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**Dear Tonya,**

As a resident of Gwinnett County, you know there is always a lot going on in the community.

Gwinnett County Government would appreciate your help keeping your neighbors informed by sharing the following information through your homeowner association newsletter, website, and emails and by talking to your friends and family.

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**What's new on TVgwinnett?**



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

**What you'll see in this episode:**

- Advance voting now open
- Parks and Recreation meetings continue
- Career Expo showcases job opportunities
- Budget presentations online
- Public Safety Fall Festival recap

**Homeowner H2O: Water Conservation Workshop**

The Department of Water Resources is hosting a free water conservation workshop on October 15 from 7:00pm to 8:00pm. Learn about tools to help increase water efficiency in your home. Each participant will receive a free low-flow retrofit kit and information on how to apply for Gwinnett County's toilet rebate program. The workshop will be held at the Gwinnett Justice and Administration Center, located at 75 Langley Drive in Lawrenceville in Conference Room C.

Please pre-register by sending an email with your name, address, and phone number to [dwrconserve@gwinnettcountry.com](mailto:dwrconserve@gwinnettcountry.com) or by calling 678.376.7126.

### **Parks and Recreation wants your input on future plans**

Public input meetings with Gwinnett County Parks and Recreation on the 2016 Capital Improvement Plan are being held throughout the county, so make plans to attend. This week's meetings will be held on the following dates and times:

Thursday, October 15 at 2:00pm  
Bethesda Park Senior Center  
225 Bethesda Church Road, Lawrenceville

Thursday, October at 7:30pm  
Bogan Park Community Recreation Center  
2723 North Bogan Road, Buford



Join Parks and Recreation for one of the public meetings being held in October to provide your ideas and personal recreational desires for the provision and maintenance of new park facilities. For more information about these meetings, including upcoming meeting dates and locations, visit [www.gwinnettparks.com](http://www.gwinnettparks.com) or [view this flyer](#).

### **Fire and Emergency Services wants you to make sure your fire alarms work**



The Board of Commissioners has designated October as Fire Prevention Month in Gwinnett County. This year's theme, *Hear the Beep Where You Sleep, Every Bedroom Needs a Working Smoke Alarm*, coincides with the County's longstanding commitment to providing free home safety surveys and install smoke alarms in at-risk communities. Gwinnett Fire and Emergency Services has already conducted hundreds of surveys and installed more than 4,000 smoke alarms this year.

Gwinnett firefighters want to remind everyone about the importance of having working smoke alarms in every bedroom, outside each sleeping area, and on every level of the home including the basement. The department will host a Community Fire Safety Open House at the Stone Mountain Community Center on Saturday, October 17 from 10:00am to 2:00pm.

For additional information on home fire safety, visit [www.gwinnettcountry.com](http://www.gwinnettcountry.com). To find out more about Fire Prevention Month activities, contact the Gwinnett Fire Community Risk Reduction Division at 678.518.4845 or email [fireprograms@gwinnettcountry.com](mailto:fireprograms@gwinnettcountry.com).

### **Explore your next career move with Gwinnett County Government**

Are you looking to start your career or make a career change? Your next opportunity may be with Gwinnett County Government! Come to the 2015 Career Expo on Friday, October 23 from 9:00am to 3:00pm at the Gwinnett Justice and Administration Center, 75 Langley Drive in Lawrenceville. Meet face-to-face with department representatives and learn how you can begin your career with Gwinnett County Government. The County offers rewarding job opportunities in many areas. Vacancies are currently listed online, so apply today at [www.gwinnettcountryjobs.com](http://www.gwinnettcountryjobs.com).

### **Don't forget to sign up for Gwinnett Great Days of Service**

Join the cause October 23 - 24 and volunteer for the 16th annual Gwinnett Great Days of Service, where you can donate your time and energy to serve the community and help those in need. As a volunteer, you can choose from more than 250 different projects and sign up today at [www.volunteergwinnett.net](http://www.volunteergwinnett.net). For more information, visit [www.gwinnettgreatdaysofservice.org](http://www.gwinnettgreatdaysofservice.org).

### **Front and Center gives a first hand glimpse of Gwinnett's haunted tours**

With Halloween right around the corner, who doesn't love a chilling tale about things that go bump in the night? *Front and Center* is a brand new show on TVGwinnett that highlights the vibrant arts and cultural communities in Gwinnett County. The first episode features a scary stroll through the streets of downtown Lawrenceville, thrilling haunted cemeteries, and a visit to the scream-inducing Netherworld. For more about these haunted tours, check out *Front and Center* on [www.tvgwinnett.com](http://www.tvgwinnett.com).



### Veterans Day Ceremony celebrates Gwinnett's military heroes



Make plans to attend Gwinnett County's annual Veterans Day Ceremony, which will be held Wednesday, November 11 at 11:00am at the Gwinnett Fallen Heroes Memorial at 75 Langley Drive in Lawrenceville. This event is held each year to celebrate our county's military veterans and public service personnel. The Fallen Heroes Memorial is located on the grounds of the Gwinnett Justice and Administration Center, 75 Langley Drive in Lawrenceville. For more information about the Gwinnett Fallen Heroes Memorial, visit [www.gwinnettfallenheroes.com](http://www.gwinnettfallenheroes.com).

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