



City Manager's Report

December 15, 2025

Fire Department

- The department is proud to welcome three new hires who began today. Each will attend the South Carolina Fire Academy to complete required training, and we're excited to see the skills and dedication they'll bring to our team.
- A huge thank you to everyone who donated to Toys for Happiness. We were overwhelmed by the generosity of our community. This joint drive with WRHI and the Tega Cay Fire Department helps provide Christmas toys to children across York County.
- Santa is coming to Tega Cay on Saturday the 20th! He'll be cruising through the city on a Tega Cay Fire Truck. Follow the [City of Tega Cay Fire Department on Facebook](#) for real-time Santa sightings and arrival updates.

Parks & Recreation

- We hope everyone who attended the tree lighting had a wonderful time. Thank you to Mayor Gray & Councilman Carter for their performance prior to lighting the tree. We look forward to 2026 and another year of amazing city events.
 - Thanks to the help of our Utilities Department in designing and decorating Santa's mailbox, we collected 250 letters to Santa—75 of them during the tree lighting ceremony. A big thank-you to the scribes who helped Santa and his elves along the way!
 - As a reminder, Youth Sports registration is currently open for Tega Cay residents. Open registration begins on January 1st. Sign-ups can be completed [online](#) or in-person at the Parks & Recreation office.
 - The [Beach & Swim Center pool registration](#) will begin on January 1st.
 - Our Parks & Recreation team continues to stay busy with park projects. They've completed the Diamond Head irrigation & sod installation, added irrigation to Catawba Park "playground area", and installed a new bottle fill station at Windjammer Park. Thank you for the [Fort Mill Rotary Club](#) for donating the fill station.
 - Our team is currently removing and replacing batting cages at Runde Park. As their upcoming projects, the team plans to begin working on the next section of turf inside Catawba Park Baseball/Softball facility & updating the tee boxes of the disc golf course.
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Police Department

- The department has compiled their Monthly Crime Statistics for November with 387 calls for service, 34 incident reports, 2,892 property checks, 606 traffic stops, 1 parking citation, 7 vehicle collisions, 18 custodial arrests, 2 DUI arrests, an average response time of 3 minutes and 18 seconds and hosted 2 community events.
 - Thank you to everyone who joined the department for Crafts and Cocoa with the Grinch! We had an amazing turnout and loved seeing so many smiling faces. We're already looking forward to doing it again next year and hope to see you there!
 - Also, thank you to everyone who also donated to Holiday with Heroes! Because of your generosity, eight kids from our community had the opportunity to shop alongside our police and fire personnel. It was a great day filled with smiles, connection, and a whole lot of holiday spirit. We're grateful for your support in helping make this such a special experience for our community.
 - Just a friendly reminder that there's still time to vote for your favorite home on our Lighten Up Holiday House Tour. [Maps of the tour](#) are available at City Hall, the Police Department or their Facebook page!
 - As you head out to enjoy the various holiday gatherings, please remember to make safety a priority. If you plan to drink, don't drive, have a plan in place for a ride home. Through November, our department has already made 63 DUI arrests this year, and we don't want anyone to become part of that statistic. Enjoy the season, look out for one another, and please drive safely
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