### JASPER COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

will have a

# **Work Session**

Monday, March 22, 2021

At 6:00 p.m.

**Small Court Room, 2nd Floor** 

### **Topics for Discussion include:**

- 1. CGEMC Broadband Initiative Jasper County Participation
- 2. No Littering Program Signage
- 3. Additional Topics as Needed

### \*\*\*\*Details for Meeting Attendance\*\*\*\*

- All persons will be temperature checked at the door.
- Temperature readings of 100.4 or higher will not be allowed to enter the building.
- Masks will be provided and recommended to be worn, but not required.
  - Seating May be Limited.

### **Work Session Item – 1:**

**Department:** Board of Commissioners

**Date:** March 22, 2021

### **Subject:**

Central Georgia EMC Broadband Initiative – Jasper County Participation

### **Summary:**

Herschel Arant, CGEMC Senior Vice President of Engineering and Energy Supply and Ben Thomason, CGEMC Chief Operating Officer will present a presentation and discussion of the Central Georgia EMC Broadband Initiative for Jasper County.

# Central Georgia EMC Broadband Initiative

- According to the Georgia Department of Community Affairs
  - There are 7,311 service locations in Jasper County
  - 4,601 (63%) are unserved by broadband
- Central Georgia EMC (CGEMC) data summary
  - CGEMC serves 4,967 total locations in Jasper County and 3,893 locations in Jasper County that are unserved by broadband
  - CGEMC provides electric service to about 85% of the locations in Jasper County that are unserved by broadband
  - CGEMC maintains about 738 miles of power lines in Jasper County with plans to make broadband available to all EMC customers
  - CGEMC anticipates about \$19.1 million in new investment related to the fiber network
  - Timing of this investment is still in the planning stages

# Unserved Georgia by County

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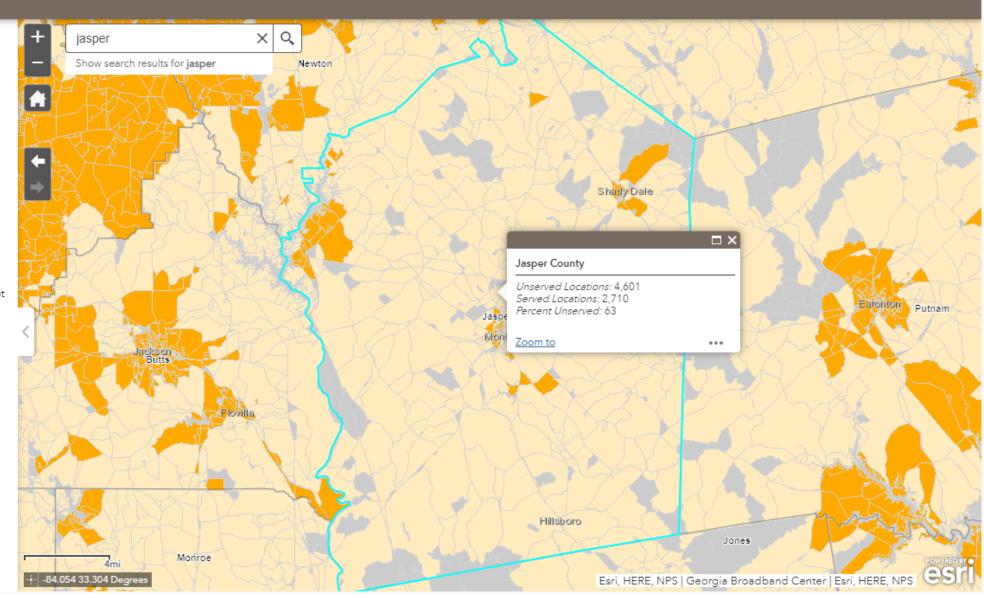
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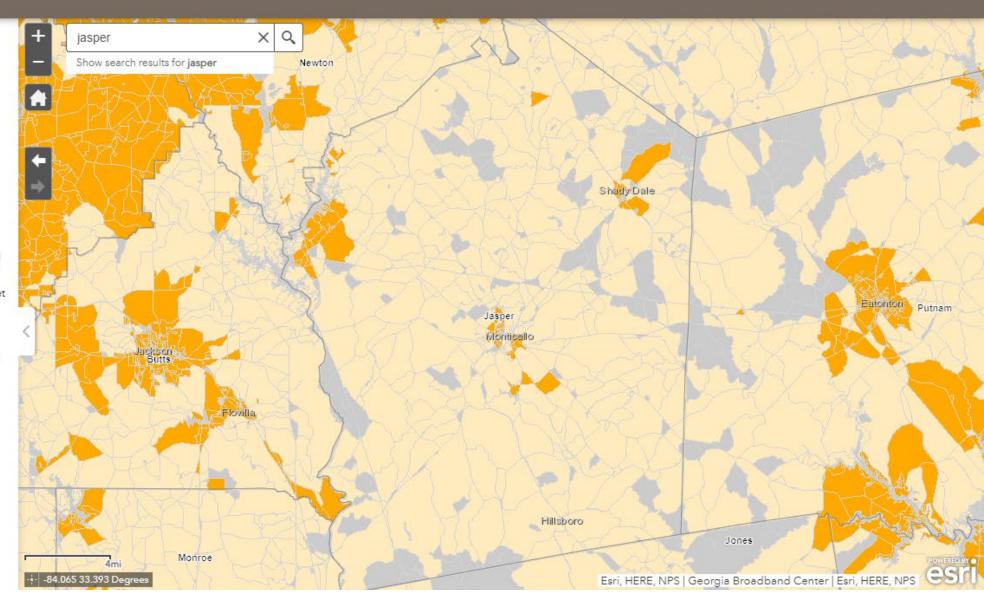
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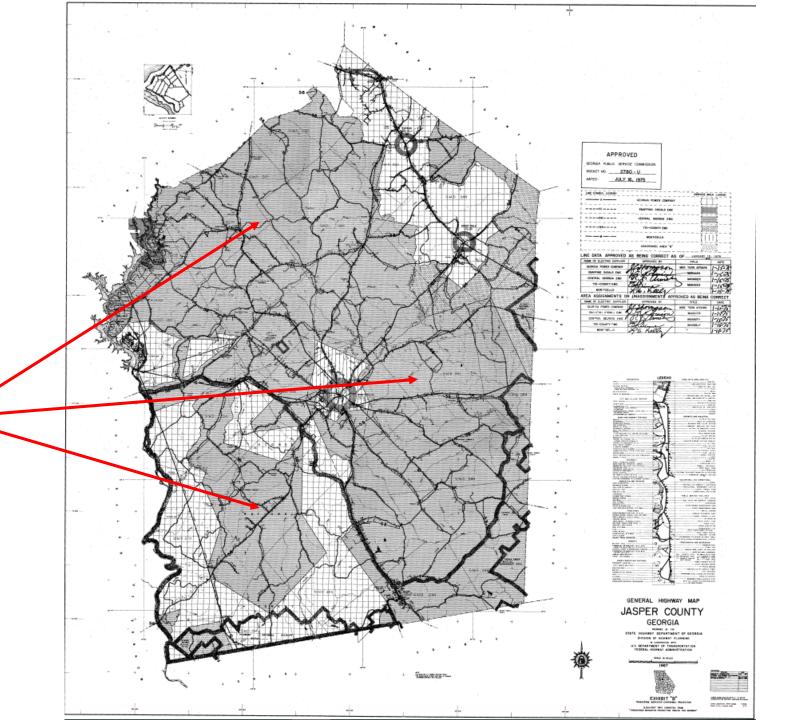
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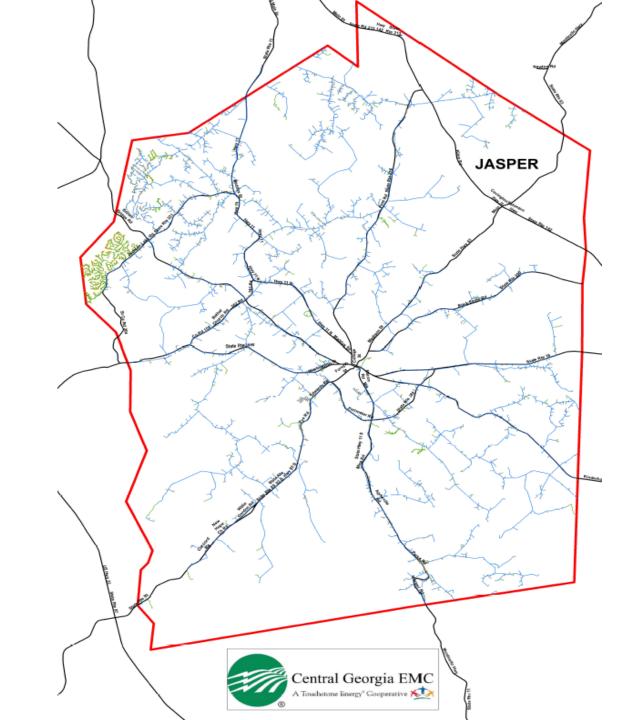


Electric Utility
Service Territory
Areas in Jasper
County

**CGEMC Territory Shading** 



Central Georgia EMC Power Line Corridors in Jasper County



# **Work Session Item – 2:**

**Department:** Board of Commissioners

**Date:** March 22, 2021

### **Subject:**

No Littering Signage Program

# **Summary:**

Discussion of County wide no littering signage program

# **Work Session Item – 3:**

**Department:** Board of Commissioners

**Date:** March 22, 2021

**Subject:** 

**Additional Topics** 

**Summary:** 

As Needed