

NEWS

for Neighborhoods

A newsletter for Gwinnett County homeowners

April 12, 2023

Greetings!

As a resident of Gwinnett County, you know there is always a lot going on in the community. Read this newsletter to stay up-to-date on the latest news from your County government.

[Gwinnett County Government](#) appreciates 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.

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:

- Gwinnett Economic Development to host Coffee & Conversation networking event
- Earth Day event set for April 22
- Attend the Gwinnett Information Technology Services hiring event
- Buford Senior Center members graduate from the University of Health program

Check out more videos on TV Gwinnett [Video on Demand](#).

Attend a State of District 3 town hall with Commissioner Watkins

Join Commissioner Jasper Watkins III for a State of District 3 town hall **Thursday, April 13 at 6:30pm**. During the meeting, Commissioner Watkins will share updates and discuss projects happening around District 3. Stay until the end for an opportunity to have your questions answered.

The meeting will be held at the Gwinnett Justice and Administration Center, located at 75 Langley Drive in Lawrenceville. If you can't attend in person, the town hall will also stream on Facebook Live [@GwinnettGov](#).



Sign up for the Citizens Fire Academy

Applications for the next Citizens Fire Academy are now open. The nine-week program offers a behind-the-scenes look at department operations and specialty teams. Participants may also ride along on a fire engine at the station of their choice. English and Spanish-speaking instructors will lead the classes, which begin April 19 and meet every Wednesday at 6:00pm.

All interested residents should [fill out an application](#) and submit it by mail no later than **April 17**. For more



information, call 678.518.4845 or email FirePrograms@GwinnettCounty.com.

Gather your paints, tires, and electronics to recycle this Earth Day

Celebrate Earth Day with Gwinnett! Recycle your electronics, paint, clothing, sneakers, and more at our annual recycling event on **Saturday, April 22 from 9:00am to noon** at Coolray Field in Lawrenceville. Items should be placed in disposable containers in the trunk or back seat of your vehicle to be removed by volunteers.

Learn about [items you can recycle at the event](#) or call 770.822.7141 for more information. This rain or shine event is sponsored by Gwinnett Solid Waste Management and Gwinnett Clean and Beautiful.



Gwinnett Police partners with DEA for National Drug Take Back Initiative



The Gwinnett Police Department will partner with the Drug Enforcement Administration for National Drug Take Back, an initiative that allows residents to properly dispose of unused or expired prescription medications. Residents can drop off tablets, capsules, patches, and other forms of prescription drugs at Police Headquarters and [precinct locations](#).

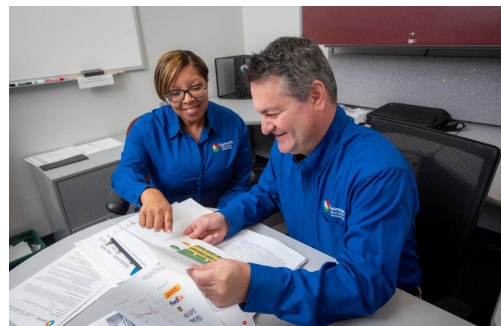
Precincts will be accepting prescription items on **Saturday, April 22 from 10:00am to 2:00pm**. Liquids, syringes, and sharps will not be accepted. Residents will not be questioned about medical history or medication possession. For more

information, call 678.442.6520 or email PDCommunityAffairs@GwinnettCounty.com.

Start your career in Information Technology Services

Join one of the teams that delivers an integrated, responsive, and secure technology environment. The Gwinnett Department of Information Technology Services is hosting a hiring event on **Saturday, April 22 from 9:00am to 3:00pm** at the [Gwinnett Justice and Administration Center](#). Attendees will be able to discuss career opportunities with IT Services staff, and qualified applicants may interview for open positions.

Qualified candidates will be contacted to receive an onsite interview on a first-come, first-served basis. Attendees are encouraged to bring resumes and dress in business casual attire. Applicants interested in attending can apply and learn more about available positions at GwinnettCounty.com/ITSHiringEvent.



County awarded SMART grant for safety improvements on Singleton Road

The Gwinnett Department of Transportation was awarded a \$1,053,400 Strengthening Mobility and Revolutionizing Transportation grant from the United States Department of Transportation.

The SMART grant will be used to examine safety and mobility technological solutions — such as focused lighting and warnings — for all roadway users along Singleton Road. Funding will also be used to update the



County's Connected Vehicle Technology Master Plan, which previously identified smart corridor deployment.

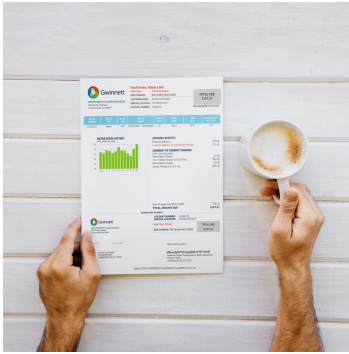
Tax Assessors' Office issues Annual Notice of Assessment

Most Residential and Commercial Annual Notices of Assessment for 2023 will be mailed in April. An [Annual Notice of Assessment](#) is not a tax bill. The notice informs you of the value assessed on your residential or commercial real estate as of January 1, 2023.

Property owners may appeal the assessed value within 45 days of the date of the notice by submitting a completed PT-311A State Appeal Form to the Tax Assessors' Office or by visiting [Gwinnett-Assessor.com](#).



Water bill payment address changing in May



Beginning Monday, **May 1**, residents will have a new mailing address to pay their water bills.

Water Resources will accept payments by mail at P.O. Box 105023, Atlanta, GA 30348-5023, by phone at 678.376.6800, online at [Gwinnett2o.com](#), and in person at 648 Winder Highway in Lawrenceville.

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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