



# CITY OF DAHLONEGA

## Council Work Session Agenda

March 18, 2024, 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.

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### OPEN MEETING

#### APPROVAL OF AGENDA

#### BOARD & COMMITTEES

1. Cemetery Committee—February 2024  
Quataunda Armstrong, Dahlonega Cemetery Committee
2. Dahlonega Downtown Development Authority/Main Street – February 2024  
Ariel Alexander, Downtown Development Director

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

3. City of Dahlonega Police Department – February 2024  
George Albert, Chief of Police.
4. Community Development Report - February 2024  
Allison Martin, City Manager
5. Finance and Administration Department – February 2024  
Kimberly Stafford, Finance Manager
6. Public Works—February 2024  
Mark Buchanan, PW Director/City Engineer
7. Water & Wastewater Treatment Department Report February 2024  
John Jarrard, Water/Wastewater Treatment Director

#### APPOINTMENT, PROCLAMATION & RECOGNITION : ( Vote at Council Meeting)

8. Discussion Board of Ethics Appointment  
Mary Csukas, City Clerk  
Strategic Priority - Communication

#### PRESENTATION

9. Lumpkin County School System - Sharon Head  
Sharon Head, School Superintendent  
Strategic Priority - Communication

#### ORDINANCES & RESOLUTIONS

10. Resolution 2024-02 Resolution for Participation in the “Certified City of Ethics” Program & Updated “City’s Principles of Public Service Ethics”

Allison Martin, City Manager

Strategic Priority - Communication

11. Defined Benefit Retirement Plan Restatement

Doug Parks, City Attorney

Strategic Priority - Communication

**AGREEMENTS & CONTRACTS:**

**OTHER ITEMS:**

12. Charles Abbott and Associates - review of services to date

Allison Martin, City Manager

Strategic Priority - Communication

13. CPL - review of services provided

Allison Martin, City Manager

Strategic Priority - Communication

**COMMENTS – PLEASE LIMIT TO THREE MINUTES**

Clerk Comments

City Manager Comments

City Attorney Comments

City Council Comments

Mayor Comments

**ADJOURNMENT**