



City of Americus Finance Department

The department oversees the City's financial resources, which encompass a budget of around \$39.6 million, and ensures the protection of assets through effective controls and accounting practices. Our dedicated team of fourteen members works diligently to address the concerns of all citizens. The department offers a range of services, including:

- Cash management & collections
- Paying all the City of Americus' vendors
- Payroll
- Utility Billing & Payments
- Business License administration
- Property Tax administration & collections
- Preparation of the annual budget
- Preparation for the annual audit and annual financial statement preparation
- All Accounting functions

The majority of our services are accessible through both our drive-through and inside facilities, where you can interact with our Customer Service Representatives.

We receive our property tax information from the Sumter County Tax Assessor's office and utilize it to accurately invoice property owners for taxes. For the current year, 2023, property tax payments must be made by December 20th, 2023, to avoid incurring interest.

1. Convenient drop boxes are available at the following locations:
2. Rubos on Highway 30
3. Lee Street entrance of the Municipal Building parking lot
4. Entrance of the Customer Service Center.

We provide two programs to support our citizens: the senior utility discount program and an equal payment plan option for natural gas customers.

In January of 2024, the sanitation rates for all City of Americus customers will have a slight increase of 3%. This increase is associated with the increase cost for sanitation services via Advanced Disposal/Waste Management. For our residential customers, the monthly rate will increase from \$33.11 to \$34.10

We'd like to emphasize that success can't be spelled without "U." Our commitment is to support you with any concerns related to your utility bill, property tax, business license, or other financial matters. If we're unable to directly assist you, we'll make every effort to guide you in the right direction. For more information about the Finance Department and our team, please visit the City's website at www.americusga.gov.

The Customer Service Center is located at Address: 217 W Forsyth Street Americus GA 31709

From all of us at the City of Americus' Finance Department, HAPPY HOLIDAYS.

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Office Hours

Walk-ins: Monday – Thursday, 8:00 am to 4:00 pm & Friday, 8:00 am to 5:00 pm

Over the Phone: Monday – 8:00 am to 5:00 pm