



PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

PRESS RELEASE

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HOLIDAY CLOSING
GOOD FRIDAY

ATHENS, TENNESSEE – March 29, 2021 – The City of Athens Public Works Department announces the following holiday closure:

The Athens Municipal Building, Public Works, Recycle Center, and Animal Shelter will be closed on Friday, April 2, 2021 in observance of **Good Friday**. The Municipal Building, Public Works, and Animal Shelter will re-open Monday, April 5, 2021 during regular business hours. The Recycle Center will open during regular business hours on Saturday, April 3, 2021.

Residential garbage routes for Friday, April 2, 2021 will be picked up on Monday, April 5, 2021. **Please have garbage to the road by 7:00 a.m.** 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.

The City of Athens is a full-service municipality nestled in the foothills of the Great Smoky Mountains and has garnered a reputation as the “Friendly City.”

For more information, please contact the Office of the Public Works Department at 423-744-2745.