TAPESTRIES TO TRAILS
SOUTH FORK CORRIDOR PARTNERSHIP

CTT Trail Forum 12.2.21
AGENDA & OBJECTIVES

Agenda
• Introduction of the South Fork Corridor
• Panel discussion
• Q & A

Objectives
• Creating a vision guided by community leadership
• Formation of partnerships and collaboration
• Holistic multidimensional partner buy in and investment
• Catalyzing change by embracing trails

*Create your corridor back home
Strategic Regional Corridors

- **Primary East-West Corridor**
  - Salisbury to Shelby
  - 174.7 Miles

- **North-South Spine**
  - Statesville to Great Falls
  - 388.1 Miles

- **Western Spine**
  - Hickory to Rock Hill
  - 217.9 Miles

- **Carolina Thread Trail**
GASTON COUNTY
STRATEGIES TO CLOSE THE GAPS
7 EXISTING, 12 NEW

• Spencer Mountain
• Poston Park
• True Homes
• River Falls
• River View
• Villages at Cramer Mountain
• M&T Land – Overlook at Riverside
• Duke Energy – Catawba Cove
• Crescent – Worrell’s River

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SOUTH FORK CORRIDOR
SOUTH FORK CORRIDOR – JEWEL IN THE CROWN

• Rapidly increasing usage
  • South Fork Trail 42,000/year
  • Riverlink Trail 72,000/year
  • Crowders Mountain 800,000/year

• Attractions
  • Outdoor art, 3–4 locations
  • Linking downtowns of Belmont, McAdenville, Cramerton, Lowell
  • 5–6 overlooks, e.g. Spencer Mtn
  • Multiple parks

South Fork Trail
FEATURES & TRAIL SURFACING
EXISTING TRAILS
• Increased visitors & tourism

• Community revitalization

• Increased property values

• Increased usage & support of parks/recreation
NORTHWEST ARKANSAS
A Vision & Strong Partnerships!