

# City of LAGRANGE GEORGIA

CITY OF LAGRANGE NEWSLETTER

OCTOBER 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:**

**October**

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		

**November**

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.

## Congratulations!

The LaGrange Police Department and the LaGrange Fire Department were recognized at the 7th Annual LaGrange-Troup County Chamber of Commerce Valor Awards.



LFD honored at Valor Awards



LPD honored at Valor Awards

LFD Lt. Jim Ormsby, Sgt. Paul Welsh and Firefighter Quinten Brown were awarded the Life Saving Award, LFD Sgt. Chris Greathouse & Firefighter Kevin Schmitz were awarded the Gold Medal of Valor award & LFD Lt. Josh Williams, Lt. Jon Williamson, Firefighter Pete Trujillo & Firefighter Jordan Avera were awarded the Purple Heart award.

LPD Det. John Slonaker, Lt. Dale Strickland, Det. Jeremy Jones, Sgt. William Nelson, Det. Jason Duncan and Investigator Andrew Foy were awarded Public Safety Unit of the Year and The Public Safety Person of the Year was awarded to Senior Patrol Officer Stephen Spivey

## RONNIE THAMES FOUNDATION 2019 SILENT HERO AWARDS FOR TEAMWORK & LEADERSHIP

Congratulations also to the LaGrange Fire Department and Troup County Fire Department for winning the Ronnie Thames Foundation 2019 Silent Hero Award for Teamwork and for LFD Chief John Brant for winning the 2019 Silent Hero Award for Leadership. We are proud of people!



LFD honored at Ronnie Thames Foundation Ceremony

## 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?** Sweetland Amphitheatre used to be Ridley Park, named for its location on Ridley Avenue. According to the Troup County Archives, construction of the park was part of an unemployment relief project during the Great Depression. Ridley Park was initially built in 1931 and contained tennis courts, meadows for picnics, a playground and eventually a swimming pool.

## LITTER CLEANUP UPCOMING DATES

**OCTOBER** – Saturday, October 12th, 8-10 a.m.,  
Hillside Neighborhood, Health Department Parking Lot, 900 Dallis Street - Partnering with DASH and Kiwanis Club of LaGrange

**NOVEMBER** – Saturday, November 2nd, 8-10 a.m.  
LaGrange Fire Department Headquarters, 115 Hill Street - Partnering with LaGrange College

**DECEMBER** – Saturday, December 7th, 8-10 a.m.,  
The Thread Granger, behind St. Mark's Episcopal Church, 207 North Greenwood Street - Partnering with St. Mark's Episcopal Church

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



## PET OF THE MONTH

Name: Minnie  
Breed: Chihuahua Mix  
Weight: 15 lb.  
Adoption Fees \$75

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



Contact 811 before you dig.