

# City of LAGRANGE GEORGIA

CITY OF LAGRANGE NEWSLETTER

AUGUST 2019

## 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. in the Council Chambers, 208 Ridley Avenue. City Council work sessions are held on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays of each month at 11:00 a.m. in the City Manager's Third Floor Conference Room in City Hall, 200 Ridley Avenue. These meetings are open to the public.

## TRASH & YARD TRIMMING SCHEDULE:

### August

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
				1	2	3
4	5	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

### September

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	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					

■ Yard Waste Collection □ Trash Collection  
○ City Observed Holiday

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

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

## COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENT

The City of LaGrange continues to collaborate with Bell Line community members to make improvements to the neighborhood, most recently Jones Street Park. City crews recently demolished the concession stand, removed fencing around the ball field & repaved the parking lot. Staff is currently working on the development of a walking trail around the ball field as well as resurfacing and rebranding the basketball courts.



## NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS



### LaGrange 101

The City of LaGrange is now accepting applications for its six-week citizen education class LaGrange 101. This is a free class hosted by the City of LaGrange to give local citizens an opportunity to experience an inside look at city government. For more information go to [www.lagrangega.org/home/LaGrange\\_101](http://www.lagrangega.org/home/LaGrange_101) or contact Katie Mercer Van Schoor at [kvanschoor@lagrangega.org](mailto:kvanschoor@lagrangega.org). The application deadline is Friday, August 30th.



### LaGrange Youth Council

The City of LaGrange is also accepting applications for the LaGrange Youth Council. To obtain an application go to [www.lagrangega.org/Home/Youth\\_Council](http://www.lagrangega.org/Home/Youth_Council) or contact Katie Mercer Van Schoor at [kvanschoor@lagrangega.org](mailto:kvanschoor@lagrangega.org). The application deadline is Friday, August 30th.

## 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 • [lagrangega.gov](http://lagrangega.gov)

200 Ridley Avenue  
LaGrange, Georgia 30240



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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?

After conducting an audit on its response times, the LaGrange Fire Department made changes to its practices and were able to reduce response time by 14 seconds in May and June.

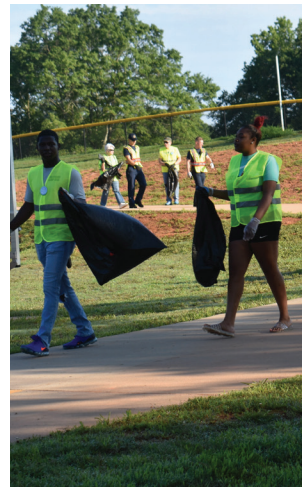
### LITTER CLEANUP UPCOMING DATES

**AUGUST** – Saturday, August 24th, 8-10 a.m.  
Berta Weathersbee Elementary, 1200 Forrest Avenue

**SEPTEMBER** – Saturday, September 28th,  
8 a.m.-12 p.m., National Public Lands Day with Army  
Corps of Engineers

**OCTOBER** – Saturday, October 12th, 8 a.m.-12 p.m.,  
Hillside Neighborhood, Health Department Parking  
Lot, 900 Dallis Street

For more information contact Katie Mercer  
Van Schoor at [kvanschoor@lagrangega.org](mailto:kvanschoor@lagrangega.org).



### PET OF THE MONTH

Name: *Pepper Ann*  
Breed: *Chihuahua Mix*  
Weight: 15 lb.  
Adoption Fee: \$75

Interested in adopting Pepper  
Ann? Call (706) 298-3606.



Contact 811 before you dig.