



COMMUNITY NEWS

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Joe Piper, Mayor

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The Statham Police Department would like to thank the citizens for their generous donations for Adventure Bags.

The Statham Police Department is a designated drop off location for anyone who wants to donate to Adventure Bags Inc.

Each month the Police Department will be collecting certain items (to help keep confusion down on the needs).

For the months of October, November, and December, we will be collecting new bookbags, blankets, and small new stuffed animals (ie: beanie baby size) as well as small stocking stuffer size toys.

Feel free to drop them by the Statham Police Department at 1906-C Railroad St. during regular business hours (Mon- Fri. 8-5).



Shop with a Cop

For Christmas this year, The Statham Police Department has been invited to join the Barrow County Sheriffs Office, Barrow County Emergency Services, City of Winder, City of Braselton, and City of Auburn to help local children have a wonderful Christmas through the annual "Shop with a Cop" program.

Shop with a Cop is an attempt to pair a child with a police officer in a positive situation such as shopping for Christmas presents. The cost is divided giving the child opportunity pick out needed clothing items and toys for themselves and also items for family members and siblings.

The Children are chosen through the school counselors and resource officers from the local schools here in Statham. (Statham Elementary School and Bear Creek Middle School)

This year, due to the Covid-19 and canceling of our local festival, The Statham Police Department has not been able to do any fundraising.

If you are a business and would like to donate, we will make you a sponsor and add a shout out to your business through our website and social media during the Holiday Season.

Every \$250 donated will take one child shopping.

All donors will receive a tax receipt by mail. 100% of your donation will be used for the Statham Police Shop with a Cop and help a child right here in our community.

If you would like to make a donation or have any questions regarding the Shop with a Cop program, email Tracie Pollard at traciepollard@stathampd.com or call 770-725-5992 ext. 2009

Council & Committee Meeting Schedule

The Work session meeting is Thursday, Oct. 8 at 6:30 PM. Council meeting is Tuesday, Oct. 20 at 7:00 PM.

These meetings are open to the public and you are encouraged to attend to stay informed about what is happening in your community.

Halloween Decorating Contest

Attention Statham Businesses:

Show your Halloween Spirit!

Decorate your business for a chance to win one-month free advertising in the newsletter and the bragging rights to the

"BEST Decorated Business Award"

and other stuff we can add stuff here later

The holiday committee will judge decorations on Monday October 19, 2020.

Announcing Statham's First Annual Halloween Decorating Contest!

All Statham residents and businesses are invited to participate in our first annual Halloween decorating contest. We'll be looking for the best decorated porches, yards, and storefronts inside the city limits.


Applications can be picked up at City Hall or by emailing Susan Martin at buffingtonmartin@outlook.com.

All participants should have their decorations up by Monday, October 19th, and the winners will be announced on Monday, October 26th. Winners will be featured in the city newsletter and on the city's Facebook page. Come help us turn Statham into Halloweentown this October!

For more information, please contact Statham City Hall at 770-725-5455.

Anyone with a Statham address is welcome to enter the contest, just come by City Hall for an application.





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NOTARY SERVICES WILL BE \$2.00

WATER BILL

DATES TO REMEMBER Your water bill is due on the 15th of each month, on the 16th there will be a 10% late fee added. If your bill is not paid in full on or by the 20th, you will be subject to disconnection on the 21st.

****WATER METERS**** Please be aware that water meters have antennas. Please mow cautiously around the meters to avoid damage. Damage to the meters will result in a charge of \$185 or greater.

****LIMB PICK-UP**** This service is available for branches under 4 inches in diameter and 4 feet long. Your pile needs to be no higher than 3 feet by 4 feet. Please place at the edge of the road, away from power lines and call City Hall to request a pick up, 770-725-5455. We will be glad to quote you a price on larger jobs, just give us a call.

****PAY ON LINE**** Our Pay -On -Line service is back up and running! You can link there from the bottom of our web page www.cityofstatham.com

You can also set up paperless billing using the pin number provided on your water bill.