



Dawsonville Profile

City News for the Residents of Dawsonville—DECEMBER 2023

Message from your Mayor

Well, this is the last time I will have a chance to send a message to you. I did not seek re-election and will leave office on December 31st. Your new Mayor, John Walden has been on the City Council for four years and on the Planning Commission for many years, and is a very competent leader. I believe that he will do an excellent job as the Mayor of our city.

I hope each of you had a wonderful Thanksgiving and are prepared for a grand and Merry Christmas, as well as a Happy New Year. If you are traveling to see family or just to get away, please stay safe.

As we celebrate this time of year for the birth of Jesus, and at this special time that each of us will reflect on our interactions with each other, please remember, we can do more to help others.

Our city is running well, and I hope it will maintain that level of operation. The City has great employees, and each of them is dedicated to their job and to making a better place for us to reside.

I certainly want to express my gratitude to each of you, for your support, your guidance and your criticism, which makes a better person of your leaders.

I have enjoyed the past six years of serving as your Mayor. I hope that the future brings you success in life.

I wish each of you a blessed Christmas and New Years.



Mike Eason



Mayor, Council & Staff of the City of Dawsonville would like to wish you and your family a very Merry Christmas & a Happy New Year!

City Hall will be closed Monday, Dec. 25, Tuesday, Dec. 26 and Monday, Jan. 1, 2024 & Tuesday, Jan. 2, 2024



GARBAGE PICKUP CHANGES



Due to the upcoming holidays, garbage pickup days for Christmas and New Years will be as follows:

Thursday, December 28, 2023

Thursday, January 4, 2024

Please have your can out by 6:00 am!



Thank you to everyone who joined us for the Christmas parade, tree lighting and Jingle Market to kickoff the holiday season! Thanks to the Chamber of Commerce for their joint efforts to make this event a successful one for our community to enjoy!

2023 Government Meetings held at City Hall upstairs in the G.L."Pete" Gilleland Council Chambers. The public is invited to attend.

- 5:00PM Mayor & City Council Regular Mtgs: JAN 12 FEB 6 MAR 6 MAY 1 JUN 5 AUG 7 OCT 2 NOV 6 DEC 4 JAN 11 (2024)
- 5:00PM Mayor & Council Work Sessions: MAR 20 APR 17 MAY 15 JUN 19 JUL 17 AUG 21 SEP 18 OCT 16 DEC 18
- 5:30PM Dawsonville Planning Commission: FEB 13 MAR 13 APR 10 MAY 8 JUN 12 JUL 10 AUG 14 SEP 11 OCT 9 NOV 13 DEC 11 JAN 8 (2024)
- 5:30PM Historic Preservation Commission: FEB 27 APR 24 JUN 26 AUG 28 OCT 23 DEC 5
- 5:30PM Dawsonville Downtown Development Authority: JAN 23 MAR 27 MAY 22 JUL 24 SEP 25 NOV 9 * Watch live on Facebook 



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A message from your City Manager...

Merry Christmas! It is hard to believe that Christmas is almost here. It seems it was just yesterday we were celebrating the holidays in 2022. I have been your City Manager for over seven years and have loved every minute of it. Nothing is more rewarding to me than representing good folks like we have in the City of Dawsonville. I grew up in a small town, and I think it is great that despite the tremendous growth we are experiencing, we still maintain that small-town feel.

I must thank the City Council and Mayor as well for their guidance and leadership. I also must brag about the outstanding people that serve our citizens. These employees are dedicated and committed to you, our customers, and I am blessed to work with them every day.

Ours is a simple message this year, the staff and I wish you and yours a very Merry Christmas, celebrating the birth of Christ our Savior and the best of luck in 2024. May God bless and keep each of you.



Bob Bolz

THE NEW BASKETBALL COURTS IN MAIN STREET PARK ARE COMPLETE!



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