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Hall County has adopted the neighborhood multi-way stop program to address traffic related concerns within neighborhoods. It is for residential neighborhood roadways only (subdivisions); other roadways are not eligible.

Please read the attached information in order to understand how this program works and what is required of you and your neighborhood. To begin the process we must receive an application which is the last page in the information packet – remove, complete and return to the address shown or scan and email to [spuckett@hallcounty.org](mailto:spuckett@hallcounty.org). The remainder of the information is for you to keep for future reference.

If you have any questions please contact me at (770) 531-6800 or by email at [spuckett@hallcounty.org](mailto:spuckett@hallcounty.org)

Thanks,

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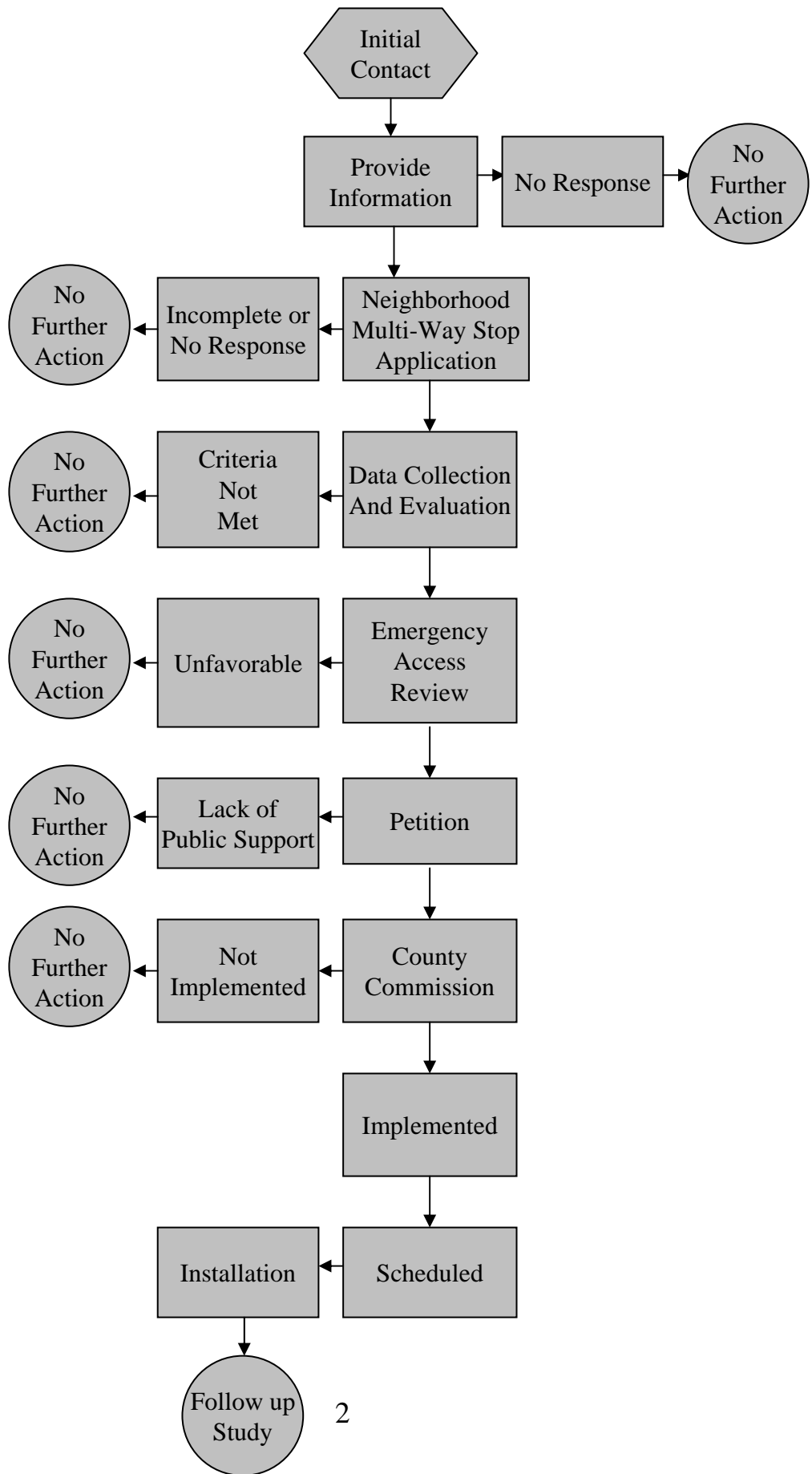
**HALL COUNTY TRAFFIC ENGINEERING**

**NEIGHBORHOOD TRAFFIC CALMING**

**MULTI-WAY STOP PROGRAM**

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## **HALL COUNTY TRAFFIC ENGINEERING NEIGHBORHOOD MULTI-WAY STOP PROGRAM**

Neighborhood residents may request multi-way stop sign controls at intersections. The procedure for obtaining multi-way stops involves a two-step process:

### **STEP 1**

Complete and return the application form furnishing information needed for the Traffic Engineering Division to begin an evaluation to determine if the intersection(s) qualify for multi-way stop control. The evaluation will determine if the location(s) requested are eligible based on the criteria below:

#### **Criteria #1 (Volume/Speeding)**

- Intersections cannot include collector or arterial roadways (local, residential, subdivision roadways only are eligible).
- Through roadway volume must be 600+ vehicles per day.
- Through roadway volume must not exceed 5 times side street volume.
- Must have a speeding problem that can be documented by an engineering study (the 85<sup>th</sup> percentile must be 10mph above the posted speed limit).

#### **Criteria #2 (400' Length)**

- The side street of the intersection being considered must exceed 400 feet in length.

#### **Criteria #3 (Spacing)**

- The intersection being considered must be at least 800 feet from another multi-way stop or from a stop condition along the main unstopped street.

### **STEP 2**

- If intersections are eligible for multi-way stop control, you will be sent petition forms. Obtain affirmative signatures of at least 75% of the households within 1,200 feet of the subject intersection(s) – 100% of all applicable households or property owners must sign the petition indicating a “yes” or “no”. Any refusals will be considered “no” votes. The petition form will identify the properties to be affected.
- Mail the petition(s) to the Hall County Traffic Engineering Office. After validation and approval multi-way stop control will be installed.

**PETITION FOR THE INSTALLATION OF  
NEIGHBORHOOD MULTI-WAY STOP CONTROL IN HALL COUNTY**

The undersigned property owners hereby request the Hall County Board of Commissioners to install neighborhood multi-way stop control within our subdivision.

We understand that **all** owners of property within a 1,200 ft. radius of the subject intersection in the affected subdivision must sign this petition, and of those, at least eighty percent (75%) must sign this petition with a "yes" vote prior to submission to the Hall County Board of Commissioners. We further understand that no signatures can be removed or altered after the petition has been submitted.

We understand that with each neighborhood multi-way stop control installation Hall County will install all required regulatory and warning signage and special pavement markings and that the signage may not necessarily be aesthetically pleasing.

By signing "yes" the undersigned, agrees to hold harmless Hall County, its agents, and representatives from any and all liability related to neighborhood multi-way stop control. This includes, but is not limited to, personal injury and property damage.

We certify that all signatures listed below are not tenants, but owners of the property located at the address beside the signature, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_.

Name (Please Print)	Signature	Lot #	Address of Property	Daytime Telephone	Yes or No
<b>SAMPLE</b>					
<b>Do Not Use Until Instructed</b>					

**HALL COUNTY TRAFFIC ENGINEERING  
NEIGHBORHOOD MULTI-WAY STOP PROGRAM  
APPLICATION**

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

Fill out this sheet and mail/fax/email to:

Hall County Traffic Engineering  
P.O. Drawer 1435  
Gainesville, Ga. 30503  
Phone: (770) 531-6800  
Fax: (770) 531-3945

Email: [spuckett@hallcounty.org](mailto:spuckett@hallcounty.org)

**INFORMATION NEEDED: (Please Print Clearly)**

**Neighborhood Contact Person:**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ **Zip:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Tel: (Day)** \_\_\_\_\_

**Fax:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Neighborhood:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Intersections proposed for a Multi-Way Stop:**

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\_\_\_\_\_  
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