



HARLEM NEWSLETTER

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April 2018

DATES TO REMEMBER

April 10

Planning Commission Meeting at 6:00 p.m.

April 11

Urban Redevelopment Authority Meeting 9:30 a.m. at City Hall

April 19

City Council Regular Meeting 7:00 p.m.

April 26

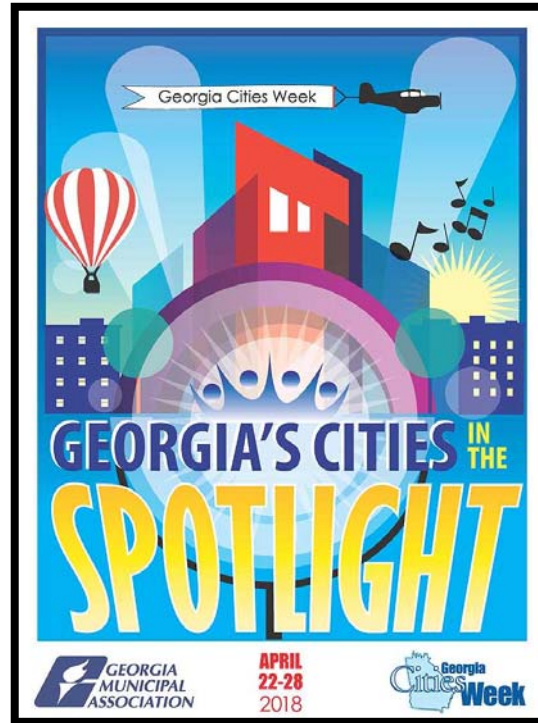
Historic Preservation Commission Meeting 6:30 p.m.

April 28

Mayor/City Council Meet & Greet Session 9:00-11:00 a.m.

***Meetings are held at the Public Safety Building unless otherwise noted**

***All meetings are subject to change**



During the week of **April 22-28**, Harlem will join other cities across Georgia in celebrating **Georgia Cities Week**. This week has been set aside to recognize the many services city governments provide and their contribution to a better quality of life. The theme this year is "Georgia's Cities in the Spotlight".

In recognition of **Georgia Cities Week**, here are some facts about Georgia cities:

Total number of cities	538
Georgia's first city	Savannah, 1789
Georgia's smallest city	Edgehill (population—25)
Georgia's largest city	Atlanta (population—448,841)

Georgia Cities Week offers an important opportunity to convey to all citizens that they can shape and influence government through their civic involvement. The City of Harlem encourages all citizens to do everything possible to ensure that this week is recognized for the important role played by city government in our lives by joining the Mayor and City Council for a **Meet & Greet Session on Saturday, April 28, at the Public Safety Building from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m.** Come join us in this celebration and learn more about your city and how it operates for you. Visit the City website, www.harlemga.org, or come by City Hall to get your City word search puzzle and coloring sheet.

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30th ANNUAL OLIVER HARDY FESTIVAL

Vendor applications are now available for the Oliver Hardy Festival on Saturday, October 6, 2018. You may pick up an application at Harlem City Hall or visit our website at www.harlemga.org. Vendors will be accepted on a first come—first serve basis and the application deadline is Friday, August 24th.



Remember to contain your loose garbage in enclosed bags before placing in your garbage container.

HELP KEEP

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"BLOOMIN' ARTS" FESTIVAL

Harlem Arts Council is excited to announce our 4th annual Harlem Arts Festival—"Bloomin' Arts". It will be held **Saturday, April 28th**, at the Glenn Phillips Park from 10 am to 4 pm. It will feature talented local musicians, a children's art competition, a wide variety of art vendors, demonstrations, flowers, food and fun! Come, experience our local art and share a beautiful day in the park!

COLUMBIA COUNTY COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS SURVEY

As part of our mission to keep children healthy, Columbia County Community Connections is surveying community members about their attitudes regarding underage drinking and other substance use among youth. The following anonymous survey asks personal but important questions about your attitude in regard to youth substance use. It is important that we receive responses from all members of the community, parents and non-parents alike. The results will be used to help us plan community-wide prevention efforts in our county. Your input is vital. Thank you for taking a few minutes and completing the survey at: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/ColumbiaCommunitySurvey2018>. We appreciate your help.

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