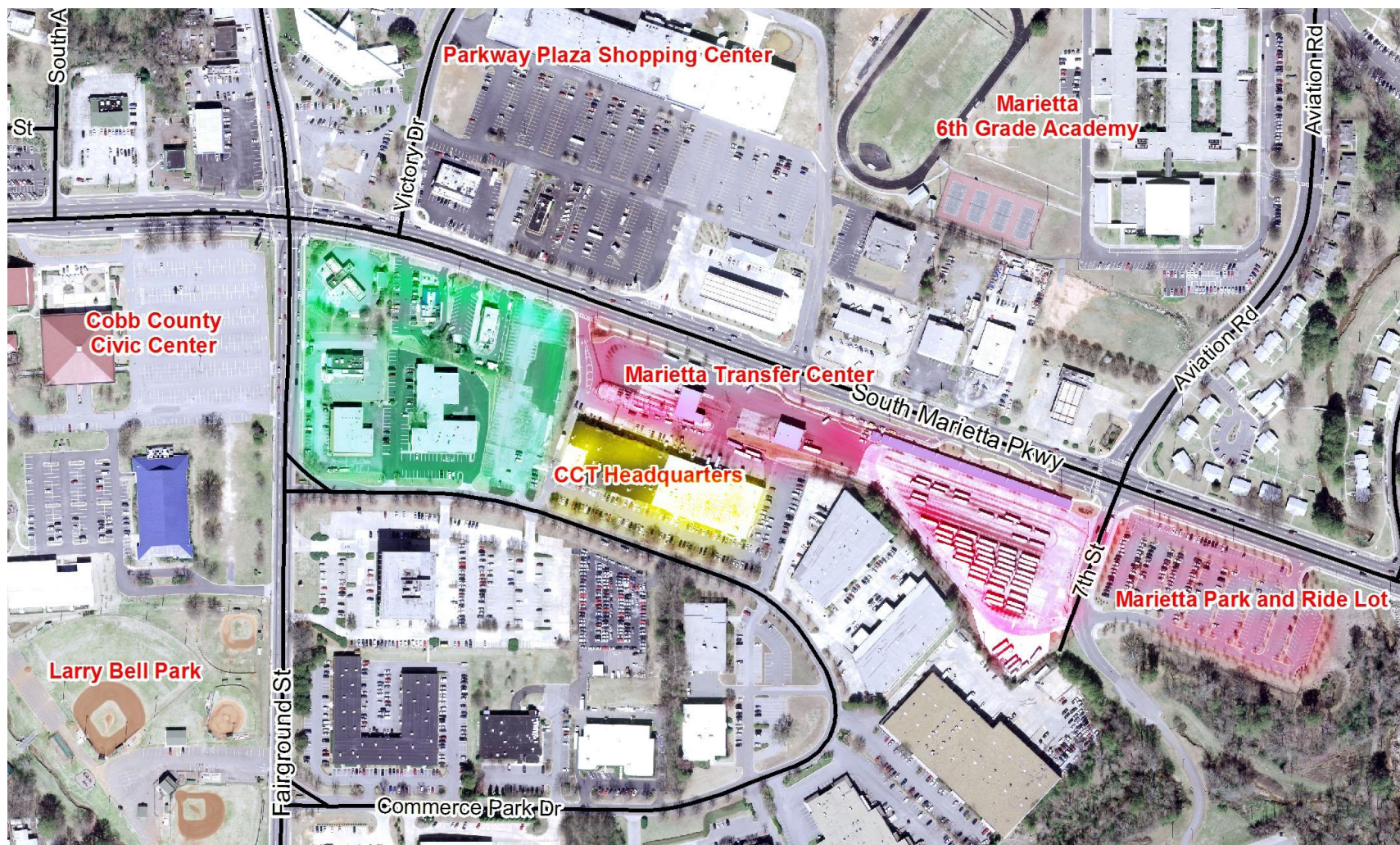


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Green = Future Growth Potential

Yellow = Current CCT Headquarters

Red = Current MTC



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CCT New Paratransit Facility



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Proposed Schedule

- Bid for Construction 2009
- Construction 2010



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Why these Projects ?



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Existing Project planned in phases over time because funding was not available for entire project

- ✓ Need identified in prior studies
- ✓ Growth Pattern over the last decade
- ✓ Anticipation of future growth



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Jobs Created



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252 Jobs

- Created or preserved*
 - Construction trades
 - Real Estate
 - Transit Operations
 - Transit Maintenance



(*Source: FTA Formula= 28 jobs per \$1 million spent)



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Questions?

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