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

Transfer Station Grand Opening



Household and business trash will be diverted from the landfill to the transfer station.

The grand opening of the City's new solid waste transfer station will be Wednesday, November 15 at 9 am at 6310 Burnt Poplar Road. With the opening of the transfer station, residential and commercial trash will be taken to the transfer station rather than the White Street Landfill and will be transported to the Uwharrie Landfill for disposal. The White Street Landfill will continue to accept construction debris and yard waste.

Bond Vote Results

Voters approved five of 11 City bond issues.

Greensboro residents voted on [11 bond issues](#) during the November 7 election. Five of the bonds - fire stations, economic development, library facilities, Greensboro Historical Museum, and parks & recreational facilities – were approved.

Release of Forensic Testing Results

Testing determines which document was posted online.

At its November 7 meeting, City Council approved the release of the findings from the forensic document testing completed by RMA to find the source of the leak of the RMA document to the media. [Read the test results and Council's resolution here.](#)

Share Your Thoughts on New Police Chief

Public meetings are scheduled for your input.

Did You Know

City offices will be closed Thursday, November 23 and Friday, November 24 for Thanksgiving. Thursday's garbage collection will take place on Wednesday, November 22. There will be no collection on Thursday. Regular collection will resume on Friday.

A workshop to provide information about planned improvements to the US 29 / Reedy Fork Parkway interchange will be held November 13 from 4:30-7:30 pm at the Reedy Fork Community Center, 4302 Reedy Fork Parkway. Improvements may include bridge replacement, interchange improvements and efforts to allow increased traffic. Public input is welcome. For more information, contact Craig McKinney.

The National League of Cities selected the City of Greensboro as a Finalist for the 2006 Awards for Municipal Excellence, which recognizes programs that improve the quality of life in their city. Greensboro's nomination was for its successful 38-year partnership with Greensboro Beautiful, Inc. for public gardens, community landscaping, urban forestry, and clean community. Winners will be announced in December.

[Loose leaf collection](#) began November 6 and runs through January 12, 2007. Leaves that were curbside by November 6 will be picked up by December 2. Leaves that are curbside by December 4 will be picked up by January 12, 2007. To learn more, call 373-CITY (2489).

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Tell us what qualities you want in the next police chief and what you want from the Greensboro Police Department at any of these [public meetings](#). You may also [email your comments](#) or call 373-CITY (2489) to share your ideas with a Customer Service Representative. All information provided will be used to help develop the criteria for the selection process.

Questions or comments about this newsletter should be addressed to: Nancy Lindemeyer, Communications Manager, 373-2105 or [email](#).

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