



Around the Well

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Social Circle Community News

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City Hall will be closed November 27 & 28

Social Circle City Hall will be closed in observance of Thanksgiving on November 27 & 28. City Hall will reopen Monday, December 1, to serve the public. We wish you all a happy and healthy Thanksgiving holiday.



Cemetery Cleanup

The City of Social Circle will begin cleanup efforts at Lakewood and Benny Hill Cemeteries on November 12. All trinkets and faded flowers remaining on November 12 will be removed and discarded. The city reserves the right to remove any items on or near plots that are in violation of Section 6-4 of the Code of Ordinances. Items that are removed will be disposed of at the city's discretion, and the city will not be held liable for any loss or damage to items placed on or near plots in violation of these regulations. For further information, please contact City Hall at 770-464-2380.

License Renewal Season

Are you a business license holder in Social Circle? It's time to renew your license for the upcoming year. Stay in compliance and avoid late fees by completing your renewal on time. For more information or assistance, contact Ludie Williams at lwilliams@socialcirclega.gov

Christmas Tree Lighting and Holiday Market!

Kick off the holiday season in Friendship Park on Friday, November 21, 2025, with an evening full of festive fun! The Holiday Market will take place from 4:00 PM to 7:00 PM, offering seasonal treats, unique gifts, and delicious ingredients to help you prepare for Thanksgiving. Then, join us at 6:00 PM for the Christmas Tree Lighting as we gather with friends, family, and neighbors to celebrate the start of the most wonderful time of the year.



Meetings for City Council, Municipal Court, Commissions, and Boards

November 3 is the deadline to submit for the December 18 Planning Commission Meeting.

November 6 at 6:30 p.m. Mayor and Council hold work session at the old Elementary School, 240 W. Hightower Trail.

November 11 at 9:00 a.m. Mainstreet Commission will meet in the City Community Room, 138 E. Hightower Trail.

November 11 at 6:00 p.m. Historic Preservation Commission will meet in the City Community Room, 138 E. Hightower Trl.

November 18 at 6:30 p.m. Mayor and City Council meet in the City Community Room, 138 E. Hightower Trail.

November 19 at 1:00 p.m. Municipal Court will be held at the City Community Room, 138. E Hightower Trail.

November 24 is the deadline to submit for the December 9 Historic Preservation Commission meeting.

Christmas Parade!

Celebrate the magic of the season at the Social Circle Christmas Parade on Friday, December 5, in Downtown Social Circle! Enjoy festive floats, marching bands, s'mores, cookie decorating, and plenty of holiday cheer as the parade makes its way through the heart of our city. Bring your chairs, blankets, and holiday spirit for this beloved tradition. The parade begins at 6:00 PM.



Call BEFORE you dig!

If you plan to dig around buried gas piping, first dial 811 or call the Georgia One Call Center at 800-282-7411 three(3) days before you or your contractor dig so that all buried cable may be located. This is a free service. Flags mark where cables are buried.



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Check Underground Gas Pipes

As your natural gas distributor, the City of Social Circle must make safety recommendations regarding underground natural gas piping. The City operates its gas system with an emphasis on safety. We are required to design, operate, and maintain our underground gas pipeline system in accordance with prescribed federal safety standards. The gas department does not maintain the gas piping downstream of the gas meter. This is the responsibility of the customer who owns that piping. If the buried pipe is not properly maintained, it may be subject to corrosion – if the piping is metallic – or leakage. To ensure the continued safe and reliable operation of these lines, the buried piping should be checked periodically. You or the building owner should contact a licensed plumber or heating contractor to assist in locating and inspecting buried gas piping. If any unsafe condition is found, repairs must be made immediately. For more information, visit www.socialcirclega.gov or call City Hall at 770-464-2380. Please disregard this notice if you do not have buried piping beyond the gas meter.