

ELLIJAY CITY HALL

JANUARY 26, 2026

**5:30
WORKSHOP**

**5:45
PUBLIC HEARINGS**

SR 282 Annexation

**On Premise Consumption License
The Falls at Blue Ridge**

**6:00
REGULAR MEETING**

Call to Order

Prayer and Pledge of Allegiance

Approval of Agenda

Approval of Minutes for December Meeting

Approval of December Financial Statement

Staff Reports

Citizen Input

NEW BUSINESS

Review and Action – A Resolution To Request That The General Assembly Of The State Of Georgia Annex By Local Act Certain Property Into The City Limits Of Ellijay, Georgia

Review and Action – A Resolution Pursuant To the Disaster Mitigation Act Of 2000 Authorizing Adoption Of The Gilmer County Hazard Mitigation Plan

Review and Action – On Premise Consumption License Beer, Wine and Distilled Spirits The Falls At Blue Ridge LLC, Owner Leonardo Perez, Registered Agent Terry Wilson

Review and Action – On Premise Consumption License Renewal Beer, Wine and Distilled Spirits Cajun Depot Grill, Owner/Registered Agent Heather Criswell

Park Steering Committee Creation and Member Appointment

Executive Session – Personnel, Pending Litigation, Land Acquisition

Adjourn

Mayors Report

- The resolution requesting annexation of a portion of SR282 is on the agenda for adoption. After adoption it will be forwarded to our state legislative delegates for action at the state level.
- A resolution adopting the Gilmer County Hazard Mitigation Plan is on the agenda and is included in your packet for review. Adoption of the resolution is required in order to maintain eligibility for federal hazard mitigation funding.
- The Falls At Blue Ridge has undergone a change in ownership. Application has been made for a new on premise consumption license. All requirements have been met. The required public hearing is scheduled for 5:45 and it is on the agenda for action.
- There is one on premise consumption license renewal on the agenda for action.

**City of Ellijay
December 15, 2025**

Workshop

5:30pm

Teresa Allen spoke to the Council about putting a dumpster at the City Cemetery to put the old flowers in. She also made a complaint about the City charging her 750 for a burial plot for her mother in April

Public Hearing

5:45pm

SR 282 Annexation-

No Comments

Farm Winery Tasting Room License Application

Buckly Vineyards, 29 North Avenue

No Comments

Rezoning Request 1546 Progress Road

No Comments

Regular Meeting

Started at 6:00pm ended at 6:05pm

Council Meeting Called to Order:

Welcome - Mayor Al Hoyle welcomed everyone to the meeting.

Prayer- Prayer was given By Al Fuller

Pledge- Mayor Al Hoyle led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Attendance:

Al Hoyle, Mayor - Present

Claudia Penland, Mayor Pro-Tem - Present

Tom Crawford, Councilmember - Present

Al Fuller, Councilmember - Present

Kevin Pritchett, Councilmember - Present

Thomas Griffith, Councilmember-Present

Kayann Hayden West, City Attorney - Absent

Edward Lacey, Police Chief-Present

Lori Pierce, City Clerk-Present

Andrew Mathis, Code Enforcement - Absent

Dustin Harper, Fire Chief – Present

Approval of Agenda:

Councilmember Kevin Pritchett made a motion to approve the agenda for the December meeting with the addition of Review and Action On Premise License Beer/Wine Renewal Cantaberry Restaurant Owner/Registered Agent Jessica Bruner and Review and Action Bank Account Authorization. Mayor Pro Tem Claudia Penland made a motion to approve the Agenda with the additions. Councilmember Thomas Griffith seconded the motion. All approved.

Approval of Minutes:

Mayor Pro Tem Claudia Penland made a motion to approve the minutes for the November meeting. Councilmember Al Fuller seconded the motion. All approved.

Approval of Financial Statements:

Councilmember Thomas Griffith made a motion to approve the November Financial Statement. Mayor Pro Tem Claudia Penland seconded the motion. All approved.

Staff Reports:

Chief Lacey welcomed Councilmember Al Fuller back.

Citizen Input:

None

New Business:

First Reading – A Resolution To Request That The General Assembly Of The State Of Georgia Annex By Local Act Certain Property Into The City Limits Of Ellijay, Georgia- No Action needed.

Review and Action – Farm Winery Tasting Room License, Buckley Vineyards, dba Buckley Downtow 29 North Avenue, Owner/Registered Agent Kevin Buckley- Councilmember Tom Crawford made a motion to approve the Farm Winery Tasting Room License. Councilmember Thomas Griffith seconded the motion. All approved.

Review and Action – Rezoning Request 1546 Progress Road. Councilmember Kevin Pritchett made a motion to approve the Rezoning Request. Councilmember Tom Crawford seconded the motion. All approved.

Review and Action –On Premise Consumption License,Beer/Wine Renewal, Ellijay's Little Italian, Owners Francis Brougham/Jesse Robitalle, Registered Agent Francis Brougham- Councilmember Thomas Griffith made a motion to approve the On Premise License Renewal. Mayor Pro Tem Claudia Penland seconded the motion. All approved.

Review and Action – Micro Distillery License Renewal, DB Distillery, Owner/Registered Agent David Bland-.Mayor Pro Tem Claudia Penland made a motion to approve the Micro Distillery License Renewal. Councilmember Thomas Griffith seconded the motion. All approved.

Review and Action – On Premise Consumption License Renewal Beer/Wine, Cantaberry Restaurnat LLC, Owner/Registered Agent Jessica Bruner-Councilmember Tom Crawford made a motion to approve the On Premise Consumption License Renewal. Councilmember Kevin Pritchett seconded the motion. All approved.

Review and Action – Bank Account Authorization- Mayor Pro Tem Claudia Penland made a motion to approve a 8 month CD at the United Community Bank. Councilmember Thomas Griffith seconded the motion. All approved.

Executive Session: Personnel, Pending Litigation, Land Acquisition,

Adjourn:

Councilmember Tom Crawford made a motion to adjourn at 6:05pm. Councilmember Al Fuller seconded the motion. All approved.

Lori Pierce/City Clerk

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Account Number		Current Budget	Current Actual	Annual Budget	YTD Actual	Remaining Budget %
Revenues						
100-0000-00-311100	Real Property Taxes-Current	\$ 0.00	\$ 107,976.00	\$ 256,466.00	\$ 239,962.26	6.44%
100-0000-00-311110	Public Utilities Tax	0.00	8,000.09	0.00	8,000.09	0.00%
100-0000-00-311200	Real Property Tax-Prior Years	0.00	87.75	0.00	43,852.63	0.00%
100-0000-00-311300	Personal Property Tax-Current	0.00	21,472.18	55,571.00	30,183.85	45.68%
100-0000-00-311310	Motor Vehicle Tax	0.00	526.80	1,181.00	1,550.37	(31.28%)
100-0000-00-311315	TAVT Tax	0.00	6,789.90	80,000.00	82,001.45	(2.50%)
100-0000-00-311320	Mobile Home Tax	0.00	0.00	150.00	332.14	(121.43%)
100-0000-00-311400	Personal Property-Delinquent	0.00	0.00	1,000.00	9,552.24	(855.22%)
100-0000-00-311600	Intangible Tax	0.00	791.52	15,000.00	13,526.17	9.83%
100-0000-00-311700	Franchise Tax	0.00	7,760.00	300,000.00	349,058.45	(16.35%)
100-0000-00-311910	Pen/Int-Real Property	0.00	92.19	1,000.00	6,093.49	(509.35%)
100-0000-00-313100	Local Option Sales Tax	0.00	146,560.60	1,300,000.00	1,566,591.39	(20.51%)
100-0000-00-314200	Alcohol Tax	0.00	14,908.38	140,000.00	181,371.95	(29.55%)
100-0000-00-316200	Insurance Premium Tax	0.00	0.00	150,000.00	201,578.31	(34.39%)
100-0000-00-316300	Financial Institution Tax	0.00	0.00	12,000.00	25,611.70	(113.43%)
100-0000-00-316400	Transfer Tax Collections	0.00	590.57	6,500.00	7,125.13	(9.62%)
100-0000-00-319120	Pen/Int-Personal Property	0.00	0.00	100.00	2,047.81	(1947.81%)
100-0000-00-319400	Collection Fees	0.00	0.00	100.00	1,200.00	(1100.00%)
100-0000-00-319500	Fi Fa	0.00	0.00	300.00	150.00	50.00%
100-0000-00-321110	Licenses-Beer/Wine	0.00	7,500.00	16,500.00	23,450.00	(42.12%)
100-0000-00-321111	Game Machines	0.00	270.00	200.00	495.00	(147.50%)
100-0000-00-321120	Licenses-Wine	0.00	700.00	0.00	1,000.00	0.00%
100-0000-00-321125	Licenses - Wine Tasting Room	0.00	0.00	1,500.00	0.00	100.00%
100-0000-00-321130	Licenses - Distilled Spirits	0.00	800.00	6,000.00	9,800.00	(63.33%)
100-0000-00-321131	Brewery	0.00	0.00	1,000.00	3,325.95	(232.60%)
100-0000-00-321132	Brew Pub	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,050.00	0.00%
100-0000-00-321400	General Business Licenses	0.00	27,535.00	50,000.00	68,105.00	(36.21%)
100-0000-00-321410	Real Estate Licenses	0.00	175.71	500.00	175.71	64.86%
100-0000-00-321411	Short Term Rental	0.00	750.00	0.00	750.00	0.00%
100-0000-00-321420	Insurance Licenses	0.00	850.00	10,000.00	7,487.50	25.13%
100-0000-00-322100	Building Permit Fees	0.00	2,754.91	20,000.00	45,586.42	(127.93%)
100-0000-00-322120	Zoning Request Fees	0.00	0.00	500.00	0.00	100.00%
100-0000-00-322130	Annexation/Deannexation Fee	0.00	0.00	100.00	0.00	100.00%
100-0000-00-322140	Sign Permits	0.00	135.00	800.00	990.00	(23.75%)
100-0000-00-322150	Soil/Erosion Permits	0.00	0.00	100.00	0.00	100.00%
100-0000-00-322901	Parade Permits	0.00	0.00	0.00	100.00	0.00%
100-0000-00-322902	Special Event Alcohol Fee	0.00	0.00	1,500.00	300.00	80.00%
100-0000-00-323100	Business License Penalty	0.00	0.00	500.00	1,932.76	(286.55%)
100-0000-00-333000	Housing Authority Pilot	0.00	0.00	35,000.00	0.00	100.00%
100-0000-00-334310	Dirsc State Grants	0.00	0.00	0.00	453,976.72	0.00%
100-0000-00-341400	Printing/Copying Fees	0.00	0.00	50.00	0.00	100.00%
100-0000-00-342120	Police-Accident Reports	0.00	190.00	600.00	1,006.00	(67.67%)
100-0000-00-342125	Criminal Records Check	0.00	0.00	200.00	642.00	(221.00%)
100-0000-00-351170	Municipal Court Fines	0.00	15,378.00	200,000.00	242,653.70	(21.33%)
100-0000-00-351172	Parking Tickets	0.00	0.00	200.00	125.00	37.50%
100-0000-00-361000	Interest Income	0.00	3,927.99	50,000.00	36,599.54	26.80%
100-0000-00-389000	Misc Income	0.00	181.28	100.00	1,203.92	(1103.92%)

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100-0000-00-392100 Sale of Fixed Assets	0.00	0.00	0.00	5,000.00	0.00%
100-0000-00-393500 Proceeds from capital Leases	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,860,825.00	0.00%
Total General Fund Revenues	\$ 0.00	\$ 376,703.87	\$ 2,714,718.00	\$ 5,536,369.65	(103.94%)

Expenditures					
100-1100-11-511100 Salaries	\$ 0.00	\$ 1,250.00	\$ 18,000.00	\$ 14,750.00	18.06%
100-1100-11-512200 FICA	0.00	95.64	1,377.00	1,128.39	18.05%
100-1100-11-523500 Travel Expense	0.00	0.00	9,000.00	100.00	98.89%
100-1100-11-523700 Education & Training	0.00	0.00	3,000.00	0.00	100.00%
100-1500-15-511100 Salaries	0.00	19,991.74	158,000.00	169,922.91	(7.55%)
100-1500-15-511101 Compensation-Planning and Z	0.00	300.00	2,000.00	1,400.00	30.00%
100-1500-15-512100 Group Insurance	0.00	3,818.55	40,000.00	45,443.76	(13.61%)
100-1500-15-512200 FICA	0.00	1,468.03	12,087.00	12,388.13	(2.49%)
100-1500-15-512400 GMEBS	0.00	0.00	48,525.00	46,495.92	4.18%
100-1500-15-512700 Workers Comp Ins.	0.00	18,314.00	27,000.00	23,124.00	14.36%
100-1500-15-521100 Accounting & Audit Expense	0.00	0.00	14,000.00	19,000.00	(35.71%)
100-1500-15-521210 Legal Services	0.00	690.00	5,000.00	4,150.00	17.00%
100-1500-15-521302 Contract Services-USTI & TBS	0.00	2,587.85	10,500.00	12,922.05	(23.07%)
100-1500-15-521320 City Website Maintenance	0.00	486.00	3,000.00	1,944.00	35.20%
100-1500-15-521514 Fi Fa Filing Fees	0.00	75.00	500.00	1,825.00	(265.00%)
100-1500-15-521515 Outside Collection Fees	0.00	0.00	500.00	2,556.80	(411.36%)
100-1500-15-522200 Repairs and Maintenance	0.00	92.00	5,000.00	14,970.78	(199.42%)
100-1500-15-522210 Vehicle Repairs and Maintena	0.00	0.00	500.00	905.40	(81.08%)
100-1500-15-522211 Equip-Repairs and Maintenanc	0.00	0.00	500.00	101.00	79.80%
100-1500-15-523100 Property & Liability Insurance	0.00	5,464.00	22,209.00	23,915.05	(7.68%)
100-1500-15-523200 Telephone Expense	0.00	815.03	12,000.00	16,365.56	(36.38%)
100-1500-15-523300 Advertising	0.00	279.00	3,000.00	3,367.40	(12.25%)
100-1500-15-523500 Travel Expenses	0.00	12.00	7,000.00	3,598.18	48.60%
100-1500-15-523600 Dues,Fees & Subscriptions	0.00	47.50	3,000.00	1,337.59	55.41%
100-1500-15-523700 Education & Training	0.00	260.00	6,000.00	2,548.00	57.53%
100-1500-15-523850 Contracted Labor	0.00	200.00	1,000.00	2,085.20	(108.52%)
100-1500-15-531100 Office/Operating Supplies	0.00	544.81	14,000.00	6,126.99	56.24%
100-1500-15-531110 Tires & Tubes	0.00	0.00	500.00	358.20	28.36%
100-1500-15-531130 Postage	0.00	0.00	2,300.00	1,918.78	16.57%
100-1500-15-531190 Misc Expense	0.00	0.00	500.00	769.26	(53.85%)
100-1500-15-531210 Water,Sewer & Garbage Expe	0.00	635.38	6,000.00	6,619.88	(10.33%)
100-1500-15-531220 Natural Gas Expense	0.00	551.64	6,000.00	4,058.63	32.36%
100-1500-15-531230 Electric Expense	0.00	1,692.36	19,000.00	17,916.65	5.70%
100-1500-15-531270 Vehicle Gas Expense	0.00	74.30	1,000.00	863.22	13.68%
100-1500-15-531700 Other Supplies	0.00	0.00	500.00	0.00	100.00%
100-1500-15-533400 City Code Book Supplement	0.00	0.00	4,000.00	3,356.68	16.08%
100-1500-15-541100 Land Purchase Payment	0.00	0.00	0.00	629,482.70	0.00%
100-1500-15-542200 Vehicle Purchases	0.00	0.00	5,000.00	0.00	100.00%
100-1500-15-542300 Furniture & Fixtures	0.00	0.00	500.00	0.00	100.00%
100-1500-15-542400 Computer Equipment	0.00	0.00	1,000.00	0.00	100.00%
100-1500-15-543201 Leased Equipment	0.00	346.61	2,400.00	3,606.33	(50.26%)
100-1500-15-543210 Payroll Administrative Fee	0.00	1,099.33	4,500.00	5,760.31	(28.01%)
100-1500-15-571000 Intergovernmental Payments	0.00	0.00	15,000.00	15,000.00	0.00%

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100-1500-15-571500	Intergovernmental Payments-	0.00	0.00	19,000.00	19,200.00	(1.05%)
100-1500-15-572000	Interagency Contributions	0.00	0.00	2,000.00	3,000.00	(50.00%)
100-1500-15-572100	Fees Paid to GMA	0.00	1,442.87	2,000.00	1,442.87	27.86%
100-1500-15-572200	fees Paid to NGRDC	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,938.00	0.00%
100-1500-15-572500	Fees paid to Chamber of Com	0.00	0.00	0.00	6,197.73	0.00%
100-1500-15-900000	Tax Refunds	0.00	203.43	0.00	1,556.19	0.00%
100-1500-15-900001	Business Licenses Refunds	0.00	0.00	0.00	75.00	0.00%
100-2650-26-511100	Salaries	0.00	500.00	0.00	1,500.00	0.00%
100-2650-26-521304	Contract Services - Court	0.00	811.80	15,000.00	12,367.98	17.55%
100-2650-26-571000	Monthly Fine Payments	0.00	0.00	45,000.00	52,939.16	(17.64%)
100-2650-26-571001	Detention Center Fine Paymen	0.00	0.00	15,000.00	13,842.38	7.72%
100-2650-26-571002	Refunds-Court Fines	0.00	0.00	1,000.00	158.00	84.20%
100-2650-26-572600	Fees paid to GA POA&B Fund	0.00	0.00	16,000.00	16,358.67	(2.24%)
100-3200-32-511100	Salaries	0.00	95,112.01	690,000.00	713,521.65	(3.41%)
100-3200-32-512100	Group Insurance	0.00	13,161.55	120,000.00	144,557.77	(20.46%)
100-3200-32-512200	FICA	0.00	6,915.10	52,785.00	51,708.62	2.04%
100-3200-32-512402	Peace Officers Retirement	0.00	0.00	3,900.00	3,360.00	13.85%
100-3200-32-522200	Repairs and Maintenance	0.00	0.00	1,000.00	939.74	6.03%
100-3200-32-522210	Vehicle Repairs and Maintena	0.00	614.94	16,000.00	23,484.71	(46.78%)
100-3200-32-523100	Property/Liability Ins	0.00	8,390.00	26,348.00	31,757.00	(20.53%)
100-3200-32-523200	Telephone Expense	0.00	969.01	9,500.00	11,997.44	(26.29%)
100-3200-32-523500	Travel expenses	0.00	1,548.85	1,400.00	2,414.34	(72.45%)
100-3200-32-523600	Dues,Fees and Subscriptions	0.00	55.00	500.00	490.00	2.00%
100-3200-32-523700	Education & Training	0.00	575.00	1,500.00	806.00	46.27%
100-3200-32-523850	Contracted Labor	0.00	150.00	0.00	1,800.00	0.00%
100-3200-32-531100	Office/Operating Supplies	0.00	494.61	8,500.00	4,602.63	45.85%
100-3200-32-531110	Tires and Tubes	0.00	24.00	6,000.00	5,133.00	14.45%
100-3200-32-531190	Misc. Expense	0.00	0.00	50.00	0.00	100.00%
100-3200-32-531210	Water,Sewer & Garbage Expe	0.00	42.99	600.00	1,158.46	(93.08%)
100-3200-32-531220	Natural Gas Expense	0.00	179.20	1,500.00	1,456.34	2.91%
100-3200-32-531230	Electric Expense	0.00	344.05	5,000.00	6,086.83	(21.74%)
100-3200-32-531270	Vehicle Gas Expense	0.00	3,661.55	45,000.00	43,661.58	2.97%
100-3200-32-531335	Uniforms	0.00	48.12	7,000.00	9,344.15	(33.49%)
100-3200-32-531700	Other Supplies	0.00	0.00	2,200.00	1,825.00	17.05%
100-3200-32-542200	Vehicle Purchases	0.00	2,590.00	68,000.00	81,235.03	(19.46%)
100-3200-32-542300	Furniture & Fixtures	0.00	0.00	1,000.00	0.00	100.00%
100-3200-32-542400	Computer Equipment	0.00	0.00	2,000.00	0.00	100.00%
100-3200-32-542500	Other Equipment	0.00	0.00	500.00	5,715.00	(1043.00%)
100-3200-32-543201	Leased Equipment	0.00	72.60	750.00	670.72	10.57%
100-3200-32-543210	Contracted Fee	0.00	21.20	8,800.00	11,502.42	(30.71%)
100-3500-35-511100	Salaries	0.00	48,945.21	501,421.00	387,169.98	22.79%
100-3500-35-512100	Group Insurance	0.00	6,152.60	85,000.00	58,921.23	30.68%
100-3500-35-512200	FICA	0.00	3,501.06	38,359.00	28,336.58	26.13%
100-3500-35-512403	Firefighters Pension Fund	0.00	100.00	900.00	800.00	11.11%
100-3500-35-512404	Firefighter's Cancer Ins	0.00	0.00	1,800.00	5,706.28	(217.02%)
100-3500-35-522200	Repairs and Maintenance	0.00	85.73	3,000.00	1,136.73	62.11%
100-3500-35-522210	Vehicle Repairs and Maintena	0.00	0.00	10,000.00	11,085.42	(10.85%)
100-3500-35-522211	Equip-Repairs and Maintenanc	0.00	189.97	8,000.00	7,088.50	11.39%
100-3500-35-523100	Property/Liability Ins.	0.00	5,845.00	10,896.00	17,319.00	(58.95%)

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100-3500-35-523200	Telephone Expense	0.00	665.16	6,500.00	7,572.97	(16.51%)
100-3500-35-523500	Travel Expenses	0.00	0.00	1,500.00	1,263.86	15.74%
100-3500-35-523600	Dues,Fees & Subscriptions	0.00	0.00	1,500.00	535.00	64.33%
100-3500-35-523700	Education & Training	0.00	0.00	1,500.00	995.00	33.67%
100-3500-35-531100	Office Supplies	0.00	49.94	1,500.00	2,285.06	(52.34%)
100-3500-35-531106	First Responder Supplies	0.00	0.00	1,500.00	2,758.20	(83.88%)
100-3500-35-531110	Tires and Tubes	0.00	0.00	4,000.00	4,489.06	(12.23%)
100-3500-35-531135	Fire Safety Education Supplies	0.00	0.00	1,000.00	218.24	78.18%
100-3500-35-531210	Water,Sewer & Garbage Expe	0.00	112.98	1,000.00	1,543.39	(54.34%)
100-3500-35-531220	Natural Gas Expense	0.00	179.20	2,000.00	1,491.31	25.43%
100-3500-35-531230	Electric Expense	0.00	344.05	6,000.00	6,301.93	(5.03%)
100-3500-35-531270	Vehicle Gas Expense	0.00	509.45	7,000.00	5,643.51	19.38%
100-3500-35-531335	Uniforms	0.00	1,037.71	4,000.00	3,834.04	4.15%
100-3500-35-531336	Turn Out Gear	0.00	1,540.00	10,000.00	8,846.12	11.54%
100-3500-35-531700	Radios and Pagers	0.00	265.00	4,000.00	3,040.00	24.00%
100-3500-35-542205	Vehicle Purchase - Fire	0.00	0.00	60,000.00	0.00	100.00%
100-3500-35-542300	Furniture & Fixtures	0.00	0.00	2,000.00	770.18	61.49%
100-3500-35-542400	Computer Equipment	0.00	0.00	600.00	385.19	35.80%
100-3500-35-543201	Leased Equipment	0.00	72.60	800.00	889.94	(11.24%)
100-4200-42-511100	Salaries	0.00	28,349.88	221,000.00	209,814.51	5.06%
100-4200-42-512100	Group Insurance	0.00	4,631.20	60,000.00	53,018.12	11.64%
100-4200-42-512200	FICA	0.00	1,994.42	16,907.00	14,666.35	13.25%
100-4200-42-522200	Repairs and Maintenance	0.00	950.42	14,000.00	6,405.02	54.25%
100-4200-42-522210	Vehicle Repairs and Maintena	0.00	0.00	5,000.00	1,448.04	71.04%
100-4200-42-522211	Equip-Repairs and Maintenanc	0.00	137.96	5,000.00	29,532.61	(490.65%)
100-4200-42-523100	Property/Liability Ins.	0.00	1,256.00	4,485.00	4,889.25	(9.01%)
100-4200-42-523200	Telephone Expense	0.00	88.99	1,100.00	1,048.07	4.72%
100-4200-42-523700	Education & Training	0.00	0.00	500.00	0.00	100.00%
100-4200-42-524260	Street Lights	0.00	8,013.36	80,000.00	88,767.63	(10.96%)
100-4200-42-524530	Solid Waste Disposal	0.00	0.00	500.00	0.00	100.00%
100-4200-42-531100	Operating Supplies	0.00	1,189.39	10,000.00	10,380.49	(3.80%)
100-4200-42-531103	Xmas Lights/Banners	0.00	26.57	5,000.00	541.15	89.18%
100-4200-42-531110	Tires and Tubes	0.00	692.00	1,500.00	1,604.66	(6.98%)
100-4200-42-531230	Electric Expense	0.00	281.41	0.00	1,477.55	0.00%
100-4200-42-531270	Vehicle Gas Expense	0.00	244.10	7,000.00	6,614.79	5.50%
100-4200-42-531335	Uniforms	0.00	1,234.05	4,000.00	5,361.62	(34.04%)
100-4200-42-534221	Street Maintenance	0.00	0.00	3,000.00	2,057.37	31.42%
100-4200-42-534224	Sidewalk Const/Maint	0.00	0.00	0.00	47.98	0.00%
100-4200-42-542200	Vehicle Purchases	0.00	0.00	15,000.00	0.00	100.00%
100-6200-62-531230	Electric Expense	0.00	0.00	1,200.00	958.14	20.16%
100-6200-62-620000	City Park Expense	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,860,825.00	0.00%
Total General Fund Expenditures		\$ 0.00	\$ 317,804.06	\$ 2,920,699.00	\$ 5,281,872.23	(80.84%)
General Fund Excess of Revenues Over Expenditures	\$	0.00	\$ 58,899.81	\$ (205,981.00)	\$ 254,497.42	223.55%

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Original Budget

For Downtown Development Authority (160)

For the Fiscal Period 2025-12 Ending December 31, 2025

Account Number	Current Budget	Current Actual	Annual Budget	YTD Actual	Remaining Budget %
Revenues					
160-0000-00-361000 Interest Income	\$ 0.00	\$ 12.81	\$ 80.00	\$ 144.81	(81.01%)
Total Downtown Development Authority Revenues	\$ 0.00	\$ 12.81	\$ 80.00	\$ 144.81	(81.01%)
Expenditures					
160-1600-16-531699 Boardwalk Expense	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 80.00	\$ 0.00	100.00%
Total Downtown Development Authority Expenditures	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 80.00	\$ 0.00	100.00%
Downtown Development Authority Excess of Revenues	\$ 0.00	\$ 12.81	\$ 0.00	\$ 144.81	0.00%

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Statement of Revenue and Expenditures
Original Budget
For Confiscated Assets-Police (210)
For the Fiscal Period 2025-12 Ending December 31, 2025

Account Number	Current Budget	Current Actual	Annual Budget	YTD Actual	Remaining Budget %
Revenues					
210-0000-00-361000 Interest Income	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 14.00	\$ 0.00	100.00%
Total Confiscated Assets-Police Revenues	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 14.00	\$ 0.00	100.00%
Expenditures					
210-2100-21-522650 Siezed Funds Distribution	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 14.00	\$ 0.00	100.00%
Total Confiscated Assets-Police Expenditures	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 14.00	\$ 0.00	100.00%
Confiscated Assets-Police Excess of Revenues Over Ex	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	0.00%

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Original Budget

For Bond Escrow Account (220)

For the Fiscal Period 2025-12 Ending December 31, 2025

Account Number	Current Budget	Current Actual	Annual Budget	YTD Actual	Remaining Budget %
Revenues					
220-0000-00-313100 Cash Bonds	\$ 0.00	\$ 1,507.00	\$ 50,000.00	\$ 64,920.00	(29.84%)
220-0000-00-361000 Interest Income	0.00	8.18	500.00	233.24	53.35%
Total Bond Escrow Account Revenues	\$ 0.00	\$ 1,515.18	\$ 50,500.00	\$ 65,153.24	(29.02%)
Expenditures					
220-2200-22-571002 Refunds-Court Fines	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 1,412.00	0.00%
220-2200-22-613000 Bond-transfer to fine payment	0.00	0.00	50,500.00	0.00	100.00%
220-2200-22-613100 bond - transfer to Superior Co	0.00	0.00	0.00	3,433.00	0.00%
Total Bond Escrow Account Expenditures	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 50,500.00	\$ 4,845.00	90.41%
Bond Escrow Account Excess of Revenues Over Expen	\$ 0.00	\$ 1,515.18	\$ 0.00	\$ 60,308.24	0.00%

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Original Budget
For Automobile Reserve (230)
For the Fiscal Period 2025-12 Ending December 31, 2025

Account Number		Current Budget		Current Actual		Annual Budget		YTD Actual		Remaining Budget %
Revenues										
230-0000-00-361000	Interest Income	\$	0.00	\$	17.78	\$	300.00	\$	378.01	(26.00%)
230-0000-00-392100	Sale of Fixed Assets-PD		0.00		0.00		12,000.00		0.00	100.00%
Total Automobile Reserve Revenues		\$	0.00	\$	17.78	\$	12,300.00	\$	378.01	96.93%
Expenditures										
230-2300-23-542200	Vehicle Purchases - Police	\$	0.00	\$	0.00	\$	27,000.00	\$	10,500.00	61.11%
230-3200-32-523901	Fees		0.00		0.00		300.00		0.00	100.00%
Total Automobile Reserve Expenditures		\$	0.00	\$	0.00	\$	27,300.00	\$	10,500.00	61.54%
Automobile Reserve Excess of Revenues Over Expendit		\$	0.00	\$	17.78	\$	(15,000.00)	\$	(10,121.99)	32.52%

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Original Budget
For ARP (231)
For the Fiscal Period 2025-12 Ending December 31, 2025

Account Number	Current Budget	Current Actual	Annual Budget	YTD Actual	Remaining Budget %
Revenues					
231-0000-00-332100 ARP Local Fiscal Recovery F	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ (439,376.72)	0.00%
231-0000-00-361000 Interest Income	0.00	0.00	1,600.00	1,405.63	12.15%
Total ARP Revenues	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 1,600.00	\$ (437,971.09)	27473.19%
Expenditures					
231-1500-15-611000 unallocated Grant Funds	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 1,600.00	\$ 0.00	100.00%
Total ARP Expenditures	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 1,600.00	\$ 0.00	100.00%
ARP Excess of Revenues Over Expenditures	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ (437,971.09)	0.00%

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Original Budget

For Technology Surcharge Fund (240)

For the Fiscal Period 2025-12 Ending December 31, 2025

Account Number		Current Budget	Current Actual	Annual Budget	YTD Actual	Remaining Budget %
Revenues						
240-0000-00-351173	Technology Surcharge	\$ 0.00	\$ 2,184.00	\$ 5,500.00	\$ 17,316.00	(214.84%)
240-0000-00-361000	Interest Income	0.00	40.69	200.00	371.46	(85.73%)
Total Technology Surcharge Fund Revenues		\$ 0.00	\$ 2,224.69	\$ 5,700.00	\$ 17,687.46	(210.31%)
Expenditures						
240-2650-26-521304	Contract Services - Court	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 9,000.00	0.00%
240-3200-32-531100	Office/Operating Supplies	0.00	6,000.00	9,200.00	30,000.00	(226.09%)
240-3200-32-542400	Capital Outlay-Computer Equi	0.00	0.00	5,500.00	0.00	100.00%
Total Technology Surcharge Fund Expenditures		\$ 0.00	\$ 6,000.00	\$ 14,700.00	\$ 39,000.00	(165.31%)
Technology Surcharge Fund Excess of Revenues Over		\$ 0.00	\$ (3,775.31)	\$ (9,000.00)	\$ (21,312.54)	(136.81%)

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Statement of Revenue and Expenditures
Original Budget
For Multiple Grant Fund (250)
For the Fiscal Period 2025-12 Ending December 31, 2025

Account Number		Current Budget		Current Actual		Annual Budget		YTD Actual		Remaining Budget %
Revenues										
250-0000-00-334310	Direct State Grants	\$	0.00	\$	661.25	\$	47,000.00	\$	116,346.70	(147.55%)
250-0000-00-361000	Interest Income		0.00		111.56		1,400.00		1,258.42	10.11%
Total Multiple Grant Fund Revenues		\$	0.00	\$	772.81	\$	48,400.00	\$	117,605.12	(142.99%)
Expenditures										
250-2500-25-531190	Misc Expense	\$	0.00	\$	0.00	\$	0.00	\$	1,565.00	0.00%
250-2500-25-541300	FY 2018 LMIG		0.00		0.00		48,400.00		108,434.40	(124.04%)
Total Multiple Grant Fund Expenditures		\$	0.00	\$	0.00	\$	48,400.00	\$	109,999.40	(127.27%)
Multiple Grant Fund Excess of Revenues Over Expendit										
		\$	0.00	\$	772.81	\$	0.00	\$	7,605.72	0.00%

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Original Budget

For Hotel/Motel Fund (275)

For the Fiscal Period 2025-12 Ending December 31, 2025

Account Number		Current Budget	Current Actual	Annual Budget	YTD Actual	Remaining Budget %
Revenues						
275-0000-00-314100	Hotel/Motel Tax	\$ 0.00	\$ 9,530.17	\$ 55,000.00	\$ 66,490.55	(20.89%)
275-0000-00-361000	Interest Income	0.00	237.08	1,500.00	2,410.83	(60.72%)
Total Hotel/Motel Fund Revenues		\$ 0.00	\$ 9,767.25	\$ 56,500.00	\$ 68,901.38	(21.95%)
Expenditures						
275-1500-15-572500	Fees paid to Chamber of Com	\$ 0.00	\$ 4,169.44	\$ 41,500.00	\$ 20,261.06	51.18%
275-2750-27-531102	Fireworks	0.00	0.00	15,000.00	20,000.00	(33.33%)
275-2750-27-531190	Misc Expense	0.00	0.00	0.00	80.60	0.00%
Total Hotel/Motel Fund Expenditures		\$ 0.00	\$ 4,169.44	\$ 56,500.00	\$ 40,341.66	28.60%
Hotel/Motel Fund Excess of Revenues Over Expenditure		\$ 0.00	\$ 5,597.81	\$ 0.00	\$ 28,559.72	0.00%

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Statement of Revenue and Expenditures
Original Budget
For Cemetery Fund (276)
For the Fiscal Period 2025-12 Ending December 31, 2025

Account Number	Current Budget	Current Actual	Annual Budget	YTD Actual	Remaining Budget %
Revenues					
276-0000-00-349100 Sale of Cemetery Lots	\$ 0.00	\$ 2,250.00	\$ 5,000.00	\$ 15,000.00	(200.00%)
276-0000-00-361000 Interest Income	0.00	222.59	1,500.00	2,476.17	(65.08%)
Total Cemetery Fund Revenues	\$ 0.00	\$ 2,472.59	\$ 6,500.00	\$ 17,476.17	(168.86%)
Expenditures					
276-2760-28-531190 Misc Expense	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 6,500.00	\$ 0.00	100.00%
Total Cemetery Fund Expenditures	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 6,500.00	\$ 0.00	100.00%
Cemetery Fund Excess of Revenues Over Expenditures	\$ 0.00	\$ 2,472.59	\$ 0.00	\$ 17,476.17	0.00%

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Original Budget

For SPLOST (321)

For the Fiscal Period 2025-12 Ending December 31, 2025

Account Number		Current Budget	Current Actual	Annual Budget	YTD Actual	Remaining Budget %
Revenues						
321-0000-00-313100	Special Local Option Sales Ta	\$ 0.00	\$ 51,501.99	\$ 475,000.00	\$ 552,325.98	(16.28%)
321-0000-00-361000	Interest Income	0.00	1,508.98	500.00	15,744.50	(3048.90%)
Total SPLOST Revenues		\$ 0.00	\$ 53,010.97	\$ 475,500.00	\$ 568,070.48	(19.47%)
Expenditures						
321-0000-00-523901	Fees	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00	\$ 75.00	0.00%
321-4200-42-522200	Repairs and Maintenance	0.00	2,575.00	0.00	12,792.02	0.00%
321-4200-42-531100	Office/Operating Supplies	0.00	37.50	0.00	150.00	0.00%
321-4200-42-534221	Street Maintenance	0.00	2,464.00	375,000.00	302,297.66	19.39%
321-4200-42-541225	Parks & Recreation	0.00	1,800.00	50,000.00	27,521.56	44.96%
321-4200-42-541305	LMIG-2019	0.00	0.00	50,000.00	0.00	100.00%
Total SPLOST Expenditures		\$ 0.00	\$ 6,876.50	\$ 475,000.00	\$ 342,836.24	27.82%
SPLOST Excess of Revenues Over Expenditures		\$ 0.00	\$ 46,134.47	\$ 500.00	\$ 225,234.24	(44946.85%)

City of Ellijay
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Original Budget

For the Fiscal Period 2025-12 Ending December 31, 2025

Account Number		Current Budget		Current Actual		Annual Budget		YTD Actual		Remaining Budget %
Total Revenues	\$	0.00	\$	446,497.95	\$	3,371,812.00	\$	5,953,815.23		(76.58%)
Total Expenditures	\$	0.00	\$	334,850.00	\$	3,601,293.00	\$	5,829,394.53		(61.87%)
Total Excess of Revenues Over Expenditures	\$	0.00	\$	111,647.95	\$	(229,481.00)	\$	124,420.70		154.22%

Elijay Fire Monthly Report

Dec. 2025

Calls	Total	M/A	Auto. Aid	Comments
EMS	53			
MVA	5			
Extrication				
LZ	0			
Structure Fire	0			
Car Fire	0			
Brush Fire	0			
Acres Involved	0			
Fire Alarm	8			
Tree Down	0			
Haz-Mat	1			
Rescue				
Service Call	3			
Other	1			
Total	77			
of which were M/A				
of which were Auto. Aid				
				(870 calls for the year 2025)
Mileage				
R-15	276			
E-15	159			
Q-15	39			
P-15	13			
FC-15				
102				



**ELLIJAY POLICE DEPARTMENT
MONTHLY REPORT
December 2025
PRESENTED January 2026**



OVERVIEW:

Activity:

December: 100 Total Reports; 71 Incidents; 27 Crashes; 2 uses of Force; 2 DUI; 2 Family Violence; 2 misdemeanor arrests; 3 Felony Arrests; 6 Other Arrests; 55 Speeding Citations; 51 Other Citations; 227 Warnings; 333 Total Citations/Warnings.

Year to Date: 1,034 total reports; 776 Incident Reports; 247 Crash Reports; 13 use of force reports; 29 DUI; 8 Family Violence; 102 Total Arrests; 15 Misdemeanor Arrests; 6 Felony Arrests; 81 Other Arrests; 364 Speeding Citations; 547 Other Citations; 2194 Warnings; 3105 Total Citations/Warnings

Use of Force: Two (2) use of force in December.

25-12-5406 – Officer Kaleb Hensley – attempted to stop driver he knew had suspended license and active arrest warrants. The driver failed to stop for several blocks. When it did stop, the driver quickly opened the door. The officer drew his weapon and pointed it at the driver, covering her while she exited the vehicle. Once out of the vehicle, the officer holstered then arrested the driver for Driving while license suspended, Failure to yield to emergency vehicle; and service of an arrest warrant. No injuries or complaints.

25-12-5465 – Officer Kaleb Hensley – Dispatched to 200 Penland St. regarding suspicious activity; a female was going door to door to several apartments screaming and knocking. The suspect was known to officers (involved in 8 different calls) as being previously mentally evaluated as well as drug use. When being medically evaluated, the person became physically aggressive and actively resisted officer's attempts to guide her to an ambulance. Officers used soft-hand escort techniques and handcuffs, she was transported to the hospital for evaluation, the hospital refused admittance, she was charged with Obstruction and Disorderly Conduct and released to the Adult Detention Center. No injuries.

Ellijay Police Department

Total Activity Report

January - December 2025

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	YTD
Total Reports	67	77	82	96	73	86	103	91	79	98	82	100	1034
Incident Reports	52	62	64	76	57	61	85	65	61	60	60	71	774
- Domestic Violence	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	1	2	8
Crash Reports	15	14	15	19	15	25	16	24	18	37	22	27	247
UoF Reports	0	1	3	1	1	0	2	2	0	1	0	2	13
Total Arrests	13	15	19	11	7	10	8	7	8	5	7	12	122
- Male	12	10	15	8	7	8	4	6	5	3	4	9	91
- Female	1	5	4	3	0	2	4	0	3	2	3	3	30
- Other/Uknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
- Juvenile	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	4
Total Tickets	84	75	72	70	86	66	67	61	54	64	106	106	911
Total Warnings	234	146	239	191	195	181	174	125	99	192	191	227	2194

Officer Statistics Report

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Officer: All

Agency: Ellijay Police Department

Officer	Incident	Crash	UoF	DUI	Domestic Violence	Juvenile	Total Reports	Misd. Arrests	Felony Arrests	Drug Arrests	Total Arrests	Speeding Citations	Other Citations	Warnings	Total Citations
D. K. Young	8	1	0	0	1	0	9	0	2	0	5	0	10	44	54
J. B. Hill	9	12	0	0	0	0	21	1	0	0	1	23	6	45	74
J. M. Chastain	11	0	0	0	0	0	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
J. T. Morris	4	1	0	0	1	0	5	0	0	0	0	1	1	16	18
K. T. Hensley	13	5	2	1	0	0	20	1	1	0	3	2	10	14	26
O'neal	10	1	0	1	0	0	11	0	0	0	2	9	11	57	77
S.M. Westmoreland	8	4	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
T. G. McClure	8	3	0	0	0	0	11	0	0	0	0	20	13	49	82
Totals	71	27	2	2	2	0	100	2	3	0	11	55	51	227	333

Officer Statistics Report

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Officer: All

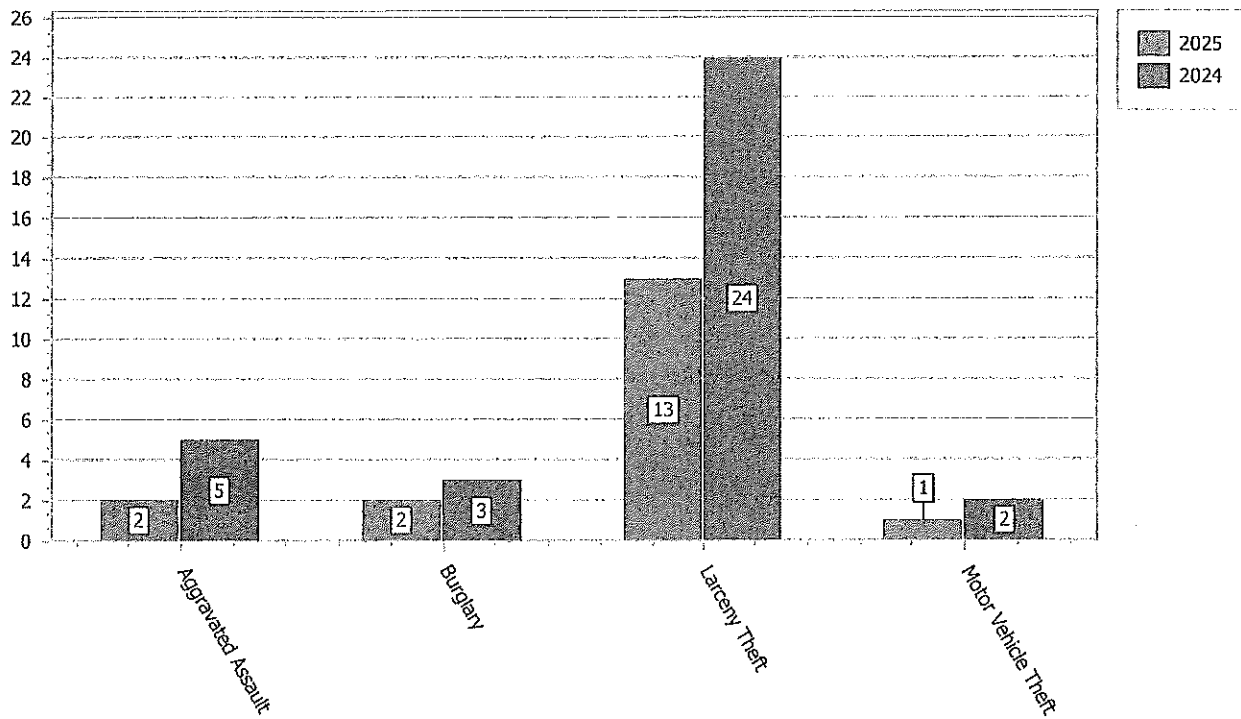
Agency: Ellijay Police Department

Officer	Incident	Crash	UoF	DUI	Domestic Violence	Juvenile	Total Reports	Misd. Arrests	Felony Arrests	Total Arrests	Speeding Citations	Other Citations	Warnings	Total Citations
A. W. McArthur	18	14	0	0	0	0	32	0	0	1	1	6	15	22
C. D. Colburn	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
D. K. Young	110	24	1	6	3	2	135	1	2	31	1	85	618	704
E. D. Lacey	11	1	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	0	2	2	9	13
G. R. Grace	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
J. B. Hill	135	59	0	0	0	0	194	1	0	4	236	156	389	781
J. M. Chastain	76	15	3	0	0	0	94	0	0	1	0	8	25	33
J. T. Morris	111	25	2	0	2	0	138	3	0	8	14	47	248	309
K. T. Hensley	118	42	5	21	0	1	165	5	2	40	22	163	339	524
O'Neal	34	14	0	1	0	0	48	4	0	7	26	30	125	181
S.M. Westmoreland	56	23	0	0	1	0	77	0	0	0	0	0	8	8
T. G. McClure	104	29	2	1	2	0	135	1	2	10	62	49	418	529
Totals	776	247	13	29	8	3	1034	15	6	102	364	547	2194	3105

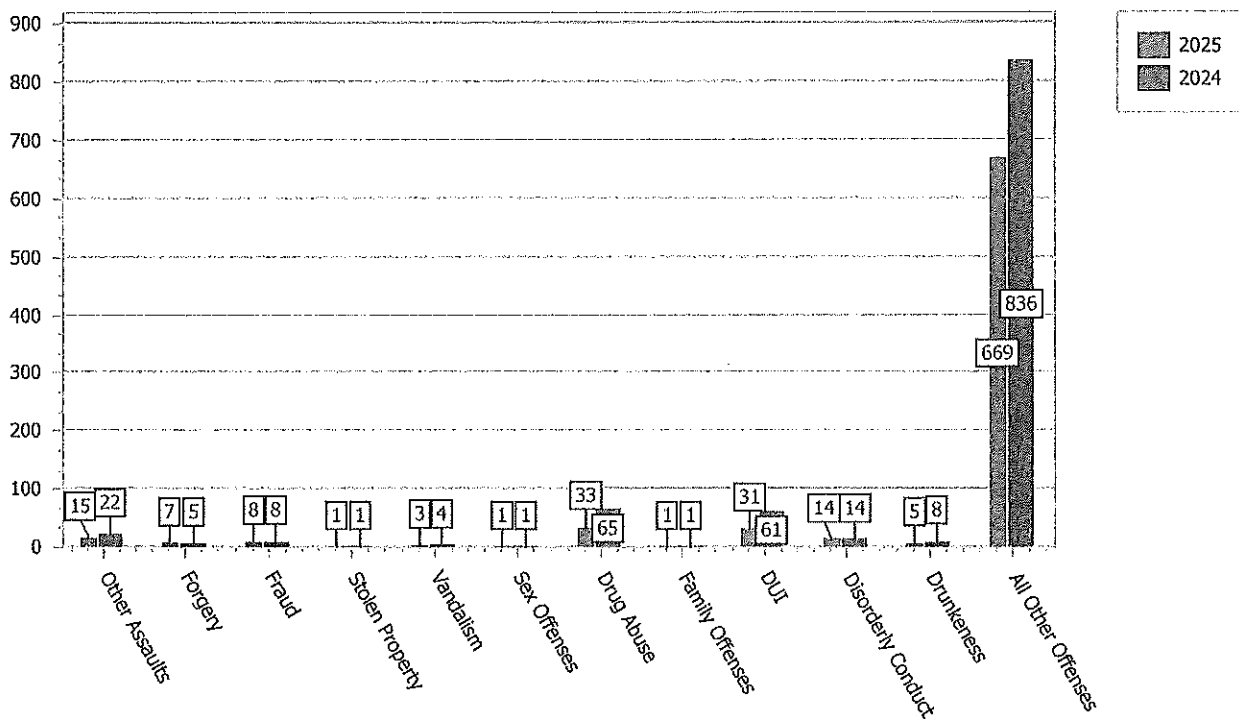
PART 1 CRIME STATISTICS YTD

Comparison

Years



PART 2 CRIME STATISTICS YTD



RE: Monthly Code Enforcement Update

Building/Construction	Building Permits	Land Disturbing Permits	Building Planning Meetings	Inspections
	3	1	6	12

Zoning	Zoning Change Applications	Zoning Variance Applications	Zoning Consultations
	0	0	3

Housing & General Code Enforcement	Verbal Warnings	Written Warnings	Complaint Mediation	Citations
	6	0	5	0

Andrew Mathis, Code Enforcement Officer

Permits:

970 – 168 Logan St – generator

971 – 408 Bobcat Trl – gym

972 – 112 Northern View Ln - house

STATE OF GEORGIA
CITY OF ELLIJAY

RESOLUTION NO.

A RESOLUTION TO REQUEST THAT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA ANNEX BY LOCAL ACT CERTAIN PROPERTY INTO THE CITY LIMITS OF ELLIJAY, GEORGIA.

WHEREAS, O.C.G.A. § 36-36-1 et seq. authorizes the annexation of property by local act of the General Assembly; and,

WHEREAS, Article I, Section 1.11 of the Charter of the City of Ellijay, Georgia defines the corporate boundaries of the city and authorizes alterations and additions thereto; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Ellijay, Georgia is desirous of adding the following described tract of property to its corporate boundaries:

ALL THAT TRACT or parcel of land lying and being in Gilmer County, Georgia and being more particularly described as follows: BEGINNING at a point located at the intersection of the Northern right-of-way of State Route 282 West with the Ellijay City limits; thence running west along the northern right-of-way of State Route 282 to a point 600 feet beyond the intersection of The Oaks Drive and State Route 282; thence running in a southerly direction across State Route 282 at a ninety degree angle to a point at the intersection of the southern right-of-way of State Route 282 and the western right-of-way of State Route 282; thence running in an easterly direction to a point located at the intersection of the Southern right of way of State Route 282 with the Ellijay City limits; thence running in a northerly direction across State Route 282 at a ninety degree angle to the point of beginning.

WHEREAS, the City of Ellijay, Georgia, finds that the addition of the above-described property would improve the manufacturing, retail, and tourism industries in the City and would provide an opportunity to benefit and improve the security, welfare, health, and safety of the current and prospective citizens of the City.

THEREFORE BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED by the Governing Authority of the City of Ellijay, Georgia, that the City of Ellijay requests that the General Assembly annex the above-described property into the City's corporate boundaries by local act pursuant to the provisions of O.C.G.A. 36-36-1 et seq. and requests that the local representative for District 6 of the State of Georgia introduce legislation to that effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this resolution has been duly adopted by the governing authority of Ellijay, Georgia on the _____ day of _____.

**MAYOR AND COUNCIL
CITY OF ELLIJAY**

Al Hoyle, Mayor

Claudia Penland

ATTEST:

Thomas Griffith

Lori Pierce, City Clerk

Tom Crawford

Thomas Crawford

Al Fuller

**A RESOLUTION OF THE
ELLIJAY CITY COUNCIL
PURSUANT TO THE DISASTER MITIGATION ACT OF 2000
AUTHORIZING ADOPTION OF THE
GILMER COUNTY HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN**

WHEREAS, Gilmer County and its municipal governments are required to complete a Hazard Mitigation Plan by the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000; and

WHEREAS, under the provisions of the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000, local governments that complete Hazard Mitigation Plans will remain eligible for Federal mitigation funding; and

WHEREAS, Gilmer County and its municipal governments have completed an updated Hazard Mitigation Plan that fulfills the Federal requirements of the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000.

NOW THEREFORE LET IT BE RESOLVED THAT THE ELLIJAY CITY COUNCIL FORMALLY ADOPTS THIS UPDATED HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN.

RESOLVED THIS ____ DAY OF ____, 2026

(City Seal)

Signed: Al Hoyle, City of Ellijay Mayor

Attest: Lori Pierce, City of Ellijay Clerk