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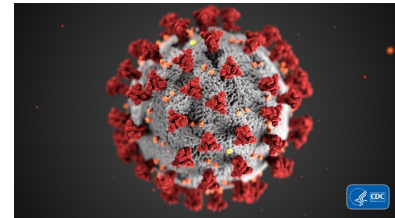
A newsletter for Gwinnett County homeowners

April 22, 2021

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:

- Upgrades are coming to 20 more intersections on GA-316 by 2028
- The Earth Day recycling event will happen this year on April 24
- Commissioners seek to improve the arts in Gwinnett

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

Drop off unused medications on April 24

The Gwinnett Police Department is partnering with the Drug Enforcement Administration for the National Take Back Initiative on Saturday, April 24 from 10:00am until 2:00pm. This initiative provides residents, a safe and convenient way to drop off unused and expired medications at collection sites around the county.

Residents who have tablets, capsules, patches, and other forms of prescription drugs can be dropped off at collection sites for proper disposal. Liquids, syringes, sharps, and other drugs will not be accepted. [Gwinnett's six police precincts](#) will serve as collection sites and no appointment is needed. All collection sites will adhere to COVID-19 guidelines and regulations to maintain the safety of all participants. For more information, visit [TakeBackDEA.gov](#).



Don't miss the Earth Day recycling event!

Need to get rid of some clutter in your home? This Saturday, April 24 is the Gwinnett Solid Waste Management and Gwinnett Clean & Beautiful's annual Earth Day recycling event where residents can bring electronics, paint, tires, and paper. Paper shredding is limited to five copier paper boxes; paint is limited to 10 gallons; and tires



are limited to eight. Most recycling is free except for projection or console TVs (\$35), monitors (\$15), and printers (\$5). Cash only. COVID-19 guidelines will be in place.

This free event runs from 9:00am to noon at the Gwinnett County Fairgrounds, 2405 Sugarloaf Parkway in Lawrenceville. For more, visit [GwinnettCB.org/Events](https://www.gwinnettcba.org/Events) or call the Solid Waste Call Center at 770.822.7141.

Lifeguards needed this summer

Gwinnett Parks and Recreation is hiring part-time and seasonal lifeguards and waiving training fees for applicants ages 16 and older. The lifeguard training available to ages 15 and older requires passing a prerequisite swim test. Lifeguard training includes online and in-person components as well as a swim test and written exam. Trainees who pass all the requirements will receive an American Red Cross certification valid for two years.



The part-time and seasonal lifeguard position starts at \$9.27 per hour and includes benefits such as flexible hours and growth opportunities. Visit [GwinnettCountyJobs.com](https://www.gwinnettcba.org/Events) to apply.

Questions about the vaccines? Gwinnett Moms know best



With COVID-19 vaccines available to all Georgians 16 and older, we encourage you to check out [ListenToGwinnettMoms.com](https://www.gwinnettmoms.com) for information on COVID-19 vaccine safety and efficacy, details about how to schedule your appointment, and of course, encouragement from Gwinnett Moms. So whether you're still a little unsure or you're eager to get your shot today, we've got the information you need. [Click away!](#)

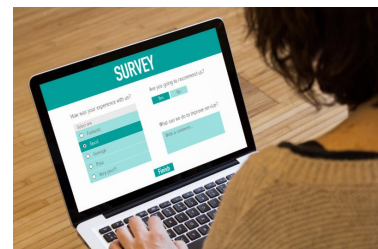
Gwinnett Moms want to know your "why" for getting the COVID-19 vaccine. Join the conversation on social by tagging [@GwinnettGov](#) and using [#ListenToGwinnettMoms](#).

Skip a trip to the tag office!

Do you need to renew or cancel your tag? Need a duplicate registration or to pay insurance fines? Skip the trip and the line! You can do all this and more by visiting the webpage [GwinnettTaxCommissioner.com/eservices](https://www.gwinnetttaxcommissioner.com/eservices).

GCPL launches project to improve its facilities for the next 10 years

In January 2021, the Gwinnett County Public Library started the journey of a Facilities Master Planning project to ensure that the Library has the space, tools, and technology necessary to create a world-class customer service experience for its users over the next decade. In constructing the plan, GCPL is taking a new approach that considers community conditions and aspirations, and community impact like job creation and fostering entrepreneurship, improving educational outcomes, connecting to technology and critical social services, and creating spaces to gather and organize.



During the initial stage of the planning project for facilities, GCPL is encouraging residents to take a [survey](#) before May 14 to provide input on the goals and objectives for your library.

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](https://www.gwinnettcba.org) or follow us on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), and [Instagram](#) [@GwinnettGov](#).

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