

# City of LAGRANGE GEORGIA

CITY OF LAGRANGE NEWSLETTER

OCTOBER 2020

## MAYOR

Jim Thornton

## CITY COUNCIL

Jim Arrington, *District 1*  
W.T. Edmondson, *District 2*  
Nathan Gaskin, *District 2*  
Tom Gore, *District 1*  
LeGree McCamey, *District 2*  
Mark Mitchell, *District 1*

## CITY MANAGER

Meg Kelsey

## CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS

City council meetings are held on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of each month at 5:30 p.m. Work sessions are held on the same day at 11:00 a.m. In order to maintain social distancing requirements, the regular Work Session and Council Meetings of the City of LaGrange Mayor and Council have been moved to Del'avant, located at 141 Main Street, LaGrange, GA for the following 2020 dates: October 13 and 27, November 10 and 24, December 8 and 22.

## 2020 TRASH & YARD TRIMMING SCHEDULE:

October							November						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S	S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					1	2	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
4	5	6	7	8	9	10	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
11	12	13	14	15	16	17	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
18	19	20	21	22	23	24	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
25	26	27	28	29	30	31	29	30					

December						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
					1	2
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

■ Yard Waste Collection □ Trash Collection  
○ City Observed Holiday

Household garbage is collected weekly. Trash and yard trimmings are collected on alternating weeks.

To request a trash can or recycle can call (706) 883-2100.

## LAGRANGE YOUTH COUNCIL

Congratulations to the 2020-2021 Class of the LaGrange Youth Council! Twenty-four local junior and senior high school students from LaGrange High, Troup High, LaGrange Academy and Springwood School make up this year's class. The LYC is an advisory board composed of local youth that provides advice and counsel to the local governing body and gives our local youth a more formal role in the local decision making process offering real world experiences.

The City of LaGrange is committed to providing opportunities for our youth. If you or someone you know wants to learn more about our local government, please contact Katie Van Schoor, Marketing/Communications Manager at [kvanschoor@lagrangega.org](mailto:kvanschoor@lagrangega.org).



### CONGRATULATIONS CITY OF LAGRANGE YOUTH COUNCIL CLASS OF 2020-2021 MEMBERS

Kate Asbell	Ella Eiland	Zoie Mitchell
Hamilton Bedingfield	Lauren Hale	Mollie Olinger
Katy Beth Bedingfield	Tripp Hollstrom	Ka'Various Perry
Milly Criswell	Eileen Hwang	Khamani Philpotts
Miller DeVane	Jamal Jones	William Pitts
Louise Dodson	Kannon Key	Caroline Shelton
Sydney Edelson	Elijah Langston	Mary Frances Smith
Addie Eiland	MacKenzie Mitchell	Riley Whitlow



WE'RE BACK! Help us Leave LaGrange Better Than We Found It **Saturday, October 10th, 8-10AM** in the Hillside Community. We'll meet in the Health Department parking lot 900 Dallis Street. Thank you to our partners DASH and the Kiwanis Club of LaGrange. Stay tuned for more details on our litter cleanups on our Facebook page: [facebook.com/lagrangegov](https://facebook.com/lagrangegov).

## Government Departments

Animal Services  
(706) 298-3606

Business License and Permits  
(706) 883-2060

City Hall  
(706) 883-2000

City Manager/City Clerk  
(706) 883-2010

Code Enforcement  
(706) 883-2624

Customer Service  
(706) 883-2030  
*To establish or disconnect services or to pay your utility bill*

Human Resources  
(706) 883-2025

LaGrange Fire Department  
(706) 883-2650 - non emergency

LaGrange Police Department  
(706) 883-2603 - non emergency

Marketing/Communications  
(706) 883-2055

Municipal Court  
(706) 883-2026


Public Works  
(706) 883-2100  
• Sanitation (Residential)  
• Street Department  
• Landscape Department  
• Cemetery Division  
• Landfill  
• Recycling

Utility Service Center  
(706) 883-2130  
*To report a water, gas or electric service outage or emergency*

## CONNECT WITH LAGRANGE

(706) 883-2000 • [lagrange.ga.gov](http://lagrange.ga.gov)

200 Ridley Avenue  
LaGrange, Georgia 30240

 LaGrangeGAGov  
CityofLaGrangeUtility  
LaGrangePoliceDept  
LaGrangeFireDept  
CityofLaGrange  
AnimalShelter  
lgtv.org

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## UTILITIES

**Billing & New Service:** (706) 883-2030

**Power Outages, Gas & Water Leaks:**  
(706) 883-2130

### Want to pay a bill?

- **Pay online:** [www.lagrange.net](http://www.lagrange.net)
- **Pay in person:** Customer service located on the 1st floor of City Hall, 200 Ridley Avenue
- **Pay after hours:** There are 2 Drop boxes – one in drive thru and one in the city hall parking lot
- **Pay on the phone:** (706) 883-2030
- **Pay in the drive thru:** 200 Ridley Avenue, LaGrange, GA 30240
- **Pay by mail:** 200 Ridley Avenue, LaGrange, GA 30240
- **Pay by setting up monthly bank draft:** [www.lagrange.net](http://www.lagrange.net)



**DID YOU KNOW?** In April 1915, Mary B. Daisy Davies was nominated to serve as president of the LaGrange Female Institute, now known as LaGrange College. Davies instituted new policies that improved the college including new uniforms, outdoor exercise, flower hunts and picnics. The 5'9" Davies would often escort the students to downtown LaGrange carrying a rifle. It was said that if any of the ladies got out of line she would fire a warning shot into the air. Everyone knew to take Ms. Davies seriously.

### NEED A FACE MASK?

Need a face mask? In an effort to #masktroupcounty the City of LaGrange is proud to work with this campaign in helping to hand out face masks to everyone that needs one. Contact Katie Van Schoor for more info at [kvanschoor@lagrange.ga.gov](mailto:kvanschoor@lagrange.ga.gov) or (706) 883-2055.



### FREE COVID TESTING

Free Covid-19 Testing Offered at the Troup County Health Department **every Monday, 9AM-1PM**. You can use the drive-thru. Pre-registration is strongly recommended. Go to [covid19.dph.ga.gov/](http://covid19.dph.ga.gov/) to make an appointment.



## CLEAR THE SHELTERS

Thank you to everyone who helped participate in the City of LaGrange Animal Shelter's "Clear the Shelters" event for the month of August. Because of the community's support, the shelter was able to nearly clear the shelter and get nearly every dog and cat adopted by August 31st.



### PETS OF THE MONTH

Brown & Black Spotted Bengal Cats/Kittens

Adoption Fee is \$50

Interested in adopting? Call (706) 298-3606 and make an appointment.