



CITY OF HOGANSVILLE



CITY MANAGER'S REPORT

DATE SEPTEMBER 1, 2021

LETTER TO THE MAYOR AND
COUNCIL

"THE
ACHIEVEMENTS
OF AN
ORGANIZATION
ARE THE RESULTS
OF THE
COMBINED
EFFORTS OF EACH
INDIVIDUAL"

-VINCE LOMBARDI

Greetings Honorable Mayor and
City Council Members,

*I am honored to present a summary of the City of Hogansville's
monthly administrative activities.*

*We are excited to be making progress on the Amphitheater
project and will be hosting our first event on September 17th at 6
PM. The event will include a free live concert, food trucks, and a
raffle comprised of prizes from local businesses. Due to the
approval of the entertainment ordinance voted on by City Council
last month, alcohol in 16 oz. plastic cups will be permitted. We
are incredibly eager for this event and hope to see you there.*

*Along with the amphitheater event, we are hosting both a
Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Supervisor Training as well as a
Community Forum with elected officials and community
members. These trainings will be facilitated by GMA, and
**Hogansville will be the first Georgia city to host a
Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Community Forum that
includes elected officials and community members.** GMA
will be doing a story to highlight Hogansville as the first
community to have this kind of event, so be sure to attend! The
Community Forum will take place at the Hogansville Public
Library on September 15th at 5:30 p.m.*



We have a lot of exciting events coming up in Hogansville and are enthusiastic about all that is happening throughout the community. Mark your calendars for the amphitheater event on September 17th at 6 p.m. and the Community DEI Forum on September 15th at 5:30 p.m. We encourage everyone to attend both of these exciting events and flyers with additional information can be found on the last two pages of this report.

On September 7th, the Chamber of Commerce will facilitate a ribbon cutting for Drive Bar, a Toptracer Driving Range and Beer Garden. In addition to the Chamber's ribbon cutting, the City of Hogansville will host a ribbon cutting for Drive Bar on September 11th at 11 a.m. Drive Bar is located at 218 Highway 29 North and are currently accepting reservations only.

Along with the ribbon cutting for Drive Bar, Hogansville's Business Connections Group celebrated their grand opening with a City ribbon cutting on August 14th. The Business Connection Group is located at 1873 E. Main St and is a space where businesses can come together to network and office space can be rented. The Business Connections Group is hosting a "Hogansville's Heroes Lunch Day" on October 12 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. where they are inviting City workers to enjoy a FREE chicken and waffles meal with a drink. Police, first responders, utility workers, City Hall employees, and City Council members are all invited.



WEEKEND
AT THE
WAVE



GET YOUR GROOVE ON.

COMMUNITY FORUM:

DIVERSITY, EQUITY &
INCLUSION



The City of Hogansville Invites You To An Open Discussion
Everyone is Welcome



SEPTEMBER 7TH;
4 PM

**WASTEWATER
TREATMENT PLANT
RIBBON CUTTING**

SEPTEMBER 7TH;
7 PM

**MILLAGE RATE PUBLIC
HEARING**

SEPTEMBER 7TH;
7 PM

CITY COUNCIL MEETING

SEPTEMBER 11TH;
11 AM

**DRIVE BAR RIBBON
CUTTING**

SEPTEMBER 15TH;
5:30-8:30 P.M.

**DEI COMMUNITY FORUM @
PUBLIC LIBRARY**

SEPTEMBER 17TH;
6 P.M.

AMPHITHEATER CONCERT!

OCTOBER 12TH;
11 AM TO 3 PM

**HOGANSVILLE HEROS
LUNCH DAY @ BUSINESS
CONNECTION GROUP**



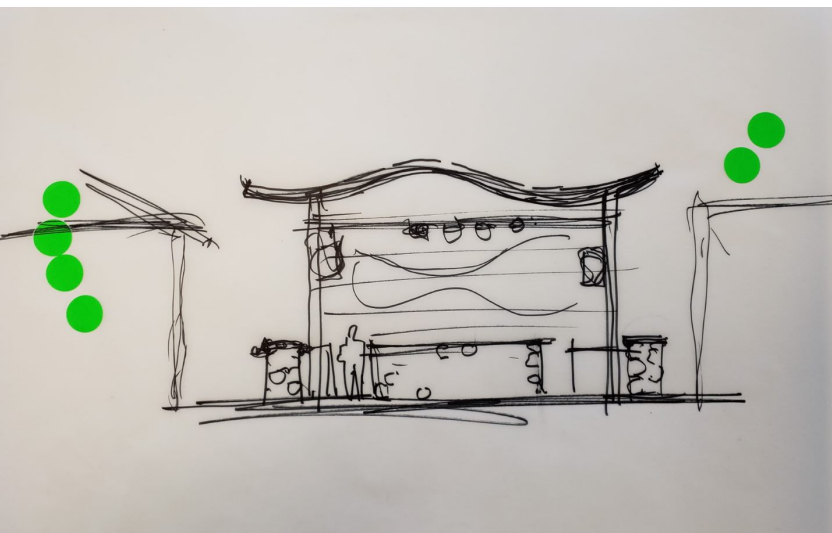
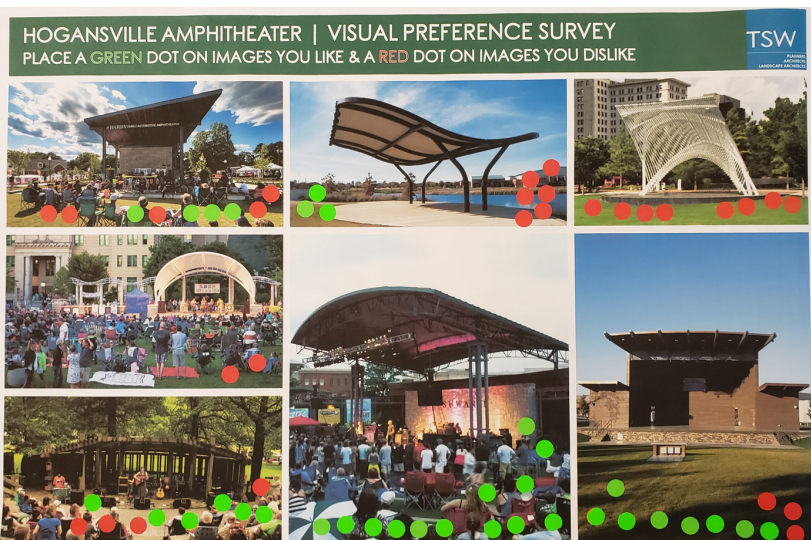
September 1, 2021

CITY SPOTLIGHTS: AMPHITHEATER & DEI TRAINING

"DIVERSITY, OR THE STATE OF BEING DIFFERENT, ISN'T THE SAME AS INCLUSION. ONE IS A DESCRIPTION OF WHAT IS, WHILE THE OTHER DESCRIBES A STYLE OF INTERACTION ESSENTIAL TO EFFECTIVE TEAMS AND ORGANIZATIONS"

BILL CRAWFORD

When creating a community where everyone wants to work, live and play, it is essential to understand the importance of embracing equity and inclusion and celebrating differences. The overall goals of the DEI trainings and forum are for individuals of all ranges of diversity to feel safe to engage in community conversations, create a sense of belonging, and find ways to strengthen the Hogansville Community for the betterment of all. We hope to see you all at the DEI Community Forum on September 15th at 6 p.m.



In addition, we held a successful amphitheater design charrette on August 17th where community members attended and provided input on amphitheater visual preferences, name ideas, and more suggestions. TSW, the firm that was selected to lead the design concept planning services for the amphitheater, compiled the information from the charrette and are excited to be working on this project in Hogansville. Be sure to come to our kickoff event to show what the amphitheater has the potential to be on September 17th at 6 p.m.

COMMUNITY FORUM:

DIVERSITY, EQUITY & INCLUSION



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WHEN: SEPTEMBER 15TH @ 5:30 P.M.

WHERE: HOGANSVILLE PUBLIC LIBRARY

WHY:

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WEEKENDS AT THE WAVE



FREE CONCERT, FOOD
TRUCKS, AND MORE

FEATURING



FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 17TH /
6 PM / AMPHITHEATER
BESIDE HOGANVILLE
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

GET YOUR GROOVE ON.

