## **GRESHAM PARK BASEBALL FIELDS TEMPORARILY CLOSED**

Baseball fields at Gresham Park, located at 2466 Bouldercrest Road in Unincorporated DeKalb County, are temporarily closed for major renovation improvements. New features being added and upgraded consist of artificial athletic turf, fencing, incorporation of adequate drainage systems, and other improvements. DeKalb County SPLOST (Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax) is funding \$2.5 million of the project and \$1.5 million is being contributed by The Atlanta Braves Foundation. The renovations to the baseball fields are forecast for completion in December of 2021.

The baseball fields are utilized by area schools, baseball and softball leagues, and nonprofits organizations that host numerous tournaments at Gresham Park each year. Renovations to the ball fields will help to preserve them for years to come.

DeKalb County SPLOST is supported by CEO Michael Thurmond and the DeKalb County Board of Commissioners. The current SPLOST was adopted by voters via a referendum in November 2017 and it runs from 2018 through 2024. For more information about DeKalb SPLOST visit <a href="www.DeKalbSPLOST.com">www.DeKalbSPLOST.com</a> or follow the conversation on social media using hashtags #DeKalbSPLOST and #AllThingsSPLOST.