



June 1, 2024

Dear Neighbors,

The Roswell Recreation, Parks, Historic, and Cultural Affairs Department will be hosting a July 4<sup>th</sup> Fireworks event in Roswell Area Park this year. The 4<sup>th</sup> of July event will take place from 6:00-9:30 p.m. and will include musical entertainment, food trucks, sweet treats, and a fireworks show at dark. This is the fourth year we have held the event in Roswell Area Park and as we did last year wanted to provide the surrounding neighborhoods with additional information to facilitate a safe celebration.

The Department is expecting the 4<sup>th</sup> of July event to have a very large attendance, causing traffic and parking in the area to be congested. We are taking steps to decrease the impact on the neighborhoods that will be affected. These steps include law enforcement, parking restrictions, signage and a publicized event map.

In order to provide emergency access for your neighborhood, if it should be needed, the City of Roswell will be restricting parking to only one side of the street. This will enable safety vehicles, such as Fire and Police, to have access to all homes in case of emergency. Department staff will be placing yard signs on neighborhood streets in the early morning of Thursday, July 4<sup>th</sup>. The signs will restrict on-street parking for both residents and the community who might be parking for the event. In most neighborhoods, signs will be placed along the right side of the road indicating "no parking on this side of the street."

We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause. It is imperative that the signs remain in place, city staff will be removing signs the morning of Friday, July 5<sup>th</sup>. If your house is on the restricted parking side, please park all vehicles in your driveway or on the opposite side of your street on July 4<sup>th</sup>. Our main objective is the safety of you and your neighbors, ensuring access to Fire and Police as needed in case of an emergency.

We have created a complete event map and guide to share with the community that provides detailed information on parking restrictions, event access and event timelines, which can be found by visiting [www.roswell365.com/july4th](http://www.roswell365.com/july4th).

Thank you in advance for your patience during our annual celebration. If you have any questions please call the Roswell Recreation Parks Historic and Cultural Affairs Administration offices at 770-641-3705.

Sincerely,

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