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Communication For Our Customers and Community



Team Thomasville will have a lot to celebrate October 7-11! The City of Thomasville will celebrate Public Power Week and Public Natural Gas Week, which recognizes the importance of locally owned utilities. In addition, we will also recognize National Customer Service Week and Fire Prevention Week. In honor of all these great events, we invite you, our valued customers, to celebrate with us on October 8th at our Celebration of Service.

This event is our way of thanking you, our customers and our community, for allowing Team Thomasville to serve you. Various City of Thomasville departments will be at The Ritz Amphitheater during the event with prizes, giveaways, and light refreshments. City vehicles will be staged at the Trinity Anglican Church parking lot for a Touch-A-Truck event, something the little ones are sure to love. Bring your family and join the City of Thomasville and CNSNext staff on Tuesday, October 8th from 5 to 7 pm.

For more information on the celebration, please contact [Chelsie Cosby](#), your Customer Experience Liaison!

## THOMASVILLE RECEIVED DOWNTOWN AWARDS



Members of the City of Thomasville recently accepted two awards from the Georgia Downtown Association. The awards were given in recognition of the Creative District Vision Plan and the West Jackson Streetscape Project. The first award recognizes the Creative District Vision Plan for Best Design/Placemaking Project. The second award Thomasville received is for the West Jackson Streetscape Project in recognition of Outstanding Promotional Campaign. While these awards were received by City staff this year, both projects have been in the works for several years and are representative of the support of our entire staff and community.

[For more information on these awards, click here.](#)

## JOIN US FOR LET'S DISCUSS... WHY SMALL BUSINESS IS A BIG DEAL



The City of Thomasville has launched a three-part public outreach series that is designed to help citizens understand the multiple components that help to build a strong local economy. The final session, "Let's Discuss...Why Small Business is a Big Deal", will be held on Tuesday, September 24th from 6:00-7:00 pm in Council Chambers at the Thomasville Municipal Building, located at 144 E. Jackson Street.

In this session, we'll discuss Thomasville's *Main Street City* designation and how important small business is for our area. We hope you'll make plans to join us for this informative event.

For more information about this session or the "Let's Discuss..." series, please contact [Sherri Nix, Public Outreach Manager](#).

## WEST JACKSON STREETScape PROJECT UPDATE

The West Jackson Streetscape project continues to move along wonderfully! Crews remain on schedule for a November completion. We are proud to report that:

- Construction of the sidewalks on the south side of the 300 block continues and is almost complete!
- The mid-block crossing in the 200 block of West Jackson Street was completed earlier this month.
- The lighting for the commemorative wall was installed.
- Handrails were installed between Element Style Bar and Davis Shoe Repair and between Waldrep's Service Cleaners and Kreamkles. These handrails provide additional safety for pedestrians in this area, where the grade of the sidewalk in these areas is a little steeper than other areas.
- The **#ShopToItWestJack** promotion ended with Tereather Smith of Thomasville taking home the grand prize of \$250 in Downtown Dollars!
- While the promotion has ended, we still encourage the community to come out to see the progress on West Jackson Street and to shop and dine with the area merchants.



[For more information and continued updates on this project, please click here.](#)

## CITY OF THOMASVILLE TOURISM DEPARTMENT RECEIVES AWARD



The City of Thomasville tourism department recently received the Paul Broun Award for Marketing Initiatives at the Georgia Governor's Tourism Conference in LaGrange. The award was given in recognition of the 2018 #fallinlovewithville social media campaign. During the campaign, the community and visitors posted images of what they love about Thomasville and Thomas County, using the designated campaign hashtag. The response to last year's campaign was overwhelmingly positive, and our tourism department is excited to bring the campaign back at the end of this month. Photo submissions for the 2019 campaign will be accepted Friday, September 27th through Wednesday, October 23rd. We hope to see your photos showing off how you #fallinlovewithville.

[To learn more about the Paul Broun Award and the #fallinlovewithville campaign, click here!](#)

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## ADD EXTRA SAFETY TO YOUR HOME WITH AN OUTDOOR SECURITY LIGHT!

Did you know that the City of Thomasville offers outdoor security lights to our customers for added safety and comfort in and around your home? For a low monthly fee, the City of Thomasville can add and maintain a security light on your property. Security lights can add extra lighting where you need it most, especially on those dark nights when a porch light just may not be enough.

Interested in adding a security light to your home? Contact us today at 229-227-7001.



## PUBLIC MEETINGS & EVENTS CALENDAR

9/23: 8:30 a.m. - Payroll Development Authority Meeting  
9/23: 6:00 p.m. - City Council Meeting  
9/24: 6:00 p.m. - Let's Discuss... Why Small Business is a Big Deal  
10/1: 8:00 a.m. - Main Street Advisory Board Meeting  
10/2: 10:00 a.m. - Land Bank Authority Meeting  
10/7: 5:30 p.m. - Planning and Zoning Board Meeting  
10/8: 10:00 a.m. - Historic Preservation Commission Meeting  
10/8: 5:00 p.m. - Celebration of Service Event  
10/8: 11:00 a.m. - Planning Committee Meeting  
10/9: 8:30 a.m. - Utilities Committee Meeting  
10/9: 10:00 a.m. - Architectural Review and Zoning Appeals Board Meeting  
10/9: 11:00 a.m. - Public Safety Committee Meeting  
10/9: 2:00 p.m. - Public Works Committee Meeting  
10/9: 4:00 p.m. - City Council Workshop  
10/10: 9:00 a.m. - Downtown Development Authority Meeting  
10/10: 6:00 p.m. - Airport Advisory Board Meeting  
10/14: 12:00 p.m. - Thomasville/Thomas County Recreation Board Meeting  
10/14: 6:00 p.m. - City Council Meeting  
10/17: 11:00 a.m. - City/County Landfill Committee Meeting  
10/23: 4:00 p.m. - City Council Workshop  
10/28: 8:30 a.m. - Payroll Development Authority Meeting  
10/28: 6:00 p.m. - City Council Meeting

[A full meeting calendar is available here.](#)



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