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FOOD:

- **Butts Co. DFCS: (1-877-423-4746) or (770-504-2200)** Food stamps: Paper applications at local DFCS office: 178 Ernest Biles Dr, Jackson, GA 30233. Apply online at www.gateway.ga.gov
- **CERF: (770-504-9013)** Thursdays 2:00pm-5:00pm by appointment only
- **First Baptist Church (770-775-3102)** offers food once monthly. Date available on website. jacksonfbc.com/events ID/Proof of residency
- **Joshua's Place: (770-504-8551)** Location: 114 Duffey Rd, Jackson
- **Rising Star Missionary Baptist Church: (770-775-1225)**
- **Sinai Seventh Day Adventist Church: (678-342-7739) or (678-342-7739)** 387 Stark Rd, Jackson Salvation Army: (770-775-2940) Has a food pantry. Call for more information.
- **Pleasant Grove Church – Grove Food Bank: Wed 11-2pm (\$8)** 1967 Hwy 16 E, Jackson, GA United Way Helpline 211 Dial 211, from a landline or cell phone
- **WIC services. (Women, Infants, Children): (770-298-6080/770-722-0633, Fax: 478-387-2075)** <https://dph.georgia.gov/WIC>
- **Abundant Life Assembly of God: Thursday from 10-4, MUST HAVE AN APPT, 770-775-4838**
- **Collier's Community Services INC: 678-953-7048 or (470-624-9217)** 515 E. McIntosh, Griffin. Call for times
- **Saint Vincent De Paul, 770-775-4162** Call for times
- **United in Faith Ministries: 330 Viewpoint Dr. Jackson. 770-774-8406 or (678-774-8455),** Share project food distribution; monthly food giveaways

CLOTHING:

- **CERF: (770-504-9013) Clothes: 2nd and 4th and 5th Wed from 9:00-12:00**
- **Salvation Army: (770-775-2940)**
- **Clothing Closet: (470-629-0854)** Call for appointment. M-F, 9am-5pm
- **Abundant Life Assembly of God: (770-775-4838)** Must call for an appointment. Thurs from 10-4
- **United Way 211 Dial 211**

UTILITIES:

- **CERF: (770-504-9013)** Needs a photo ID along with copy of bill. Max payout is \$100 Thurs 2:00-5:00
- **Salvation Army: (770-775-2940)** Call for appointment
- **United Way 211 Dial 211**
- **Neighborhood Service Center (Middle GA Community Action): 770.358.6419** www.mgcaa.org
- **Saint Vincent De Paul, 770-775-4162** Call for more information

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TRANSPORTATION:

- **Logisticare Non-Emergency:** (1-800-486-7642)
- **Medicaid transit. Reservation Line:** 1-888-224-7981
- **Three Rivers Transit (formerly Butts County Transit)** 1-855-407-RIDE(7433) M-F 8-5, next-day reservations scheduled by noon
- **Butts County Medical Center:** (404-688-1350) provides transportation to and from appts at center. Mon- Fri, 8am-5pm, 72 hour notice

HOUSING OR RENT:

- **CERF:** (770-504-9013) Thursday afternoons by appt
- **Jackson Housing Authority:** (770-775-5559)
- **Butts County Neighborhood Service Center (MGCAA)** 770.358.6419
- **Salvation Army:** (770-775-2940) Call for appt
- **Georgia Department of Community Affairs:** (404-679-4840 or 1-800-436-7442)
www.dca.ga.gov
- **Georgia Housing Search:** (1-877-428-8844) www.georgiahousingsearch.org
- **United Way 211** Dial 211
- **USDA Rural Housing Initiative:** Barnesville (770-358-0787), Fort Valley (478-827-0016), Athens (706-546-2162) www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/programs-services-individuals

- **Local Housing –**
 - **Brook Point apartments:** (770-775-0770) 157 Pulliam Drive, Jackson.
 - **Garden Townhouse apartments:** (770-775-0888) 1469 N. Hwy 42, Jackson
 - **Heritage apartments:** (770-775-6035) 812 Brownlee Rd #23, Jackson
 - **Indian Springs apartments:** (770-490-2136) 480 Brownlee Rd, Jackson.
 - **Magnolia Grove apartments:** (770-504-9286) 336 April Lane, Jackson.
 - **Mill Lake apartments:** (770-775-2157) 872 Brownlee Rd, Jackson,
 - **Pepperton Villa apartments:** (770-504-1911) 127 Harper Street Jackson

- **Emergency Housing: no local resources**
 - **Salvation Army (In Griffin):** (770-227-2336 or 770-412-6561) for men, women and children, 329 N. 13th St, Griffin; 5:00pm to 7:00am. Must call in advanced for pre-screening
 - **Haven House (770-954-9229 24 hour crisis line 770-954-1008 Office)** Sometimes case managers can help. Must call in advance. <http://www.henryhavenhouse.org>
 - **My Sister's House** (women and women with children) 404-367-2465
 - **Calvary Refuge Center:** 404-361-5309
 - **Crossroads Community Ministries:** 470-225-1995
 - **24/7 Gateway Center** (Housing/shelter for men) 404-215-6600
 - **Metro Atlanta Task Force for the Homeless:** 404-787-5826
 - **The Atlanta Center for Self-Sufficiency:** 404-874-8001
 - **Elizabeth Inn Emergency Shelter:** 770-427-9862

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- **Christian Women's Center** (women who are in crisis: mainly addiction): 770-227-3700
- **Hagar's House (women with children)**: 404-370-0914, 404-377-5635 ext 111
- **Raine Wardlaw Women's Shelter**: 404-228-7746
- **Action Ministries**: 404-881-1991
- **Zaban Paradies Center** (couples): 404-872-2915
- **Covenant House of Georgia** (Homeless and trafficked, 18-21 yrs old): 404-589-0163
- **Cobb Street Ministries**: (women and women with children): 770-833-9564
- **City Of Refuge** (Mothers with children and single women) 404-952-1201
- **Rebecca's Tent** (Single women) 404-873-3147
- **7 Bridges to Recovery** 678-430-3698
- **Atlanta Day Shelter** 404-876-2894
- **Hope Atlanta: Programs Of Traveler's Aid** 404-817-7070
- **Shepherd's Inn** (Men ' s Homeless Shelter) 404-367-2493
- **Interfaith Outreach Home, Inc.** 770-457-3727
- **Housing Initiative Of North Fulton** 770-642-9185
- **Next Home Ministry** (Single women and women with children) 404-348-4959
- **Nicholas House, Inc.** 404-622-0793
- **Dovcar Renaissance And Empower Ministry, Inc.** 678-701-7918
- **Atlanta City Baptist Rescue Mission** (Men) 404-577-3409
- **Auntie Honey's House** 678-768-6114
- **Decatur Cooperative Ministry**: 404-377-5365
- **Douglas County Shelter** (women, women with children) 770-949-4911
- **Traveler's Aid of Metro Atlanta**: 770-428-1883

- **Transitional Housing: no local resources**

- **Rainbow Village** (Families with children) 770-497-1888
- **The Drake House** (Single mothers with minor children) 770-587-4712
- **Agape Remah Christian Ministries** (Married Couples and singles, 25 years of age and above) 770-603-2211
- **Atlanta Recovery Center** (men) 404-577-3352
- **Wellroot Family Services**: (families) 404-327-5820
- **Family Promise of Gwinnett Co.**: (families with no minor children): 678-376-8950
- **Our House**: (with newborn 6 months or younger) 404-522-6056
- **Quest Communities** 678-705-5318

- **Washer and Dryer Rentals: 1-800-707-1188** www.azuma.com

- **Foreclosure Help:**
- **HUD-approved Housing Counselor**: (1-800-569-4287) www.hud.gov/counseling
- **HOPE NOW Alliance**: (1-888-995-HOPE) Making Home Affordable Program (same number) www.MakingHomeAffordable.gov

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- **FHA Resource Center:** (1-800-CALL FHA) (1-800-225-5342) or email answers@hud.gov
- **Avoiding Foreclosure Georgia:** www.hud.gov/program_offices/housing/sfh/owning#1
- **Home Equity Conversion Mortgage (HECM) Counseling Agencies:**
- <https://www.hudexchange.info/programs/housing-counseling/hecm/>
- **Know Your Options:** www.knowyouroptions.com
- **Fannie Mae Mortgage Help Center:** (1-800-2FANNIE) or (1-800-232-6643)
- **Chase Homeownership Centers** (1-866-550-5705):
- www.chase.com/mortgage/mortgage-assistance
- **Georgia Department of Community Affairs (DCA):** 1-800-781-8346
- www.dca.ga.gov/safe-affordable-housing/homeownership/state-home-mortgage
- **Fair Housing Contact in Georgia:** (1-800-440-8091) www.hud.gov/fairhousing
- **Atlanta Legal Aid Society:** (404-524-5811) www.atlantalegalaid.org
- **Georgia Legal Services:** (1-800-498-9469 or 404-206-5175) www.glsp.org
- **IRS- Free Income Tax Preparation Assistance:** (1-800-906-9887)
- www.irs.gov/taxtopics/tc101.html Download free smartphone APP IRS2GO
- **IRS- Home Foreclosure and Debt Cancellation:**
- www.irs.gov/uac/home-foreclosure-and-debt-cancellation
- **Home Loan Learning Center:** www.mba.org/who-we-are/consumer-tools –powered by Mortgage Bankers Association
- **Home Loan Toolkit App**
- **HomeSafe Georgia:** (1-877-519-4443) www.HomeSafeGeorgia.com
- www.dca.ga.gov/housing/Homeownership/programs/HardestHitFund.asp
- **Home Start** (617-542-0338): www.homestart.org

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE:

- **Child Help National Child Abuse Hotline: (1-800-422-4453)**
www.childhelp.org
- **Haven House: (770-954-9229)** <http://www.henryhavenhouse.org>
- **Haven House: Domestic Violence Support Group (678-646-8024** for information)
- **Breaking Silence Text Line:** Help end dating violence. TEXT 706-765-8019
- **Southern Crescent Sexual Assault Center: (770-507-7772)** www.scsac.org
- **CRISIS line 770-477-2177**
- **GA Coalition Against Domestic Violence: 1-800-33-HAVEN (1-800-334-2836)** www.gcadv.org

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HEALTH:

- **Butts County Counseling Center of McIntosh Trail CSB: (770-358-5252)** Also operates the iClub for children as resiliency support center (Call for information.) www.mctrail.org/butts.html
- **Christian Women's Center (770-227-3700):** for women with substance abuse issues. www.cwcga.org
- **Butts Co. DFCS: (1-877-423-4746) Medicaid.** Apply online at www.gateway.ga.gov Paper applications available at local DFCS office, 178 Ernest Biles Dr, Jackson, GA 30233
- **Butts County Health Department: (770-504-2230)**
- **Butts County Low Birth Weight Initiative: 770-775-5829** A collaborative approach to reduce the number of babies born in the county with a low birth weight.
- **Butts County Pregnancy Center: (770 775-5116)** 153 Dempsey Ave, Jackson
- **Children's Medical Services: (404-657-2850)** www.dph.georgia.gov/CMS
- **Butts County Health Dept. (770-504-2230)** does intake
- **Family Medical Services** – accepts Medicaid, Medicare and third-party health insurance, plus discounted Sliding fee scale for persons without health insurance: Southside Medical Center-Butts County community health center: 176 Lyons Street, Jackson, GA 30233. Call 770-504-5566 for appointments; Telehealth visits also available. In-house discounted pharmacy can provide prescriptions by mail to your home. Help obtaining pharmaceutical assistance program medications for eligible persons
- **Free Clinic: Rock Springs Medical Clinic: (678-688-1950)** in Milner, Tues and Thurs. only
- **Transformation Therapy Services: (770-787-2301)** in Jackson
- **Devereux Advanced Behavioral Health: (770-427-0147)** www.devereuxga.org
- **A SilverLining Counseling: (770-504-3340 or 404-944-4092)**
 - Offers substance abuse counseling, anger management, theft prevention, individual counseling and DUI evaluations

- **Dental Services:**
 - **Lamar County Health Department Dental Services (770-317-8335)**
 - **Central Georgia Technical College Dental Hygiene Program: (478 757-3488)**
 - **Clayton State University Dental Hygiene Clinic (678 466-4920)**
 - **Help A Child Smile: (800-770-0388)**
- **Health Information, general**
 - www.nlm.nih.gov/medlineplus/ -a website with information about many illnesses or health conditions.
- **HIV / AIDS**
 - **Haven of Hope in Newnan (770-252-5418)** Office Hours: Monday-Friday 8:00-5:00.
 - **Butts County Health Department (770-504-2230)**
 - **Georgia AIDS Drug Assistance Programs (ADAP): (404-463-0416)**
 - **Cancer State Aid Treatment Program: (1-800-227-2345)**
 - **Sylvan Grove Hospital-Critical Access Hospital: 770-775-7861** www.sylvangrovehospital.com
 - **District Four Public Health Programs for Children with Special Needs: 706-298-7760**

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- Children's First (point of entry)
- Children's Medical Services (CMS)
- Babies Can't Wait (BCW)
- Early Hearing Detection and Intervention

MEDICATIONS

Pharmacies and stores offering discount prescription programs:

- CVS www.cvs.com
- Kroger www.kroger.com/topic/pharmacy
- Wal Mart <http://www.walmart.com/cp/pharmacy/5431>
- Publix <http://www.publix.com/pharmacy-wellness>
- Ingles <https://ingles.medrefill.com/inweb/#/home>

Other Local Medication Resources:

- Salvation Army: (770-775-2940)
- United Way 211 Dial 211 or from some phones: 404-614-1000
- Middle Georgia Community Action Agency 478-945-2001
- Chief Cornerstone Ministries: (770-775-0270) Ask for Connie Ferrell.

INTERNET RESOURCES for PRESCRIPTION MEDICATIONS and HEALTH CARE: If you do not have internet access, computers are available at the **Jackson-Butts County Public Library (770-775-7524)**

- [HTTP://WWW.ASTRAZENECA-US.COM/MEDICINES/HELP-AFFORDING-YOUR-MEDICINES/](http://WWW.ASTRAZENECA-US.COM/MEDICINES/HELP-AFFORDING-YOUR-MEDICINES/) WWW.DRX.COM
- WWW.AAO.ORG/EYECARE-AMERICA
- WWW.FAMILYWIZE.ORG
- WWW.LOWESTMED.COM
- WWW.MEDICARE.GOV
- WWW.NEEDYMEDS.ORG
- WWW.PeachCare.ORG
- WWW.PFIZER.COM
- WWW.PREVENTBLINDNESS.ORG (1-800-331-2020)
- WWW.RAREDISASES.ORG
- WWW.RXASSIST.ORG
- WWW.RXHOPE.COM
- WWW.RXOUTREACH.COM
- WWW.SCBN.ORG
- WWW.SIMPLESAVINGSCARD.COM
- WWW.THEMEDICINEPROGRAM.COM
- WWW.TOGETHERRXACCESS.COM
- WWW.TRICARE.MIL

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- (Commercial for profit providers):
 - **WalMart Vision Centers:**
<https://www.walmart.com/cp/Walmart-vision-centers/1078944>
 - **Visionworks: (1-800-784-7427) www.visionworks.com**

ALCOHOL AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE RESOURCES:

- **Christian Women’s Center (770-227-3700):** Help for women with substance abuse issues.
www.cwcga.org
- **Alcoholics Anonymous: (478-745-2588) <http://www.aageorgia.org/>**
- **Narcotics Anonymous: (1-888-947-7262) (info@grscna.com) <http://www.grscna.com/>**
- **Butts County Counseling Center of McIntosh Trail CSB: (770-358-5252)**
- **Georgia Crisis & Access Line 1-800-715-4225** Help for problems with mental health, drugs, or alcohol
- **Towaliga Accountability Courts:**provides substance abuse classes 770-358-5029
- **Gilgal, Inc.** Recovery program. (Women only) 404-305-8007

PREGNANCY, NEWBORN & YOUNG CHILD RESOURCES

- **1-855-GA-CHILD (1-855-422-4453)** To report child abuse or child neglect. Do not call Butts County DFCS
- **Babies Can’t Wait: (1-888-651-8224 or 706-298-7760)**
- **Butts County Health Department: (770-504-2230)** Jackson
- **Butts County 5♥9 Club: (770-775-5829)** A collaborative approach to reduce the number of babies born in the county with a low birth weight.
- **Butts County Pregnancy Center: (770 775-5116)** 153 Dempsey Ave, Jackson
- **WIC Services (Women, Infants, Children): (800-228-9173) www.fns.usda.gov/wic** located at Butts County Health Department building
- **Caring House: (770-229-4410)**
- **Georgia Department of Early Care and Learning Bright From the Start: (404 656-5957 or 1-888-442-7735) <http://dec.al.ga.gov>**
- **Healthy Mothers, Healthy Babies Powerline: (770-451-0020, 770-451-2466, or 1-800-300-9003) www.hmhbga.org**
- **Insure Kids Now: 1-877-543-7669 www.insurekidsnow.gov/index.html**
- **Parents As Teachers (PAT): (770- 504-2356)**
- **Family Enrichment Center: (770-504-2356)** Ask for Sheryl Warner
- **PeachCare www.peachcare.org** and DFCS (770- 504-2200) and Health Dept (770-504-2230.)

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- **Planning for Healthy Babies: (1-877-P4H-B101 or 1-877-744-2101)**
- **Right from the Start Medicaid (RSM): (1-800-809-7276)** at Butts Co. Health Dept (770 504-2230)
- **Text4baby: www.text4baby.org/**
- **Georgia Fatherhood Program-Office of Child Support Services: 404-679-1697**
- **Breastfeeding Support and Counseling: Ask for Christi Toney 770-504-2230**
- **Partnering with Teen Parents: Elizabeth.smith@bcssk12.org meets Tuesdays/Thursdays**

OTHER HUMAN SERVICES:

- **Butts County Counseling Center of McIntosh Trail CSB: (770-358-5252)**
- **Butts County Developmental Disabilities Center of McIntosh Trail CSB: (770-358-5252)**
- **Butts County Health Department: (770 504-2230)**
- **Child Welfare Information Gateway: 1-800-394-3366 www.childwelfare.gov**
- **Georgia Crisis & Access Line Resource Base: (1-800-715-4225) <http://www.mygcal.com>.**
- **24/7 Georgia Customer Service: 1-844-694-2347 (press 2 for an agent)**
- **Georgia Department of Community Health, Division of Public Health (DPH): www.dph.georgia.gov**
- **Helpline Georgia: (1-800-338-6745) Available 24 hours, 7 days a week.**
- **Neighborhood Service Center (Middle GA Community Action): 1-866-774-2435**
- **Parent to Parent of Georgia: (1-800-229-2038) www.p2pga.org**
- **PeachCare: www.insurekidsnow.gov/coverage/ga/index.html**
- **American Red Cross-GA Headquarters: 404-876-3302 www.redcross.org/local/georgia**
- **United Givers of Greater Atlanta-Butts County Satellite Office: 678-623-2876 www.unitedwayatlanta.org/county/butts-county/**
- **Insure GA, www.insurega.org 1-866-988-8246**

EMPLOYMENT, FINANCIAL, & LEGAL RESOURCES

- **Atlanta Legal Aid Society: (404-524-5811) <http://www.atlantalegalaid.org>**
- **CERF: (770-504-9013)**
- **Child Support Services: (1-844-694-2347)**
- **Consumer Credit Counseling Service (CCCS): (1-800 750-2227) www.credability.org**
- **Georgia Advocacy Office: (1-800 537-2329) provides advocacy for people with disabilities www.thegao.org**
- **Georgia Department of Labor: Griffin office (770 228-7226)**

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- Georgia Legal Services Program: (404-206-5175 or 1-800-498-9469) www.glsp.org
- Georgia Vocational Rehabilitation: (770) 229-3140 <https://gvra.georgia.gov>
- Southern Crescent Technical College: Adult Education / GED (770-504-2185)
Jackson
- The Center for Financial Independence & Innovation, Inc.: (404 385-7029)
- Three Rivers Workforce Development : (770-229-9799 or 777-228-7226)
- Work Incentives Planning Assistance (WIPA): (1-866-968-7842)
- Butts County Cooperative Extension Service: 770-775-8209
www.extension.uga.edu/county-offices/butts

SENIOR CITIZEN RESOURCES:

- Butts County Senior Center: (770-775-8238)
- Outrageous Love Foundation: 678-973-5584 Mon-Fri 10am-4pm by appt only. 151 N Mimosa Ln, Jackson, GA 30233 www.outrageouslovefoundation.org
- Westbury Medical and Rehab (Nursing Home): 770-775-7832
- AARP (American Association of Retired Persons): (1-888 687-2277) www.aarp.org
- Aging & Disability Resource Connection (ADRC): (678-552-2838 or toll-free 1-866-854-5652) www.georgiaadrc.com
- Division of Aging Services: (1-866-55-AGING or 1-866-552-4464)
- Experience Works Senior Community Service Employment Program (SCSEP): (1-866-397-9757)
- Georgia Cares: (1-866-552-4464) www.aging.dhr.georgia.gov
- Georgia Senior Legal Hotline: (404 657-9915)
- Magnolia Grove Apartments: (770 504-9286)
- Senior Eye Care Project: (1-858-454-2145) www.allaboutvision.com
- THREE RIVERS AREA AGENCY ON AGING (Formerly named Southern Crescent AAA) (1-866-854-5652) Gateway to services for aging and/or disabilities.
WWW.BENEFITSCHECKUP.ORG For seniors, will review to see if the person is eligible for benefits.
- Adult Protective Services Intake Unit: 1-888-774-0152
<https://eldercare.acl.gov/Public/Index.aspx> Report abuse of disabled adults or elderly.
- Eldercare Locator: 1-800-677-1116 Help locate services for elderly
- Alzheimer's Association: 1-800-272-3900 offers education programs
www.alz.org/georgia

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CHILD CARE

- **Child Care Resource and Referral**
Georgia Regents University: CCR&R Agency serves Butts County. **478-751-3000**
- **Georgia Dept of Early Care and Learning** (Bright from the Start) <http://decal.ga.gov>
- **All GA Kids: 1-877-255-4254 or 404-479-4240** find local quality child care www.allgakids.org
- **Butts Co. DFCS: (770-504-2200) Childcare.** Paper applications available at local DFCS offices.

Child Care Centers:

- **Beverly's Child Care Learning Center: (770-775-4641)** 315 Covington St.
- **Clark's Learning Center: (678-752-0208)** 2161 Brownlee Rd, Jackson
- **Loftin Learning Center: (770-504-0925)** 101 Sherrill Ave, Jackson
- **Love and Jerry's,** 770-775-3900, 431 Brownlee Rd, Jackson vertebowden@gmail.com
- **Guardian Angel Learning Center, Inc. (770-504-3145),** 35A Dempsey Ave, Jackson, GA
galccares@gmail.com

Georgia Pre K available:

- **Beverly's Child Care Learning Center: (770-775-4641)** 315 Covington St.
- **Daughtry Elementary School 770-504-2356**
- **Jackson Elementary School 770-775-9480**
- **Stark Elementary School: 770-775-9470**
- **Head Start McIntosh Trail Early Child Development Council (Head Start): (770-775-4293)** 565 Recreation Drive, Jackson Children 8 weeks to 5 years old, priority for children with disabilities.
- **McIntosh Trail Early Head Start (770-775-4293)** offers services to pregnant women and infants up to three years old. 770-775-4293 www.mtecdc2020.org

CHILD ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS/FAMILY SUPPORT

- **Butts County Board of Education: 770-504-2300** www.butts.k12.ga.us
- **Butts County Head Start & Pre-K** www.mtecdc.org
- **Wonders of the Heart,** tutor/academic assistant **678-920-1459**
- **Fruit of the Spirit Princesses,** mentoring young ladies, ages 6-18, fruitspiritprincess@gmail.com
- **Family Enrichment Center: 770-504-2300**

MISCELLANEOUS:

- **SafeLink Wireless: (1-800-SafeLink/1-800-723-3546)** www.SafeLinkWireless.com
- **Suicide Prevention Lifeline, 24 hours: 988** English and Spanish available
- **Stark UMC River of Life: 770-775-5679.** Home repair, generally exterior, done at no cost once a year for a family in need. An application must be filled out for consideration.

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VETERANS' RESOURCES:

- **Towaliga Accountability, Veterans' Court (770-358-5029)**
- **Outrageous Love Foundation: 678-973-5584** Mon-Fri 10am-4pm by appt only. 151 N Mimosa Ln, Jackson, GA 30233 www.outrageouslovefoundation.org
- **Veterans Crisis Line (1-800-273-8255) Press 1**
- **State of Georgia Department of Veterans Services:** (770-412-4074 for Griffin Field Office) www.veterans.georgia.gov
- **Vets 4 Warriors: Toll Free 855-838-8255** www.Vets4Warriors.com This website has an extensive website with many resources for veterans and families.
- **Burial and Memorial Benefits** www.cem.va.gov/burial_benefits
- **Department of Defense** www.godefense.com/veterans/
- **EBenefits** www.ebenefits.va.gov/ebenefits/homepage
- **Education benefits** www.benefits.va.gov/gibill
- **Federal Jobs** www.usajobs.gov/veterans
- **Health Care Eligibility** www.va.gov/healthbenefits/
- **Home Loan Guaranty** www.benefits.va.gov/homeloans
- **Homeless Veterans** www.va.gov/homeless
- **Life Insurance** www.benefits.va.gov/insurance/
- **Mental Health** www.mentalhealth.va.gov
- **Records** www.archives.gov/st-louis/military-personnel
- **Returning Veterans** http://www.va.gov/healthbenefits/apply/returning_servicemembers.asp
- **Veterans Employment and Training** www.dol.gov/vets
- **Veterans Preference** <https://www.fedshirevets.gov/index.aspx>
- **Voc Rehabilitation & Employment** <http://www.benefits.va.gov/vocrehab/>
- **VA Benefit Payment Rates**
http://www.benefits.va.gov/COMPENSATION/resources_comp01.asp
- **VA Forms** www.va.gov/vaforms
- **VA Home Page** www.va.gov
- **State of Georgia Benefits** <http://veterans.georgia.gov>
- **Small Businesses** <https://www.sba.gov/content/veteran-service-disabled-veteran-owned>
- **Small Business Contracts** <http://www.va.gov/osdbu>

LIFE SKILLS/JOB TRAINING

- **Three Rivers Regional Commission-Workforce Development: 770-229-9799**
www.threeriversrc.com
- **Butts County Neighborhood Service Center (MGCAA) 770-358-6419 - Budget Counseling**
- **GA National Guard Youth Challenge Program: 404-274-2940**
www.georgiayouthchallenge.org

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EDUCATIONAL RESOURCES

- **Butts County School System: 770-504-2300** www.butts.k12.ga.us/
- **Jackson-Butts Public Library: 770-775-7524** www.georgialibraries.org
- **Southern Crescent Technical College: 770-914-4422 or 1-877-897-0006** www.sctech.edu
- **GA National Guard Youth Challenge Program: 404-274-2940**
www.georgiayouthchallenge.org

Local Non-Profits

- **Potter's House: (678-521-6973 or 678-409-7213)** A non-profit residential, healing home for ladies with addictive behaviors.
- **Butts County Life Enrichment Team: (770-775-5829)** A collaborative bringing community partners together to address the challenges facing Butts county families and children.
- **Sylvan Grove Hospital Auxiliary: (770-775-7861)** A volunteer organization connected with WellStar Sylvan Grove Hospital.
- **Truckstop Ministries Inc: (770-775-2100)** A ministry dedicated to giving truck drivers an opportunity to worship God.
- **Healing Intercessory Ministries: (678-477-3286 or 678-774-8230)** A non-profit providing life coaches to the families in Butts County.
- **Jackson-Butts County Council for the Arts Inc: strijordan@yahoo.com** a small group dedicated to supporting local artists.
- **Christian Emergency Relief Foundation Local Outreach: (770-504-9013)** a foundation that provides service through the community through individual and foundation donations of clothing and money.
- **Butts County Crisis Pregnancy Resource Center: (770-775-5116)** a place providing support, advice, and practical help to pregnant women and families in Butts County.
- **Grove Food Bank Inc:** provides food for those in need in the community.
- **Outrageous Love Foundation: 678-973-5584** Mon-Fri 10am-4pm by appt only. 151 N Mimosa Ln, Jackson, GA 30233 www.outrageouslovefoundation.org
- **Dauset Trails Nature Center: 360 Mt. Vernon Ch. Rd, Jackson, 770-775-6798**
www.dausetrails.com

Civic Club and Organizations

- **American Legion 102 Finley Gray**
- **Royal & Select Masters of Georgia 18 Graydon W Kitchens**
- **International Association of Lions Clubs 105784 Greater Butts County**
 - <https://www.facebook.com/ButtsCountyLions>
 - P.O. Box 1992 Jackson, GA 30233
 - buttscountylions@gmail.com

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- **Georgia Extension 4-H Foundation Butts County Extension 4-H: (770-775-8209)** a group reaching out to the youth in the community in order to educate about agriculture and environment.
- **Butts County Chamber of Commerce: (770-775-4839)** a place to find a business or organization in the community.
- **Butts County Historical Society Inc: (678-752-9332 or 770-775-3313)** a society dedicated to preserving history in Butts County.
- **National Exchange Club 1360 Jackson GA**
- **Greater Butts County Lions Foundation**
- **Jackson-Butts County Rotary Club:** PO Box 1251, Jackson, GA.
www.facebook.com/jacksonbuttscountyrotaryclub

Community Churches

- **African Methodist Episcopal:**
 - **Fairfield AME: 770-775-6597** Griffin Road
 - **Friendship AME: 770-775-1105** Hwy 16 East
 - **St. Paul AME: 770-775-1592** Cenie Rd., Flovilla
 - **Mt. Zion AME:** Lee Maddox Road.
- **Apostolic**
 - **Lighthouse Apostolic Church:** 125 Fincherville Rd.
 - **Powerhouse ACOP:** 3659 Brownlee Rd., Forsyth
- **Assemblies of God**
 - **Abundant Life Church: 770-775-4838** 751 Dean Patrick Road, info@abundantlifechurch.com
www.abundantlifechurch.com
- **Baptist**
 - **Westside Baptist: 770-775-5408** 413 Brookwood Ave
 - **Bethlehem Baptist:** 4430 Jackson Lake Rd., Monticello
 - **Cedar Rock Baptist: 770-775-3387** Highway 36 East, cedarrockchurch@bellsouth.net
 - **Central Baptist:** 199 Four Points Rd.
 - **China Grove Baptist:** 543 Railroad St., Flovilla
 - **County Line Baptist:** Jenkinsburg
 - **Faith Baptist:** Indian Springs Street
 - **First Baptist of Jackson: 770-775-3102** W 3rd Street, Jackson, info@jacksonfbc.com
www.jacksonfbc.com
 - **Flovilla Baptist: (678-386-8366)** 345 Heard St, Flovilla davecba@mc.com
 - **Friendship Baptist: 770-775-0315** 363 Mc Kibben St.
 - **Gospel Light Baptist:** 123 Mimosa Street
 - **High Falls Baptist: 478-994-1653** 4408 High Falls Road

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- **Liberty Baptist:** High Falls Road
- **Lighthouse Baptist:** 770-775-9123 104 Dub Walker Road, ami@lightforyourlife.org
- **Lizzie Berry Baptist:** 770-775-6778 Thomas Ferry Road
- **Macedonia Missionary Baptist:** 770-775-6575 Hope McClure Road
- **Macedonia Baptist:** 770-775-7958 Macedonia Church Road, office@mbcjackson.org
- **Mt. Carmel Baptist:** 770-957-1353 Benton Street
- **Mt. Pleasant Baptist:** 770-775-0172 Old Hwy. 87, Flovilla
- **Mt. Vernon Baptist:** Mt. Vernon Church Road
- **Oak Grove Baptist:** 770-775-4749 Lewis Washington Road
- **Outreach Baptist:** 404-793-5094 180 Shiloh Road
- **Rising Star Baptist:** 770-775-7311 Hwy 16
- **Rock Creek Baptist:** 770-775-4453 Flovilla
- **Sandy Creek Primitive Baptist:** Flovilla
- **St. James Missionary Baptist:** High Falls
- **Second Baptist:** 770-775-7354 166 Pulliam Dr.
- **South River Baptist:** 770-775-1600 124 Collier Rd.
- **Shiloh Baptist:** 770-775-1261 492 Shiloh Rd., Jenkinsburg
- **Towaliga Baptist:** 770-775-2036 160 Towaliga Church Road, tbcjackson@gmail.com
- **Union Ridge Baptist:** Flovilla
- **Westside Baptist:** 770-775-5408. 413 Brookwood Ave, westsidebaptist-ja@bellsouth.net
www.westsidebaptist.net
- **Worthville Baptist:** 770-775-3039 112 Old S River Rd.
- **Zion Baptist:** 770-775-7731 709 S. Mulberry St.

- **Reformed Baptist**
- **Trinity Reformed Baptist Church:** 678-873-3104 543 Colwell Road pastor@trinityrbc.org

- **C.M.E.**
- **Bethel Grove CME:** 770-227-8772 603 Wallace Road
- **Bold Springs CME:** 770-775-7445 169 England Church Road
- **Israel Temple CME:** 770-775-1581 285 E. First St.

- **Catholic**
- **St. Mary's Catholic:** 770-775-4162 359 Old Griffin Rd. stmarymotherofgoddre@gmail.com

- **Christian**
- **Harvest Temple Refuge Center:** 30 Slaughter Ave.
- **House of Prayer For All People:** 1742 Hwy 42,
- **Jackson Christian:** 770-775-1091 518 Brookwood Ave.
- **Church of Christ:** 770-775-2390 1610 Hwy. 36 West
- **Full Gospel Divine Trinity Fellowship:** 770-775-4439 191 Oak St., Jenkinsburg

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- **Holiness Faith Tabernacle First Deliverance Holiness:** 216 E. Ball Road

- **Interdenominational**
 - **Chief Cornerstone Ministries:** 770-775-0270 248 Hwy. 87, Flovilla
 - **Indian Springs Chapel:** Indian Springs
 - **Life's Pathway Fellowship:** Hwy. 42N, Jenkinsburg
 - **The Church on the Rock:** 770-775-7574 334 Burg Road Jenkinsburg

- **Methodist**
 - **England Chapel United Methodist:** Hwy. 16 West, hello@faithstreet.com
 - **Flovilla United Methodist:** 276-477-3707 Heard St., Flovilla
 - **Greater Bethel Community Church:** 770-775-6688 604 N. Oak St.
 - **Jackson United Methodist:** 770-775-7238 409 E. Third St, office@jacksonumc.com
 - **Jenkinsburg United Methodist:** Cherry St.
 - **Pleasant Hill United Methodist:** 655 High Falls Rd.
 - **Stark United Methodist:** 770-775-5679 1097 Halls Bridge Road, starkumc@bellsouth.net

- **Nazarene**
 - **Jackson Church of the Nazarene:** 770-775-3998, Hwy 16 East

- **Non-denominational**
 - **Christian Fellowship Church:** 770-504-0090 409 Indian Springs St.
 - **Crossover Ministries:** 678-898-1010 2702 Hwy. 16 W, crossover123@bellsouth.net
 - **Faith Family Church:** 1391 Hwy. 425, Flovilla
 - **Joshua's Place:** 770-504-8551 146 Stark Rd, patsy@joshuasplace.com
 - **Pathway Family Church:** 404-909-5747 115 Lynn Ct, pastorjeffrey.pfc17@gmail.com
 - **Pleasant Grove Church:** 678-774-8714, 1967 Hwy. 16 E, pleasantgrovechurchjackson@yahoo.com
 - **The Tabernacle Church:** 284 Macon St.
 - **Watermark Church:** 770-775-5749 1440 Brookwood Ave.
 - **Open Bible Gospel of Christ Miracle Revival Fellowship:** 250 Mallet St.
 - **Presbyterian Fellowship Presbyterian:** Kinard Mill Road.
 - **Jackson Presbyterian:** 770-775-5683 240 N. Oak St, jacksonpres@bellsouth.net
 - **Pentecostal Saint Mark U.P.C.:** 135 St. Mark Church Rd.
 - **Stark Tabernacle Holiness Church:** 770-775-6300 311 Beaty Circle, Flovilla gapacific2222@att.net
 - **Seventh-Day Adventist Gospel Truth Mission:** 1009 East Third Street, Jackson

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(770) 775-8200 Butts County Administration
(770) 775-8210 Community Development/Services
(770) 775-8038 Butts County Camera Ready Film Office
(770) 775-8228 Parks and Recreation/Leisure Services (includes Senior Center) (770) 775-8213

Public Works

(770) 775-8013 Animal Control
(770)775-8201 Ambulance/EMS Billing
(770)775-7878 City of Jackson Police Department
(770)775-8232 E911 Business Office
(678)774-8154 Fire Headquarters

Elected Officials

(770) 775-7657 Coroner
(770) 775-8220 Magistrate Court
(770) 775-8204 Probate Court
(770) 775-8216 Sheriff
(770) 775-8215 Superior Court Clerk
(770) 775-8205 Superior Court Judge
(770)775-8206 Tax Commissioner
(770)504-2407 District Attorney & Victim Services Program

Departments Under Other Control (Than the Butts County Commission)

(770) 775-8207 Board of Assessors
(770) 775-8202 Board of Elections
(770) 775-8209 Extension Service UGA and 4-H
(770)775-7524 Library
(770) 504-2230 Health Department
(770) 775-4839 Chamber of Commerce