

City of Sugar Hill

JUNE 2023

A MONTH IN REVIEW FROM THE OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER

Parks & Recreation

The Sugar Hill Parks & Recreation Department enriches the quality of life for the Sugar Hill community by providing recreational, educational and wellness programs within facilities, parks, and natural open spaces. If you are interested in renting a meeting or event space in Downtown Sugar Hill, contact an E Center representative.



The E Center currently has 18,908 members who have access to various fitness equipment and activities. Members can play pickleball on Friday (early afternoon), Saturday (early evening) and twice on Tuesday evenings. The Adult 35+ Basketball League announced their championship winners (pictured above.) Various other academies and leagues are well into their athletic seasons for basketball, soccer, and golf.

Splash Park is open to the public from 10 a.m. – 9 p.m. and is wheelchair accessible. Please check the city's social media for any closings due to weather, scheduled maintenance, or concerts at The Bowl. Picnic tables are available to rent; if you are interested, please call the E Center at 770 - 831-7413.

The Sugar Hill Golf Club saw hundreds of people throughout the month of May, all coming out to enjoy the beautiful, spring weather. Golf Club Championships were held on May 20 – 21; members competed for the right to be named Club Champion for the 2023 – 2024 season. Join golfers at the course on June 17 for the three-player Step Aside Tournament.

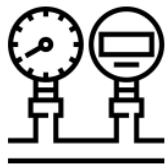


Greenspace and recreation opportunities provide vital outlets for physical activity, social connection, and community engagement. Sugar Hill's thriving parks, Greenway, and recreation scene are valuable assets for both residents and visitors alike.



Customer Service

To schedule a passport appointment, please call 770-945-6716 or visit in person at Customer Service in City Hall.



May 2023

New Gas Services: 112
Disconnected Services: 124
Newly Installed Meters: 16
Total Active Meters: 12,110



May 2023

Passports: 193
Photos: 179

Business Licenses

New Businesses in May: 13
Business Renewals: 885
Total Business Licenses: 987

Public Works & Utilities

The Gas Department added 413 automatic meter reader transmitters (AMR) in May, bringing the total number of AMR accounts to 9,757. These transmitters can be read automatically through a radio-based system.



May 2023

153 Truckloads of Bagged Clippings
17 Loads to Disposal Site

Dumpsters are available to rent for Sugar Hill residents. Dumpsters have 10-yard capacity and are available for weekend rentals only (holiday weekends excluded). If you are interested in renting, please call City Hall at 770-945-6716.

Public Safety

In May, the Marshal's Office continued community outreach efforts, including organizing Coffee with a Cop at Rushing Trading Company, conducting a child safety seat clinic at City Hall, and educating students about safety in Downtown Sugar Hill at the various schools in the city.

The Marshals continue to monitor and tag illegally parked vehicles in Downtown Sugar Hill. Parking regulation signs are posted in areas where parking is time-restricted along West Broad St. and parking structures. Daily patrols are conducted in all residential areas, businesses, and schools within the city limits as well as downtown during the day and evening hours.

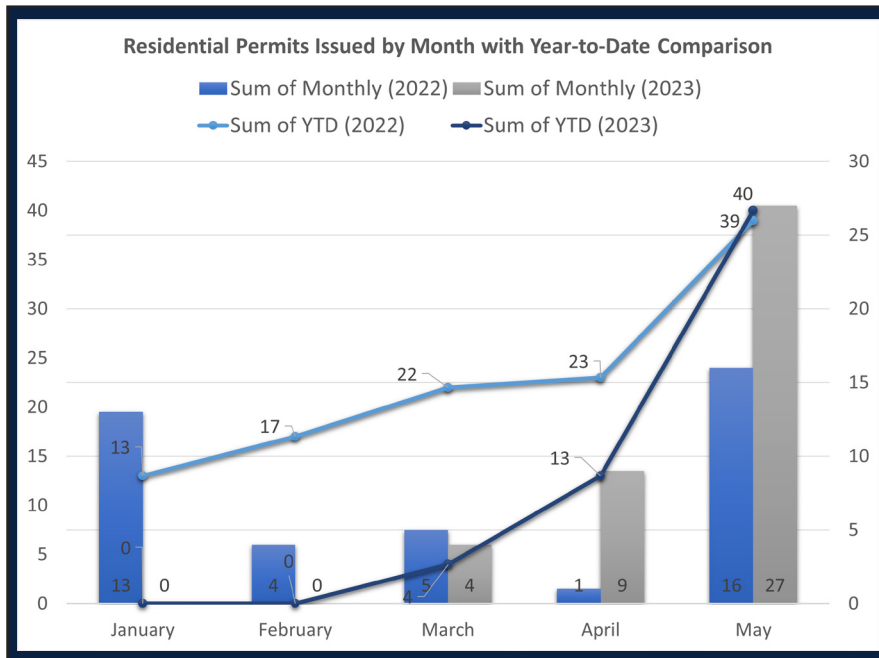
The Marshal's Office is dedicated to making sure it stays connected with its citizens and the community. The department encourages citizens to reach out to them with any questions or concerns they may have. Marshals can be reached by email at shmarshal@cityofsugarhill.com or by calling 770-932-2532.



Planning & Development

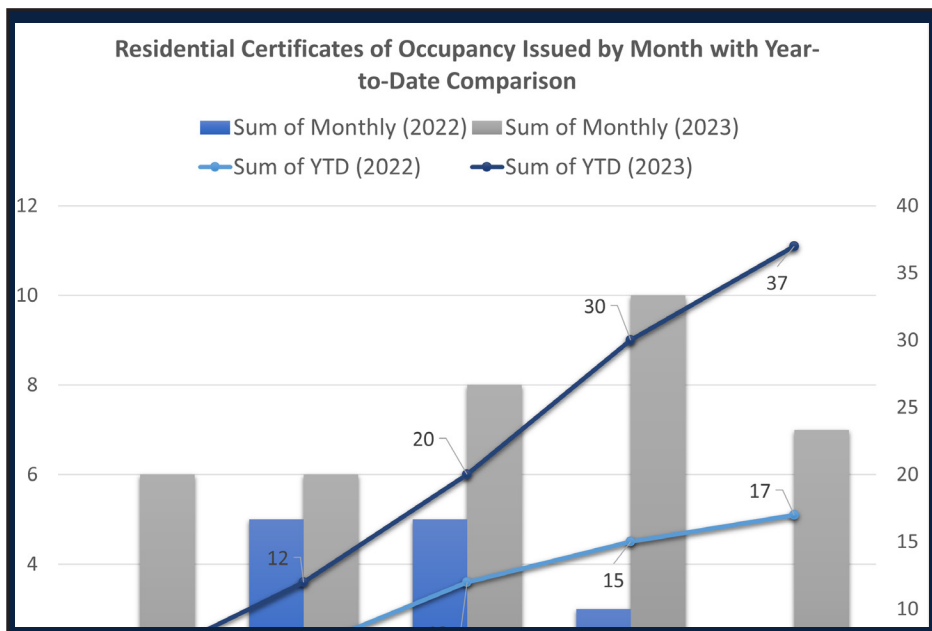
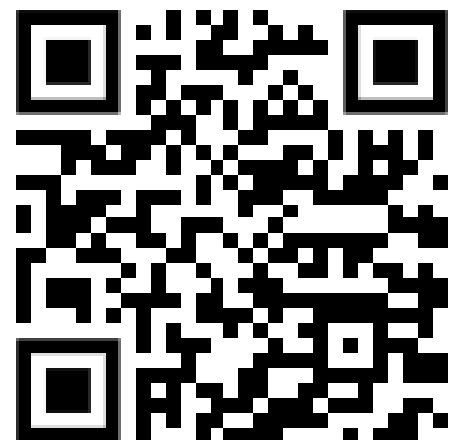
A total of 27 residential building permits were issued, comprising of eight single-family detached homes and 19 single-family attached homes.

The Planning Department is in the process of leading the effort to update the city's Comprehensive Plan and is currently focusing on public involvement. Informational postcards were distributed at Kroger and during the first Splash Night on May 27 to raise awareness and encourage community engagement and participation in shaping the future of Sugar Hill.



Please take 5 to 10 minutes to complete our survey to help us envision the city's future. Be sure to subscribe to our newsletter for updates on ways to get involved with the Comprehensive Plan update. For more information, please visit the ENVISION100 page on the city's website.

Scan the QR code below to take the survey.



Community & Downtown Updates

Juneteenth

Join the Black Women's Association of Sugar Hill (BWASH) for the 4th Annual Juneteenth Celebration on June 17 from 4 – 9 p.m. at The Bowl. Enjoy games for all ages, a chicken wing cook-off, historical trivia, a raffle giveaway, and vendors. The recipient of the annual BWASH Scholarship will be announced at the event.



Sparks in the Park

Let the sparks fly this July 3 at E.E. Robinson Park. Sparks in the Park is back. Join us for a fireworks show like no other! Enjoy food trucks, vendors, activities, and a free concert. All this fun starts at 6:30 p.m. (Fireworks will start at sundown).



2023 Concerts & Events



In May, the city hosted various events that brought residents and visitors together to create memorable experiences. Free Yoga at The Bowl, an outdoor movie at The Bowl following Splash Night, and the Memorial Day Ceremony were all well-attended and enjoyed by the community.

Music at Sugar Hill, performed by local artists, continues every Friday through September from 6 – 8 p.m. on the E Center Promenade. Sweat & Vibe Dance Fitness, held on select Sunday afternoons, is a cardio-based dance class where attendees learn 4 core moves (Salsa, Cumbia, Merengé and Reggaeton) in a group fitness setting.

For more information or to sign up for events like Yoga at The Bowl, visit www.downtownsugarhill.com.

The Sugar Hill Live On Stage concert series at The Bowl kicked off with a sold-out performance by Chris Janson on June 3. Looking ahead, Melissa Etheridge will take the stage on July 15 at The Bowl.



Community & Downtown Updates

Eagle Theatre

On The Stage Children's Theatre is organizing summer camps for students of all ages where they'll perform *Peter Pan* and *Mean Girls*. The Broad St. Concert Band performed their "At the Movies" this month, and the Jazz Ensemble is opening for Joe Gransden's Big Band on June 30. For more information on upcoming performances, visit the Eagle Theatre's website.

Announcements for the Sugar Hill Live On Stage concert series at the Eagle Theatre will be made soon.

JUNE & JULY

JUNE	
2 MUSIC AT SUGAR HILL	16 MUSIC AT SUGAR HILL
3 SUGAR HILL LIVE ON STAGE	17 YOGA AT SUGAR HILL
3 YOGA AT SUGAR HILL	17 JUNETEENTH/BWASH
6 BROAD ST. BANDS	23 MUSIC AT SUGAR HILL
9 MUSIC AT SUGAR HILL	24 YOGA AT SUGAR HILL
10 YOGA AT SUGAR HILL	30 SPLASH NIGHT
12 OTSCT SUMMER CAMP	30 BROAD ST. BANDS

JULY	
3 SPARKS IN THE PARK	15 YOGA AT SUGAR HILL
6 FIRSTY THURSDAY	15 SUGAR HILL LIVE ON STAGE
7 MUSIC AT SUGAR HILL	21 MUSIC AT SUGAR HILL
8 YOGA AT SUGAR HILL	22 YOGA AT SUGAR HILL
10 OTSCT SUMMER CAMP	28 SPLASH NIGHT
14 MUSIC AT SUGAR HILL	29 YOGA AT SUGAR HILL

FOR MORE INFORMATION ON EVENTS, VISIT
WWW.DOWNTOWNSUGARHILL.COM



Downtown Businesses & Residences

Follow our downtown businesses on their social media channels to see what they're up to and all the fun events they have planned for this summer. Downtown businesses can now submit their upcoming events and programming through the Downtown Website.

The Rooftop is currently hiring and will open this month.

Talk of the Table is wrapping up construction and will also open this month.

Solis began moving in new residents on June 7. To schedule a tour or learn more about Solis and its availability, sign up at www.solissugarhill.com.

Construction has started on the first units of Skyview on West Broad. Find out more information about Skyview Brownstones by visiting their website, www.kittlehomes.com.



Construction Update

Ridge Lake Park

This 22-acre park off HWY 20 will consist of a parking area, restroom building with a covered seating area, dog park, dam repairs and pond improvements, as well as walking trails.

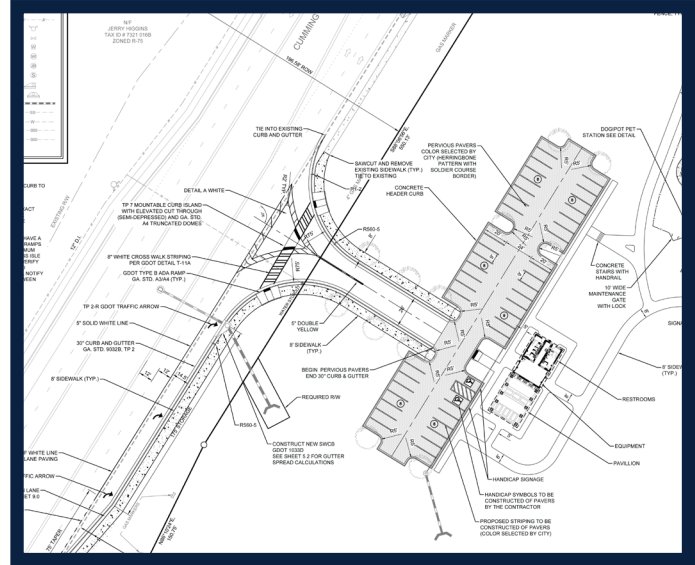
Many of the amenities for the first phase of construction were suggested by the public during open houses held in 2017 - 2018.

Completed Construction:

- Grading
- Underground Plumbing
- Electrical Services Installation
- Concrete Slabs & Footing
- Wall & Roofing
- Dam Repair

Current Construction:

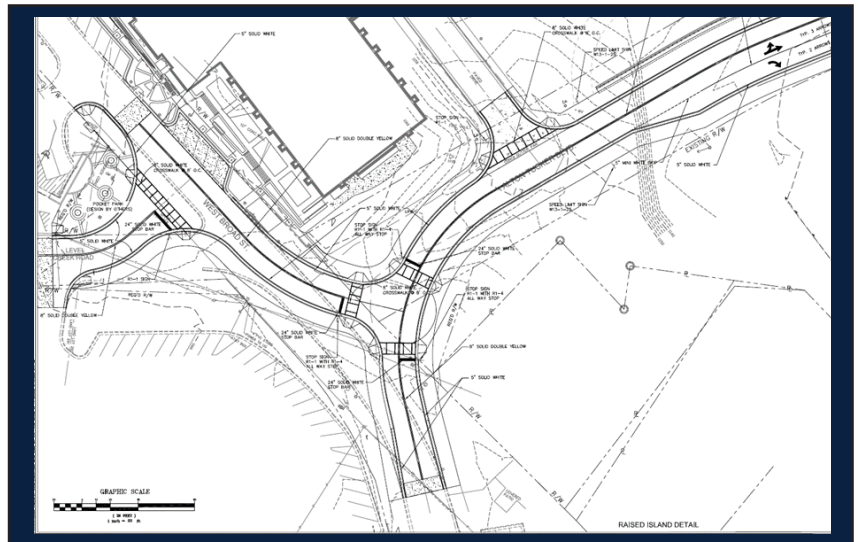
- Interior Equipment & Finishes
- Septic System Installation
- Dog Park Fence



Alton Tucker Blvd. Extension

Bids for construction were received in May and construction is scheduled to begin in July, pending council approval.

This project will improve the intersection of Level Creek Rd. and West Broad St., as well as extend Alton Tucker Blvd. to HWY 20 at the east end of the E Center.



Construction Update

Bowl Pond Improvements



Improvements Include:

- Replacing the failed outlet that regulates pond water level & prevents flooding.
 - New pavilion area for events, congregating or just relaxing.
- Parking area that will serve as general parking, as well as a load in area for concerts and performances.
 - Easy access to the new conference space at 39th Street Station.

Completed Construction:

- Outlet Control Structure
- Water Control
- Pond Liner Resealed
- Resealed Pipes For Water Level Control
- Parking Area Poured

Current Construction:

- Wall, Column, & Terrace Work
- Sidewalks & Pavers Installation

Suite Spot Lighting

This project enhances the exterior lighting at the Suite Spot. The columns, murals, and the pecan tree are washed using customizable colored flood lights.



Golf Course Restroom

The Public Works Department rebuilt the restroom shelter on hole #15 at the Sugar Hill Golf Club. Current construction includes plumbing and electrical work which will be completed by the peak of golf season.



Street Paving & Repair

Paving has been completed on the streets in red below. Crack sealing on the remaining streets is progressing with Spring Hill, Church and West Broad streets already complete. Anticipated completion for this project is October 31.

Street Name	From	To
Brookdale Dr	Hillcrest	cul de sac
Primrose Park Rd	Blossom Brook Ct	city limits
Primrose Park Ct	Primrose Park Rd	cul de sac
Summer Creek Ct	Primrose Park Rd	cul de sac
Blossom Brook Dr	Primrose Park Rd	Avalon Creek Rd
Avalon Creek Rd	Phase Line	cul de sac
Roberts Run Cove	Roberts Rd	cul de sac
Spring Hill Dr	Level Creek Rd	Whitehead Rd
Pinecrest Dr	PIB	end
Church St	Level Creek Rd	W Broad St
W Broad St	Alton Tucker Blvd	Nelson Brogdon Blvd
Alton Tucker Blvd	PIB	W Broad St
Arbor View Way	Underhill Ct	cul de sac
Pine Branch Cir	Arbor View Way	cul de sac
Pine Branch Ct	Arbor View Way	cul de sac
Under Hill Ln	Arbor View Way	cul de sac
Oak Grove Dr	Level Creek Rd	end
Avonley Creek Dr	Old Cumming Hwy	Avonley Creek Trace
Kyle Trace Ct.	Avonley Creek Dr.	cul de sac
Glencora Close	Avonley Creek Dr.	cul de sac
Avonley Creek Trc	Avonley Creek Dr.	cul de sac
Starwind Way	Avonley Creek Dr.	cul de sac
Paliser Trc	Avonley Creek Trace	cul de sac
City Hall Parking Lot	Asphalt EOP	Asphalt EOP
Cemetery Driveways	Various	N/A

