



CITY OF DAHLONEGA **City Council Work Session Agenda**

January 20, 2026, 4:00 PM

Gary McCullough Council Chambers, Dahlonega City Hall

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Vision - Dahlonega will be the most welcoming, thriving, and inspiring community in North Georgia

Mission Statement - Dahlonega, a City of Excellence, will provide quality services through ethical leadership and fiscal stability, in full partnership with the people who choose to live, work, and visit. Through this commitment, we respect and uphold our rural Appalachian setting to honor our thriving community of historical significance, academic excellence, and military renown.

CALL TO ORDER

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

BOARDS AND COMMITTEES

1. Cemetery Committee - December 2025
Mark Buchanan, City Engineer
2. Downtown Dahlonega Main Street Program - December 2025
Ariel Alexander, Downtown Development Director

DEPARTMENT REPORTS AVAILABLE AT: <https://dahlonega.gov/catergory/department-reports/>

3. Community Development - December 2025
Allison Martin, City Manager
4. Finance and Administration Department - December 2025
Kimberly Stafford, Finance Manager
5. Police - December 2025
George Albert, Chief of Police
6. Public Works - December 2025
Mark Buchanan, City Engineer
7. Water and Wastewater Treatment - December 2025
John Jarrard, Water/Wastewater Treatment Director

APPOINTMENTS, PROCLAMATIONS, AND RECOGNITIONS

PRESENTATIONS

ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS

AGREEMENTS AND CONTRACTS

OTHER ITEMS

8. Alcoholic Beverage License for Consumption on Premises - Class D, Retail Liquor by the Drink; Class E, Retail Beer by the Drink; and, Class F, Retail Wine by the Drink - on behalf of Chef Paco LLC located at 270 E. Main Street
Sarah Waters, Assistant City Clerk

COMMENTS - PLEASE LIMIT TO THREE MINUTES PER SPEAKER

Clerk Comments

City Manager Comments

City Attorney Comments

City Council Comments

Mayor Comments

ADJOURNMENT

Guideline Principles - The City of Dahlonega will be an open, honest, and responsive city that balances preservation and growth and delivers quality services fairly and equitably by being good stewards of its resources. To ensure the vibrancy of our community, Dahlonega commits to Transparency and Honesty, Dedication and Responsibility, Preservation and Sustainability, Safety and Welfare...for ALL!
