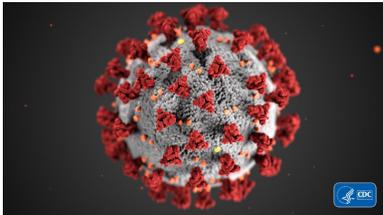


NEWS

for Neighborhoods

A newsletter for Gwinnett County homeowners

August 12, 2020



Greetings!

Gwinnett County Government is monitoring developments in the spread of the coronavirus outbreak and how it may affect our residents, employees, and our delivery of important County services.

We are following the most up-to-date guidance from the Gwinnett-Newton-Rockdale County Health Departments, the state Department of Public Health, and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. As the COVID-19 pandemic [impacts County services](#) in different ways, residents and business owners are encouraged to take advantage of the many [online services](#) provided by the County.

What's new on TV Gwinnett?

Gwinnett County brings you the latest news and happenings about your community through Eye on Gwinnett, our weekly news program.

What you'll see in this episode:

- County accepting applications now through August 28 for a second round of federal CARES Act grants
- Commissioners approve plans for new entrepreneur center
- Latest class of Gwinnett Youth Commissioners graduates July 28
- Libraries close again due to COVID-19



View other Eye on Gwinnett episodes on our [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#) pages, or watch them on [TVGwinnett.com](#).

See the 2020 General Primary and Nonpartisan Runoff Election results online



To see the results of the August 11 General Primary and Nonpartisan Runoff Election, visit [GwinnettCounty.com](#).

All results are unofficial until certified by the Elections Board.

Veá los resultados en línea de las elecciones de segunda vuelta Primarias Generales y No Partidistas del 2020

Para ver los resultados de las elecciones de segunda vuelta Primarias Generales y No Partidistas del 11 de Agosto, visite [GwinnettCounty.com](#). Todos los resultados no son oficiales hasta que sean certificados por la Junta Electoral.

County accepting CARES Act grant applications through August 28

Gwinnett County is making available funds awarded through the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act (CARES Act) to nonprofit agencies providing valuable services in Gwinnett to support their response to local needs related to the COVID-19 pandemic. All interested agencies should complete the [online application](#) through **August 28**.

Gwinnett County awarded more than \$13.3 million to 104 nonprofit and faith-based agencies in the first round of its COVID-19 Nonprofit Funding Opportunity program.

Questions regarding the COVID-19 Nonprofit Funding Opportunity should be directed to the Gwinnett County Community Development Program office by phone at 678.518.6008 or by email at crf@gwinnettcountry.com.

Harvest Gwinnett invites residents to be part of two new community gardens

Harvest Gwinnett is inviting gardeners of all skill levels to reserve a plot and be part of Live Healthy Gwinnett's two newest community gardens. Applications are now being accepted for 4-foot by 8-foot garden plots at Lenora Park in Snellville and Graves Park in Norcross. These raised beds are \$35 each and are available for the 2020 fall and winter growing season.



The Lenora Park Community Garden is located at 4515 Lenora Church Road in Snellville, and the Graves Park Community Garden is located at 1540 Graves Road in Norcross. For more information and guidelines, visit LiveHealthyGwinnett.com or contact HarvestGwinnett@GwinnettCounty.com.

Participate in the Great Georgia Pollinator Census



Gwinnett Community Services encourages Georgians of all ages and abilities to participate in the Great Georgia Pollinator Census on **August 21** and **August 22**.

The project offers a fun and safe way to spend time outside and learn about different insect pollinators. Participants simply count how many insect pollinators land on a blooming pollinating plant for 15 minutes then upload the results online. Residents can do so on their own or at a [free event](#) where staff will provide an insect pollinator identification guide and counting handouts and assistance.

Visit GGAPC.org to upload counts or for more information. Visit GwinnettExtension.com or GwinnettParks.com to download the insect pollinator identification guide and counting handout or for more information.

Georgians asked to do Four Things for Four Weeks to slow the spread of COVID-19

To slow the spread of COVID-19, Georgia Governor Brian Kemp and Georgia Department of Health Commissioner Dr. Toomey are calling on all Georgians to follow these four steps for four weeks:

1. [Wear a mask](#) when out in public or when you cannot keep distance inside.
2. Practice physical distancing – six feet – from those you don't live with.
3. Wash your hands for 20 seconds frequently throughout the day with soap and warm water.
4. Follow the Executive Order titled Empowering a Healthy Georgia and heed the guidance provided by public health officials.



Help us to reduce the spread of COVID-19, protect our community, and #KeepGwinnettSafe. Please visit Coronavirus.gov to learn more about how to protect yourself from COVID-19 and what to do if you are sick.

Census takers set to visit households that haven't completed the survey

Census takers have begun interviews at households that haven't yet completed the 2020 Census questionnaire. If you haven't completed the survey yet but want to skip the knock on your door, be sure to fill out the census online at My2020Census.gov, by phone, or by mail using the form mailed to your house.



Census data determines federal funding, representation in government, and planning for community resources like schools, hospitals, and roads. Your private information is confidential by law and can't be shared with any other agency. For more information, visit 2020Census.gov.

Property tax bills expected to be mailed mid-September

Gwinnett County's 2020 property tax bills are expected to be mailed mid-September with an expected mid-November due date. If you have an escrow account, your property tax information is made available to your mortgage company; however, it is your responsibility to ensure taxes are paid. For more information, visit GwinnettTaxCommissioner.com.

Visit our website, social media for latest COVID-19 news

To stay up-to-date on the County's response to the COVID-19 pandemic, visit our website, GwinnettCounty.com or follow us on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), and [Instagram](#) @GwinnettGov.



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