

MAYOR'S MEMO

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The City of Cumming recently marked a huge milestone in its history. After more than 50 years of being housed on Veterans Memorial Boulevard, the **Cumming Police Department and Municipal Court** officially moved into a brand **new, state-of-the-art facility** located inside the Cumming City Center.

On April 24th, we held an official ribbon cutting ceremony for this beautiful new building. With more than 16,300 square feet of space on two floors and a classic, timeless aesthetic, this new facility provides plenty of room for current Cumming Police Department and Municipal Court employees and will continue to serve these two departments well into the future.

As the son and grandson of law enforcement officers, providing the best possible resources to our Police Department and Municipal Court is something that is very near and dear to my heart. During the ribbon cutting ceremony, I found myself reflecting many times on all that these two departments do for our city and community. I was overwhelmed with pride in all these employees and so happy that they now have a spacious, well-thought-out facility with all the amenities they need to properly perform their jobs. These dedicated public servants deserve all the best, and now they have the absolute best workplace!

I am also thrilled that this new facility is being funded by developer-paid impact fees and monies received through the Cumming Police Department Foundation – meaning this facility has zero effect on taxpayers.

Given the importance of this new facility, this entire issue of the Mayor's Memo is dedicated to the new Cumming Police Department and Municipal Court. Please enjoy these photos and feel free to stop by in-person any time from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday-Friday.

Sincerely,



Troy Brumbalow, Mayor

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Scenes from the New Cumming Police Department and Municipal Court



Work began in fall 2024 on the new **Cumming Police Department and Municipal Court Building at the Cumming City Center**. The new facility is located next to the City Center parking deck, and behind the Historic Steam Engine Pocket Park.

A prominent feature of the new Police Department is the **Real-Time Crime Center (RTCC)**. The new RTCC replaces a smaller version that was in place at the old Cumming PD building. The RTCC is designed to maximize law enforcement's ability to respond to crimes as they occur, and to do so with precision and speed. By centralizing

various technologies, such as surveillance cameras, license plate readers, and data analysis tools, the RTCC can provide real-time intelligence to officers in the field. This leads to faster response times, increased officer safety, and more effective policing overall.



The new **Cumming Municipal Court** provides a much larger courtroom

space and additional side rooms, allowing attorneys to discuss matters with their clients privately and for prosecution and defense attorneys to meet away from the open courtroom, as well as new office and storage space for Municipal Court staff.



The new building also pays homage to the past. Inside, there is a memorial plaque dedicated to **Bass Farr**, who served as Cumming Police Chief, Forsyth County Sheriff, and a Cumming City Councilman. Outside, there is a covered memorial area dedicated to **Forsyth County Sheriff's deputies killed in the line of duty**, featuring plaques and a replica of the 1969 Chevy Impala in which **Chief Deputy William Cantrell** and **Deputy Larry Mulkey** were killed on January 10, 1972. Also memorialized: **Sgt. David P. Land; Deputy 1st Class Spencer Englett; and Sgt. Robert Muth.**



Be sure to follow the **Cumming Police Department on Facebook** and **@cummingpd on Instagram** to stay up to date with the new building and other department news!

