

Douglas County Non-Profit Organizations

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***The Ademola A. Fasina-Thomas, Jr. Foundation**

Contact Information

404.532.8199

www.aaftfoundation.com

Contact Person:

Rita Fasina-Thomas

aafasinathomasfoundation@gmail.com

Organization Description:

The Ademola A. Fasina-Thomas, Jr. Foundation assists deserving high school students realize their goal of a university education by awarding scholarships to ambitious, dedicated and well-rounded scholars who excel and exhibit a community spirit.

***A Gift of Love Services of West Georgia**

Contact Information:

10541 Veterans Memorial Parkway

Lithia Springs, GA 30122

770.672.4707

Contact Person:

Brenda Kirk

bkirk@6380@gmail.com

Organization Description:

A Gift of Love provides food, clothing and other material assistance to families in distress. Donations may be dropped off at the location above.

***Alpha Kappa Alpha Incorporated – Sigma Omega Omega Chapter**

Contact Information:

P.O. Box 2307

Douglasville, GA 30133

678.773.4053

Contact Person:

Deborah Jones

president@sigmaomegaomega.com

Organization Description:

The Sigma Omega Omega Chapter (SOO) exemplifies and demonstrates a legacy of sisterhood and service in Douglas County since it was chartered in December 1990. Alpha Kappa Alpha women have always dared to venture forth, explore their talents, and bring greater laurels to the sorority itself. Through various traditional programs, their intentions is to implement

programs that enhance the growth and development of a proud and successful African American community in Douglas County.

***AMP'D: Advancing Modern Professionals in Douglas**

Contact Information:

Douglas County Chamber
6658 Church Street
Douglasville, GA 30134
770.942.5022

www.douglascountygeorgia.com

Contact Person:

Ruby Byers
byers@douglascountygeorgia.com

Organization Description:

Attracting emerging professionals to engage, develop, and serve in Douglas County.

***American Business Women's Association – Douglas County Chapter**

Contact Information:

P.O. Box 2354
Douglasville, GA 30133
770.596.8161

www.abwadc.com

Contact Person:

Deborah Johnson-Blake
abwa.dc@gmail.com

Organization Description:

ABWA's mission is to bring together businesswomen of diverse occupations and to provide opportunities for them to help themselves and others grow personally and professionally through leadership, education, networking support and national recognition. They meet every fourth Thursday of the month, 6 p.m. at various locations in Douglasville.

American Cancer Society

Contact Information:

3380 Chastain Meadows Parkway
Suite 200
Kennesaw, GA 30144
770.429.1624

www.cancer.org

Contact Person:

Debbie Freeman
debbiefreeman@cancer.org

Organization Description:

The American Cancer Society is the nationwide, community-based, voluntary health organization dedicated to eliminating cancer as a major health problem by preventing cancer, saving lives, and diminishing suffering from cancer, through research, education, advocacy, and service. With chartered divisions throughout the country and over 3,400 local offices, the American Cancer Society (ACS) is committed to fighting cancer through balanced programs of research, education, patient service, advocacy, and rehabilitation.

American Diabetes Association**Contact Information:**

233 Peachtree Street NE
Suite 2225
Atlanta, GA 30303
404.320.7100 · 888-DIABETES ext. 3087
www.diabetes.org/atlanta

Contact Person:

adaga@diabetes.org

Organization Description:

The American Diabetes Association leads the fight against the deadly consequences of diabetes, and they fight for those affected by diabetes. The American Diabetes Association funds research to prevent, cure and manage diabetes.

American Heart Association**Contact Information:**

1101 Northchase Parkway
Suite 1
Marietta, GA 30067
678.224.2085
www.americanheart.org

Contact Person:

Michael Privette
Michael.privette@heart.org

Organization Description:

The American Heart Association provides public health education in a variety of ways. They are the nation's leader in CPR education training. The American Heart Association helps people understand the importance of healthy lifestyle choices.

American Legion**Contact Information:**

1314 Veterans Memorial Highway
Douglasville, GA 30134
770.949.2631
www.galegion.org

Contact Person:

James McAdams

amerlegga@bellsouth.net

Organization Description:

The American Legion was chartered and incorporated by Congress in 1919 as a patriotic veterans organization devoted to mutual helpfulness. It is the nation's largest veteran's service organization, committed to mentoring and sponsorship of youth programs in our communities, advocating patriotism and honor, promoting a strong national security, and continued devotion to our fellow service members and veterans.

American Red Cross*Contact Information:**

9851 Commerce Way
Douglasville, GA 30135
770.852.4000

www.redcross.org

Contact Person:

Tina Dean

tina.dean@redcross.org

Organization Description:

The American Red Cross prevents and alleviates human suffering in the face of emergencies by mobilizing the power of volunteers and the generosity of donors.

AmVets Post 118**Contact Information:**

4225 Veterans Memorial Highway
Lithia Springs, GA 30122
770.745.4217

www.amvets.org

Contact Person:

Rick Hinds

amvetspost118@bellsouth.net

Organization Description:

AmVets is a private veterans club located in Lithia Springs. As one of America's foremost veterans service organizations, AMVETS (or American Veterans) has a proud history of assisting veterans and sponsoring numerous programs that serve our country and its citizens. The helping hand that AMVETS extends to veterans and their families takes many forms.

***Atlanta Regional Commission**

Contact Information:

229 Peachtree Street NE, International Tower

Suite 100

Atlanta, GA 30303

404.463.3100

www.atlantaregional.org

Contact Person:

Doug Hooker, Executive Director

dhooker@atlantaregional.org

Organization Description:

The Atlanta Regional Commission is the regional planning and intergovernmental coordination agency for the 10-county Atlanta region. Since 1947, ARC and its predecessor agencies have helped focus the region's leadership, attention and resources on critical issues.

***Beyond the Front Porch, Inc.**

Contact Information:

404.408.6448

www.beyondthefrontporch.org

Contact Person:

Kascia Lipford

info@beyondthefrontporch.org

Organization Description:

Beyond the Front Porch brings back the experience of educational field trips to school aged children. They also expose economically disadvantaged teens to non-traditional activities beyond their current surroundings.

***Bloom Our Youth, Inc.**

Contact Information:

150 Marquis Drive

Fayetteville, GA 30214

440.460.6652

www.beyondthefrontporch.org

Contact Person:

Kristin Melton

k.melton@bloomouryouth.org

Organization Description:

Bloom Our Youth is a social service non-profit organization that operates supportive programs for foster families and foster youth in Georgia. Bloom serves 3,000 foster children annually.

Boeswan Studio of the Arts

Contact Information:

www.boeswan1.worldgn.com

Contact Person:

Cynthia Carmichael

312.576.3944

boeswan@gmail.com

Organization Description:

Boeswan Studio of the Arts hopes to bridge the cultural divide by mentoring youth thorough the various art mediums like the theater, dance, pottery, jewelry making, photography, and more. Their goal is to conduct exchange programs that would allow youth to travel abroad and see art from many lands while learning as much as possible. Boeswan Studio of the Arts hopes to reach students who have economic, physical and emotional challenges.

***Boy Scouts of America**

Contact Information:

1800 Circle 75 Parkway

Atlanta, GA 30339

770.989.9820

www.atlantabsa.org

Contact Person:

Madalize Ward

770.956.3186

Organization Description:

The mission of the Boy Scouts of America is to prepare young people to make ethical choices over their lifetimes by instilling in them the values of the Scout Oath and Law.

***Brainy Bytes West Atlanta**

Contact Information:

1720 Mars Hill Road, Suite 8-205

Acworth, GA 30101

470.219.8662

www.brainybytes.com

Contact Person:

Leslie Smith

watlantainfo@brainybytes.com

Organization Description:

The mission of the Boy Scouts of America is to prepare young people to make ethical choices over their lifetimes by instilling in them the values of the Scout Oath and Law.

***Chanan Foundation, Inc.**

Contact Information:

3136 Golf Ridge Boulevard

Douglasville, GA 30135

678.715.8891

www.chananfoundation.org

Contact Person:

Chanda Stafford

chanda.stafford@chananfoundation.org

Organization Description:

The Chanan Foundation is a private non-profit corporation that provides day training, supported living, host home, and group home services for adults with developmental disabilities.

***Children's Voice: CASA, Inc.**

Contact Information:

8700 Hospital Drive

3rd Floor

Douglasville, GA 30134

770.577.7228

www.douglascountycasa.org

Contact Person:

Katy Hilbert

khilbert@co.douglas.ga.us

Organization Description:

Children's Voice: CASA, Inc. is committed to recruit, train and support citizen-volunteers to advocate for the best interests of abused and neglected children in courtrooms and the community. They are empowered directly by the courts and provide judges the critical information they need to ensure that each child's rights and needs are being attended to while in foster care.

Christian Community Orchestra

Contact Information

5811 Central Church Road

Douglasville, GA 30135

770.942.3381

www.christiancommunityorchestra.org

Contact Person:

Jan Booth

janboothmusic@yahoo.com

Organization Description:

The Christian Community Orchestra has been bringing Christian, patriotic, and classical music to the Douglas County community for 32 years. Two free CCO concerts are given each year in May and December at Central Baptist Church. Rehearsals are on Mondays at the church at 7pm. The groups consist of all ages from 10 to retirees who play at an intermediate level or above.

Cobb & Douglas Public Health*Contact Information:**

6700 Selman Drive
Douglasville, GA 30134
770.949.1970
www.cobbanddouglaspublichealth.org

Contact Person:

Lisa Crossman
lisa.crossman@dph.ga.gov

Organization Description:

Since 1920, Cobb & Douglas Public Health, with their partners, promote and protect the health and safety of the residents of Cobb and Douglas counties. They work to achieve healthy people in healthy communities by: preventing epidemics and spread of disease; protecting against environmental hazards; preventing injuries; promoting and encouraging healthy behaviors; responding to disasters and assisting in community recovery; assuring the quality and accessibility of health care.

Communities In Schools of Douglas County*Contact Information:**

P.O. Box 1077
Douglasville, GA 30133
770.651.2039
www.dcssga.org

Contact Person:

Mitzi Teal
mitzi.teal@douglas.k12.ga.us

Organization Description:

Communities in Schools of Douglas County (CISDC) builds partnerships that bring needed community resources into schools to help students successfully learn. CISDC programs are tailored to the needs of the schools and the students. They provide services to students at a variety of levels, including whole-school initiatives, intensive short-term services to students, and sustained services for those needing ongoing support. Their mission is to champion the connection of needed community resources with schools to help young people successfully learn, stay in school and prepare for life.

Crossroads for Life Ministries

Contact Information:

12591 Veterans Memorial Highway
Douglasville, GA 30134
678.715.1677
www.crossroadsforlife.com

Contact Person:

Edwin Ford
fordforlife@comcast.net

Organization Description:

Crossroads for life Ministries is a this full gospel non-denominational Christ-centered ministry which evolved outreach ministries of Vision 21 Concepts and the Men's Assessment Center. The vision of Crossroads for Life Ministries is to recapture the lost by teaching the powerful message of Jesus Christ.

***Cultural Arts Council of Douglasville-Douglas County**

Contact Information:

8652 Campbellton Street
Douglasville, GA 30134
770.949.2787
www.artsdouglas.org

Contact Person:

Emily Lightner
emily.lightner@artsdouglas.org

Organization Description:

The Cultural Arts Council is the local arts agency serving Douglasville and Douglas County since 1986. They offer a full array of arts programs and cultural activities for citizens of and visitors to our community.

***Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.**

Contact Information:

P.O. Box 5396
Douglasville, GA 30134
www.dcpds.com

Contact Person:

Sharon Owens
president@dcpdst.com

Organization Description:

Douglas-Carroll-Paulding Counties Alumnae Chapter of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated is a sisterhood of progressive committed women who stand as a beacon of light

providing public service support to improve the quality of life for the citizens of where they serve.

***Douglas Community Services Board**

Contact Information:

5905 Stewart Parkway
Douglasville, GA 30135
770.949.8082

www.douglascountycsb.com

Contact Person:

Monraye Lightford
mlightford@cobbcsb.com

Organization Description:

Provider of behavioral health services for adults and children with mental health and substance abuse problems.

Douglas CORE: Community Organizing Resources for Excellence

Contact Information:

8355 Cherokee Boulevard
Douglasville, GA 30134
770.577.7711

Contact Person:

Amanda Bryant

Organization Description:

Douglas CORE is a community collaborative representing non-profits, civic organizations, health and human services, education, law enforcement, churches, families and youth. This partnership strives to assess and evaluate present needs and resources for children and families while searching for additional resources to fill in gaps in services and discourage duplication of services.

***Douglas County Boys and Girls Club**

Contact Information:

8828 Gurley Road
Douglasville, GA 30134
770.577.9824

www.bgcma.org

Contact Person:

Steve Hord
shord@bgcma.org

Organization Description:

For more than 70 years, Boys & Girls Clubs of Metro Atlanta (BGCMA) has been in the forefront of youth development, working with young people from disadvantaged economic, social and family circumstances. BGCMA is dedicated to ensuring that our community's young people, who are most in need of our help, have greater access to quality programs and services that provide promise, hope and opportunities to ensure that they may become productive adults.

Douglas County Chamber**Contact Information:**

6658 Church Street
Douglasville, GA 3134
www.douglascountygeorgia.com
770.942.5022

Contact Person:

info@douglascountygeorgia.com

Organization Description:

The Douglas County Chamber is looking toward the future and is focusing on their mission to support, promote, and attract business for the advancement of our community.

Douglas County Chamber Singers**Contact Information:**

www.douglascountychambersingers.com
678.961.3623

Contact Person:

Vickie Orme
chambersingers@mindsprings.com

Organization Description:

The Douglas County Chamber Singer's mission is to provide quality choral music for the citizens of Douglas County, while always endeavoring to bring enjoyment to both the listener and the performer.

Douglas County Democrats*Contact Information:**

P.O. Box 55
Douglasville, GA 30133
770.685.6424
www.dcems.org

Contact Person:

Lisa Martin
dcdpchair@gmail.com

Organization Description:

The mission of the Douglas County Democrats is to promote a positive image of the Democratic Party in the local community; to perform such primary and election functions as required by law and other duties.

Douglas County Homeless Coalition, Inc.**Contact Information**

770.356.9731

Contact Person:

Leigh Ann Champion

lovinghandsdcga@gmail.com

Organization Description:

The Douglas County Homeless Coalition (DCHC) is a collaboration of charities and concerned citizens working to end chronic homelessness in Douglasville and Douglas County. The DCHC currently works with United Way of Greater Atlanta to support the Douglasville/Douglas County Street to Home Program, which offers transitional housing, case management and other services to residents of Douglasville and Douglas County who are facing homelessness.

Douglas County Disabilities Coalition*Contact Information:**

P.O. Box 985

Douglasville, GA 30133

770.402.4711

Contact Person:

Christy Turner

christinaturner@comcast.net

Organization Description:

Americans with intellectual and developmental disabilities have the services and supports they need to grow, develop and live in communities across the nation. These services include early intervention, health care, a free appropriate public education and supports for their families. For adults, the Douglas County Disabilities Coalition services include preparation for employment, job placement, independent living skill training, leisure and recreation activities and any other supports needed.

Douglas County Education Foundation*Contact Information:**

9030 Highway 5

Douglasville, GA 30133

770.651.2000

www.dcef.dcssga.org

Contact Person:

Tonya Jackson

Tonya.jackson@ra-lin.com

Organization Description:

The Douglas County Education Foundation (DCEF) fulfills its mission by raising money for Classroom Impact Grants, occasional restricted grants, scholarships, and honorariums.

***Douglas County Extension Office**

Contact Information:

6279 Fairburn Road

Douglasville, GA 30134

770.920.7224

www.extension.uga.edu/county-offices/douglas.html

Contact Person:

Susan Culpepper

slculpep@uga.edu

Organization Description:

The Douglas County Education Foundation (DCEF) fulfills its mission by raising money for Classroom Impact Grants, occasional restricted grants, scholarships, and honorariums.

***Douglas County Family and Children Services**

Contact Information:

8473 Duralee Lane

Douglasville, GA 30134

Suite 100

770.489.3000

www.dhs.ga.gov

Contact Person:

Kay Wimpy

kay.wimpy@dhs.ga.gov

Organization Description:

The Georgia Division of Family and Children Services (DFCS) investigates reports of child abuse; finds foster and adoptive homes for abused and neglected children; issues SNAP, Medicaid, TANF and child care assistance to low-income families; helps out-of-work parents get back on their feet; and provides numerous support services and innovative programs to help families in need.

Douglas County Homeless Shelter

Contact Information:

1755 Sandy Lane

Douglasville, GA 30134

770.949.4911

Contact Person:

douglascountyshelter@gmail.com

Organization Description:

The Douglas County Homeless Shelter is for transitional families and emergency shelter. The shelter takes single women and transitional families when space is available. All of the residents must be able to work or seek employment to live there.

Douglas County Humane Society**Contact Information:**

2171 Mack Road
Douglasville, GA 30135
678.838.9123
www.dchsociety.org

Contact Person:

Christina Walker
info@dchsociety.org

Organization Description:

The Douglas County Humane Society is a group of volunteers determined to make a lasting difference in the quality of life for animals in Douglas County. The Douglas County Humane Society is not a shelter nor do they operate one. They are a support system for pet owners and animal lovers in our community.

Douglas County Lions Club**Contact information:**

www.lionsclub.com

Contact Person:

douglascountylions@gmail.com

Organization Description:

Douglas County Lions Club is best known for fighting and preventing blindness but also participates in various community service events. Their goal is to help the residents of Douglas County with sight and hearing related issues while serving the community in other related service projects.

Douglas County Resource Alliance*Contact Information:**

10251 Veterans Memorial Highway
Lithia Springs, GA 30122
770.739.4905
www.douglascountyresourcealliance.org

Contact Person:

Kyle Eason
dcra@bellsouth.net

Organization Description:

Douglas County Resource Alliance, Inc. (DCRA) was established in 1970 under the name of The Douglas County Retardation Association, Inc. to advocate for and provide services to individuals with developmental disabilities. Funding for programs is provided by contracts the agency has with the Georgia Department of Behavioral Health and Developmental Disabilities, HUD, Medicaid, and through donations.

Douglas County Rogue Runners*Contact Information:**

P.O. Box 1846
Douglasville, GA 30133
404.587.9628
www.dcroguerunners.com

Contact Person:

Johnny Buice
dcrrclubga@gmail.com

Organization Description:

Douglas County Rogue Runners is a running club comprised of all types of runners from casual runners to ultra-running veterans. Regardless of experience, members of this club love running, welcome people with an interest in running, and seek to join with others who share a passion for the sport.

Douglas Senior Services**Contact Information:**

6287 Fairburn Road
Douglasville, GA 30134
770.489.3100
www.douglasseniorservices.com

Contact Person:

Konswella Gilchrist
support@douglasseniorservices.org

Organization Description:

The goal of Douglas Senior Services is to enhance the quality of life and promote independence among the older residents. Services are provided to citizens of Douglas County age 60 years and older.

Douglasville Convention & Visitors Bureau*Contact Information:**

6287 Fairburn Road
12385 Veterans Memorial Highway

Douglasville, GA 30134
770.947.5920
www.visitdouglasville.com

Contact Person:

Samantha Rosado
rosados@douglasvillega.gov

Organization Description:

The Douglasville Convention and Visitors Bureau provides information for new and current residents, or tourists traveling through Douglasville.

DriButts

Contact Information:

216 West Montgomery Street
Villa Rica, GA 30180
770.825.1342
www.dributts.com

Contact Person:

Michael Wahl
michael@dributts.com

Organization Description:

DriButts diaper was an idea that came from a need that Michael Wahl, founder of DriButts, saw while leading a mission trip in Haiti. DriButts has developed a reusable and wring-able diaper for developing countries. This simple diaper can help stop the spread of disease.

***Faces of Transitions**

Contact Information:

8336 Office Park Drive, Suite C
Douglasville, GA 30134
678.934.2041
www.sustainingtransitions.com

Contact Person:

Shevander Dykes
sdykes@survivingtransitions.com

Organization Description:

Faces of Transitions provides individual and family therapy.

***Families in Transition of West Georgia, Inc.**

Contact Information:

6279 Fairburn Road
Douglasville, GA 30135

678.293.1029

www.fitwestga.wixsite.com/fitwestga

Contact Person:

Jill Hopson

fitwestga@gmail.com

Organization Description:

Families in Transition of West Georgia, Inc. offers several programs to meet the needs of youth and families. Program focus areas include evidence-based programming (EBPs), LINK (Linking, Integrating, and Networking for Kids), mentoring programs, and support to our local Family Dependency Treatment Court (FDTC).

Fellowship of Christian Athletes

Contact Information:

404.983.7551

www.fca.org

Contact Person:

Jay Webb

jwebb@fca.org

Organization Description:

Since 1954, the Fellowship of Christian Athletes (FCA) has been challenging coaches and athletes on the professional, college, high school, junior high and youth levels to use the powerful medium of athletics to impact the world for Jesus Christ. FCA is the largest interdenominational, school-based, Christian sports organization in America. FCA focuses on serving local communities by equipping, empowering and encouraging people to make a difference for Christ.

***Fostering Faith, Inc.**

Contact Information:

7085 Highway 78

Winston, GA 30187

404.559.3878

www.fosteringfaithga.org

Contact Person:

Christy Griffin

aataacct@gmail.com

Organization Description:

Fostering Faith began in 2011 with 300 backpacks donated to foster children in two local counties. These backpacks held several items such as a stuffed animal, a toy, and candy. They currently strive to provide backpacks full of school supplies, toiletries, and toys for children in need.

***Friends of Sweetwater Creek State Park**

Contact Information:

P.O. Box 816
Lithia Springs, GA 30122
770.732.5871
www.friendsofsweetwatercreek.org

Contact Person:

John Johnston
johnston1960@gmail.com

Organization Description:

The Friends of Sweetwater Creek State Park, Inc. is a group of volunteers with the purpose of protecting, preserving, and carefully developing the rich nature and history of Sweetwater Creek State Park. Sweetwater Creek State park volunteers take school children, church groups and others, down the trails of Sweetwater Creek teaching them history and telling the stories of introducing them to the nature of the world they live in. They support the park with needed equipment and repairs, all for free without public money.

Georgia PTA

Contact Information:

114 Baker Street NE
Atlanta, GA 30303
404.659.0214
www.georgiapta.org

Contact Person:

Tyler Barr
tbarr@georgiapta.org

Organization Description:

Georgia PTA is composed of thirteen (13) PTA Districts. Districts are geographical divisions of Georgia PTA, which help integrate the work of local unit PTAs with state and national plans and activities.

Girl Scouts of Greater Atlanta

Contact Information:

5601 North Allen Road
Mableton, GA 30126
770.702.9223
www.gsgatl.org

Contact Person:

Tamika Davis-Relford
treleford@gsgatl.org

Organization Description:

The Girl Scouts of Greater Atlanta, Inc. serves approximately 40,000 girls and over 17,700 adult members in 34 counties in the Greater Metropolitan Atlanta area, Northwest Georgia and Polk County, TN. Girl Scouting builds girls of courage, confidence and character, who make the world a better place.

Giving Initiatives and Alternatives, Inc.**Contact Information:**

973.454.8603

www.givinginitiatives.org

Contact Person:

Angelo O. Muhammad

info@givinginiatives.org

Organization Description:

Giving Initiatives and Alternatives, Inc., is dedicated to providing educational and inspirational community programs to youth and young adults. These include workshops, classes, mentoring, wellness and community activities. A signature program is "The Boys Camp" where they give instruction in discipline, respect, responsibility, grooming, etiquette, and focus at school and at home. They also engage youth in drilling exercises to sharpen their minds along with physical training to promote regular fitness. They teach against bullying and have a "Stop the Violence" campaign, but also train youth how to defend themselves.

Good Samaritan Center of Douglas County*Contact Information:**

8366 Grady Street

Douglasville, GA 30134

770.949.7335

www.goodsamdc.org

Contact Person:

Tammy Kone

goodsamdc@gmail.com

Organization Description:

The Good Samaritan Center is a faith-based organization offering food and emergency financial aid to Douglas County citizens in need since 1983.

Hope for the Journey*Contact Information:**

P.O. Box 1343

Carrollton, GA 30112

770.214.1491

www.hopeforthejourneywestga.org

Contact Person:

Rosie Holley

executivedirector@hopeforthejourneywestga.org

Organization Description:

Hope for the Journey, Inc. encourages the sharing of information in addition to fellowship amongst those suffering and recovering from breast cancer. Their mission is to give hope to those suffering from breast cancer by providing financial assistance, counseling with spiritual support, and insightful knowledge through support groups and programming. Hope for the Journey strives to empower women that have and continue to fight against breast cancer.

IGY6 Service Dogs for Heroes, Inc.**Contact Information:**

404.309.6730

www.igy6servicedogs.org

Contact Person:

Ken Cappallo

igy6servicedogs@gmail.com

Organization Description:

IGY6 Service Dogs for heroes trains rescue dogs to be service dogs for veterans at no cost.

NW Metro Atlanta Habitat for Humanity*Contact Information:**

1625 Spring Road

Smyrna, GA 30080

770.432.7954

www.nwmetroatlantahabitat.org

Contact Person:

Jessica Gill

jgill@nwmetroatlantahabitat.org

Organization Description:

Northwest Metro Atlanta Habitat for Humanity works to build a stronger community by creating affordable housing in partnership with volunteers and responsible families in need. NW Metro Atlanta Habitat is committed to its goal of building simple, decent, affordable housing. Using volunteer labor and donated funds and materials, they build or rehabilitate houses and sell them to responsible families in need at no profit with no interest charged.

James M. & Erma T. Fremont Foundation**Contact Information:**

P.O. Box 82563

Douglasville, GA 30133

404.761.1659

www.freemontfoundation.com

Contact Person:

Joi Freemont

info@freemontfoundation.com

Organization Description:

The James M. and Erma T. Freemont Foundation awards scholarships to deserving students attending institutions of higher education. In their first three years, with the help of phenomenal supporters, over \$50,000 was raised for scholarships and they have named eighteen "Freemont Scholars".

***JC Freedom House Ministries**

Contact Information:

P.O. Box 821

Douglasville, GA 30133

770.675.3817

www.jcfreedomhouse.com

Contact Person:

Marigold Edwards

jcfreedomhouse@gmail.com

Organization Description:

JC Freedom House is a non-denominational charismatic Christian ministry founded on the full gospel of Jesus Christ. They provide shelter and support to women in crisis.

***Junior League of Douglas County**

Contact Information:

P.O. Box 1324

Douglasville, GA 30133

678.852.3509

www.jldouglascounty.org

Contact Person:

Katrina Harley

jldc_placement@yahoo.com

Organization Description:

The Junior League of Douglas County is an organization of women committed to promoting volunteerism, developing the potential of women, and improving communities through the effective action and leadership of trained volunteers.

Keep Douglas County Beautiful

Contact Information:

8700 Hospital Drive
Douglasville, Georgia 30135
770.920.7593
www.keepdouglascountybeautiful.com

Contact Person:

Tiffany Stewart-Stanley
tstewartstanley@co.douglas.ga.us

Organization Description:

Keep Douglas County Beautiful educates, engages, and empowers citizens and businesses with resources to promote a clean and sustainable community.

Keep Douglasville Beautiful**Contact Information:**

P.O. Box 219
Douglasville, Georgia 30133
678.449.3138
www.keepdouglasvillebeautiful.org

Contact Person:

Chan Weeks
weeksc@douglasvillega.gov

Organization Description:

The mission of Keep Douglasville Beautiful is to practice, promote, and encourage environmental stewardship through public education and community-based projects, within the City of Douglasville.

Kingdom Living International**Contact Information:**

5727 Palazzo Way
Douglasville, Georgia 30135
678.773.8167
www.kingdomlivingintl.org

Contact Person:

Juanetta Oliver
jeraloliver2012@gmail.com

Organization Description:

Kingdom Living International is an evangelistic outreach ministry that is here to Advance the Kingdom of God, and to spread the gospel of Jesus Christ which He came preaching – the gospel of the Kingdom.

***Kiwanis Club**

Contact Information:

P.O. Box 69
Douglasville, GA 30133
770.942.3457
www.kiwanisclubofdouglascounty.com

Contact Person:

Elaine Stone
evstone426@gmail.com

Organization Description:

Kiwanis works with local youth organizations throughout the community including Boys & Girls Club, Special Olympics and, A Gift of Love. They also sponsor Kids Christmas Special, which provides Christmas gifts to local needy elementary students picked by the schools. The Kiwanis Club meets every Friday at 1 p.m. at the Irish Bred Pub in Douglasville.

***Leadership Douglas**

Contact Information:

Douglas County Chamber
6658 Church Street
Douglasville, GA 30134
770.942.5022
www.douglascountygeorgia.com

Contact Person:

Sara Ray
ray@douglascountygeorgia.com

Organization Description:

Leadership Douglas is a program of the Douglas County Chamber Foundation. It selects diverse and qualified individuals to provide a structured program that enhances leadership skills and community involvement for the betterment of all citizens, businesses, organizations and governments in Douglas County.

***LifeTools (The Pantry, CarePlace and Faith & Action)**

Contact Information

5357 Chapel Hill Road
Douglasville, GA 30135
770.489.5990
www.lifetoolsdc.com

Contact Person:

Frank Smith
frank@thecareplacedc.com

Organization Description:

LifeTools is an organization that exists to help relieve the discomfort of those experiencing hunger, pain and lack. Their mission issues the clarion call to those who are open to compassion and generosity.

Loving Hands Ministry*Contact Information:**

6461 Church Street
Douglasville, GA 30134
770.577.1777

Contact Person:

Leigh Anne Champion
lovinghandsdcga@gmail.com

Organization Description:

Loving Hands Ministries is a faith based, thrift store that exists solely to assist families and individuals in crisis with donated furniture, house wares, clothing and vehicles at minimal or no charge. In addition to the crisis assistance and public thrift store, they also offer the following community services: free bread, free books, free Bibles and prayer requests, homeless care packages, support to other ministries both in this community as well as worldwide.

March of Dimes**Contact Information:**

3495 Piedmont Road, Building 12, Suite 210
Atlanta, GA 30305
404.350.9800
www.marchofdimes.org/Georgia/

Contact Person:

Brittany Burke
bburke@marchofdimes.org

Organization Description:

The March of Dimes mission is to improve the health of babies by preventing birth defects, premature birth, and infant mortality. They carry out this mission through research, community services, education and advocacy to save babies' lives. March of Dimes researchers, volunteers, educators, outreach workers and advocates work together to give all babies a fighting chance against the threats to their health: prematurity, birth defects, low birth weight.

***M.E.N.S. Wear, Inc.**

Contact Information:

8385 Cherokee Boulevard, Suite 200

Douglasville, GA 30134

781.990.6367

www.menswearinc.com

Contact Person:

Angelia O'Neal

info@menswearinc.org

Organization Description:

M.E.N.S. Wear, Inc. is a 501c3 nonprofit organization. Our mission is to Empower Males & Strengthen Families. Since 2004, we have provided workforce development training to 1500+ males in Georgia.

Nichols Center

Contact Information:

5728 Fairburn Road

Suite E

Douglasville, GA 30134

678.634.8989

www.nicholscenter.org

Contact Person:

Tara Nichols

nicholscenter.recovery@gmail.com

Organization Description:

The Nichols Center is dedicated to supporting families affected by substance abuse and addiction through treatment planning, community linkage, and educational awareness.

***Omega Men of Douglas County**

Contact Information:

770.318.5092

www.tri-muques.org

Contact Person:

Kieno Jones

kienob@yahoo.com

Organization Description:

Omega Men of Douglas County is the local chapter of the international fraternal organization of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc. They are a service oriented fraternity, dedicated to their four cardinal principles; manhood, scholarship, perseverance and uplift.

***Partners in Education**

Contact Information:

Douglas County Board of Education
9030 Highway 5
Douglasville, GA 30134
770.651.2037
www.douglas.k12.ga.us

Contact Person:

Mandy Johnson
mandy.johnson@dcssga.org

Organization Description:

The Partners in Education program encourages greater student academic designed achievement by developing partnerships between individual schools and area businesses, industries and community groups. It also involves an on-going commitment between a business and a school that grows and develops throughout the school year.

Pilot Club of Sweetwater

Contact Information:

770.834.6877

Contact Person:

Patricia Garner
patgarner@pilotclubofsweetwater.org

Organization Description:

Pilot Club of Sweetwater is a service organization that is a part of Pilot International. Their focus is on brain related injuries and disorders. They have adjusted this focus to fit the Sweetwater Area Community which includes Douglas County. Pilot Club's local project is The Brainminders Puppet Show. It is designed for children to teach them to protect their brains with helmets and by watching for traffic and hazards in the play areas.

***PEPP, Inc.**

Contact Information:

P.O. Box 5128
Douglasville, GA 30133
770.577.7771
www.peppinc.org

Contact Person:

Linda Shepard
shepard.linda@peppinc.org

Organization Description:

PEPP, Inc. helps families by providing assistance with educational advocacy including IEP's, 504s, WIDA, ARWG, workforce development services for those ages 16-24.

PRC Medical*Contact Information:**

3030 Chapel Hill Road
Douglasville, GA 30135
770.920.1000
www.abortiondecision.com

Contact Person:

Sally Buckner
director@partnersofprc.com

Organization Description:

PRC Medical offers abortion clinic alternative services, information on abortion procedures and pregnancy options. All of their services are free and confidential including pregnancy tests, limited ultrasound exams, post-abortion exams, post-abortion counseling, STD testing and treatment, sports physicals for female athletes, sexual health education, an "Earn While You Learn" parenting mentor program and a mommy boutique.

Regional Business Coalition*Contact Information:**

235 Andrew Young International Boulevard
Atlanta, GA 30303
404.586.1938
www.atlregionalbusiness.org

Contact Person:

Lynne Middleton
lymiddleton@rbcatl.com

Organization Description:

The Regional Business Coalition of Metropolitan Atlanta (RBC) is an organization of 16 local Chambers of Commerce throughout the metro Atlanta region. RBC member chambers represent over 10,000 businesses that collectively employ over 1 million metro Atlanta residents.

Renaissance Leadership Academy*Contact Information:**

P.O. Box 1013
Lithia Springs, GA 30122
762.584.5245
www.rlacademy.com

Contact Person:

Henry Greenidge

rlacademy3@gmail.com

Organization Description:

Renaissance Leadership Academy is a 501(c)3 whose mission is to ignite a fire of creativity and self-confidence in children that will be transformational for them, their families and communities built on a moral foundation of Biblical truth and principles of leadership.

***Rotary Club**

Contact Information:

P.O. Box 1399
Douglasville, GA 30133
770.627.2208
www.douglascountyrotaryclub.org

Contact Person:

Jennifer Rogers
jennifer@extremeimagesllc.com

Organization Description:

Rotary is an organization of business and professional leaders united worldwide who provide humanitarian service, encourage high ethical standards in all vocations, and help build goodwill and peace in the world. Rotarians develop community service projects that address many of today's most critical issues, such as children at risk, poverty and hunger, the environment, illiteracy, and violence.

Safe Kids Douglas County

Contact Information:

6770 Selman Drive
Douglasville, GA 30134
770.949.5155
www.safekidsdouglascounty.org

Contact Person:

Lin Snowe
Lin.snowe@dph.ga.gov

Organization Description:

Safe Kids Douglas County is committed to reducing and preventing accidental injuries to children in Douglas County. Safe Kids Douglas County pledges to raise public awareness of preventable injuries, to support public policy on child safety and to provide safety education to parents, caregivers, children and youth. They provide information and education on the following topics: car and booster seats, poison prevention, water safety, bicycle/wheel safety, home safety and pedestrian safety.

***S.H.A.R.E. House**

Contact Information:

P.O. Box 723

Douglasville, GA 30133
770.949.0626
www.sharehousedouglas.org

Contact Person:

Teresa Smith
teresasmith@sharehousedouglas.org

Organization Description:

S.H.A.R.E. House provides an array of services for victims of domestic violence. Helping victims of domestic violence with: developing a safety plan, obtaining safe shelter, filing for a temporary protective order, and other services as appropriate to each individual situation.

Sheltering Arms

Contact Information:

3833 Longview Drive
Douglasville, GA 30135
770.949.3717
www.shelteringarmsforkids.com

Contact Person:

Abdul Sabir
asabir@shelteringarmsforkids.org

Organization Description:

Sheltering Arms is Georgia's oldest non-profit early childhood education program and one of its most respected. Their mission is to serve working families with high quality, affordable child care and education and comprehensive support services, as well as to provide professional development for early childhood educators and community outreach.

***Straight Street Life Center, Inc.**

Contact Information:

12461 Veterans Memorial Highway
Douglasville, GA 30134
404.951.3969
www.sslifecenter.org

Contact Person:

Jessica Fraizer
jessica@sslifecenter.org

Organization Description:

Straight Street has been serving survivors of childhood sexual abuse and exploitation since 2005. They are devoted to safeguarding and empowering domestic minor sex trafficking victims and those at risk to develop the courage to move forward and the confidence to succeed. Through our innovative residential and community-based programs, girls are provided the opportunity to live and dream again.

Soldier's Angels

Contact Information:

770.949.8352

www.soldiersangels.org

Contact Person:

Dianne Moore

dmoore@soldiersangels.org

Organization Description:

Soldier's Angels provides aid and comfort to the men and women of the United States Army, Marines, Navy, Air Force, Coast Guard, their families, and a growing veteran population.

Splendors of Africa, Inc.

Contact Information:

2645 Lee Road

Suite C3, #213

Lithia Springs, GA

404.985.1661

www.splendorsofafrica.org

Contact Person:

Alice Thomas

alicet@splendorsofafrica.org

Organization Description:

Splendors of Africa's mission is to promote socio-economic inclusion of vulnerable and marginalized youth in communities through education, holistic life skills training and empowerment programs. Their vision is to be part of a world where all people have the opportunity and capacity to participate in steering social, economic and environmental factors for the benefit of all humanity.

Sweetwater Camera Club

Contact Information:

770.596.8874

www.sweetwatercameraclub

Contact Person:

Janet Newton

janetnewton11@att.net

Organization Description:

The Sweetwater Camera Club hosts a wide variety of interesting, motivating, and educational monthly lectures, contests, critiques, field trips, workshops and exhibitions throughout the year.

The purpose of the Sweetwater Camera Club is to share and promote photography for the visual education, enjoyment and recreation of all members.

***Sweetwater Mission**

Contact Information:

P.O. Box 802
Austell, GA 30168
770.846.0469

www.sweetwatermission.org

Contact Person:

Debbie Ginocchio
dginocchio@bellsouth.net

Organization Description:

Sweetwater Mission offers services to low-income residents of Cobb and Douglas Counties. They help stabilize families by providing basic needs, and transform lives through education and employment opportunities.

***Tallatoona Community Action Partnership, Inc.**

Contact Information:

6287 Fairburn Road
Douglasville, GA 30133
770.949.6339

www.tallatoonacap.org

Contact Person:

Victoria Thomas
victoriat@tallatoonacap.org

Organization Description:

The Tallatoona Community Action Partnership, Inc. helps low income families become self-sufficient by helping with utilities, rent, food, clothing and case management.

True-Liif C&M, Inc.

Contact Information:

404.981.3515

www.trueliif.org

Contact Person:

Ian Houston
ihouston@trueliif.org

Organization Description:

True-Liif believes that preparing children for this world requires more than traditional classroom instruction and a full time job. Therefore, they position themselves to invest in the whole child

while building relationships with their support networks to empower and uplift children, families, and communities.

***Tru-Impact, Inc.**

Contact Information:

2185 Washington Drive
Douglasville, GA 30135
678.472.9312

Contact Person:

Terrie Truley
terrie.truley@gmail.com

Organization Description:

Tru-Impact, Inc. is a nonprofit organization that helps people in transition. Their mission is to empower others to take charge of their future by providing the skills and tools needed to improve their own lives and achieve success.

***The Watson Foundation**

Contact Information:

P.O. Box 1095
Douglasville, GA 30133
770.947.1529
www.watsonfoundation.org

Contact Person:

Larry Watson
lwatsonwtf@gmail.com

Organization Description:

The Watson Foundation is a community based organization founded to empower economically disadvantaged individuals with a variety of housing preservation and health related needs. Those needs such as a pathway to home ownership, foreclosure prevention, budget planning and financial counseling, and modest home improvements for the disabled and physically challenged.

***United Way of Greater Atlanta**

Contact Information:

8595 Club Drive
Douglasville, GA 30134
678.623.2883
www.unitedwayatlanta.org
douglas@unitedwayatlanta.org

Contact Person:

Terrance Coursey
tcoursey@unitedwayatlanta.com

Organization Description:

United Way exists for one reason - to help the community come together as one to identify and address the issues that affect everyone. Issues such as making sure children start school ready to learn and helping families become self-sufficient, cross lines of race, gender, geography and faith, and can be addressed with collective focus and action.

***Up by the Bootstraps, Inc.**

Contact Information:

P.O. Box 2144
Douglasville, GA 30133

Contact Person:

Gwyn Parker
upbtbootstraps@gmail.com

Organization Description:

Up by the Bootstraps, Inc. provides affordable SAT Prep Classes for the students in Douglas County.

***Villa Rica Convention & Visitors Bureau**

Contact Information:

106 Temple Street
Villa Rica, GA 30180
678.840.1442
www.visitvillarica.org

Contact Person:

Janet Chumley
jchumley@villarica.org

Organization Description:

Villa Rica Convention & Visitors Bureau (VRCVB) is the official destination marketing organization for the city and serves to favorably impact Villa Rica's economy through conventions and tourism.

***Vineyard Streetball Classic**

Contact Information:

P.O. Box 372
Douglasville, GA 30133
678.458.5548
www.vineyardstreetballclassic.com

Contact Person:

Omar Daniel

omar@vineyardstreetballclassic.com

Organization Description:

The Streetball Classic is a 3-on-3 basketball tournament for youth ages 9-18. Their mission is to promote exercise, build basketball court play areas, and educate youth nationwide on benefits of active lifestyles.

Vision of Life, Inc.**Contact Information:**

678.404.0664

www.visionoflifetp.org

Contact Person:

Martha March

info@visionoflifetp.org

Organization Description:

The mission of Vision of Life Transitional Living Program is to provide sustainable services and supported transitional housing to young adults who are aging out of foster care, homeless, at risk of homelessness, or are re-entering the community from a juvenile detention center with the goal of preparing them for independent permanent housing, employments, and careers.

West Georgia Board of Realtors*Contact Information:**

P.O. Box 1993

Douglasville, GA 30133

770.949.9966

www.westgaboard.com

Contact Person:

Blair Pilgrim-McClure

blair@westgaboard.org

Organization Description:

The West Georgia Board of REALTORS® shall support Real Property Rights of the public. Serving this endeavor, the West Georgia Board of Realtors shall strive to serve its members in the most efficient and productive manner possible.

West Georgia Elves**Contact Information:**

678.905.7045

www.westgaelves.org

Contact Person:

Beau McClain

elf@westgaelves.org

Organization Description:

The West Georgia Elves is an organization of volunteers from throughout the West Georgia area. Along with support from the local business community, they are committed to serving families of children with serious illnesses.

West Georgia Technical College Foundation, Inc.*Contact Information:**

401 Adamson Square

Carrollton, GA 30117

404.807.2038

www.westgatech.edu

Contact Person:

Kelsey Jones

kelsey.jones@westgatech.edu

Organization Description:

The WGTC Foundation is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization established in 1988 to encourage, solicit, receive and administer gifts and bequests of property and funds for the benefit of the college and its students. Partnerships and gifts enable the foundation to support the best possible learning environment for our students.

West Metro NAACP**Contact Information:**

P.O. Box 2227

Douglasville, GA 30133

678.495.2399

www.westmetronaACP.org

Contact Person:

Tanya Echols

westmetro@naacpga.org

Organization Description:

The mission of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) is to ensure the political, educational, social, and economic equality of rights of all persons and to eliminate race-based discrimination.

Youth Leadership Douglas*Contact Information:**

Douglas County Chamber

6658 Church Street

Douglasville, GA 30134
770.942.5022
www.douglascountygeorgia.com

Contact Person:

Ruby Byers
byers@douglascountygeorgia.com

Organization Description:

The Youth Leadership Douglas goal is to provide opportunities for participants to develop an understanding of the meaning and responsibilities of personal, organizational and community leadership and to produce ethical leaders committed to active community involvement.

***Youth Villages/Inner Harbour**

Contact Information:

4685 Dorsett Shoals Road
Douglasville, GA 30135
770.852.6300
www.youthvillages.org

Contact Person:

Kimmy Yon
kimmy.yon@youthvillages.org

Organization Description:

Inner Harbour has been a safe refuge for hurting children. Serving the most intense children, providing help for youth, ages 6-17, who have suffered severe abuse and neglect and have a myriad of emotional, behavioral and psychological issues and need residential treatment. Youth Villages has unique ways of providing therapy through our experiential therapies, which include West African drumming, animal-assisted therapy, equine therapy, art therapy and outdoor education, and has been instrumental in reaching this challenged population of children.

***Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc. – Phi Pi Zeta Chapter**

Contact Information:

P.O. Box 2166
Douglasville, GA 30133
678.673.0252
www.sphib1920.org

Contact Person:

Dionne Hollingsworth-Bailey
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Organization Description:

Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Incorporated, Phi Pi Zeta Chapter's mission is to impact the community by nourishing service, encouraging scholarship, authentic sisterhood, and exemplifying Finer Womanhood.

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