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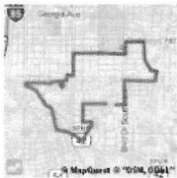
## Special Event Factsheet: Atlanta Beltline Southeast 8K

Dear Southeast Neighbor

Today, the Atlanta BeltLine is taking shape, gaining support and moving forward as the most transformative redevelopment project in Atlanta's history, revitalizing 45 neighborhoods around a 22-mile historic rail corridor in the heart of our city. With more than 10 new miles of trails and more than 30 acres of parkspace available in 2015, the Atlanta BeltLine Partnership is working to create new ways to encourage citizens to step out and experience the many benefits of the Atlanta BeltLine. In our 5<sup>th</sup> year, we are pleased to announce the Atlanta BeltLine Running Series and the most recent addition and 3rd year of the Southeast 8K! The Running Series consists of four running/walking events to be held at separate locations on the Atlanta BeltLine trail.

The upcoming event is occurring in your neighborhood and we want to provide you an update with details of the race. We hope you can come join the run, and support the Atlanta BeltLine Partnership. You can register on the website via [Run.BeltLine.org](http://Run.BeltLine.org).

- 1) **Event Description:** The Atlanta BeltLine Southeast 8K is a Run/Walk through the charming Chosewood Park, Boulevard Heights, Ormewood Park, Grant Park, Peoplestown, and South Atlanta neighborhoods.
- 2) Registration and post-race activities will take place at Boulevard Crossing Park located at 500 Englewood Ave SE
- 3) This event is featuring a soccer challenge with the Atlanta Silverbacks.
- 4) **Date/times:** The event starts **9am Saturday, September 26, 2015**. Setup begins at 6 am and cleanup finishes at noon.
- 5) **Traffic:** Minimal delays are expected. Off-duty officers will direct traffic as runners cross through intersections.
- 6) **Trash and Cleanup Procedures:** Trash and recycle bins will be provided and picked up by Whitten Management Services. They will also remove all trash generated by the event.
- 7) Expected numbers of attendees: **~400 – 600**



- 8) **Parking:** We are securing parking spaces with local business to keep all these vehicles off the street.
- 9) **Route:** The race will **start** at **Boulevard Crossing Park** on **Englewood Avenue**, and head **North** on **Boulevard SE**. Runners will turn **right** onto **Hamilton Ave**, then **left** onto **Avondale Ave**, and **left** onto **E Confederate Ave**. Runners will continue **North** on **E Confederate** going under a future Southeast BeltLine bridge. Runners will then turn **left** onto **Delmar Ave** to an uphill climb toward **Boulevard SE**. Then **left** onto **Boulevard**, followed by a quick **right** turn onto **Atlanta Ave**, passing the southern edge of Grant Park downhill. Runners will turn **left** onto **Hill St**, then **right** onto **Farrington Ave**, and a quick **left** onto **Grant Ter**. Turn **right** onto **Grant Way through D.H. Stanton Park**. Runners will exit the park onto **Boynton Ave**, and then turn **left** onto **Hank Aaron Dr**. Then make a quick **left** onto **Milton Ave** and veer **right** onto **Lakewood Ave**, then **left** onto **McDonough Blvd**. Then **left** onto **Miller Reed Ave** and enter **Chosewood Park**. Runners will exit the park on **Nolan Street**, then turn **right** onto **Grant St**, and **right** onto **Englewood Ave**, finishing at **Boulevard Crossing Park**.

If you have any questions or concerns about the race at any time, please contact Sherry F. Popovic at [sher@divasrun.com](mailto:sher@divasrun.com).

Sincerely, Dan Popovic and Sherry F. Popovic, Atlanta BeltLine Race Series Directors