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City of Augusta offices closed in observance of New Year's Day

AUGUSTA, GA (Dec. 29, 2021) – In observance of the New Year's Day holiday, many of the City of Augusta offices will be closed on Friday, Dec. 31. However, below is a list of operating hours for key services during the holiday:

The Augusta Municipal Building

The Augusta Municipal Building will be closed New Year's Eve. The facility will reopen during normal business hours on Monday, Jan. 3.

Augusta 311

The Augusta 311 Center will continue normal operating hours of 8:30am-5pm on New Year's Eve. However, the Center will be closed New Year's Day.

Augusta Utilities

All Augusta Utilities offices, including both customer service locations, will be closed Friday, Dec. 31. Offices will resume normal operating hours of 8:30am-5pm on Monday, Jan. 3. If there is an emergency not related to billing, please call 706-842-3060.

Augusta Landfill:

The Augusta Landfill will be open New Year's Eve from 6am-5pm. However, the facility will be closed New Year's Day.

Trash collection:

There will be normal collection services for garbage, recycling, yard waste, and bulky waste on New Year's Eve. There will be no delays in garbage collection services, and residents are asked to place carts at the street curb on your normal day of service.

Live, flocked, or artificial Christmas trees will be collected the first two full weeks in January. Residents should set their Christmas trees at the street curb by 6am on their normal day of service. Everything must be removed from the tree, including decorations, lights, and the tree stand. Richmond County residents who participate in the Environmental Services Garbage Collection Program will have their used Christmas trees collected for free.

Parks and Recreation Department

The Administrative office, all community centers, the Augusta Aquatic Center, the Newman Tennis Center, athletic offices, the rental offices, and Henry H. Brigham Swim Center will be closed New Year's Eve and New Year's Day. However, all public parks will remain open from dawn to dusk.

Augusta Transit

All nine fixed routes and demand response services operated by Augusta Transit and Richmond County Transit will operate regular scheduled services on New Year's Eve. However, passengers are encouraged to note the last buses scheduled to run when making their travel plans. In addition, there will be no transit service on New Year's Day. For more information on bus schedules, call 706-821-1719 between 6am-6pm Monday through Saturday. View the complete holiday schedule below:

Last Buses from the Broad Street Transit Center:

Route #1 Blue Line - Walton Way: 5:10pm

Route #3 Gold Line - East Augusta: 8pm

Route #4 Purple Line - Turpin Hill: 6:30pm

Route #5 Green Line - Washington Rd: 5:50pm

Route #6 Brown Line - Gordon Hwy: 7pm

Route #7 Pink Line - Augusta Mall: 7pm

Last Buses from the Gordon Highway Transit Point (Deans Bridge Rd):

Route #8 Orange Line - Barton Chapel: 7pm

Route #9 Red Line - Lumpkin Rd: 6pm

Last Bus from the Social Security Administration:

Route #2 Grey Line - West Parkway: 5:10pm

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