

NEWS

for Neighborhoods

A newsletter for Gwinnett County homeowners

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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:

- Submit comments on 2024 County budget
- Learn about the 2045 Unified Plan
- Applications open for Gwinnett 101
- Water Resources Assistance Program provides help to Gwinnett residents

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

Share your input on the 2024 proposed budget

You can [give feedback](#) on Chairwoman Nicole Love Hendrickson's proposed budget on the County's website through **December 31**. After hearing your input, the Board of Commissioners will consider the 2024 budget at their first meeting of the new year on January 2.

Chairwoman Hendrickson presented the budget in November to guide County government spending for the 2024 fiscal year. The proposed budget for 2024 totals \$2.5 billion. It consists of a \$1.96 billion operating budget and a \$542 million capital improvements budget, which includes funds from the County's Special Purpose Local Option Sales Tax program.



County offices closed for Christmas

All Gwinnett County Government offices, apart from operations required for the comfort and safety of residents, will be closed **Friday, December 22 through Monday, December 25** for the Christmas holiday and will resume regular hours on **Tuesday, December 26**. Trash and recycling collection will be delayed by one day during the holiday week. For more information, visit [GCSolidWaste.com](#). A Magistrate Court judge will be



available at the Gwinnett County Detention Center during each holiday.

Learn more about the 2045 Unified Plan Draft

Gwinnett Planning and Development recently presented a briefing to the Board of Commissioners on the Gwinnett 2045 Unified Plan draft recommendations and planning process. If authorized by the Board in January, the plan will be shared with the Atlanta Regional Commission and Georgia Department of Community Affairs for regional and state review.

If you're interested in sharing your feedback about the draft plan, the department is hosting an open house on **Wednesday, January 10 from 6:00pm to 9:00pm** at One Justice Square located at 446 West Crogan Street in Lawrenceville. To review the [draft plan](#), visit GwinnettCounty.com/2045UnifiedPlan.



Save the date for Gwinnett's annual hiring event



Start your career with Gwinnett County Government at the Career From Here hiring event on **Friday, January 19 from 9:00am to 3:00pm**. Candidates will have the opportunity to interview with County representatives, review their resume with Gwinnett Human Resources, and meet current employees to learn how they can thrive in a variety of fields. Visit GwinnettCounty.com/Careers to learn about opportunities with the County and apply.

The event will take place at the Gas South Convention Center, located at 6400 Sugarloaf Parkway in Duluth. Gwinnett County offers competitive benefits, paid training, educational incentives for certain positions, tuition reimbursement, career advancement, and much more.

Gwinnett receives Innovation Award for its Transit Development Plan

Gwinnett County received the [2023 Georgia Transit Association Innovation Award](#) for its Transit Development Plan. The award recognizes exceptional innovation in customer or community service and technology.

The [Transit Development Plan](#) was fueled by community engagement, reaching residents, businesses, and community stakeholders who shared their feedback over 18 months. The new plan embraces a fresh, innovative approach that provides the right services in the right places, and it addresses gaps by providing additional transit options for Ride Gwinnett like microtransit, airport ride, bus rapid transit, and increased transfer facilities.



Subdivision added to streetlighting program

Gwinnett County is set to improve traffic safety and enhance community well-being by incorporating the Parkwood Ridge subdivision into its streetlighting program. This decision follows a request from property owners who live in the Snellville-area neighborhood.



Gwinnett's streetlighting program aims to illuminate residential streets throughout the county, working in collaboration with utility providers to maintain a uniform standard of streetlighting. Walton EMC will be responsible for installing and maintaining 34 energy-efficient LED streetlights, funded by the 2017 SPLOST program at a cost of \$18,360. To learn more about how your pennies are working in Gwinnett, visit GwinnettSPLOST.com.

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