

CITY OF EAST DUBLIN NEWSLETTER MAY/JUNE 2026

SENIOR CITIZENS GARBAGE FEE

It is time to renew your senior citizens reduced garbage fee benefit. If you are currently being exempt from paying garbage fees or receiving a reduced garbage fee each month, you must present proof of age and sign an updated form to continue to receive this benefit. This benefit is for residential customers only. **You must be 65 years old or older, owner or primary renter of residence and living in the home to receive this benefit. You must come in with proof of age by June 15, 2026 or the monthly sanitation fee of \$17.83 will be added back to your July 1, 2026 bills.** The forms are available at City Hall, Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. till 5:00 p.m. **This is your responsibility!**

MANDATORY HOUSE NUMBERS

It is a City Ordinance that all houses must have a house number posted on the house and the numbers be at least three inches (3") in height to be clearly visible from the street. This is for your protection in the event of an emergency.

WE CAN'T HELP YOU IF WE CAN'T FIND YOU!

Together, we can minimize, if not eliminate the chronic addressing problem. Seconds count and may save you or someone you love! We strongly encourage you to order and install one of our reflective address signs today. It helps us help you when an emergency occurs.

Contact the East Dublin Fire Department to order your 6" x 18" Reflective Sign! The cost is \$20.00 with installation available. If interested, contact the East Dublin Fire Department at 478-272-3564.

TORNADO SIRENS

The City of East Dublin is having mechanical problems with our tornado sirens and we want to make sure our East Dublin community stays informed about potential bad weather during the time our sirens are down.

In order to receive emergency alerts and severe weather warnings that could directly impact you and your family please visit Laurens County Government's website at laurensco.ga.org to sign up for their alert system called **Hyper-Reach**. This system provides many ways you can receive emergency alerts by text message, email, pager, or voice mail (in extreme cases), based on your preferences. This is a great way to stay inform!

OFF ROAD VEHICLES

As summer approaches and kids get out of school, please be aware that it is illegal to ride off road vehicles, like golf carts, four-wheelers and side-by-sides on city streets. If you are pulled over while riding an off-road vehicle by the East Dublin Police Department you will receive a citation and your off-road vehicle will be towed.

UTILITY BILL PAYMENT OPTIONS

At City Hall, Drive-thru or Drop Box: Located at City Hall at 116 Savannah Ave., East Dublin, GA 31027, available Monday – Friday from 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM. We accept cash, check, card, or money orders.

- * Please note that the drop box is always open.
- * Check or money orders can be mailed to City of East Dublin, 116 Savannah Ave, East Dublin, GA 31027
- * Sign up for Bank Draft – at no extra charge and will be taken out on 10th of month
- * On-Line at cityofeastdublin.org – Official Website
- * A \$2.00 convenience fee added to all on-line payments.
- * If you wish to pay only the past due amount you will need to come into City Hall.
- * The city will no longer send out past due water bill notices. Your monthly bill will be the only notice you will receive as payment due.

GARBAGE SERVICE - FYI

ALL bags of household garbage must be placed inside your city issued garbage cart on your scheduled collection day. If bags are left beside your cart, they WILL NOT be picked up and if an animal(s) rips into and scatters the contents of the bags left beside the cart, it will be your responsibility to clean up. If you see that you are generating more garbage than your one cart can hold, please contact the City Hall at 478-272-6883 to request an additional cart. Please note that there is an additional monthly charge for the extra cart.

Now that summer is here, the garbage truck will be getting an early start. Please place carts next to the road the night before your scheduled pick up to ensure your cart gets emptied.

NON-HOUSEHOLD GARBAGE PICK UP

Yard debris or other material **MUST** be placed at the edge of the road and separated as follows:

Leaves, pine straw and small shrub trimmings

Appliances and/or metal

Furniture, mattresses, carpet, etc.

Limbs, tree branches, large shrub trimmings. All limbs must

Be cut so as not to exceed four (4) feet in length and six (6) inches

In diameter

You must call City Hall at 478-272-6883 to request pickup of any of the above items.

PLEASE NOTE: If, a contractor cuts tree(s) down, the contractor is responsible for the disposal of tree(s) and all debris associated with cutting down tree(s).