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## **New Single-Space Parking Meters Bring Convenience of Payment Options to Atlanta**

**ATLANTA, GA. (May 31, 2013)** – In our ongoing efforts to be responsive to customer feedback and improve the on-street parking experience, PARKatlanta - a partnership of the City of Atlanta's Department of Public Works and Duncan Solutions – is installing 600 new Liberty™ Single-Space Meters (picture attached, more available upon request) for on-street parking throughout the City of Atlanta. These technologically advanced meters will benefit the parking public by allowing multiple payment methods. The new single-space meters will accept credit cards (Visa or MasterCard), debit cards or coins.

“We hope Atlantans will find the new meters to be an improvement to the existing single-space parking meters which presently only accept coins,” said Public Works Commissioner Richard Mendoza.

The upgraded meters are being installed to bring efficiency and convenience to Atlanta drivers. The new payment options will make the meters easier to use resulting in fewer parking violations and tickets issued. Here is the schedule for installing the new meters across Atlanta:

- May 22 – 23 – Fairlie Poplar District and Central Business District of Downtown Atlanta
- May 30 – June 1 – Sweet Auburn Historic District (areas not impacted by construction), Midtown, Virginia Highland and Buckhead

All of the new meters are expected to be installed by the first week of June 2013. Atlanta drivers will be able to use simple, color-coded key panels and large LCD screens, which will execute their parking transactions in three easy steps. In addition to the payment convenience, the new meters offer solar powered, real-time wireless communications – lowering maintenance needs and increasing regulation and enforcement efficiency. This change will not eliminate all coin-only meters in Atlanta, but that remains a long term goal. Other future improvements include adding the ability to pay for meter time by cell phone.

### **For more information:**

For more information on the new single-space meters, visit PARKatlanta website at [www.parkatlanta.org](http://www.parkatlanta.org) and view how-to videos, product brochures and more.

### **About Duncan Solutions:**

Duncan Solutions, Inc., is a full-service parking management company and a leading provider of parking management products and services to municipal and commercial clients worldwide, including parking meters, enforcement solutions, citation processing, debt collections, and integrated on-street parking management services. Since 1936, the company has been in the business of providing parking solutions for more than 2,000 clients. More information about Duncan Solutions is available at [www.DuncanSolutions.com](http://www.DuncanSolutions.com).



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