

CITY OF
DAWSONVILLE

Special Points
of Interest:

- City Council Meeting, Monday, April 5, 2010, 5:00 pm
- City Planning Commission Meeting, Monday, April 19, 2010 at 5:30 pm
- Dawson County Board of Commissioners regular meeting 6 pm the 1st & 3rd Thursday of each month
- Dawson County Board of Commissioners work session 4 pm the 2nd & 4th Thursday of each month
- Dawson County Planning Commission 6 pm the 3rd Tuesday of each month

NOTE: All meetings are held at City Hall in the GL "Pete" Gilleland Council Chambers. The public is invited to attend.

**Elected Officials
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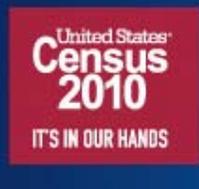
Dawsonville Profile

City News for the Residents of Dawsonville

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The Census is Coming—Look for yours in Mid-March!



Each question helps to determine how more than \$400 billion will be allocated to communities across the country.

That's why it's so important that you fill in the form and promptly mail it back. Census information affects the numbers of seats your state occupies in the U.S. House of Representatives. And people from many walks of life use census data to advocate for causes, rescue disaster victims, prevent diseases, research markets, locate pools of skilled workers and more.

When you do the math, it's easy to see what an accurate count of residents can do for your community. Better infrastructure. More services. A brighter tomorrow for everyone. In fact, the information the census collects helps to determine how more than \$400 billion dollars of federal funding each year is spent on infrastructure and services like:

- Hospitals
- Job training centers
- Schools
- Senior centers
- Bridges, tunnels and other-public works projects
- Emergency services

Participation isn't just important—it's mandatory.

Important Census Dates

March 2010 Census forms are mailed or delivered to households

April 1st 2010 National Census Day. Use this day as a point of reference for sending your

completed forms back in the mail

April - July 2010 Census takers visit households that did not return a form by mail

This years census is comprised of 10 questions.

Census Questions

- 1) How many people were living or staying in this house, apartment, or mobile home on April 1, 2010?
- 2) Were there any additional people staying here April 1, 2010 that you did not include in Question 1?
- 3) Is this house, apartment, or mobile home: owned with mortgage, owned without mortgage, rented, occupied without rent?
- 4) What is your telephone number?
- 5) Please provide information for each person living here. Start with a person here who owns or rents this house, apartment, or mobile home. If the owner or renter lives somewhere else, start with any adult living here. This will be Person 1. What is Person 1's name?
- 6) What is Person 1's sex?
- 7) What is Person 1's age and Date of Birth?
- 8) Is Person 1 of Hispanic, Latino or Spanish origin?
- 9) What is Person 1's race?
- 10) Does Person 1 sometimes live or stay somewhere else?

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Office Hours

Monday—Friday

8:00 am—4:30 pm

**Georgia Racing Hall of
Fame Museum Hours:**

Mon.-Fri. 10-4

Sat. 10-2

Sun. 12-4

**No Charge for
Admission**

**For after hours
water or sewer
system
emergencies
please call:**

**(706) 974-7688 or
(706) 429-6211**

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Community Easter Egg Hunt

Parks & Rec and Kare for Kids Egg Hunt
Saturday, April 3

Veterans Memorial Park—Football Field
Hwy. 9 North

Easter
Bunny
Photos

FREE Admission

Activities begin at 1 p.m.

Egg Hunt begins promptly at 4 p.m.

Egg Hunt Age Groups: (0-1) (2-3), (4-6), (7-9), (10-12)

Hotdog Eating Contest!	Inflatable Bounce House & Moonwalk	Over 15,000 Eggs! Prize Eggs	Concessions for sale Train Rides
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Golf Tournament

Dawson County Sheriff's Department has teamed up with the Georgia Jail Association to help host a golf tournament - Proceeds to benefit the Georgia Sheriff's Youth Homes.



Monday, April 12, 2010
Chestatee Golf Course
10:00 a.m.—Shotgun Start

**Interested golfers, teams, and
sponsors should contact:**

First Lieutenant Frank Sosebee
Third Vice-President of GJA
19 Tucker Ave., Dawsonville
Email: sosebee@dawsoncountysheriff.org
706-344-3535
gjaonline.com

\$\$ Shop Local! \$\$



Did you ever think about the fact that by shopping local you are actually putting money back into your own pocket? It's true. Our local city and county governments receive funding from several local sources including permitting and

licensing fees, as well as property tax and local sales tax. When you shop with a local merchant, 3 cents on every dollar comes back to local governments and the school system. When you do find yourself conducting business outside of our county, look at the bottom of your sales receipt to see how much money you are taking from Dawsonville and Dawson County and leaving somewhere else.

In these challenging economic times, it is more important than ever to realize the value of shopping local. You are also supporting a local merchant who provides jobs to our fellow citizens and who hopefully uses a local bank and shops local for his or her own needs. When local revenue from sales tax is good, the less likely it is that our property taxes will have to be increased to make up the difference. Yes, what's good for local government is good for you and me, so doing business locally really is putting money back into our own pockets!

Linda Williams
President – Dawson Co. Chamber of Commerce

**City Hall will be closed on
Friday, April 2nd in obser-
vance of Good Friday.**

2010 Yard Sales

8 a.m. – 1 p.m.

**Location: GRHOF
City Hall
415 HWY 53 E
Dawsonville**



April 10	May 8	June 12
Sep 11	Oct 9	Nov 13

Yard Sale Spaces: \$10.00 each.

Set up at 7:00 a.m.

Must provide your own table.

Register and pay before set up.

Not responsible for damages.

Call to reserve a space: (770) 893-3407