

# City of Summerville A to Z Resource List

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## DESCRIPTION

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Chattooga County UGA Extension Office  
10011 Commerce St.  
Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-0744  
[uge1055@uga.edu](mailto:uge1055@uga.edu)

### Absentee Ballots

120 Georgia Ave.  
Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0900  
[jdurham@summervillega.org](mailto:jdurham@summervillega.org)

Applications for absentee ballots may be obtained from the office of the City Clerk or through the Secretary of State website.

### Accident Reports

Summerville Police Department  
170 Cox Street  
Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0912  
[smosley@summervillega.org](mailto:smosley@summervillega.org)

Copies of accident reports and arrest reports are available for a small fee from the issuing law enforcement agency

### Accounts Payable

Finance Department  
120 Georgia Ave.  
Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0900  
[jnadu@summervillega.org](mailto:jnadu@summervillega.org)

Accounts Payable is responsible for making payment for all approved purchases made by the City of Summerville

### Adopt A Street Program

Public Works Department  
166 Cox St.  
Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0907  
[ttinney@summervillega.org](mailto:ttinney@summervillega.org)

Citizens, businesses, and organizations are encouraged to volunteer to maintain and clean an area of streets or roads for a minimum of four times per year.

### Adoption, Child

Chattooga County Department of Family and Children's Services  
102 Hwy. 48, Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-0809  
<https://dfcs.georgia/chattooga-county-dfcs-office>  
Child Abuse - 1-855-422-4453  
Food Stamps, Medicaid, TANF, Childcare 1-877-423-4746

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## **Adoption, Pet**

Chattooga County Animal Control  
464 Red Oak Rd.  
Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-0679  
[ChrisAnn9786@hotmail.com](mailto:ChrisAnn9786@hotmail.com)

## **Adult Education**

Georgia Northwestern Technical College  
152 Senior Dr. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-0771

The adult education program is offered through Georgia Northwestern Technical College and includes GED classes, English Literacy Program, and GED testing

## **Alcohol Licenses**

Summerville City Hall  
120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0900  
[jdurham@summervillega.org](mailto:jdurham@summervillega.org)

Licenses for the sale of alcoholic beverages are issued by the City Clerk at an annual license fee. Alcohol license applications must be approved by the Mayor and Council.

## **American Red Cross**

Northwest Georgia  
112 John Maddux Dr. NW  
Rome, GA 30165  
844-536-6226

## **Animal Control**

Chattooga County Animal Control  
464 Red Oak Rd.  
Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-0679  
[ChrisAnn9786@hotmail.com](mailto:ChrisAnn9786@hotmail.com)

## **Animal Shelter**

Chattooga County Animal Control  
464 Red Oak Rd.  
Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-0679  
[ChrisAnn9786@hotmail.com](mailto:ChrisAnn9786@hotmail.com)

## **Animal, Removal of Dead**

Public Works Department  
166 Cox St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0907  
[ttinney@summervillega.org](mailto:ttinney@summervillega.org)

The public works dept. is responsible for picking up dead animals. This includes from streets, roads, ditches. If a resident has a dead animal on their property and needs it disposed of, place the animal in a bag and place the bag on the edge of the road.

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## Arson Hotline

Summerville Fire Department  
176 Cox St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0914

## Attorney's Office

Albert Palmour  
9933 Commerce St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-5544

The City of Summerville's attorney's office provides legal services to the Mayor and Council, the City Manager, and all other departments of the City of Summerville.

## Background Check

Summerville Police Department  
170 Cox St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0912  
[smosley@summervillega.org](mailto:smosley@summervillega.org)

The Summerville Police Department will conduct a criminal background check for employment or housing purposes for a fee upon request.

## Banner Permit

Codes Enforcement Officer  
120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0900  
[jnorton@summervillega.org](mailto:jnorton@summervillega.org)

## Bid Information

Purchasing Department  
120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0900  
[bbennett@summervillega.org](mailto:bbennett@summervillega.org)

## Board of Education

33 Middle School Rd. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-3447

## Boards, Authorities, and Commissions

120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0900

Meeting times vary depending on the group. In general, the Mayor and Council appoint citizens to boards, authorities, and commissions. For meeting times of these groups, contact the City Managers office. Citizens wishing to serve in one of these volunteer capacities should notify the City Managers office.

## Boys and Girls Club

Deb Stowe  
11570 Hwy. 27  
Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-1080

The focus at the Chattooga County Boys and Girls Club is to build men and women, one child at a time. The club recognizes and responds to the collective and individual needs of boys and girls of all races, religions, and ethnic cultures.

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## **Budget**

Finance Department  
120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0900  
[crutledge@summervillega.org](mailto:crutledge@summervillega.org)

The City of Summerville operates under a fiscal year beginning on July 1st and ending on June 30th. The major operating funds are general fund, gas fund, water and sewer fund. Other revenue such as SPLOST or grant funds is accounted for with their own special funds. The City of Summerville is required to adopt and operate under a balanced budget.

## **Burning**

Georgia Forestry Commission  
7465 US Hwy. 27 Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-0800

Check with the Forestry Commission for burn ban information and for obtaining burn permits.

## **Business Licenses**

City Clerk  
120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0900  
[jdurham@summervillega.org](mailto:jdurham@summervillega.org)

The City Clerk is responsible for the issuance of City business licenses. Contact the office of the City Clerk for information on obtaining a business license.

## **Call Before You Dig**

Georgia Utilities Protection Center  
3400 Summit Ridge Parkway  
Duluth, GA 30096  
[info@ga811.com](mailto:info@ga811.com)  
811 or 800-282-7411

The Utilities Protection Center is a communication system established to provide one telephone number for excavating contractors and the general public to call for notification of their intent to use equipment for excavation, tunneling, grading, boring, blasting, demolition or similar work. The one call provides the participating members an opportunity to locate and identify underground facilities. Call at least 72 business hours before digging at your home or business.

## **Candidate Qualification**

City Clerk  
120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0900  
[jdurham@summervillega.org](mailto:jdurham@summervillega.org)

All citizens desiring to run for vacant City Council or the Mayor seats must qualify with the Summerville City Clerk.

## **Chamber of Commerce, Chattooga County**

Sylvia Keziah  
200 S. Commerce St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-4033

The Chattooga County Chamber of Commerce is an organization made up of businesses and individuals who have joined to promote the economic well-being of Summerville and Chattooga County.

## **Charter, City of Summerville**

City Clerk  
120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0900  
[jdurham@summervillega.org](mailto:jdurham@summervillega.org)

The Charter of the City of Summerville details the Government's structure, functions, and organization.

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## Child Abuse and Neglect

Chattooga County Department of Family and Children's Services

102 Hwy. 48, Summerville, GA 30747

706-857-0809

<https://dfcs.georgia/chattooga-county-dfcs-office>

Child Abuse - 1-855-422-4453

Food Stamps, Medicaid, TANF, Childcare 1-877-423-4746

Child abuse and neglect is handled through the Department of Family and Children's Services. If a child is in immediate danger, call 911

## City Clerk

120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747

706-859-0900

[jdurham@summervillega.org](mailto:jdurham@summervillega.org)

The Clerk is the official keeper of the City of Summerville ordinances, records, and resolutions.

## City Council

120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747

706-859-0900

The City Council is the governing body of the City of Summerville and consists of five members and the Mayor. Terms are four years. Regular meetings are held on the first Monday of each month at 5:00 pm. The public is invited to attend.

## City Hall

120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747

706-859-0900

City Hall houses the City Manager's office, Customer Service, Human Resources, City Clerk, Finance Department, Building inspection, Purchasing Agent, and Mainstreet Director.

## City Manager

Tony Carroll

120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747

706-859-0900

The office of the City Manager is responsible for implementation of all policies, programs, contracts, ordinances, and resolutions as approved and directed by the Mayor and Council. This office performs the administrative functions of the government and coordinates the daily activities of the departments. The City Manager is the Chief Executive Officer of the City of Summerville.

## Clerk of Superior Court

10035 Commerce St. Summerville, GA 30747

706-857-0706

The Clerk of Superior Court performs all administrative functions of the court as prescribed by law and court rules. The office faithfully maintains accurate records of all court proceedings as well as monies received and disbursed by the clerk. Superior Court handles real estate matters, divorce decrees, criminal felony cases, etc.

## Code Enforcement

120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747

706-859-0900

Code enforcement is an active patrol to ensure businesses, neighborhoods, and residences are in compliance with City and State codes and ordinances.

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## Comprehensive Plan

City Hall  
120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0900

The Comprehensive Plan is a document mandated by the Georgia Department of Community Affairs and must be revised every 10 years. The plan contains the City's goals and objectives and covers topics such as transportation, population, housing, land use, economic development, natural resources, and community facilities.

## Cooperative Extension Office

Chattooga County UGA Extension Office  
10011 Commerce St.  
Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-0744  
[uge1055@uga.edu](mailto:uge1055@uga.edu)

The University of Georgia Cooperative Extension Service responds to the people's needs and interests in agriculture, the environment, families, and 4-H/youth in Georgia with unbiased, research-based education.

## Council Agendas

120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0900

City of Summerville Council agendas can be accessed from the City's website at [www.summervillega.org](http://www.summervillega.org).

## Council Meetings

120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0900

Regular Council meetings are held on the first Monday at 5:00 pm respectively in the Council Chambers at City Hall. The public is invited to attend.

## Deeds

Clerk of Superior Court  
10035 Commerce St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-0706

## Development Standards

Codes Enforcement Officer  
120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0900

The development standards establish guidelines for site designs, subdivisions, building materials, etc.

## DFCS, Department of Family and Children's Services

102 Hwy. 48, Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-0809  
<https://dfcs.georgia/chattooga-county-dfcs-office>  
Child Abuse - 1-855-422-4453  
Food Stamps, Medicaid, TANF, Childcare 1-877-423-4746

The Department of Family and Children's Services (DFCS) is responsible for welfare and employment support, protecting children, foster care and other services to strengthen families.

## District Attorney

120 Cox St. Summerville, GA 30747  
Court House Annex  
706-857-5557

The District Attorney's office is responsible for prosecuting all criminal offenses, felonies and misdemeanors, as well as certain civil actions such as drug, gambling, and bond forfeitures.

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## Divorce Filing

Superior Court  
10035 Commerce St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-0706

Divorce decrees are maintained in the Superior Court office. It is suggested to seek an attorney for legal advice prior to contacting the Superior Court offices.

## Downtown Development Authority

120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0900  
[slocklear@summervillega.org](mailto:slocklear@summervillega.org)

## Drug Hotline

Chief Mosley  
170 Cox St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0912

Report the suspicion of drug sales or use anonymously to the Summerville Police Dept.

## Dumping, Illegal

Code Enforcement Officer  
120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0900

It is unlawful for any person, or company to accumulate, place, throw, dump, or leave any litter on any public or private property in the City Limits of Summerville.

## Emergencies - 911

170 Farrar Dr. Summerville, GA 30747  
911 or non-emergency 706-857-3400

Please call 911 for fire, police, natural disaster, medical emergencies, and natural gas leaks.

## Emergency Management Agency

170 Farrar Dr. Summerville, GA 30747  
911 or non-emergency 706-857-3400

The EMA develops and upgrades standard operating procedures for responding to and recovering from manmade or natural disasters.

## Employment (with City of Summerville)

Human Resources  
120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0900  
[jnadu@summervillega.org](mailto:jnadu@summervillega.org)

Applications accepted for available positions only. Apply Monday - Friday, 9:00 am - 5:00 pm at Summerville City Hall. Job Opportunities are listed on the City's website, [www.summervillega.org](http://www.summervillega.org).

## Facilities, City of Summerville

120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0900  
[slocklear@summervillega.org](mailto:slocklear@summervillega.org)

The City of Summerville offers quality facilities for any event. Summerville has become a destination for banquets, conferences, special events, athletic competitions, and more. Contact the Mainstreet Director for more information.

## Finance Department

120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0900  
[crutledge@summervillega.org](mailto:crutledge@summervillega.org)

The City of Summerville Finance Department directs financial operations of City government. Responsibilities include Annual Audit, revenue collections, accounts payable, purchasing, annual budget, and financial services.

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## Fire Department

176 Cox St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0914

Station 9 is located adjacent to City Hall. Contact Chief Lathem for School outings and education, smoke detectors, Santa in uniform program, etc.

## Fire Reports

176 Cox St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0914

The fire report is used for official documentation of all incidents involving the Summerville Fire Department. The location, type of incidents, who responded to the scene. It also notes the person(s) involved in the incident and actual visual of the happenings while on the scene. The time is noted from departure from the station, time to scene, and time company left/or dismissed from the scene. The incidents are reported to the State Fire Marshal's Office at the end of each month.

## Food Service Permit

Chattooga County Health Department  
60 Farrar Dr. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-3471

[Judy.Wesson@dph.ga.gov](mailto:Judy.Wesson@dph.ga.gov)

Food service businesses will be required to involve the Health Department and obtain a food service permit before a license can be issued.

## Food Stamps

102 Hwy. 48, Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-0809

<https://dfcs.georgia.gov/chattooga-county-dfcs-office>

## Fourth of July Celebration

120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0900

This patriotic, hometown event includes free watermelons, free water slides, sack races, corn hole tournament, greasy pole and one of the best fireworks displays in the Southeast. To become a sponsor and receive a banner displayed at the event contact us at City Hall for more information.

## Game Warden

781 Red Top Mountain Rd.  
Acworth, GA 30102  
770-529-2424

## Garbage Collection

120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0900

Wright's Sanitation collects garbage for all residents in the City of Summerville. Citizens can haul junk items to the Chattooga County Transfer Station for a small fee for items that are not normally picked up on the garbage route.



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## Gas Department, Natural

166 Cox St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0907  
[ttinney@summervillega.org](mailto:ttinney@summervillega.org)

The City of Summerville owns and operates its natural gas system which covers Chattooga and Floyd Counties. For information regarding natural gas, contact Terry Tinney.

## Georgia Bureau of Investigations

132 Old Fairmount Hwy. SE  
Calhoun, GA 30701  
706-624-1424

The Georgia Bureau of Investigations is an independent, statewide agency that provides assistance to the State's criminal justice system in the areas of criminal investigations, forensic laboratory services, and computerized criminal justice information.

## Georgia State Patrol

3386 Martha Berry Hwy.  
Rome, GA 30165  
706-295-6002

## Handicap Permits

Chattooga County Tax Office  
120 Cox St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-0737

## Health Department, Chattooga County

60 Farrar Dr. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-3471  
[Judy.Wesson@dph.ga.gov](mailto:Judy.Wesson@dph.ga.gov)

Chattooga County Health Department provides a comprehensive range of health services to the citizens of Summerville and Chattooga County in areas of women's health, child health, school health, disabled children's services, communicable disease control, chronic disease control, dental health, environmental health, nutrition services, and health education.

## Housing Authority

Summerville Housing Authority  
56 Ross St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-3016

The Summerville Housing Authority assist with public housing.

## Human Resources Department

Jessica Nadu  
120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0900  
[jnadu@summervillega.org](mailto:jnadu@summervillega.org)

The City of Summerville Human Resource Department recruits personnel and provides various support services to departments within the City of Summerville.

## Jail, Chattooga County

35 West Washington St.  
Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-3411, [www.chattoogasheriff.com](http://www.chattoogasheriff.com)  
[mschrader@chattoogasheriff.us](mailto:mschrader@chattoogasheriff.us)

The Chattooga County Jail is operated by the Sheriff's Office and houses inmates who are awaiting trial, awaiting arraignment, or have been convicted of a crime.

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## **Junk**

Code Enforcement Officer  
120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0900

It is unlawful for citizens to accumulate trash, weeds, unsightly materials, litter, refuse, and junked vehicles on property in the City.

## **Jury Duty**

Clerk of Superior Court  
10035 Commerce St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-0706

## **Labor, Georgia Department of**

200 West Villanow St.  
Lafayette, GA 30728  
706-638-5525

The Georgia Department of Labor provides a wide range of services to job seekers and employers including administration of Georgia's unemployment insurance, employment service, and vocational rehabilitation programs.

## **Leash Law**

Animal Control  
464 Red Oak Rd.  
Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-0679

[ChrisAnn9786@hotmail.com](mailto:ChrisAnn9786@hotmail.com)

Dogs in the City limits must be on a leash once off of an owner's property.

## **Library**

360 Farrar Dr. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-2553

## **License Plates**

Chattooga County Tax Office  
120 Cox St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-0702

## **Liens**

Clerk of Superior Court  
10035 Commerce St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-0706

A lien is a claim or charge for payment of some debt, obligation, or duty. Liens are filed in the Office of the Clerk of Superior Court, which is a public record office with all records available for viewing.

## **Limb and Yard Debris**

Department of Public Works & Utilities  
166 Cox St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0907

[ttinney@summervillega.org](mailto:ttinney@summervillega.org)

The City of Summerville Public Works Department is responsible for the pickup of limbs, leaves, and other yard debris. For more information on how to properly prepare your limbs and yard debris items for pickup, call the City of Summerville Public Works Department at 706-859-0907.

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## Magistrate Court

120 Cox St. Summerville, GA 30747  
Court House Annex  
706-857-0711  
Judge Tracy Maddux

Magistrate Court provides assistance to the general public, police agencies, and attorneys in the prosecution of criminal and civil cases in Chattooga County

## Mainstreet Summerville

Susan Locklear, Director  
120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0900  
[slocklear@summervillega.org](mailto:slocklear@summervillega.org)

Summerville Mainstreet is focused on the economic development of downtown Summerville. Several special events are held throughout the year to encourage people to visit the unique vendors, restaurants, and the railroad turntable.

## Marriage License

Probate Court Office  
Judge Jon Payne  
10035 Commerce St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-0706

The Probate Court provides citizens marriage license applications.

## Mayor

Harry Harvey  
120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0900  
[harvey@summervillega.org](mailto:harvey@summervillega.org)

The Mayor of the City of Summerville is elected Citywide, and runs the Council meetings. The Mayor's term is four years.

## Municipal Court

Summerville Police Building, Office of the Municipal Court Clerk  
170 Cox St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0912  
[sfountain@summervillega.org](mailto:sfountain@summervillega.org)

The Municipal Court hears cases for violations of City Ordinances, violations of State traffic laws, specific state criminal laws, and code enforcement violations.

## Name Change

Clerk of Superior Court  
10035 Commerce St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-0706

## New Utility Service Request

Customer Service Department  
120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0900

Complete and sign a Utility Application form. Along with the application, the applicant must pay the appropriate deposit, any connection fees, present for copy a rent receipt, lease agreement, purchase agreement, and a valid ID. New account applications can be obtained at the Customer Service Department located at City Hall.

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## News, Summerville

The Summerville News  
20 Wildlife Lake Rd.  
Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-2494

## Online Bill Pay

Customer Service Department  
120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0900

City of Summerville utility customers can pay their bills on the web! Just go to our website, [www.summervillega.org](http://www.summervillega.org) and click on the "pay my bill" icon.

## Ordinances

City Clerk's Office  
120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0900  
[jdurham@summervillega.org](mailto:jdurham@summervillega.org)

The Mayor and Council approve all ordinances and changes to existing ordinances. Ordinances are contained in the City of Summerville's Code of Ordinances, which is available for public viewing at the City of Summerville City Hall.

## Parks

Summerville Recreation Department  
220 Hwy. 100 Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0910  
[bchamlee@summervillega.org](mailto:bchamlee@summervillega.org)

The Summerville Recreation Department maintains neighborhood and community parks at locations throughout the City including Dowdy Park, Willow Spring Park, Fairway Recreation Center and Summerville Recreation Center.

## Police Department

170 Cox St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0912  
[smosley@summervillega.org](mailto:smosley@summervillega.org)

The Summerville Police Department enforces all ordinances and laws, preserves order to prevent infractions, and arrests any person violating the laws.

## Post Office

9922 Commerce St.  
Summerville, GA 30747  
800-275-8777

## Potholes

Public Works Department  
166 Cox St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0907  
[ttinney@summervillega.org](mailto:ttinney@summervillega.org)

Please report any potholes to the City of Summerville Public Works Department and the pothole will be repaired promptly.

## Probate Court

Judge Jon Payne  
10035 Commerce St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-0706

Probate Court handles birth, death, and marriage certificates, firearm permit registration, marriage licenses, and administration of estates and guardianships.

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## Property Values

Chattooga County Tax Assessor office  
120 Cox St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-0702

The tax assessor's goal is to annually appraise at fair market value all tangible real and personal property located in Chattooga County by utilizing uniform methods and procedures to equally distribute the tax burden among taxpayers.

## Public Defender

Chattooga County Public Defender  
10035 Commerce St.  
Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-9243

The Public Defender office offers services to citizens of Chattooga County who need legal services but cannot afford to pay for the services of a criminal attorney.

## Public Works

166 Cox St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0907  
[ttinney@summervillega.org](mailto:ttinney@summervillega.org)

The Public Works Department provides for a clean, sanitary, and safe community for all citizens by controlling the quality of services provided by the street, sanitation, stormwater and engineering departments.

## Purchasing

120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0900  
[bbennett@summervillega.org](mailto:bbennett@summervillega.org)

The Purchasing Agent is responsible for coordinating the procurement of goods and services for the City of Summerville. Purchasing Agent also handles all bid information.

## Radio

26 West Washington St.  
Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-1180  
[www.chattooga1180.com](http://www.chattooga1180.com)

AM 1180 is Chattooga County's local radio station.

## Recreation

Summerville Recreation Department  
220 Hwy. 100 Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0910  
[bchamlee@summervillega.org](mailto:bchamlee@summervillega.org)

The Summerville Recreation Department supports programs and services that contribute to healthy lifestyles for citizens. These include Athletics, Fitness/Wellness Programs, Grounds Maintenance, Parks/Facilities Maintenance and other special programs.

## Restaurant Inspections

Chattooga County Health Department  
60 Farrar Dr. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-3471  
[Judy.Wesson@dph.ga.gov](mailto:Judy.Wesson@dph.ga.gov)

Restaurant inspections are performed by the Chattooga County Health Department and usually posted in the Summerville News.

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## Senior Center

Chattooga County Senior Center  
184 Senior Dr. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-5001

The mission of the senior center is to serve all senior citizens in a dignified and caring manner. Strive to see that their needs, mentally, physically, and emotionally are met. Activities include: congregate meals, home bound meals, and free legal services.

## Sheriff's Office

35 West Washington St.  
Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-3411, [www.chattoogasheriff.com](http://www.chattoogasheriff.com)  
[mschrader@chattoogasheriff.us](mailto:mschrader@chattoogasheriff.us)

## Sidewalks

Public Works Department  
166 Cox St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0907  
[ttinney@summervillega.org](mailto:ttinney@summervillega.org)

New subdivisions within the City limits are required to have sidewalks. The City of Summerville and staff are currently working to install new and replace old sidewalks throughout the City.

## Sign Permits

Code Enforcement Officer  
120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0900  
[jnorton@summervillega.org](mailto:jnorton@summervillega.org)

All signs erected in the City of Summerville are required to be permitted by the Code Enforcement Officer. Signs erected in the historical district are required to be approved by the Mayor and Council. Contact the Code Enforcement Officer for information on types and sizes of signs allowed.

## Smoke Detectors

Summerville Fire Department  
176 Cox St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0914

The Smoke Detector Program is funded through grants and local business donations. Smoke detectors are free to the public. If someone who lives within the City limits need smoke detectors the SFD will provide and install them if necessary at no charge. Contact Chief Latham for more information at 706-859-0914.

## Special Events Permit

120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0900

A permit is required for events to be held in the City of Summerville. Contact City Hall at 706-859-0900 for information on obtaining a special event permit.

## Special Event Alcohol Pouring Permit

120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0900

A permit is required to allow alcohol to be served at special events inside the City limits. Contact City Hall at 706-859-0900 for information on obtaining a special event alcohol pouring permit.

# City of Summerville A to Z Resource List

## S.P.L.O.S.T. Projects

City Manager  
120 Georgia Ave. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0900  
[tc Carroll@summervillega.org](mailto:tc Carroll@summervillega.org)

The Special Local Option Sales Tax (SPLOST) is a 1 cent tax approved by the voters that funds many capital projects throughout the City of Summerville. Projects such as sidewalk replacement, building renovations, recreation upgrades, utility expansion, and many other projects are funded through this program.

## Sports

Summerville Recreation Department  
220 Hwy. 100 Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0910  
[bchamlee@summervillega.org](mailto:bchamlee@summervillega.org)

The City of Summerville offers athletic programs for children ages 4 through 14 years of age. The City offers softball, baseball, basketball, soccer, football, tee-ball, and tot-ball. Contact Bo Chamlee for more information on youth athletic programs.

## State Court

10035 Commerce St.  
Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-0704

State Court has jurisdiction with Superior Court in civil actions except where exclusive jurisdiction is given to the Superior Court by the Constitution. It handles appeals from the Magistrate Court and has criminal jurisdiction in misdemeanor cases.

## Street Addresses

911 Center  
170 Farrar Dr. Summerville, GA 30747  
non-emergency 706-857-3400

The 911 Center provides street addresses for each property in Chattooga County. Contact them via the non-emergency number at 706-857-3400 for street address information.

## Street Lights

Public Works Department  
166 Cox St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0907  
[ttinney@summervillega.org](mailto:ttinney@summervillega.org)

The Public Works Department handles issues with street lights provided to the City through Georgia Power Company.

## Street Repair

Public Works Department  
166 Cox St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0907  
[ttinney@summervillega.org](mailto:ttinney@summervillega.org)

The Public Works Department will promptly repair reported street problems on City of Summerville streets. For State Route repairs (i.e. Hwy. 27, Hwy. 48, Hwy. 114, contact the Georgia Department of Transportation at 706-857-0801.

## Superior Court

10035 Commerce St.  
Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-0704

The Superior Court has jurisdiction in divorce, felony, land-title, equity, adoption, and certain civil suits.

## Tags, Vehicle

Chattooga County Tax Office  
120 Cox St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-0702

# City of Summerville A to Z Resource List

## Tax Assessor

Chattooga County Tax Office  
120 Cox St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-0702

## Tax Commissioner

Chattooga County Tax Office  
120 Cox St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-0702

The Tax Commissioner office handles property tax payments, vehicle tags, handicap permits, mobile home decals, and record intangible tax.

## Transportation, Georgia Department of

445 7th St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-0801

The Georgia Department of Transportation plans, constructs, maintains and improves the state's roads and bridges, provides planning and financial support for other modes of transportation; develops transportation plans and strategic plans etc.

## Tree, Fallen

Public Works Department  
166 Cox St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0907

[ttinney@summervillega.org](mailto:ttinney@summervillega.org)

For trees blocking roadways due to storms, etc. contact 911 and they will dispatch the appropriate crew to remove the tree. Always assume power lines are in the fallen trees and the power lines are live. Never attempt to remove a tree yourself. For trees that need taken down, contact the Public Works Department to determine if the tree is City owned or on private property.

## Unemployment

Georgia Department of Labor  
200 West Villanow St.  
Lafayette, GA 30728  
706-638-5525

## Utilities, City of Summerville

Terry Tinney, Utilities Director  
166 Cox St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0907

City of Summerville Utilities is a leading provider of traditional utilities for residents and businesses throughout Chattooga and Floyd Counties. With a community driven history that includes delivering the City's first gas service more than 60 years ago, Summerville Utilities remains committed to providing the best technologies and services to its customers. Utilities offered are Natural Gas, Water and Sewer. The City of Summerville also has various payment options, just ask a Customer Service Representative about utility payment options.



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## Vehicle Registration

Chattooga County Tax Office  
120 Cox St. Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-0702

## Voter Registration

10035 Commerce St.  
Summerville, GA 30747  
706-857-0709

## Waste Water Treatment

Waste Water Treatment Plant  
470 Red Oak Rd.  
Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0918  
[ctuggle@summervillega.org](mailto:ctuggle@summervillega.org)

The Water Pollution Control Plant is the wastewater treatment facility for the City of Summerville. The plant site is located south of the City on the Chattooga River. The original plant was constructed in 1967, with several additions and improvements, one in 1988, and the next being in 2008. The plant's capacity is 2 million gallons per day with a weekly maximum of 2.5 million gallons days. Currently the plant is operating at approximately 1.6 million gallons per day.

## Water Quality

Summerville Water Treatment Plant  
1083 Filter Plant Rd.  
Summerville, GA 30747  
706-859-0908  
[jgalloway@summervillega.org](mailto:jgalloway@summervillega.org)

The City of Summerville Water Treatment Plant has always upheld a strong commitment to providing the very best drinking water to customers and has made every effort to supply clean, safe, and reliable water.