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# PRESS RELEASE

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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE ON:** Wednesday, November 8, 2017

### ATHENS MUNICIPAL BUILDING ANNOUNCES HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

In observance of **Thanksgiving**, please be advised of the following closings.

The Athens Municipal Building and Public Works will be closed on Thursday & Friday, November 23 & 24, 2017. These facilities will re-open Monday, November 27, 2017 during regular business hours.

The Recycling Center will be closed Thursday and Friday November 23 & 24, 2017. This facility will re-open Saturday, November 25, 2017 during regular business hours.

The Animal Shelter will be closed on Thursday & Friday, November 23, & 24, 2017. The shelter will re-open Saturday, November 25, 2017 during regular business hours.

**▼▼▼ PLEASE RUN THE FOLLOWING ON NOVEMBER 15, 17, AND 22 ALSO ▼▼▼**

The residential garbage routes for November, 20, 21, and 22, 2017 are on regular schedule.

Thursday, November 23 route will be picked up on the following Monday, November 27 and again on Thursday, November 30.

Friday, November 24 route will be picked up on the following Tuesday, November 28 and again on Friday, December 1.

Please have garbage to the road by 7:00 A.M. Additional garbage for the regular Thursday and Friday routes only will be picked up by separate trucks. **DO NOT SET EXTRA GARBAGE ON TOP OF TOTES. PLACE EXTRA GARBAGE CURSIDE 3 FEET FROM SIDE OF TOTES TO ALLOW TRUCK ARM TO GRASP AND EMPTY TOTES.** Commercial/Industrial garbage routes will be picked up on a limited basis.

ALL EMERGENCY SERVICES WILL CONTINUE TO OPERATE ON A 24-HOUR BASIS.  
CONTACT MCMINN E911 COMMUNICATIONS IN THE EVENT OF AN EMERGENCY.

For more information please visit our website at [www.cityofathenstn.com/publicworks/](http://www.cityofathenstn.com/publicworks/)

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