



NEWS RELEASE
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CITY-WIDE SPRING CLEANING IN NORCROSS ON APRIL 27

One-day event to include electronics recycling, document shredding and collection of non-hazardous items

NORCROSS (GWINNETT COUNTY), GA (April 23, 2019) – As winter makes its exit, it's time to get started on a little spring cleaning. A time to clean and purge items in our homes and neighborhoods. To help keep Norcross 'clean and beautiful,' the City of Norcross is pleased to host a Neighborhood Clean-up & Recycling Day on Saturday, April 27th where residents can bring in documents to be securely shredded, haul in non-hazardous bulk items, and recycle electronics. During the one-day event, the City of Norcross will also be accepting canned or non-perishable goods donations for the 2019 "Can" Do for Hunger Campaign.

CLEAN-UP EVENT | 8 a.m. – 3 p.m. @ 345 LIVELY AVENUE (Residents Only)

During the Clean-Up Day, which also includes a shredding and recycling event, residents are able to bring in bulky items such as trash, appliances, furniture, or any other non-hazardous items to the Public Works Facility, 345 Lively Street (just off Buford Hwy) from 8 a.m. - 3 p.m. The Clean-Up event is free and open to City of Norcross residents only (proof of residency required).

SHREDDING EVENT | 9 a.m. – 12 p.m. @ 65 LAWRENCEVILLE STREET (Public Welcome)

The shredding event, which is free and open to the public, will be held from 9 a.m. – 12 p.m. or until the truck is full at Norcross City Hall, 65 Lawrenceville Street. Shred-it will be on-site with their shred truck. Securely dispose of sensitive materials such as bank information, tax records, financial statements, medical records and more. Each person is limited to five medium boxes or equivalent.

ELECTRONICS RECYCLING EVENT | 9 a.m. – 1 p.m. @ 10 COLLEGE STREET (Public Welcome)

City of Norcross residents and the general public are invited to participate in the electronics recycling event at the Norcross Community Center, 10 College Street, from 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. where they can get rid of old cell phones, computers and keyboards without guilt. eWaste ePlanet and city volunteers will be available to help unload donated items. For a complete list of recyclables visit the city website. This event is free except for televisions, which require a \$20 fee. CRT Monitors are \$10. Please note that console or projection televisions cannot be accepted. Corporate pick-up is also available upon request.

The City of Norcross is also asking all participants to bring canned or non-perishable goods to

support the 2019 “Can” Do for Hunger Campaign. Donations will be accepted at each cleanup/recycling location. The donated items will be given to local food banks and to community members in need.

For complete information, visit norcrossga.net or contact Sonya Isaac at 678-421-2027.

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ABOUT THE CITY OF NORCROSS

Incorporated in 1870, the city of Norcross has been very busy securing a solid standing as both an eco-conscious community and world-class art district in the nearly century and a half since. Voted Gwinnett County’s “Best Arts & Cultural Scene” by Gwinnett Magazine, Norcross has become well known for its unconventional public arts projects. Norcross was recognized by the Atlanta Regional Commission as one of only two Platinum-Certified Green Communities in the region and was named a “Best Green Government” by Gwinnett Clean & Beautiful and “Tree City USA” by The Arbor Day Foundation. The Sustainable Norcross Commission has earned regional applause for its efforts to spearhead the City’s local pro-environment practices. The city’s famed tree canopy, 13 parks and more than 31 acres of beautifully maintained public green space serve as popular gathering spaces for residents and visitors alike. A jam-packed calendar of events and eclectic collection of shops and restaurants serve to keep the historic downtown area bustling year-round. Creative souls from all walks of life are encouraged to “come unwind” and enjoy the positive energy that earns Norcross its reputation as “a place to imagine.”

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