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# **FAIRBURN: SITUATED TO SUCCEED**



#### Greetings:

On Monday, March 4, 2019, a 30-inch water transmission pipe in the City of Atlanta ruptured causing a major water outage in the Cities of Fairburn, Union City, Chattahoochee Hills and South Fulton. Due to low or no water pressure, nearly 25 Fulton County Schools and over 100,000 people and businesses underwent a boil-water advisory. Fair-burn received numerous phone calls and messages from concerned residents inquiring about the outage. We attempted to keep you informed by Robo-calls, Fairburn Website and all our social media outlets, including "Notify Me" on our Fairburn Webpage. Please be advised that the City of Fairburn did everything within our powers to work with the City of Atlanta to help resolve the problem expeditiously.

The Cities of Fairburn, Union City and Palmetto have been actively engaged in securing its own water reservoir to supply our cities water needs through the establishment of the South Fulton Municipal Water Authority. I will be providing you with good news on this project in the next Fairburn Newsletter.

On behalf of the Fairburn City Council and myself, we would like to extend our sincere apologies to those residents and businesses who were affected by the city-wide water outage. Thank you for your patience and understanding during this chaotic time.



Mayor Elizabeth Carr-Hurst

### Newly Elected Officials from across Georgia gathered in Tifton

More than 100 recently elected City Council Members and Mayors from across the state of Georgia gathered for training at the UGA Tifton Conference Center for the Annual Newly Elected Officials Conference, hosted by the Georgia Municipal Association in partnership with the University of Georgia's Carl Vinson Institute of Government.

Attendees represented cities with populations ranging from 92 citizens to more than 200,000 citizens. Sessions at the annual conference included information about switching from campaigning to governing, legal policies, ethics, available resources, staff relations, land use issues, municipal financial policies, and successful meeting management.

Linda Davis, the Mayor Pro Tem of Fairburn, said she felt called by God to run for her position during a special election on the Council. She felt the title of public servant fit her well.

"I love helping the community," Davis said. "I just love helping people."

"Every opportunity that I get to take classes, I'm excited about it because when I am making decisions, I want to make sure I'm doing the right thing,"







Fairburn City Council meets on the second and fourth Monday of the month at City Hall beginning at 7:00 pm.

Planning & Zoning Commission meets the first Tuesday of each month at City Hall at 7:00 pm.

# Birthdays of the Month CITY EMPLOYEES

- DeAndre Brown
- DaDrell Finley
- Patrick McCarragher
- Keith McGhee
- MarieRose McIntyre
- Akilah Moody
- Timothy Stanley

#### Georgia Cities Week 2019 The True Colors of Fairburn April 21, 2019 - April 27, 2019



Fairburn Day at the Renaissance Festival Enjoy Fairburn's favorite 16th Century Attraction! Feast, Shop and Play like Royalty

04.21/ All Day



Movie & Lunch with the Mayor Join Mayor Elizabeth Carr-Hurst for a Monday Movie and Lunch

04.22/11:30am - 2:00pm

Coffee with a Cop Join the City of Fairburn Police Department for a discussion on community topics at Landmark Christian Academy 04.23/TBD Meet your Fairburn Fire Department Stop by Station 22 to meet your Fairburn Fire Department staff, facility tours, kid activities and a free popsicle!

04.23/5:00pm - 7:00pm



STEAM & Literacy Youth Night An evening celebrating youth through STEAM, literacy and Arts! Fun for all at the Frankie Arnold Stage & Courtyard

04.24/6:30pm - 8:00pm

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Fairburn True Colors Tour
ome see the True Colors of Fairburn through our City Tour
Meet at Fairburn City Hall



04.25/6:30pm - 7:30pm

Summer Concert Series Kick-Off
Finjoy Live Jazz and R&B at the
Frankle Arnold Stage & Courtyard

04.26/8:00pm - 10:00pm



## The City of Fairburn's Document Shred-It Event

#### For Fairburn Residents Only

Saturday April 20, 2019

9:00 am-2:00 pm in City Hall Parking Lot 56 Malone Street, SW Fairburn, GA 30213

Accepting documents such as, pamphlets, leaflets, files, journals, and paper products

The following may be dropped off at our 102 Howell Avenue facility which is hosting our annual spring cleanup from Friday 4/19 through Saturday 4/20/19, 8am until 6pm.

Cell phones and accessories, both automotive and household batteries, Ink/toner cartridges, Old computers, printers, monitors, accessories,

Shred-it truck will be on site to securely dispose of your personal documents. Shred-it puts your mind at ease and discard your documents properly.

Please call 770-964-2244 extension 401





#### Let Us Check the Stability of Your Deck, It's Free!!!

Starting April 1<sup>st</sup>, the **City of Fairburn Building Department** will offer to our citizens a free courtesy deck inspection. Request are made by calling 770-964-2244 extension 401, inspections are scheduled for next day after the request.





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