



Winterville at Work!

ELECTRIC UTILITY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

Town of Winterville and Carolina Power Partners have partnered together with Greene Lamp Community Action to be able to provide a one-time energy assistance credit to qualifying customers.*

*Utility account must be held in applicant's name and income verification is required.

Applications may be picked up at Customer Service

JULY UPDATE
Winterville Utilities Electric Rate Change
"Power Cost Adjustment (PCA)"

As everyone is aware, Winterville enacted a Power Cost Adjustment (PCA) to the Electric portion of the Town's Utility Bill in the Fall of 2022. This was done in an effort to keep the Town's financial position secure during the recent global events which has had an adverse impact on the costs of purchasing energy.

The original PCA was \$.05 per kWh. In March 2023, Town Council lowered the PCA to \$.025 per kWh. The PCA will now be lowered again to \$.015 per kWh, as some of the energy pricing increases have continued to decrease. The new lower rate will be reflected on your July 31st bill. The rate of \$.015 will remain in effect until December 31st, at that point in time it will be reviewed again.

The Town is committed to continually reviewing the energy market and making more positive adjustments to the PCA, as we are able to level the financial impact to the Town. Staff will continue to review all options available to the Town and will keep citizens aware as changes are made. Thank you for your continued patience during these challenging times!

Please contact Customer Services at (252)756-2221 ext. 8009 with any questions or concerns.

Important Dates

Thursday, July 6 @ 4:00 pm
 Agenda Review Meeting
 Cancelled

Monday, July 10 @ 6:00 pm
 Regular Town Council Meeting
 Cancelled

Monday, July 17 @ 7:00 pm
 Planning and Zoning Board
 Town Hall Assembly Room

Tuesday, July 18 @ 7:00 pm
 Board of Adjustment
 Town Hall Assembly Room

Tuesday, July 25 @ 6:30 pm
 Recreation Advisory Board
 Operations Center

Thursday July 27 @ 7:00 pm
 Human Relations Board
 Executive Conference Room

OTHER RESOURCES

Please see Area Resource List at the following link:
https://www.wintervillenc.com/Data/Sites/1/media/resource_list_update_20202023.pdf

SMOKE ALARMS

If you need assistance with checking your **smoke alarms** or changing the battery, please contact the Winterville Fire-Rescue-EMS Department at (252) 756-2515 or email at fireinspections@wintervillenc.com

EMERGENCY DIAL 911

Town Offices Closed-Tuesday, July 4, 2023—Independence Day Holiday

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Hurricane Preparedness weather.gov/hurricane

Prepare Before Hurricane Season

- Develop an evacuation plan
- Assemble disaster supplies: food, water, batteries, charger, radio, cash
- Get an insurance checkup and document your possessions
- Create a communication plan with a hand-written list of contacts
- Strengthen your home

BEWARE OF THE GREASE GOBLIN

Did You Know...

Most sanitary sewer backups occur between your home and the Town's sewer main? You can help prevent a costly and unsanitary overflow by following a few simple steps:

Do

- * Scrape excess grease in a container and dispose of it in the garbage.
- * Place food scraps in waste containers or garbage bags for disposal with solid wastes, or start a compost pile; promote use of scraping prior to washing.

Do Not

- * Pour grease, fats, and oils from cooking down the drain.
- * Use the toilet as a wastebasket.
- * Use the sewer as a means of disposing food scraps.

Yard Waste

Are You Contributing to Storm Drain Blockage?

If you are placing your grass clippings, leaves, limbs, or other debris on the sidewalks, streets, storm drains, or drainage ways; then the answer is yes. You are contributing to storm drain blockage. These not only create a visible nuisance, but it creates major problems.

Waste Pick Up By the Town

The Town of Winterville will **NOT** pick up any yard waste that is placed in the street. Yard waste must be placed behind the curb and away from utility poles and other services for the town to pick it up.

Chapter 98.028 of the Code of Ordinances prohibits placement of objects in streets, gutters, and other drainage ways.

Caleb Moore Recognition

Caleb was recognized and honored for earning a gold medal in the 50-yard Freestyle 2023 at the North Carolina Special Olympics Summer Games.



Parks & Recreation: 2023 Summer Movie & Concert Series

Winterville Recreation Park Amphitheatre, 332 Sylvania Street, Winterville, NC 28590. Admission is free and the concession stand will be open for all refreshment needs.

2023 Concerts

All bands play 7:00 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

<u>Date</u>	<u>Band</u>
7/14/2023.....	Dakota Blue Band
9/8/2023.....	Spare Change
10/6/2023.....	Chocolate Chip & Company

2023 Movie in the Park

All movies begin at dusk (approximately 30 minutes after sunset).

<u>Show Date</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Rating</u>
7/7/2023.....	Minions: The Rise of Gru.....	PG
9/16/2023.....	Super Mario Bros.....	PG
10/13/2023.....	Trick or Treat Scooby-Doo!.....	NR

For additional information please visit:

<https://www.wintervillenc.com/parks-and-recreation>
or call 252-756-1487.

Fall sports program registration has begun.

Registration is available online at www.wintervillenc.com and in person at the Winterville Operations Center, 2936 Church Street. Additional information regarding programs and registration is available on the Town website.

<u>Program</u>	<u>Age(s)</u>	<u>Fees</u>
Flag Football	5-6; 7-9	\$30 Resident / \$45 Non-Resident
Tackle Football	8-10; 11-13	\$50 Resident / \$70 Non-Resident
Cheerleading	5-10	\$30 Resident/ \$45 Non-Resident
Soccer	4-6	\$30 Resident / \$45 Non-Resident
Baseball	7-8; 9-10; 11-12	\$30 Resident / \$45 Non-Resident

Grilling Safety

There's nothing like outdoor grilling. It's one of the most popular ways to cook food. But, a grill placed too close to anything that can burn is a fire hazard. They can be very hot, causing burn injuries. Follow simple tips and you will be on the way to safe grilling.

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Water/Sewer Emergency Contact Phone: (252) 902-6327

Electric Emergency Contact Phone: (252) 902-6328

Fire/Rescue/Police Emergency Phone: DIAL 911

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