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CARROLLTON-CARROLL COUNTY

Carroll County Chamber of Commerce

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League:
www.lwv.org (national)
www.lwv.ga.org (state)
www.lwvga.org/gaLeagues/carrollton.php (local)

On October 8, 1960, a group of Carrollton women set up temporary committees for the purpose of forming a League of Women Voters in our area. August 23, 1962, the national League officially recognized the League of Women Voters of Carrollton. Later in the local League's history, Carroll County was officially added, making it the **League of Women Voters of Carrollton-Carroll County (LWVC-CC).**

The purpose of the LWVC-CC is to promote political responsibility through informed and active participation of citizens in government and to act on selected governmental issues. The LWVC-CC is a non-partisan, issue-driven organization that does not support or oppose any political party or candidate. Members of the League encourage knowledgeable voting, thoughtful examination of information and facts, engagement in civil discourse, and active involvement of the general public in decisions made by elected officials at local, state, and national levels.

More information about the LWVC-CC can be found at www.lwvga.org/gaLeagues/carrollton.php. For questions, contact Sue Jones, President (via e-mail at suejones.lwvccc@gmail.com or phone at 770-328-3614).

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The mission of the **Carroll County Chamber of Commerce** is **Growing Business in our Community**. For more information or to join, contact Daniel Jackson, President/CEO, Carroll County Chamber of Commerce/Carroll Tomorrow (770-832-2446).

Chamber: www.carroll-ga.org

NATIONAL OFFICIALS

Office — Next Election

President (www.whitehouse.gov)
Barack H. Obama (D) — '16
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue
Washington, DC 20502
www.whitehouse.gov/contact/ (to leave e-mail message)
202-456-1414
202-456-1111 (to leave oral comment)

Vice-President
Joe Biden (D) — '16
The White House
1600 Pennsylvania Avenue
Washington, DC 20502
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202-456-1414
202-456-1111 (to leave oral comment)

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202-224-3643
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Atlanta, GA 30339
770-661-0999
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Representatives – Georgia (www.house.gov)
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Lynn Westmoreland (R) — '16
1601 Highway 34 East, Suite B
Newnan, GA 30265
770-683-2033
2202 Rayburn Office Bldg.
Washington, DC 20515
202-225-5901
website: www.westmoreland.house.gov

STATE OFFICIALS

www.georgia.gov

Office — Next Election

Governor
Nathan Deal (R) — '18
203 State Capitol
206 Washington Street
Atlanta, GA 30334
website: www.gov.georgia.gov
404-656-1776

Lieutenant Governor
Casey Cagle (R) — '18
240 State Capitol
206 Washington Street
Atlanta, GA 30334
e-mail: casey.cagle@ltgov.ga.gov
404-656-5030

STATE OFFICIALS, continued

Office — Next Election

Senator, District 28
Mike Crane (R) — '16
3124 Smokey Road
Newnan, GA 30263
678-326-9705
325-B Coverdell Legislative Office Bldg.
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Atlanta, GA 30334
404-656-6446
e-mail: mike.crane@senate.ga.gov

Senator, District 30
Mike Dugan (R) — '16
106 Champion Drive
Carrollton, GA 30116
404-535-0501
109 Coverdell Legislative Office Bldg.
18 Capitol Square, SW
Atlanta, GA 30334
404-656-7454
e-mail: mike.dugan@senate.ga.gov

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Kevin Cooke (R) — '16
141 Natures Pointe Trail
Carrollton, GA 30117
678-416-2750
Coverdell Legislative Office Bldg.
18 Capitol Square, SW, Suite 504
Atlanta, GA 30334
404-656-0188
e-mail: kevin.cooke@house.ga.gov

Representative, District 68
Dustin ("Dusty") Hightower (R) — '16
3443 Hog Liver Road
Carrollton, GA 30117
404-285-1445
401 Coverdell Legislative Office Bldg.
18 Capitol Square SW
Atlanta, GA 30334
404-656-0152
e-mail: dusty.hightower@house.ga.gov

Representative, District 69
Randy Nix (R) — '16
PO Box 991
LaGrange, GA 30241
706-845-9853
402 Coverdell Legislative Office Bldg.
Atlanta, GA 30334
404-656-5087
e-mail: randy.nix@house.ga.gov

Representative, District 70
Lynn Smith (R) — '16
Eight Evergreen Drive
Newnan, GA 30263
404-656-7149
228 State Capitol
206 Washington Street
Atlanta, GA 30334
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Secretary of State
Brian Kemp (R) — '18
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404-656-2881

STATE OFFICIALS, continued

Office — Next Election

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Sam Olens (R) — '18
e-mail: solens@law.ga.gov
404-656-3300

School Superintendent
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404-657-6165

Insurance Commissioner
Ralph Hudgens (R) — '18
e-mail: inscomm@oci.ga.gov
404-656-2056

Commissioner of Agriculture
Gary Black (R) — '18
e-mail: gary.black@agr.georgia.gov
404-656-3602

Commissioner of Labor
Mark Butler (R) — '18
e-mail: commissioner@gdol.ga.gov
404-232-7300

Public Service Commission
website: www.psc.state.ga.us
404-656-4501
Doug Everett (R) — '20
Lauren "Bubba" McDonald (R), Vice Chair — '20
Tim Echols (R) — '16
Chuck Eaton (R), Chair — '16
Stan Wise (R) — '16

COUNTY OFFICIALS

www.carrollcountyga.com

Office — Next Election

Chairman, Board of Commissioners
Marty Smith — '16
Carroll County Historic Courthouse
323 Newnan Street, Room 200
Carrollton, GA 30117
e-mail: msmith@carrollcountyga.com
770-830-5800

Commissioners (District):
(1) Trent North, Vice Chair — '16
e-mail: trent.north@carrolltoncityschools.net
770-214-1804
(2) Vicki Anderson — '18
e-mail: vja1026@hotmail.com
404-217-1244
(3) Tommy Lee — '16
e-mail: tlee@carrollcountyga.com
678-633-4954
(4) Michelle F. Morgan — '18
e-mail: mmorgan@morganoil.com
770-403-2398
(5) Kevin Jackson — '16
e-mail: kjackson@carrollcountyga.com
404-473-2845
(6) George Chambers — '18
e-mail: gchambers@carrollcountyga.com
404-473-2846

Meetings 1st Tuesday at 6:00 p.m.

Tax Commissioner (Tax and Tag Office)
Vickie Bearden (R) — '16
e-mail: taxcomm@carrollcountyga.com
770-830-5843

COUNTY OFFICIALS, continued

Office — Next Election

Surveyor
Mike Crawford (R) — '16
e-mail: mcrawford@georgiaandwest.com
770-834-4694

CARROLL COUNTY SCHOOL SYSTEM

Superintendent — Apptd.
Scott Cowart
e-mail: scott.cowart@carrollcountyschools.com
770-832-3568

School Board (District)
(1) Rob Cleveland — '16
e-mail: rob.cleveland@yahoo.com
770-456-0955
(2) Mrs. Sandra A. Morris, Vice Chair — '18
e-mail: sandraamorris4590@gmail.com
770-562-4104
(3) Mr. Chris Gammon
e-mail: chris.gammon@yahoo.com — '16
404-867-3330
(4) Mrs. Denise Askin Pate — '16
e-mail: deniseaskinpate@gmail.com
770-597-6323
(5) Mr. Donald Lee Nixon — '18
e-mail: nixon820@bellsouth.net
770-834-3877
(6) Mr. Bart Cater — '16
e-mail: bart_boe@me.com
770-258-8229
(7) Dr. Jon Anderson, Chair — '18
e-mail: jonandersonschoolboard@gmail.com
770-301-6835

Regular meetings held on 3rd Thursday of each month, 7:00 p.m., with 4 exceptions: February and May meetings will be on the 2nd Thursday; April and October meetings will be on the 4th Thursday.

Work sessions held 5:30 p.m. on Mondays preceding regular board meetings.

County Political Parties

Democrats: LaNelle Holland, 404-234-9304
e-mail: glholland@bellsouth.net

Republicans: Barry Dalton, 770-328-6056
e-mail: daltonbear@aol.com

Libertarians: Doug Craig, 404-888-9468
e-mail: chairman@lpgeorgia.com

JUDICIARY OFFICIALS

Office — Next Election

Superior Court Judges, Coweta Circuit
Judge A. Quillian Baldwin — '16
706-883-1633
Judge Dennis Blackmon — '16
770-830-5871
Judge Bill Hamrick — '16
678-390-6236
Judge Jack Kirby — '16
770-683-0424
Judge Emory L. Palmer — '16
770-683-0491
Judge John Simpson — '16
678-390-6206

Terms of Court: January, April, June, October

Clerk of Superior Court
Alan J. Lee — '16
770-830-5838
e-mail: alan.lee@gsccca.org
website: www.carrollcountyclerk.com

JUDICIARY OFFICIALS, continued

Office — Next Election

District Attorney
Pete Skandalakis — '16
770-830-2171
website: www.dacowetacircuit.org

State Court of Carroll County
Judge Bob Sullivan — '16
678-390-6208
e-mail: none provided
Solicitor Doug Vassy — '16
770-830-5908
e-mail: solicitor@carrollcountyga.com

Juvenile Court of Carroll County
Judge Thomas E. Parmer — Apptd.
770-830-5986
e-mail: tparmer@carrollcountyga.com

Judge of Probate Court
Judge Betty Cason — '16
770-830-5840
e-mail: mcosey@carrollcountyga.com

Coroner
Sammy Eady — '16
770-832-7056
e-mail: coroneready@carrollcountyga.com

Chief Magistrate Judge
Judge Alton Johnson — '16
Work: 770-830-5874
Home: 770-854-6565
Pager: 770-782-6167

Sheriff
Terry Langley — '16
770-830-5888
e-mail: tlangley@carrollsheriff.com

OTHER LOCAL OFFICES

Animal Control Officer	770-834-8150
Carr. Co. Chamber of Commerce	770-832-2446
Carroll County Courthouse, Court Administrator	770-830-5854
Carroll County Dept. of Family & Children's Services	770-830-2050
Carr. Co. Dir. Public Works-Roads	770-830-5901
Carroll County Extension Office/ Master Gardeners	770-836-8546
Carroll County Fire Rescue	770-830-5880
Carroll County Health Department	770-836-6667
Carroll County Mediation Ctr.	770-830-5993
Carroll County NAACP.	770-836-8626
Carroll County Prison	770-830-5905
Carroll County Property Tax & Tag Office	770-830-5826
Carr. Co. Solid Waste Transf. Station	770-832-1233
Carroll Co. Tax Assessor's Office	770-830-5812
Carroll County Water Authority	770-832-1277
Carrollton Cultural Arts Center	770-838-1083
Carrollton Housing Authority	770-834-2046
Carrollton Senior Center	770-832-1644
Community Development	770-830-5861
Community Foundation of West Georgia	770-832-1462
Ferst Foundation for Child Literacy	770-832-8962
Latinos United of Carroll County	770-214-0101
Public Defender Office	770-830-1323
West Georgia Regional Library/ Neva Lomason Memorial Library	770-836-6711
West Georgia Soil & Water Conservation [NRCS]	770-832-8942

MUNICIPAL OFFICIALS

Office — Next Election

BOWDON 770-258-8980
Mayor: Keith Crawford — '15
770-258-8980
e-mail: bowdonmayor@gmail.com

Council:
(1) Jan Johnson — '17
770-258-7845
e-mail: alicejanrowland@yahoo.com
(2) Jim Chaffin — '15
770-258-5893
e-mail: jchaffin72@yahoo.com
(3) Wes McEntyre — '15
770-258-5518
e-mail: wesmcentyre@gmail.com
(4) Martin Johnson — '17
770-258-3391
e-mail: mljiii@bellsouth.net

City Clerk: Susan Pierce
770-258-7464

City Manager: Bobby Elliott
e-mail: belliott@bowdon.net

Meetings 2nd Monday at 7:15 p.m.

CARROLLTON 770-830-2000
Mayor: Wayne Garner — '15
e-mail: waynegarner1@aol.com

Council:
(1) Gerald D. Byrd — '17
770-598-4441
e-mail: gerald.byrd@carrolltoncityschools.net
(2) Mike Patterson — '17
404-921-0022
e-mail: ebroker@msn.com
(3) Jim Watters — '15
770-337-8159
e-mail: jimwattersward3@gmail.com
(4) Mandy M. Maierhofer — '15
770-490-8967
e-mail: mandy.maierhofer@carrolltoncityschools.net

City Manager — Casey Coleman
City Clerk — Jim Triplett

Meetings normally on 1st Monday at 6:00 p.m.

MOUNT ZION 770-832-1622
Mayor: Randy Sims — '15
770-832-1622
e-mail: randysims@bellsouth.net

Council:
(1) Eric Robinson — '15
678-850-5391
e-mail: ericr41@bellsouth.net
(2) Earlis McGraw — '15
770-832-1622
e-mail: none provided
(3) Marty Spruill — '17
770-658-6977
e-mail: martyspruill@bellsouth.net
(4) John Griffin — '17
678-634-9685
e-mail: johncarolgriffin50@yahoo.com

City Clerk: Teresa Ferguson
teresa@cityofmountzion.com

Meetings: 2nd Tuesday, 7:00 p.m.

MUNICIPAL OFFICIALS, continued

Office — Next Election

ROOPVILLE

Mayor: Bob Merrell — '15
770-854-4170
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Council:

Bryan Entrekin — '15
770-328-1640
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Robin Worley — '15
770-328-1277
e-mail: hatcheeteacher@bellsouth.net

Henry Waddell Bell — '15
770-854-7559
e-mail: milljane@bellsouth.net

Kenneth Hill — '15
770-301-3523
e-mail: kennethdhill@earthlink.net

City Clerk: Jill Dewberry
770-301-9645
e-mail: townofroopville@att.net
Meetings: 3rd Mon., 7:00 p.m.

TEMPLE 770-562-3369

Mayor: Lester Harmon — '17
770-562-3369
e-mail: lharmon@templega.us

Council:

(1) Howard Walden — '17
678-326-8297
e-mail: hwalden@templega.us

(2) Penny Ransom — '17
770-562-3369
e-mail: pransom@templega.us

(3) Hiley Miller — '15
770-562-1485
e-mail: hmiller@templega.us

(4) William Simmons — '15
770-562-4446
e-mail: wsimmons@templega.us

(5) Richard Bracknell — '15
770-562-3369
e-mail: rbracknell@templega.us

City Administrator: Vacant

City Clerk: Vacant
Meetings 1st Monday at 6:30 p.m.

VILLA RICA 770-459-7000

Mayor: J. Allen Collins — '15
770-459-6090
e-mail: jcollins@villarica.org

Council:

(1) Shirley Marchman — '15
770-459-6944
e-mail: sam_march@bellsouth.net

(2) Verland Best — '15
770-459-3721
e-mail: vbest@villarica.org

(3) Leslie McPherson — '17
770-668-4942
e-mail: lmcpherson@villarica.org

(4) Mike Williamson — '17
770-459-8091
e-mail: mwilliamson@villarica.org

(5) Danny Carter — '17
770-459-8852
e-mail: dcarter@villarica.org

MUNICIPAL OFFICIALS, continued

Office — Next Election

City Manager: Larry Wood, Interim — apptd
678-840-1211
e-mail: lwood@villarica.org

City Clerk: Alisa Doyal — apptd
678-840-1212
e-mail: adoyal@villarica.org
Meetings 1st Tuesday at 6:00 p.m.

WHITESBURG 770-834-0848

Mayor: Ronnie Pate — '17
404-406-4721
e-mail: wcitymayor@gmail.com

(1) Amy Williford — '17
770-830-9844
e-mail: whitesburgcity@bellsouth.net

(2) William Smolar — '17
770-301-0452
e-mail: bsmolar@bellsouth.net

(3) Lucy Gamble — '17
770-834-0328
e-mail: ladgamble@aol.com

(4) Wayne Posey — '17
770-830-0790
e-mail: wyposey@aol.com

City Clerk: William Smolar
Meetings: 1st Monday at 6:30 p.m.

CARROLLTON CITY SCHOOL SYSTEM

Office — Next Election

Superintendent — (Board Appointed)
Dr. Kent Edwards
770-832-9633
e-mail: kent.edwards@carrolltoncityschools.net

School Board

(1) Gregory Dothard, Vice Chair — '15
678-542-6058
e-mail: greg.dothard@yahoo.com

(2) Katie WIlliams — '17
770-596-6653
e-mail: katiedwilliams@hotmail.com

(3) Dr. Jason Mount, Treasurer — '17
770-780-7358
e-mail: drmount@hotmail.com

(4) Dr. James Pope, Chair — '15
770-836-8475
e-mail: jpopemd@mindspring.com

AL Dr. Michael Rothschild — '15
770-834-0212
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AL David J. Godwin — '17
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Meetings: typically on a Tuesday at 6:00 p.m.

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423 College Street, Carrollton, GA 30117
Mailing: PO Box 338, Carrollton, GA 30112
Fax #: 770-214-3594

Carroll County Board of Elections & Registration

Leslie Robinson, Election Supervisor
Janice K. Duff, Voter Registration Coordinator
James Gamble
Vacant
Vacant

Voter Registration

Anyone can register or change his or her address online at sos.ga.gov. Paper applications for Voter Registration are located at the County Administrative Building, Room 306, all city halls, libraries, banks, and all county fire stations. The fire stations are open seven days a week. The application may be completed at home, work, etc. There is no requirement for the application to be signed in the presence of a Deputy Registrar.

Voter Registration cards will be mailed from the office of the Secretary of State of Georgia.

IF YOU MOVE YOU MUST INFORM THE REGISTRAR'S OFFICE BY NOTING THE CHANGE ON THE BACK OF YOUR VOTER REGISTRATION CARD OR BY COMPLETING A CHANGE OF ADDRESS CARD.

Absentee/Early/Advanced Voting

Georgia voters no longer need a reason for voting prior to Election Day. Any registered voter who is eligible to vote in any election is welcome to vote prior to Election Day in one of the following ways.

- **Absentee Voting By Mail**: Required applications for absentee voting are available at www.carrollgaelections.com or by calling the Board of Elections & Registration. Complete the application, and then return it to the elections office by fax or mail. Out-of-town students or disabled voters may have a family member complete the absentee ballot application. An official ballot is mailed approximately 45 days prior to regular elections. Absentee ballots may not be picked up in person.
- **Early Voting in Person**: Available from the fourth Monday before election day. Early voting requires voters to complete an application and provide photo identification.

THERE IS ABSOLUTELY NO TYPE OF VOTING ON THE MONDAY BEFORE ELECTION DAY ON TUESDAY.

Identification

Voters must present proper identification to poll officers before they are allowed to vote in any election held in the state of Georgia.

FOR ANY EMERGENCY

CALL 911