

**Mayor and City Council Update
January 11, 2019**



To: Mayor and Council
From: Administration
CC: Department Heads

Library

Literacy Initiatives

Youth Services Librarian, Rebecca Power, attended a community meeting of literacy advocates on Wednesday, January 9th at the Sewell Mill Library. She learned about First Readers of Cobb County, the local chapter of a large nonprofit that "strengthens communities by providing quality books and literacy resources for children and their families to use at home during the earliest and most critical stage of development". Rebecca learned how Smyrna Library can play a role in this initiative.

Black History Month

The Library has events for all ages to celebrate Black History Month. Event descriptions as well as a downloadable brochure are available by clicking the link below:

[African American History Month | City of Smyrna, GA](#)

Fire Department

Fire:	2
EMS Calls:	63
Other:	30
Total Calls:	95

Administration

Interviews are currently being held to fill an open vacancy within the Command Staff. Applicants have already been through two panel rounds, and will finish off with a Chiefs interview on Friday.

Keep Smyrna Beautiful

Adopt-A-Mile

Next event will be January 26th at 9am.

Recycling Center

December totals: 112,427 pounds of material processed; over 2020 customers.

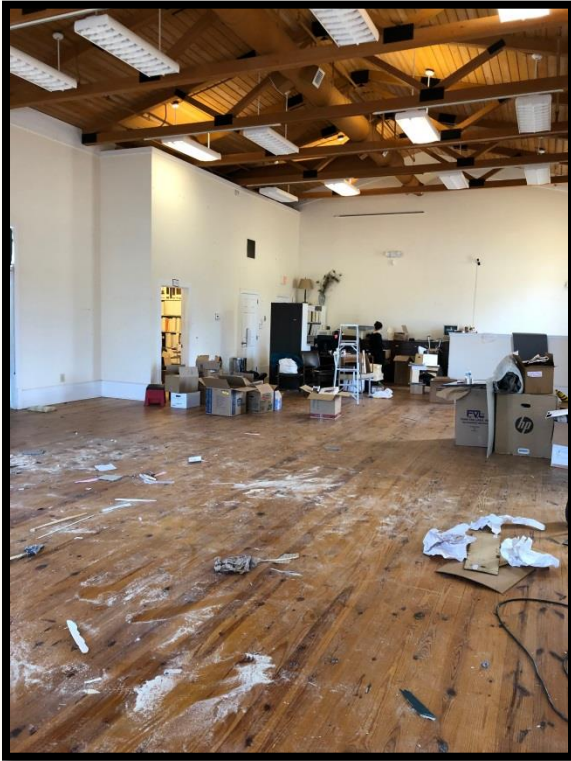
Totals for calendar year 2018:

Pounds – 1,157,591
Tonnage – 578.79
Customers – approx. 25,000

The Recycling Center **will be closed on Saturday, January 19th** in observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day.

Smyrna Museum

The museum is empty for renovations; items have been moved to Station 4.



Public Works

Building & Grounds

- Ben Hill Roofing Co., Community Center Roofing Project is in the process of installing a new metal roof, appx. 35% new metal has been installed.

Windy Hill Road Blvd Project

Demolition of structures at addresses 925, 875, 659, and 669 Windy Hill Road have begun; request for quotes for demolition of the structure located at 861 Windy Hill Road have been sent out and are due back on January 18th. Notice to Proceed with the asbestos survey sent out for structure at 601 Windy Hill Road.

Storm Drain

Lake Court Park storm drain rehab, appx. 65% complete; Spring Street at Donna Lynn Drive storm drain repair, appx. 90% complete.

Water/ Sewer

Ardito Construction Co. has begun a water main installation; project completion (Phase 1) 65% complete; Smyrna residential water meter replacements estimated 10% completion of the 4,000 to be replaced for fiscal year ending June 30th.

Sanitary Sewer

Renee Group (contractor) will be in Ward 3, smoke testing 19,000 linear feet of sanitary sewer for possible inflow and infiltration into the system in the area between Concord Road, King Springs Road and S. Cobb Drive to Starline Drive (including all cross streets).

Sidewalk Project

Public Works crews have begun the sidewalk project on Campbell Road; the sidewalk is to be replaced and widened from Atlanta Road to Nancy Circle – all concrete work has been completed, landscaping to start next week (weather permitting). Overall project, appx. 85% complete.

Engineering

Members of the Engineering and Public Works Departments attended a training session facilitated by the City's Environmental Consultant, Catherine Fox. The training focused on the development and implantation of a Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plan (SWPPP) for the Public Works facility.

Community Development

Type	#	Estimated Cost of Construction	Location
Building New/Residential	2	\$271,068	2- Enclave at Belmont
Building Remodel/Residential	9	\$348,100	1- Reroof 2- Interior 5- Remodel w/ Addition 1- Accessory
Building Remodel/Commercial	3	\$5,167,663	2 Remodel- 2520 Spring Rd (Space Shop) & 5265 Ward St (Lattanzi Baseball Field) 1 Demo- 2632 Atlanta Rd (Demo)
Electrical	1	-	-
Plumbing	4	-	-
HVAC	3	-	-
Signs	2	-	2 Wall Signs- 1155 Concord Rd (Piedmont Urgent Care)
Grading	-	-	-

WEEKLY INSPECTIONS:

Type	Number	# of Sites
All	111	67

• POTENTIAL BUSINESS:

- Staff discussed potential locations with CEO of Southern Proper Hospitality about relocation of corporate offices.
- Staff provided property information for a potential location of Concord Road to the Parliament Brewery representative.

• FILM PERMIT:

- Staff reviewed a film permit application for Orange Cone Productions for filming of Dolly Parton Heartstrings TV Series at Smyrna Emory Hospital campus.

• OTHER:

- Staff met with owner of Café Lucia about a potential signage change.

NEW BUSINESSES

Name	Location	Home/Commercial	Description
LA TIENDITA	2552 S COBB DR STE B	C	CONVENIENCE STORE
REAL SUBS CAFÉ II	2450 ATLANTA RD STE 400	C	RESTAURANT QUICK SVC
10 WEST DIGITAL	316 MANSON CT	H	OFFICE ADMIN
WALK WORTH SCOUTING	1528 WHITFIELD ST	H	NON PROFIT
PHENIX SALON SUITES	3240 S COBB DR STE 840	C	SALON SUITES
FRANCESCA FACES	3240 S COBB DR STE 840	C	AESTHETICIAN
DESIGN2SELL	5080 HIGHLANDS PKWY	C	INTERIOR DESIGN
F45 TRAINING	2440 ATLANT RD BLD 5	C	FITNESS STUDIO
LASHTING IMPRESSION	3240 S COBB DR STE 840	C	AESTHETICIAN
SPA RINNA ESTHETICS WELLNESS	3240 S COBB DR STE 840	C	DAY SPA
CHINARA MUSY, PRIVATE JEWELER	1455 SPRING RD	H	JEWELRY DESIGN INTERNET
ILASH GOALS	3240 S COBB DR STE 840	C	AESTHETICIAN
TRUE	3240 S COBB DR STE 840	C	NAIL SALON
SALON ZA LA	3240 S COBB DR STE 840	C	BEAUTY SALON/BARBER
REBEKAH B STYLE	3240 S COBB DR STE 840	C	BEAUTY SALON/BARBER
VERA LASHES	3240 S COBB DR STE 840	C	AESTHETICIAN
WE EXPLORE TRAVEL TOURS INC	1202 WEXFORD HILLS PKWY	H	TRAVEL AGENT INTERNET
NATURAL XPRESSION SALON	3240 S COBB DR STE 840	C	BEAUTY SALON/BARBER
JOANNA PROPERTY INSPECTION	2621 EVERGREEN TRL	H	HOME INSPECTION
URBAN HOUSE OF STYLE	3240 S COBB DR STE 840	C	BEAUTY SALON/BARBER
SALON JAI' MARIE	3240 S COBB DR STE 840	C	BEAUTY SALON/BARBER

Parks & Recreation

Jan 9 - Jan 15, 2019

	Resident	Non Resident	City Function	Allied Groups (Pro Bono)	Programmed Activity	Independent Contractor
Community Center						
Magnolia	2	1		1		
Dogwood	1	1				
Jonquil		1				
Sunflower					3	
Tulip	1	1				
Azelea		1				
Daisy					3	
Lily		1				
Orchid	1	2				
Large Gym					5	
Small Gym					3	
Wedding Gazebo						
Brawner Hall						
Banquet Hall	1	1				
Studio A	1	2				
Studio B	1					
Conference						
Taylor Brawner House						
Reed House	2					
Aunt Fanny's Cabin						
Tolleson Day Room	1					
Pavilions						
Brinkley (2)						
Chuck Camp						
Church Street						
Cobb (2)						
Jonquil						
Lake Court						
Riverline (2)						
Rose Garden (2)						
Taylor Brawner (3)						
Tolleson (2)	1					
Whitfield						
Sports Fields						
Brinkley						
Chuck Camp						
Jonquil						
Riverline						
Tolleson						
Cobb						
Ward						
Total	12	11	0	1	14	