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Hello Silvia.

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.

<u>Gwinnett County Government</u> 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:

- · Microtransit pilot launches in Norcross
- County seeks input for Disparity Study
- Representatives tour OneStop Norcross

Check out more videos on TV Gwinnett <u>Video on Demand</u>.

### **Celebrate Hispanic Latino Heritage Month**

Celebrate the contributions of our Hispanic and Latino community during Hispanic Latino Heritage Month! From **September 15 through October 15**, explore a self-guided exhibit highlighting the American Latino community's rich histories and culture at the Gwinnett Justice and Administration Center atrium in Lawrenceville. Then, enjoy the Fiesta on the Plaza from **6:00pm to 8:00pm on October 15** with food, music, entertainment, and more. To register, visit <u>GwinnettCounty.com/FiestaOnThePlaza</u>.



### Microtransit pilot program launches in Norcross

A new microtransit pilot program is now available for local travel in Norcross and the Gateway85 Community Improvement District. Microtransit is a curb-to-curb service that will pick you up and take you anywhere within the designated area. For only \$3, you can order your on-demand ride with the Ride Gwinnett app or by calling dispatch at 770.246.4770 and selecting option 3.

The program is funded 44 percent each by Gwinnett County



and Gateway85 CID, with the city of Norcross covering the remainder. The pilot is scheduled to operate for one year. Visit <u>RideGwinnett.com</u> for more information and to download the Ride Gwinnett app.

## Gwinnett to host glass and paper recycling event

Gwinnett residents are invited to drop off glass and paper for recycling **Thursday**, **September 12 from 11:00am to 1:00pm** at Lenora Park, located at 4500 Lenora Church Road in Snellville. Glass and paper should be sorted into separate containers for recycling. Paper should be in a disposable container that will not be returned.

This is a rain or shine event. For more information, please call Gwinnett Solid Waste Management at 770.822.7141 or email GCSolidWaste@GwinnettCounty.com.



# Apply to be a poll official



Get involved in the electoral process and give back to your community! Gwinnett Voter Registrations and Elections is seeking citizens of all backgrounds, especially bilingual Spanish speakers, to become poll officials for the upcoming election. It's a great opportunity to see how elections work, gain valuable work experience, and earn between \$175 to \$440 per election. Apply at <a href="mailto:GwinnettCountyJobs.com">GwinnettCountyJobs.com</a>.

#### Aplica para ser trabajador electoral

¡Participa en el proceso electoral y retribuye a tu comunidad! La Inscripción de Votantes y Elecciones de Gwinnett está buscando ciudadanos de todos los orígenes, especialmente hispanohablantes bilingües, para que se conviertan en

trabajadores electorales para la próxima eleccion. Es una gran oportunidad para ver cómo funcionan las elecciones, obtener una valiosa experiencia laboral y ganar desde \$175 hasta \$440 por elección. Aplica en GwinnettCountyJobs.com.

### Apply for the District Attorney's Office Citizens Academy

Residents can get an in-depth understanding of the criminal justice system. The District Attorney's Office will host its second Citizens Academy from Tuesday, October 1 through Tuesday, December 3 from 6:00pm to 8:30pm. Sessions will be held every Tuesday in Conference Room C at the Gwinnett Justice and Administration Center located at 75 Langley Drive in Lawrenceville.

Applications will be accepted through **Friday**, **September 13** at <u>GwinnettCounty.com/DACitizensAcademy</u>.



### **Share your input for the Gwinnett Disparity Study**

Gwinnett County Government is seeking your feedback for its first disparity study. The County has partnered with Griffin & Strong, P.C. to evaluate potential disparities or barriers in government contracting and purchasing for small and/or underrepresented businesses.



Register for an in-person informational meeting on Wednesday, September 18 from 6:00pm to 7:00pm at the George Pierce Park, Community Room. You can also register for a virtual meeting on Thursday, September 19 at 2:00pm

## Solicitor's Office to hold second annual Dash 4 Domestic Violence Awareness 5K

The Gwinnett County Solicitor's Office will hold its second annual Dash 4 Domestic Violence Awareness 5K on **Saturday, October 5 at 8:00am** at Alexander Park, located at 955 Scenic Highway in Lawrenceville. Registration is \$30 per participant. This rate will increase to \$35 after September 13.

Register at <u>GwinnettCounty.com/Dash4DomesticViolence</u>. Proceeds from the 5K will go to three domestic violence organizations that provide essential resources to survivors and education to the public — Mosaic Georgia, Partnership Against Domestic Violence, and Ahimsa House.



## Visit our website, social media for latest news

To stay updated with the latest news from the County, visit our website, <u>GwinnettCounty.com</u> or follow us on <u>Facebook</u>, <u>Twitter</u>, and <u>Instagram</u> @GwinnettGov.



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