30 LITTLE WAYS IN 60 MINUTES:

Big Ideas to Take Your Downtown to the Next Level

PRESENTED BY:
DOWNTOWN CANTON
HOMETOWN WARRENTON
DOWNTOWN TIFTON



SESSION OVERVIEW

• FAST-PACED, IDEA-PACKED SESSION TO SHARE PROVEN, LOW-EFFORT STRATEGIES

- HIGHLIGHT BUDGET-FRIENDLY IDEAS THAT ARE QUICK WINS THAT MAKE A REAL IMPACT
- THIS IS NOT A LECTURE
 - DYNAMIC, INTERACTIVE, ENERGIZING SESSION
- WALK AWAY WITH PRACTICAL TOOLS AND ACTIONABLE IDEAS

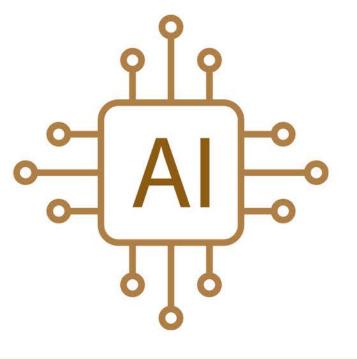


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NOTE

THIS SESSION IS BEING LISTENED TO BY AI TO CREATE NOTES THAT WILL BE SHARED AFTERWARD.





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2025







CANTON







FRI JUNE 6 THE TROUBADOUR PROJECT

FRI JULY 11 BUMPIN' THE MANGO FRESH, FUNKY, ENERGETIC, SOUL MUSIC

FRI AUG 1 THE CELEBRITY ALL STAR BAND

SEPT 5 ON THE BORDER
THE ULTIMATE EAGLES TRIBUTE

FRI OCT 3 CHRIS CAGLE
YUP! CHRIS CAGLE THE COUNTRY MUSIC STAR!!

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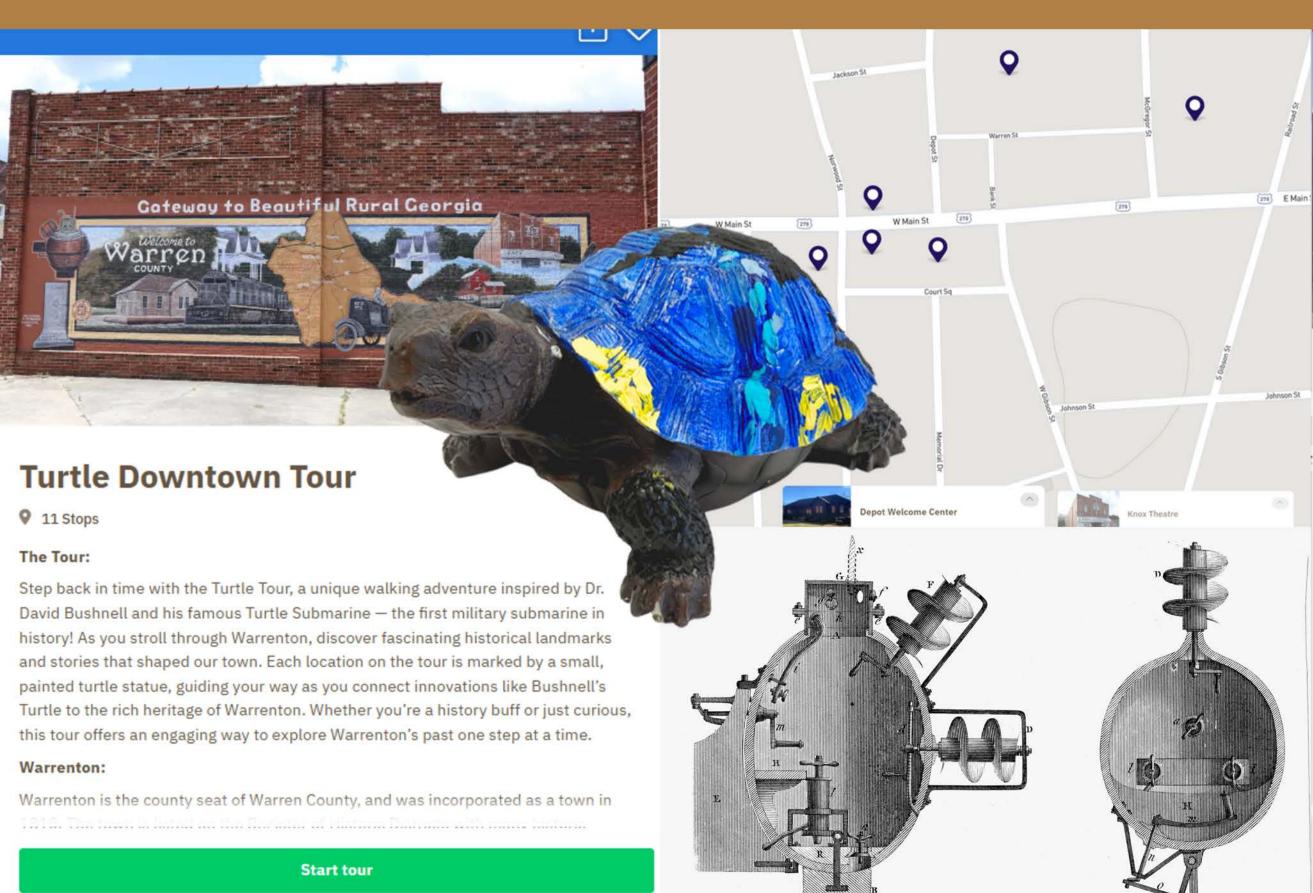






Turtle Downtown Tour

Warrenton, GA





The Depot Welcome Center is your gateway to Warrenton! Home to the Chamber of Commerce, Hometown Warrenton, and the Warrenton Cultural Museum, this historic site includes part of the original East Warrenton Train Depot. Step inside to explore exhibits on local history, trains, and more — and pick up helpful info on things to see and do in the area.

History

The East Warrenton depot was located on East
Warrenton Road on the Savannah & Atlanta
Railway. The 142-mile Savannah and Atlanta ran
from S&A Junction (between Camak and
Warrenton) to Savannah. In August 1918, the
new Savannah and Atlanta Railway completed a
connection from the Savannah and Northwestern
at St. Clair to the Georgia Railroad at Warrenton
and Camak. The Savannah and Northwestern
operated this extension under a traffic



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SUPPORT LOCAL MOB DOWNTOWN TIFTON

GROUP OF COMMUNITY MEMBERS COMMITTED TO SUPPORTING AND LOVING LOCAL

• CITY LEADERS, BUSINESS OWNERS, COMMUNITY PARTNERS, AND CITIZENS

(WORK WITH THE WILLING)

 IDENTIFY ONE DOWNTOWN BUSINESS A MONTH TO MOB -COMMIT TO SPENDING X AMOUNT

10 MOB MEMBERS X \$10 EACH = \$100

- MOB VISIT IS A SURPRISE FOR THE BUSINESS
- BIG WINS THROUGH THIS INITIATIVE
 - COMMUNITY COMRADITY
 - ADVERTISE AND ADVOCATE FOR THE BUSINESS
 - ENGAGE THE COMMUNITY
 - INVEST IN A BUSINESS
 - YOU ARE DOING YOUR JOB
 - EASY, EFFECTIVE, QUICK

TIFTON SWEET STOP



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SESSION INTERACTION

IF YOUR COMMUNITY OFFERS A PROGRAM, ACTIVITY, OR INITIATIVE - SHARE IT!

TELL US:

- WHAT IT IS?
- HOW IS IT A WIN FOR YOUR COMMUNITY?
- HOW CAN OTHERS IMPLEMENT IT IN THEIR COMMUNITY?







How are you supporting your local businesses during times of economic uncertainty?

What's one event or program in your downtown that you've had to retire or rethink, and what did you replace it with?

How do you encourage collaboration between city, county, schools, and nonprofits to strengthen downtown?

What's the smallest change you've made in your downtown that ended up having a big impact?

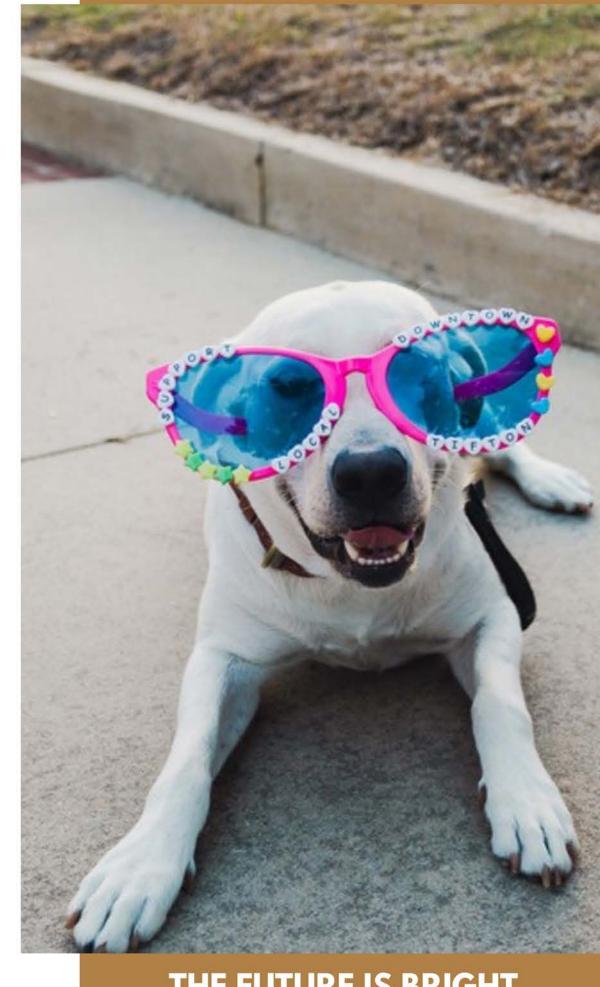
TAKEAWAY THOUGHTS

- GREAT THINGS ARE DONE BY A SERIES OF SMALLER THINGS BEING ACCOMPLISHED
- WORK WITH THE WILLING
- IT IS OKAY TO PLAN SMALL AND SIMPLE
- YOUR COMMUNITY IS IMPORTANT
- IF YOU BELIEVE IT CAN WORK IN YOUR COMMUNITY DO IT
- YOU ARE DOING A GREAT JOB

IF YOU WANT SOME NOTES, SCAN THE CODE!







THE FUTURE IS BRIGHT FOR YOUR DOWNTOWN!