Hawkinsville
PULASKI COUNTY

Welcome to our eighteenth edition of "What's going on at HOME" a monthly newsletter of the Hawkinsville-Pulaski Chamber of Commerce. This newsletter will feature news and happenings in and around our community. If you have an article that you would like to share with the community, please feel free to submit it to the Chamber office. Deadline for submission to be included in the next newsletter will be May 14, 2021. It can be dropped by or emailed to info@hawkinsvillechamber.org

What's going on at HOME

#comehometohawkinsville

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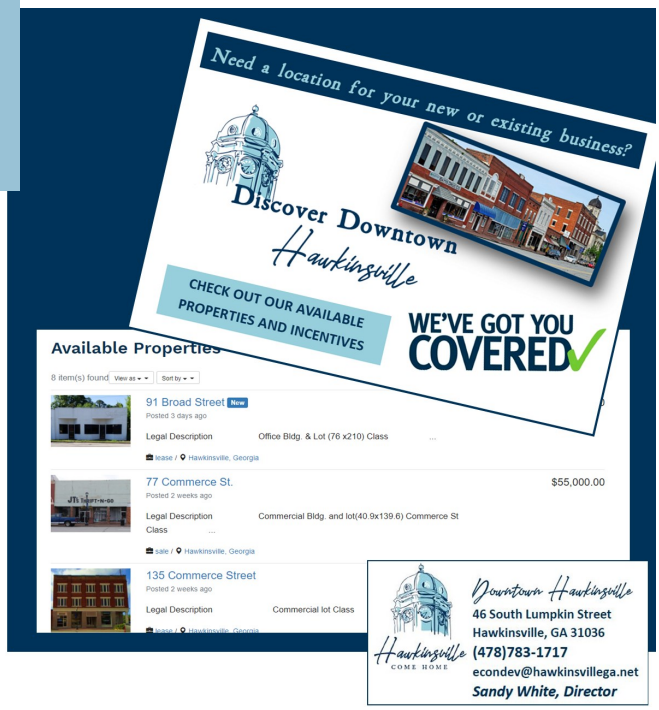
New webpage launched to help advertise available properties in downtown

Visit www.hawkinsville-pulaski.org/downtown/ and see what properties are available in the downtown district. Also check out the incentives available for purchase, rehab and job creation. Have a building in the downtown district you want listed then contact Sandy for more details.



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Planters First Bank Celebrating 125 Years

SunMark Community Bank Come Home to Banking.

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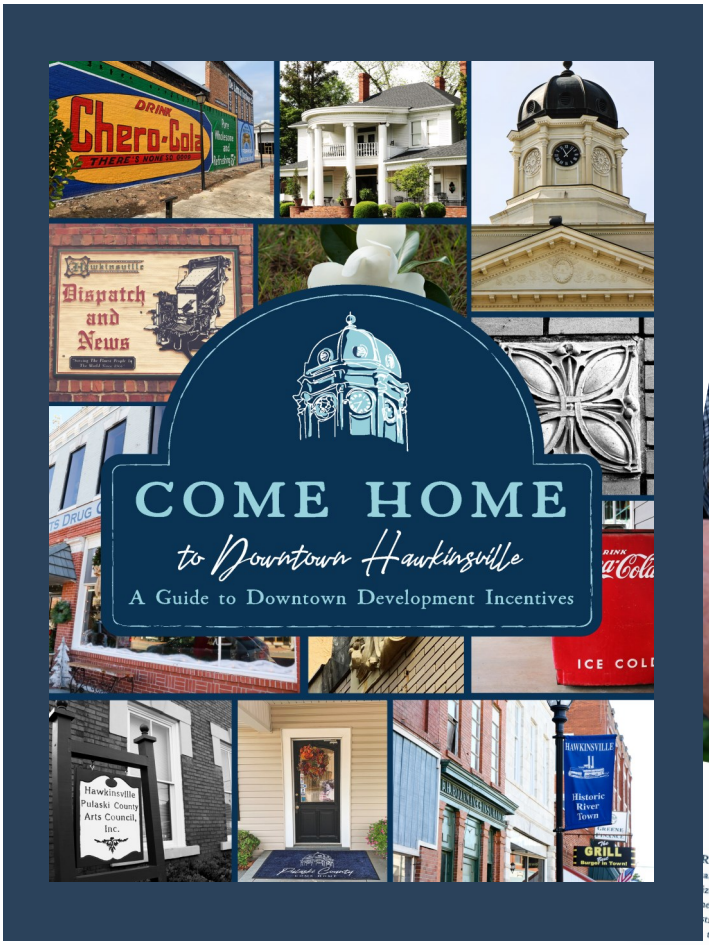
DOWNTOWN INCENTIVES



Local Tax Incentive

R.U.R.A.L ZONE

Rural Zone Incentives Include:

Employment Tax Credits

- Eligible businesses can claim a $2,000 tax credit per new full-time equivalent job with the total credit not to exceed $40,000 per year
- Eligible applicants must create two full-time equivalent jobs
- Eligible businesses include professional services or retail
- Credit can be taken for five consecutive years as long as jobs are maintained

Rehabilitation Tax Credits

- Equivalent to 30% of qualified rehabilitation costs not to exceed $150,000
- Credit should be prorated equally in three installments over three taxable years
- To qualify, projects must create a minimum of two full-time equivalent jobs

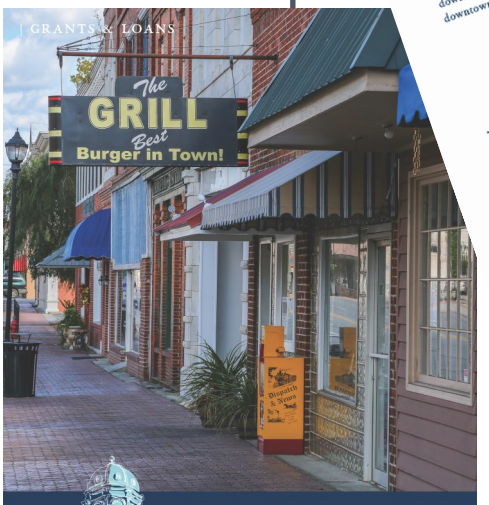
Investment Tax Credits

DOWNTOWN FAÇADE GRANT PROGRAM

The Hawkinsville Downtown Development Authority (DDA) has established a grant program to encourage aesthetic exterior improvements to properties in Downtown Hawkinsville and to promote economic development in the downtown district. This grant program is intended to restore and preserve downtown properties and to encourage projects that are compatible with the downtown's historic character.

Eligible Projects Include:

- Painting, cleaning, and repair of masonry
- Repair or replacement of architectural features, doors, and windows
- Signs (new, repairs or replacement)
- Exterior lighting (new, repairs, or replacement)
- Awnings (new, repairs, or replacement)
- Removing inappropriate or incompatible exterior finishes or materials
- Restoring exterior finishes or materials
- Repairing or replacing windows (windows cannot be tinted)
- Display area lighting
- Window boxes or permanent planters
- Removal of false fronts, metal canopies, and additions that detract from the building's historical and architectural character



DOWNTOWN HAWKINSVILLE LOANS

In addition to façade grants, the Hawkinsville DDA offers loans of up to $8,500 to eligible downtown property owners. Repaid through regular monthly payments to the DDA, these funds are available to assist property owners with the costs of renovating and restoring downtown buildings.

- Research and Development Tax Credit | Available to companies that spend more on qualified research in Georgia; credit is a percentage of that spending increase
- Film, Television and Digital Entertainment Tax Credit | Up to 30% of money spent on production and post-production in Georgia, minimum spending amount $500,000
- Musical Tax Credit | Up to 20% on qualified production expenditures, minimum spend $500,000 for musical or theatrical performances; $250,000 for synchronized recorded musical performance; $100,000 for any other recorded musical performance
- One Georgia Grants
- Quick Start training available for employees at no cost to qualified businesses.

Check out our new publication that contains information on all of the incentives available for property and business owners that locate in our downtown. This publication highlights our new rural zone program and others. If anyone is interested in participating in any of these programs, let Sandy know at econdev@hawkinsvillega.net or call (478)783-1717.

Follow this link to download your own copy @ https://issuu.com/rsvpstudio/docs/hawkinsville_incentive_report

NEW MEMBER

Holistic health coaching restoring spiritual, physical and emotional health to pastors, ministry staff and missionaries around the world.

Amanda VanLandingham—Founder and CEO
64 First Street, Hawkinsville, GA 31036
(478)787-2890, email: Amanda @ serving forward.org

UPCOMING EVENTS

EVENT: 5K RUN/WALK

Start Time: 8:00am EDT **End Time:** 10:00am EDT

Price: $25.00 Race Fee + $2.45 Signup Fee

Registration: Price increases to $30.00 after April 26, 2021 at 11:59pm EDT

Friday, April 23, 2021 at 7 PM EDT – 8:30 PM EDT

Come enjoy a great meal under the stars in the unfinished greenhouse! An experience you won't want to miss! Dinner and dessert with friends while learning all about Serving Forwards mission and goals. You can even learn how you can be a part of it! A great date night. $25 a person or reserve a table of 6 for $125 through PayPal: amanda@servingforward.org Must RSVP and prepay by April 20th.

NEW MEMBER

Double D Property Solutions

We are the Georgia Real Estate Solution For Sellers, Investment Property Owners, And Tired Landlords. Find out why our integrity and diligence earns us the right to say, "We are a better solution than normal Georgia Property Managers"

How Do We Do It?

Simply put… Our primary purpose is rental investing. We don't divert our time to hundreds of houses. We give a lot attention to a few clients. Not the other way around. Tenants like it, Homeowners love it, Everyone is happy. We answer our own phone and take care of problems as fast as they arise to ensure a smooth operation.

CALL US!

(478) 256-9947

While 92% of restaurateurs say they are anxious about the next six months, the future is full of exciting developments for the industry. **Restaurants are entering a new era, investing in changes designed to make them more efficient and able to provide a frictionless customer experience, without being boxed in by a single revenue stream.**

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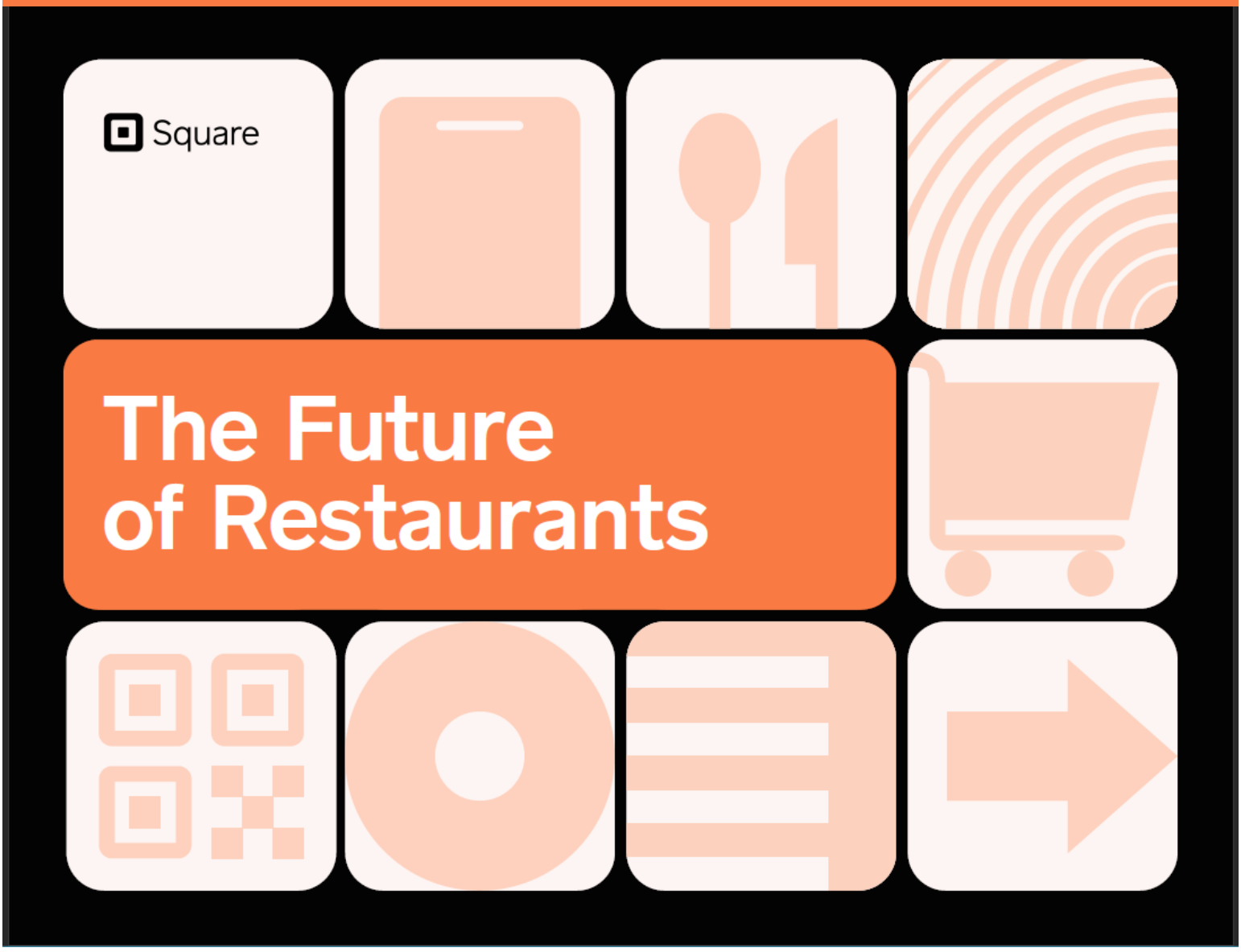
"Restaurants are embracing new channels for customers to interact with their business, effectively meeting them wherever they are."



Small Business Development Center
UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA

PRESENTS

RESTAURANT RESET

UGA launches Restaurant Reset series, provides support for Georgia restaurant owners

The University of Georgia Small Business Development Center (SBDC) is launching the Restaurant Reset series, designed to support restauranteurs in the areas necessary for their ventures to be successful. Over the course of seven sessions, attendees will be guided by a team of expert business consultants.

"Based on years of working with restaurant owners, we've seen several areas of opportunity for their growth," said Daniel McCoy, business consultant and Restaurant Reset presenter. "These topics were selected with that goal of growth in mind. Many of these presenters are former or current restaurant owners and all are subject-matter experts in their topics."

Sessions Include:

- **Finding a Loan / Alternative Financing – April 27**
- **Menu and Trend – May 11**
- **Finding and Retaining Employees – May 25**
- **Expanding Food Services – June 9**

"During a time when restaurant owners have been especially hard hit, it is important we continue to address the challenges Georgia's restaurant owners are experiencing," said Beth Melnik, associate state director. "The Restaurant Reset series provides guidance for restaurateurs and a community of support."

These sessions are being offered at **no-cost to attendees** due to funding from the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act. Pre-registration is required. To register, visit www.georgiasbdc.org/restaurant-reset.

The University of Georgia Small Business Development Center (SBDC) is designated as one of Georgia's top provides of small business assistance, providing 1:1 business consulting and continuing education training. With 18 offices across the state, there is a UGA SBDC location serving every community. The UGA SBDC is a Public Service and Outreach unit of the University of Georgia and is funded in part through a cooperative agreement with the U.S. Small Business Administration.

Retailers have been driven to go where customers have gone, focusing on selling across a variety of channels, known as omnichannel retailing. Big-box retailers used to dominate the omnichannel space. **But as consumers prioritize connection, convenience, and products they can't find anywhere else, local retailers are redefining what a successful omnichannel experience can look like for independent businesses. Learn more**

CLICK HERE

"Local retailers have advantages over big players, like Amazon and Walmart, in that they're physically close to their customers, and they offer a more curated and higher-quality selection of products. That creates opportunities to shine."

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SBDC StartSMART

2021 VIRTUAL SERIES

8 Modules | 4 weeks, 2 sessions each week for 2 hours

Begin with stamina - StartSMART!

Whether you are a new business (in business 2 years or less), or are still in the planning phase, building a business takes the right tools—and a ***lot*** of hard work. SBDC StartSMART will equip you to be successful!

This year's program is tailored to being held virtually to facilitate discussion, class engagement and mastery of content. Participation in StartSMART will also allow access to online business planning software. The program is facilitated by specially trained UGA SBDC consultants and a long-term relationship and follow-up consulting is available and encouraged.

$99

Hosted by: UGA SBDC Macon Office

Dates:

Every Tues./Thurs.
9:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

May 4 & 6 **May 11 & 13**
May 18 & 20 **May 25 & 27**

SBDC StartSMART Gets Results:

- Evaluate & refine your business concept
- Improve your knowledge of business concepts
- Research markets and competition
- Develop a financial forecast to improve chances of success
- Develop a thorough, practical business plan
- On-going consulting from SBDC professionals keeps you on track

MODULE 1	Business Success: How do we get there?	MODULE 5	Navigating Human Resources
MODULE 2	Opportunities & Solutions	MODULE 6	Operations & Managing by the Numbers
MODULE 3	Marketing for Success	MODULE 7	Management with a Plan
MODULE 4	Digital Marketing & Online Solutions	MODULE 8	Plan, Run, Review, Revise

www.georgiasbdc.org/startsmart

A Public Service and Outreach Unit of the University of Georgia. Funded in part through a Cooperative Agreement with the U.S. Small Business Administration.
All programs of the UGA SBDC are open to the public on a non-discriminatory basis. Reasonable accommodations for persons with disabilities will be made if requested at least two weeks in advance. Macon@georgiasbdc.org or call: 478-757-3609 or write: UGA SBDC in Macon, 4875 Riverside Dr. Suite 202, Macon, GA 31210.

Go to www.georgiasbdc.org/startsmart for complete details and to apply online. You may also contact Trudy Lawrence at (478) 757-3609 or email; tlawrence@georgiasbdc.org.

GET GEORGIA READING

Creating a Path to Literacy

According to Get Georgia Reading, a statewide literacy campaign, nearly six out of 10 children are not reading proficiently by the end of third grade. This statistic is important because the end of third grade marks the critical time when children shift from learning to read to reading to learn. Children unable to make this transition face serious barriers for future learning.

“Imagine being in the fourth grade, where the curriculum depends on your ability to read to learn—any subject, including math and science,” says Arianne Weldon, director of the Get Georgia Reading Campaign, which is coordinated by Georgia Family Connection Partnership. “Without knowing how to read, you fall further and further behind.”

And the news gets worse. Research shows that children who can’t read proficiently by the end of third grade are more likely to experience poor health, have discipline problems, become teen parents and drop out of high school. As adults, they’re more likely to spend time in prison, struggle with unemployment and face shorter life expectancies.

According to a study by Northeastern University, every student who doesn’t complete high school costs Georgia an estimated $292,000 in lost earnings, taxes and productivity. “Getting more kids to read proficiently by the end of third grade is a way to break the cycle of intergenerational poverty and improve our economic competitiveness and quality of life,” says Weldon.

To help tackle this issue, Weldon says that in 2013, more than 100 state and community leaders formed the Get Georgia Reading Campaign and created a framework for action to take on third grade reading as an urgent priority for children’s health, well-being and the future of our state. Get Georgia Reading’s framework has four pillars—language nutrition, access, positive learning climate and teacher preparation and effectiveness – that define the conditions that must be in place so that all children are on a path to literacy.

“We approach literacy as a systemic issue,” Weldon says. “Using the four-pillar framework as a guide, state and community partners explore data and research to craft strategies and adapt practices and policies to reach our universal goal—ensuring all children in Georgia are on a path to third grade reading proficiency, paving the way to improved outcomes throughout school and life.”

Georgia Tech Economic Development Administration University Center
Enterprise Innovation Institute

Wondering what comes next for your business? Let's figure it out together.

Many Georgia companies have shifted, pivoted, or adapted during the COVID-19 pandemic. Many business leaders and entrepreneurs are wondering: what comes next?

If you are interested in learning about strategies for quick adaptation to changed market conditions, reopening businesses, and/or establishing new businesses or lines of business, this Lean Recovery™ training workshop is for you. Join us for a 2-hour session where a Georgia Tech team of instructors will help you explore and evaluate possible paths forward utilizing various tools and techniques, including the **Business Model Canvas** and **Customer Discovery**.

During this workshop you will learn how to identify:

- new customer segments
- new distribution channel
- new revenue models
- potential new partners to expand capacity

SPEAKERS

Adam Hayes
Project Manager, Strategy and Leadership Development

Andy Helm
Project Manager, Strategy and Leadership Development

Brandy Nagel
Project Manager, Economic Development Lab

REGISTER

No charge to attend, but registration is required.

This project is funded by the Economic Development Administration (EDA), the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act grant.

Need project funding, here is a new opportunity

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Middle Georgia EDA Revolving Loan Fund

In 1992 with the assistance of the U.S. Economic Development Administration (EDA), the Middle Georgia Regional Commission developed the EDA Revolving Loan Fund (RLF) to support economic growth, job creation, and private investment. Since 1992, more than 58 businesses have received RLF financing. In July 2020, Middle Georgia Regional Commission was the recipient of additional funds to establish a second EDA RLF due to the economic impact of the coronavirus.

Program Goals

- Create new jobs and retain existing jobs.
- Increase the per capita income in the region.
- Further diversify the economy of the region.
- Overcome the lack of investment capital available to small businesses and start-ups.
- Provide financing for manufacturing and service companies.
- Promote the revitalization of downtown areas.
- Assist businesses owned and operated by women, minorities, and others who are economically disadvantaged.
- Promote the exportation of goods and services.
- Promote economic development and investment in rural areas.
- Assist the expansion and/or modernization of existing businesses.

Business Eligibility

- Located in one of the following counties: Baldwin, Crawford, Houston, Jones, Macon-Bibb, Monroe, Peach, Pulaski, Putnam, Twiggs, and Wilkinson.
- Independent for-profit corporation, partnership, or proprietorship.

Key Loan Terms

- Minimum Loan: $15,000
- Maximum Loan: $600,000
- Length of Loan: 1-20 years, depending on use of funds
- Competitive, fixed interest rates

Eligible Project Costs

- Purchase of land and/ or building
- Purchase of machinery and equipment
- Working capital
- Soft costs

Middle Georgia Regional Commission (478) 751-6160 lending@mg-rc.org

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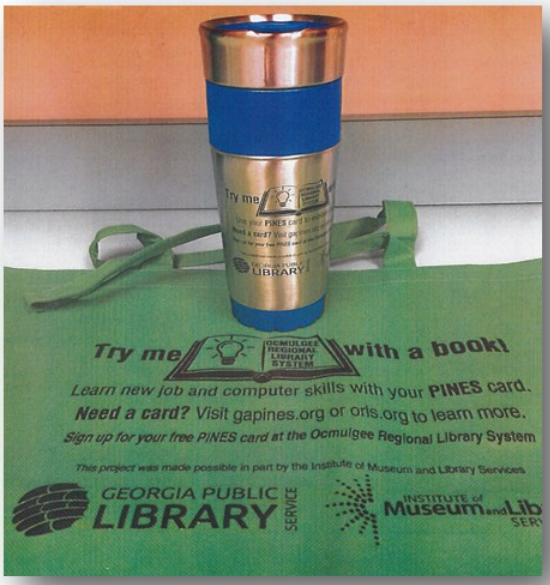
For a chance to win

PINES tumbler

Drawing is open to first-time PINES patrons only



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151 Commerce Street

Monday-Friday
11AM-5PM

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CGTC CONTINUING EDUCATION

AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE LEVEL I

Dates:	April 20 - June 22, 2021
Schedule:	Tuesdays & Thursdays • 6:00pm - 8:00 pm
Location:	Warner Robins Campus
Cost:	$195 per student

Central Georgia Technical College's Office of Continuing Education offers an American Sign Language (ASL) class for parents, professionals, and other interested individuals in central Georgia. This 38-hour course introduces the basics of American Sign Language, using the Signing Naturally course materials. This class emphasizes the development of American Sign Language communication skills, grammar, and the understanding of American deaf culture.

American Sign Language is the third most studied world language in the United States. American Sign Language is used by deaf and hard-of-hearing individuals, as well as their family members, friends, and colleagues.

To register, contact:

CGTC Continuing Education

ceinfo@centralgatech.edu

478.757.3445

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HAZARD COMMUNICATION

PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

FALL PROTECTION

FREE TRAINING COURSES

Course	Time	Date	Location
Powered Industrial Trucks (forklift)	8:30 AM - 5:00 PM	April 1	Macon Campus
	8:30 AM - 5:00 PM	April 6	Warner Robins Campus
	8:30 AM - 5:00 PM	April 20	Warner Robins Campus
	8:30 AM - 5:00 PM	April 29	Macon Campus
Fall Protection	9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	April 5	Warner Robins Campus
Lockout/Tagout	9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	April 7	Macon Campus
Stand-Up Powered Industrial Trucks	8:30 AM - 5:00 PM	April 8	Macon Campus
	8:30 AM - 5:00 PM	April 21	Macon Campus
Hand & Power Tools	9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	April 13	Warner Robins Campus
Hazard Communication	9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	April 13	Cisco Webex
Bloodborne Pathogens	9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	April 15	Macon Campus
Personal Protective Equipment	9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	April 22	Peach County WDC
Machine Guarding	9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	April 27	Warner Robins Campus
Ladder Safety	9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	April 29	Macon Campus

Available to targeted employers and workers in small MANUFACTURING, CONSTRUCTION, and TRANSPORTATION, AND WAREHOUSING companies in CGTC's eleven-county service area. *To qualify as a small business, employers must have 250 employees or less in a fixed location, or 500 employees or less corporate wide.*

Additional eligible individuals: temporary workers, young workers, minority and other hard-to-reach workers/low literacy, workers, limited English proficieny workers, workes in high-hazard industries and unemployed works.

Training is offered at multiple CGTC locations.

If requested, courses can also be delivered on-site at a company's facility.
TO REGISTER FOR CLASSES, CALL (478) 757-3550.

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OSHA 10 Hour for General Industry

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The OSHA 10 Hour for General Industry class provides an overview of the Occupational Safety and Health Administration and covers many of the 29 CFR 1910 OSHA General Industry Regulations. The training emphasizes hazard identification, avoidance, control, and prevention. The training also covers a variety of general industry safety and health hazards which a worker may encounter. This is a great class to cultivate a safety mindset among your workforce.

This OSHA 10 hour General Industry course is delivered over two days by an OSHA Authorized Trainer.

Required Topics

- Introduction to OSHA
- Walking & Working Surfaces, Including Fall Protection
- Electrical Safety
- Personal Protective Equipment
- Hazard Communication

Other Topics

- Hazardous Materials
- Materials Handling
- Machine Guarding
- Introduction to Industrial Hygiene
- Bloodborne Pathogens
- Ergonomics
- Safety & Health Program
- Fall Protection

CLASSROOM SCHEDULE

May 3 & 4, 2021
8:30 AM - 3:00 PM
2 Mandatory Days

COST

$225.00

LOCATION

VECTR Center
1001 S. Armed Forces Blvd.
Warner Robins, GA 31088

TO REGISTER, CONTACT

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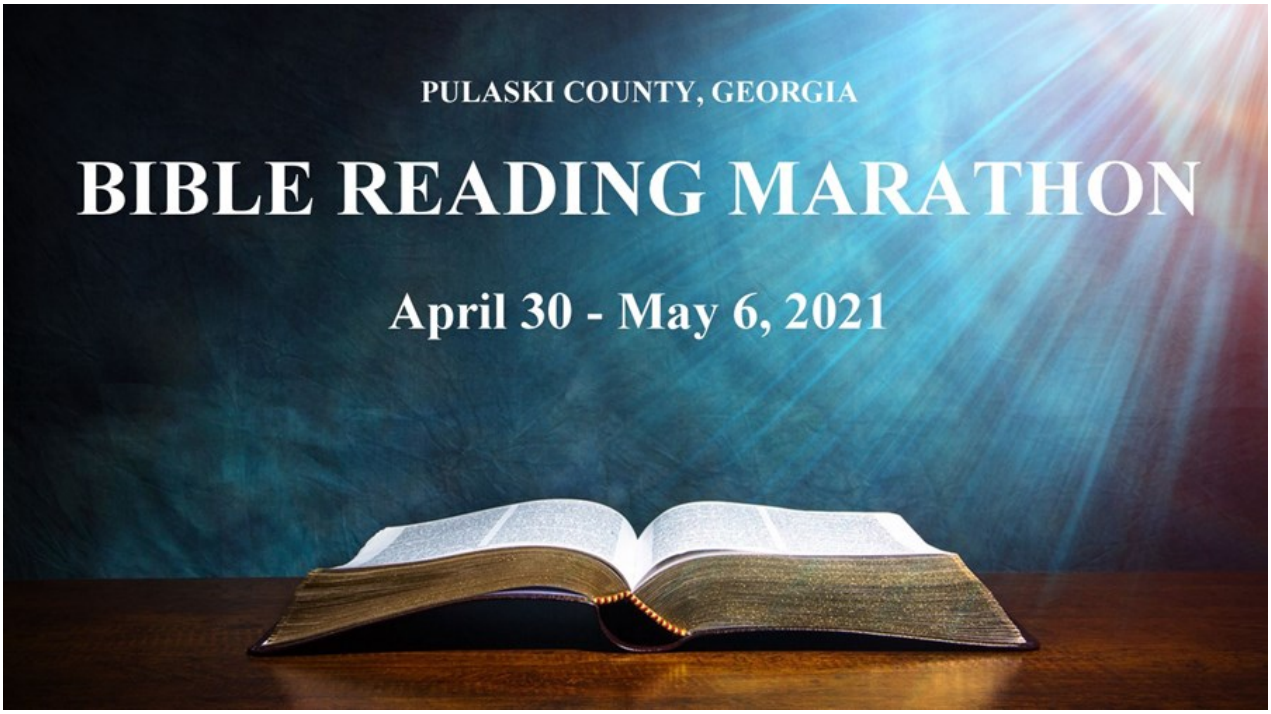

Event by Karen Broad Pierce, Marti Wynne, Jerri Tuck, and Jenna Mashburn

Pulaski County Courthouse

Apr 30 at 6 PM EDT – May 6 at 12 PM EDT

Why?

-Because "God has esteemed His Word even above all His Name" Psalms 138:2.
-To publicly honor the Lord and unite the community by openly proclaiming the only inspired Guide to prepare us to fulfill His Will.
-A marathon is an act of worship. Holding a Bible Reading Marathon to precede the National Day of Prayer has been very successful!
-Many groups of people will enjoy participating by volunteering as readers.
-Any questions? Contact Karen Pierce- private message, text or call: 256-990-9589

We are looking for Team Captains to help sign up volunteer readers for this event.
As for churches, businesses, families and groups think to take blocks of time and members come to read together. If someone or a family cannot come during that block of time contact me separately to sign up for when you can come. I need to hear ASAP as soon as your group decides to read to reserve your spots...
Each reader can read for **at least 15 minutes or longer**. Captains can be from groups, churches, family groups, or businesses!

The schedule looks like this!

Friday, April 30th, 2021
6pm with Opening Ceremony
FIRST READER: 7pm - Midnight
Saturday, May 1 6am - Midnight
Sunday, May 2 2pm-Midnight
Monday, May 3 6am—Midnight
Tuesday, May 4 6am-Midnight
Wednesday, May 5 6am-Midnight
Thursday, May 6th 8:30am – LAST READER STARTS AT 11:30
6pm- the National Day of Prayer 70th Anniversary Celebration

Agritourism GATHERINGS

Alex gives a chocolate tour at Finca Kobo in Costa Rica

REGISTER ONLINE

A Culinary Lens on Agritourism

Tuesday, April 20, 2021

9am Pacific daylight saving time; 12pm Eastern daylight saving time; 6pm Central European time; 6pm South Africa time; 9:30pm Indian time

Moderator: Katharine Millonzi, Millonzi Consulting

Speakers:
Jane Connelly, Program Manager, World Food Travel Association, Spain
Alex Retana Mena, Agriculturist and Dreamer, Finca Kobo, Costa Rica
Tom Morphew, CEO Full Circle Farms Sussex Ltd and The

Food is an ultimate connector and a big part of why we travel. We share stories, form relationships and build communities around the table, and through our culinary traditions. In this gathering, we will hear stories from around the world of the relationship between agritourism and cuisine. Our panelists include a cacao farmer in Costa Rica, a food tourism expert in Spain, and a regenerative farmer from the UK who works with chefs. They will describe how they foster experiences that embrace an authentic taste of place -- and attract tourists interested in supporting local foodways and rural livelihoods.

To request a disability-related accommodation to participate in this program, please contact Becky Bartlett at 802-257-7967 or Rebecca.Bartlett@uvm.edu so we may assist you.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Hawkinsville 2021

24 APRIL

Street Eats on Saturday

The newest addition to our event line up for 2021! Join us as we shut down South Lumpkin Street (between Broad and Commerce) and fill it with FOOD TRUCKS and a LIVE performance by **RIVERTOWN BREAKDOWN!** This event is going to be fun for the whole family.

Lumpkin Street Cruise In

Held on South Lumpkin Street in downtown Hawkinsville, come out and enjoy a day of Classic Cars! The road will be filled with all kind of cars to see, from old to new, plenty of food to fuel you up along with chances to win prizes in a raffle. Not a bad way to spend a Saturday.

15 MAY

10 July

River Rat Art Crawl

Join us while we partner with local artist to present the first ever River Rat Mid-Summer Tour of Arts, Culture and Cuisine. Take a peek inside some unique and creative spaces to view wonderful fine arts and crafts, meet local authors, see historic architecture and taste wholesome farm fresh food.

Peaches to the Beaches

This yard sale features official vendors selling everything from antiques, locally crafted items, food and the traditional yard sale fare. Official yard sites range from multi-organizational group sites to the official individual sites.

6&7 AUGUST

18 SEPTEMBER

Ocmulgee RiverFest

Check out your favorite classic cars at our car show, see what great finds you can discover perusing our vendors, take a chance and see if you can determine which rubber duck can win the race and end the night with a great concert and fireworks show.

For more information about these events, visit our Facebook: @chamberhawkinsville

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STREET EATS ON SATURDAY

Come join us as we close down Lumpkin Street (between Broad and Commerce) and fill it with

FOOD TRUCKS and LIVE MUSIC!!

APRIL 24 | 4PM UNTIL 8PM |

SOUTH LUMPKIN STREET

Featuring a live performance by

RIVERTOWN BREAKDOWN

Megan Fowler & the Misfits Concert
Saturday - May 1, 2021
Doors at 6:00 Show at 7:00pm Ticket $20
*transaction fees may apply/no refund or exchange

Hawkinsville Opera House
42 Lumpkin Street - Hawkinsville, GA 31036
478.783.1884 hawkinsvilleoperahouse.com

MAY 2021

CRUISE IN ON LUMPKIN ST

SATURDAY, MAY 15th ● 10AM til 2PM

SOUTH LUMPKIN STREET, HAWKINSVILLE, GA

HEAD ON DOWN TO LUMPKIN STREET ON MAY 15TH FOR OUR ANNUAL CRUISE IN CAR SHOW!! TONS OF CARS TO SEE, FOOD TO TASTE AND PRIZES TO WIN!

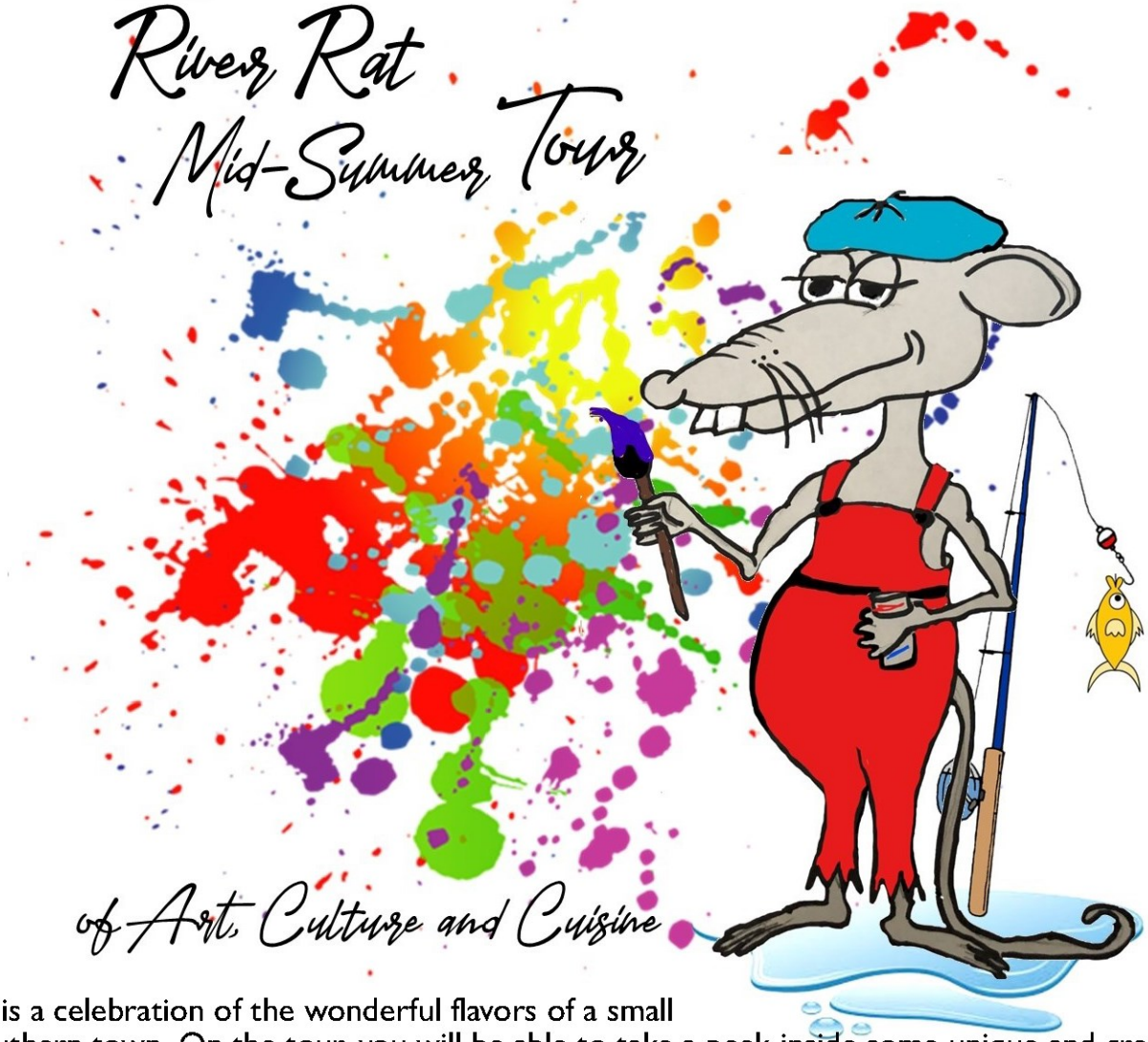
Hawkinsville
PULASKI COUNTY
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

SAVE THE DATE

JULY 10, 2021

10:00am-7:00pm

River Rat Mid-Summer Tour



of Art, Culture and Cuisine

… is a celebration of the wonderful flavors of a small Southern town. On the tour, you will be able to take a peek inside some unique and creative spaces to view wonderful fine arts and crafts, meet local authors, see historic architecture and taste wholesome farm fresh food.

Visitors will have the opportunity to buy original artwork from local artists, tour our historic 1907 Opera House and get a chance to win a handcrafted creation from a participating artist.

Stay tuned for more highlights of the artist's that will be featured on the tour. A detailed tour brochure will be available prior to the tour date that can be downloaded or printed out to provide directions to each location. We will post details and updates on the Chamber's Facebook page @chamberhawkinsville as well as on www.hawkinsvillechamber.org You don't want to miss this exciting new event!!

ABOUT R. J. TAYLOR MEMORIAL CARE FOUNDATION

Since July 30th, 1984, the R.J. Taylor Memorial Care Foundation has remained committed to the continuous improvement of health care and treatment through education and acquisition of new equipment. As the official fundraising arm of Taylor Regional Hospital, the Foundation develops programs and opportunities for interested individuals, corporations, service clubs and other organization to invest in patient care.

Rural Georgia hospitals face challenges with an ever evolving health care system but through your dedication and generosity, the growth of Taylor Regional Hospital is directly related to your support. Your generous support is needed to ensure the highest quality of health care will be available for future generations.

CONTACT DETAILS

For registration, contact
(229) 886-3203 or
trhhealthcare@gmail.com

Southern Hills GOLF CLUB

360 Warner Robins Hwy
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R.J. TAYLOR MEMORIAL CARE FOUNDATION GOLF TOURNAMENT

SOUTHERN HILLS GOLF CLUB

MAY 1, 2021

TAYLOR Regional Hospital

EVENT DETAILS

The second R.J. Taylor Memorial Care Foundation Golf Tournament will be held Saturday, May 1st, 2021 at Southern Hills Golf Club of Hawkinsville.

The Tournament is a four player team scramble and includes golf, green, cart fees, a box lunch and drink cart.

New this year!
Golfers, spouses, and friends of Taylor Regional are invited to return for the evening for a celebration dinner, music, and awards ceremony. Tickets are available through sponsorship packages or individual purchase.

REGISTRATION BEGINS	**9:00AM**
SHOTGUN START	**10:00AM**
BOX LUNCH	**11:30AM**
AWARDS & SEAFOOD DINNER CELEBRATION	**6:30PM**

CONTESTS

- Hole-in-One
- Longest Drive
- Closest to the Pin

TAYLOR Regional Hospital

SPONSORSHIP LEVELS

PLATINUM SPONSOR: $1,850
- One team(4 players) in golf tournament
- Hole sponsorship with logo
- Logo recognition throughout event
- Recognition at dinner and on media publications
- 8 tickets to dinner celebration

GOLD SPONSOR: $1,200
- One team (4 players) in golf tournament
- Hole sponsorship with logo
- Recognition at awards ceremony
- 4 tickets to dinner celebration

SILVER SPONSOR: $600
- One team (4 players) in golf tournament
- Hole sponsorship with logo

DRINK SPONSOR: $500
- Drink cart logo
- Recognition at awards ceremony and publications

TEAM: $400
- one (4 player) team

HOLE SPONSOR: $200
- Sign with logo at tee box

DINNER TICKETS: $100/COUPLE
- Dining for 2 at seafood dinner buffet
- Music and dancing
- Awards ceremony for golf tournament
- Cash bar

REGISTRATION

Please have sponsorship submitted by Friday, April 16th.

ORGANIZATION/NAME

PHONE NUMBER

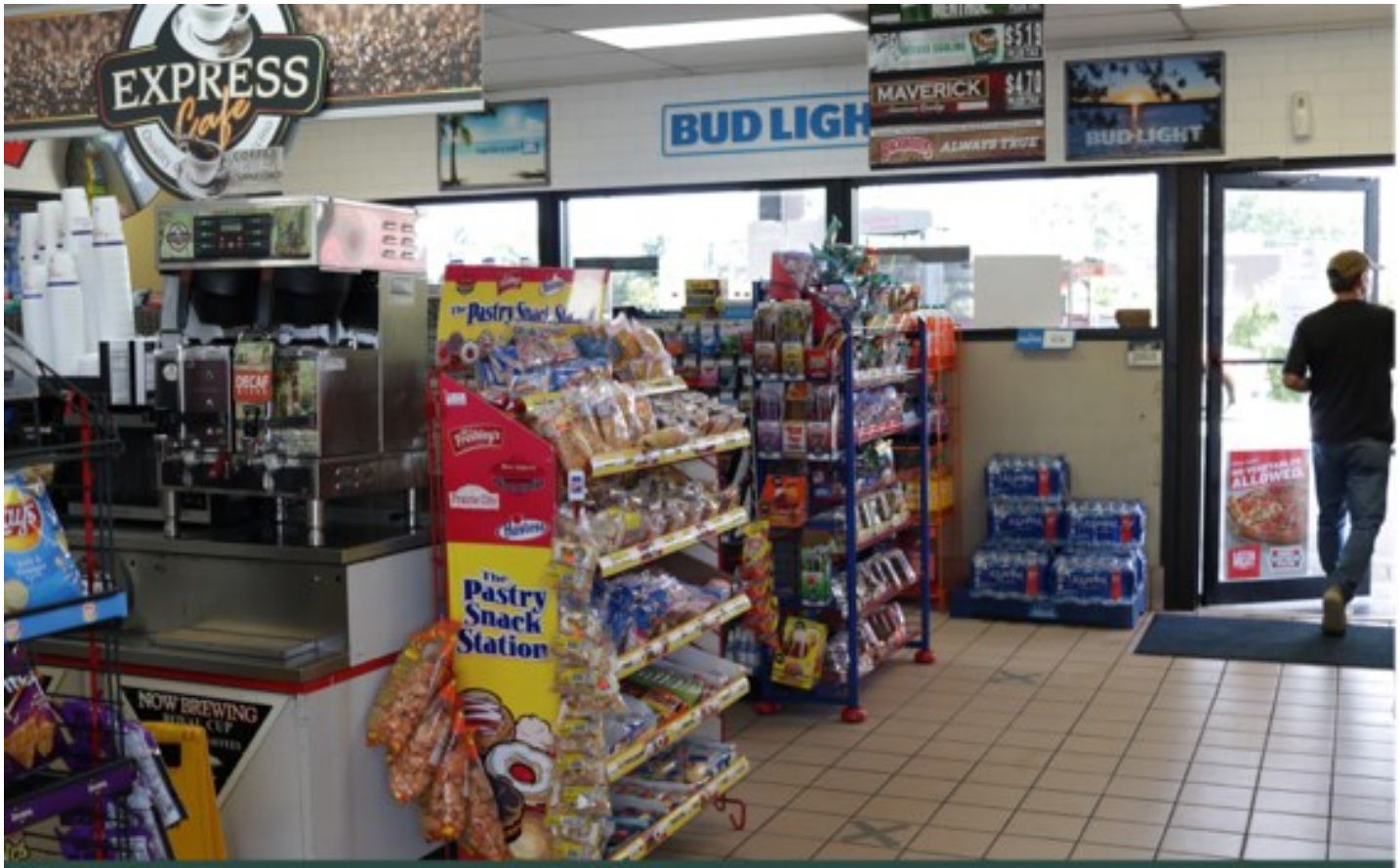
EMAIL ADDRESS

ADDRESS

SPONSORSHIP LEVEL

PLAYER NAMES

Return form with checks payable to
Taylor Memorial Care Foundation
P.O. Box 1297
Hawkinsville, GA 31036



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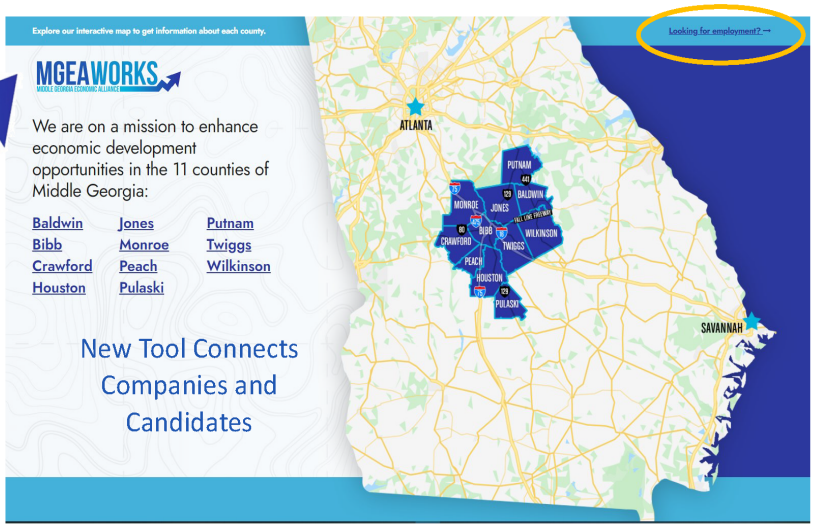
NEW JOB PORTAL



CLICK THIS LINK TO SEARCH MIDDLE GEORGIA AREA JOBS

A group of Development Authority execs have launched a regional platform to assist companies and job seekers to better connect.

The economic developers across the 11-county region are members of a proactive group named the Middle Georgia Economic Alliance (MGEA). Member counties are Baldwin; Crawford; Houston; Jones; Macon-Bibb; Monroe; Peach; **Pulaski**; Putnam; Twiggs and Wilkinson. The group has been working together as a collaborative for the past 15 years. Workforce development has become a focus for their organization and organizations across the nation that are in the business of recruiting new companies and responding to the needs of existing companies in their communities. For this reason, the economic developers are working closely to enhance the relationships between their educational institutions and local industries to communicate the needs of employers and provide relevant career pathways for students. Equally important is the need to promote new career choices to adults in search of opportunities. The pandemic has caused many people who have either been temporarily out of work or who have permanently lost their jobs to realize that selecting a new career path may be necessary. MGEA is partnering with the technical college and higher educational institutions in the area to assist people in determining the needed skills and educational attainment necessary to reach their full potential and find a rewarding career. If a person is uncertain of what jobs they are best equipped for, an online assessment, YouScience, is made available. The YouScience assessment provides a road map for the individual, outlining careers that align personal interests and talents.

The online job portal provides a means to explore job openings at middle Georgia companies. The sophisticated search engine allows the person to query based on location, the specific industry, job positions and certifications. ***Employers for Pulaski County, If you would like your job postings listed, please contact Sandy White @ econdev@hawkinsvillega.net.***

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