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SATURDAY

City of LaGrange to Hold Monthly Litter Cleanup Saturday, January 9th

LaGrange, Ga. January 5, 2021 – The City of LaGrange is holding its monthly litter cleanup event this Saturday, January 9th, 8-10 a.m. We will meet in the LaGrange Fire Department/Public Works parking lot, 115 Hill Street.



Volunteers at the December litter cleanup

City Manager Meg Kelsey wanted to send a message to the community that the City of LaGrange is serious about cleaning up litter and rolled

out the city's campaign, "Leaving LaGrange Better Than We Found It." The City of LaGrange closed non-essential business April 20, 2018 and hundreds of employees picked up trash throughout the community. It was so successful with employees and the community that the city decided to hold monthly litter cleanups.



Volunteers participate in December's litter cleanup

The public is always welcome to participate.

The city will be hosting the following litter cleanups in the future:

- Saturday, February 6th, 8-10AM at Franklin Forest Elementary School parking lot, 1 Scholar Lane. Chattahoochee Riverkeeper is installing a trash trap on Dixie Creek, a tributary to West Point Lake, with support from the City of LaGrange and Georgia Power.
- Saturday, March 6th, 8-10AM at Calumet Park, 109 Union Street. Community Partner is the Calumet Park Neighborhood Association.
- Friday, April 23rd, 8AM-1PM, City of LaGrange employees to pick up litter throughout the community.

If you are a business or group that would like to partner with the City of LaGrange on any of these events or if you'd like to host your own litter cleanup, please contact Katie Mercer Van Schoor at

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