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City Connections

An e-newsletter from
the office of City Manager Mitch Johnson

The One That Didn't Get Away!

Fishing event brings national attention to Greensboro.

Greensboro will host bass fishing's biggest names on May 19-20 when the Bassmaster American Championship regional finals come to Lake Townsend. ESPN will be on hand to film the event that features a grand prize of \$250,000. Fifty anglers will begin the contest at High Rock Lake on May 17.



The Elite 50 will be cut to 12 anglers by Saturday at 6:15 am on Lake Townsend and only six anglers will make the cut for Sunday's final round. The public is invited to attend both the event at Lake Townsend and the bass weigh-ins at the Coliseum. For more information, call Sue Davis at 282-0243.

Latham Park Sewer Work Begins

Work will help reduce sewer overflows.

Right-of-way construction for the new sanitary sewer line is now underway in the Latham Park area off Tankersley Drive. The existing sewer line is being replaced with a larger pipe to help reduce sewer overflows. Stakes in the park define the new sewer right-of-way, and some trees are flagged for removal. The tree work will take place first. Digging for the sewer replacement will begin in a few months. Once the digging begins, the work is expected to take about one year. For more information, call 412-6314.

New business license fees effective July 1. Click here for details.

Apply for the NeighborWoods Program

Keeping Greensboro green, one neighborhood at a time.

Did You Know

The 2007 GYC Carnival begins May 8 and continues through May 13 at the Greensboro Coliseum. [Get more information on gate admission, ride prices, daily discounts and ride discounts.](#)

Learn about the City's Housing Rehabilitation Program by watching this [informational video](#).

The National Arbor Day Foundation has named the City of Greensboro a 2006 Tree City USA community. This is the 16th consecutive year that Greensboro has received this recognition for its commitment to an effective, ongoing community forestry program. In addition, Greensboro received the prestigious Growth Award for the sixth time, recognizing demonstrated progress in community forestry programs.

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Neighborhoods are invited to apply for the 2007 NeighborWoods program. The program provides trees to Greensboro



neighborhoods for planting to help replace those that have been damaged or lost. One neighborhood is chosen each year and residents help choose tree species, train volunteers, and select a tree-

planting day. Applications are available on the City's website. The deadline to return applications is May 30.

▶ [Download a NeighborWoods application.](#)



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