

**City Council Meetings are held the
1st Monday of the Month at 7PM
at City Hall**

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City Information:

Bogart City Hall 770-725-7386
Diane Craft, City Clerk
Fred Carthey, Maintenance Supervisor

City Services:

Trash Pick-up: Each Monday
Limb Pick-up: Each Thursday
Recycle Pick-up: Alternating Tuesdays

Believe in Bogart is our Mission Statement. It is our heartfelt message in promoting our City in everything we do. We do this by providing citizens with excellence in all services. Our Leadership Team is committed to being fiscally responsible; to work in tandem with our County and neighboring governments; and to always demonstrate integrity and respect in carrying out our shared responsibilities. We will strive to behave in a manner that reflects the above values with being accountable to our Citizens whom we serve, and to each other in promoting a team spirit for the betterment of our City.

For News, Events, Resources and Services in our Community please visit our website at www.cityofbogart.com

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Main Street News



The Historical Agricultural Center was renovated in 2014 and is the recipient of the Georgia Trust for Historic Preservation award for Excellence in Rehabilitation.

Museum Tours are offered Saturdays from 10AM-2PM. Donations accepted.

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From City Hall

August City Council Meeting will be **MONDAY, August 5 @ 7 pm.**

There will be a **PUBLIC HEARING** at **6:30** (before the Council Meeting) to discuss subdividing property @ 211 Pine Valley Road.

The Main Street Streetscape Project is in the beginning stages. See updates posted on the city website. Thank you for your patience as we work to beautify Bogart! **TRASH SERVICE** is provided each Monday, unless it's a legal holiday.

RECYCLING pick-up will be Tuesday, **August 13 & 27.** Please do not put trash, plastic bags, or food in the recycle can. If you need recycling or trash cans, please contact City Hall.

LIMB PICK-UP is every Thursday. Limbs must be stacked in a pile not to exceed 6ft by 6ft x 4ft deep. Please see the guidelines for City Services on our website or get a paper copy at City Hall

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

Discharging a firearm within the City Limits is prohibited. Offenders will be prosecuted.

There are posted **SPEED LIMITS** on all city streets. Please observe them for the safety of all our citizens.

As the new school year begins, please watch out for school busses and help keep our children safe!



NOVEMBER CITY ELECTION

Qualifying for Mayor and 2 Council seats opens at **8am on August 27** and closes at **4pm on August 29.** Visit or call City Hall for more information.

STORM WATER DRAIN CONCERNS

Washing Cars

When you wash your car on the driveway or in the street, all of the wash water runs down to a curb and into the nearest storm drain which leads right to a river or stream. If you must wash your vehicle, try to use products that do not harm the environment, and consider washing the vehicle on grass, gravel or a porous area in your yard that will absorb the water rather than carrying it to a storm drain.

Trash and Litter

Litter collects on top of drains causing potential flooding by not allowing water to enter the drain fast enough during a storm. When litter is washed into creeks and streams, it has harmful effects on the drinking water supply, on recreational water use, and on wildlife. Make sure your trash is properly disposed of and avoid littering. When you see trash and debris in your neighborhood, pick it up and dispose of it properly.

Rain Gardens

Every time it rains, fertilizers, pesticides, debris and other pollutants wash across lawns and driveways and down into the streets and into the nearest storm drain. From there these pollutants go directly into a river, lake or stream. A **Rain Garden** holds the water on the landscape so the water soaks into the ground instead of running into the storm drain. Information for making a rain garden can be found at

www.pierce.wsu.edu/Water_Quality/LID/Planting_the_raingarden.pdf

"Keep it Clean, Drains to Stream"

Bogart GoodTimers Group meets the third Tuesday of each month at 11:30 am at Golden Corral in Winder. All Bogart citizens are invited to join this group for fun and fellowship on August 20.

The **Bogart Historical Society** staffs the **Bogart History Museum** in the Historical Ag Building on Thompson Street. The Museum is **open on Saturdays 10am-2pm.** Plan to visit us soon. **BHS** welcomes new members.

At the Bogart Library

After all the excitement of opening our "new" library and the busy, busy Summer Reading Program, we are taking a break before Fall Fun begins in September. We will have only these programs on these dates in August:

****MONDAY FUNDAY: August 5...10:15-11:15** for little ones birth- 3 years and their caregivers.

****PRESCHOOL PALS: August 5...11:30-12:30** for little friends almost 3 to almost 5 years.

****Bogart Bookies August 6...1-2pm** Adult Book Club

This month's selection is *Homegoing* by Yaa Gyasi
Mother Goose on the Loose :August 7 10-11am
For babies birth to 24 months. Class size is limited. Registration required.

These and all programs offered by the Bogart Library are free and open to the public. Visit our website: www.athenslibrary.org/bogart or call (770)725-9443 for more information.



From our Area Churches

BOGART FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH will host their Annual Luau August 4 @6:30pm. The Community is invited. Dress "tropical" and bring a tropical dish to share.

SAVE the date: September 22 @ 11am

Homecoming for all past and present members and guests with pot-luck dinner on the grounds following the service. The community is invited.

BOGART UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Homecoming... August 4...11am

Covered dish lunch following the service

Revival... August 5-6-7...7pm

Wendy Jones, from The Orchard, preaching.
All are welcome!

BOGART WELCOMES...



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