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PUBLIC NOTICE

The 2021 Water Quality Report for the City of Seneca Light & Water Plant is now available online at:
www.seneca.sc.us/documents/light-and-water/water-quality-reports/2021-water-quality-consumer-confidence-report.pdf

It may also be accessed from the City of Seneca website at www.seneca.sc.us/seneca-light-and-water-home/water

You may also access it by using the QR code as shown below. Simply position your phone's camera over the QR code and follow the link.



QR Code

If you would like to receive a printed copy of the report, please call the Customer Service office at 864-885-2723, or call the City of Seneca Water Plant at 864-885-2735.

Copies are also available at Seneca City Hall, 221 E N First Street, Seneca, SC





Eugene (EJ) Scurry, Sr.

EMPLOYEE *Spotlight*

Originally from New York City, Eugene (EJ) has worked with the Buildings and Projects department with the City of Seneca for 2-1/2 years now, and hopes to be with the City until retirement. He and his lovely wife, Ashley, have five children, and Eugene enjoys spending time with them, as well as cutting grass, and doing landscaping projects. He gets much enjoyment from coaching little league sports at the City's recreation facility.

Thank you, EJ, for your support, dedication and hard work!



Seneca Fire Department patch now resides at Ground Zero in NYC

On a recent family trip to New York City, city administrator Scott Moulder had the honor of placing the City of Seneca Fire Department patch at Ground Zero alongside thousands of other patches from fire departments all over the United States. The tradition began after the country suffered tragic loss of life in the 911 attack in NYC, many of whom were local first responders.

"We have never and will never forget the people of New York who lost their lives, and the emergency responders who made the ultimate sacrifice that day," commented Seneca FD Chief Richie Caudill.



Congratulations to Seneca's Outstanding Girls' Softball Teams!



The girls' 10U softball team traveled to North Augusta, SC, and placed as State Runner-Up in the SCAP State Tournament.

We are extremely proud of all the girls who competed this year. They all represented the City of Seneca and the Seneca Recreation Department well. Thank you to all the players, coaches, and parents who supported these girls!



Our Seneca Recreation 12U All-Star team won Runner-Up in the District Tournament held at Shaver Recreation Complex on June 9 - 12th.

Congratulations to all the players, coaches, and parents!



Welcome, New Members!

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June 28, 2022





Congratulations to students of SBDSC member Foothills Dance Conservatory for being accepted for participation in national summer dance programs!



Shown left to right:

- Jessie Arnold** - The Rock School's Summer Ballet Intensive, PA
- Isabella Normandin** - Atlanta Ballet Summer Intensive; Boca Ballet Theatre Advance Summer Intensive; Orlando Ballet Summer, FL
- Annie Ross** - Atlanta Ballet Summer Intensives, Charlotte Ballet with partial scholarship; Joffrey Ballet School with full scholarship; and a scholarship into year-round training program; Ballet West Summer Intensive, UT
- Grant Strickland** - SC Governor's School for the Arts and Humanities Summer Dance Program; Residential High School Dance Program 2022-2023
- Maddie Bruce** - Complexions Contemporary Ballet Academy Summer Intensive, FL; Terminus Modern Ballet Theatre Summer Intensive, Atlanta
- Halden Montgomery** - SC Governor's School for the Arts and Humanities Summer Dance Program.

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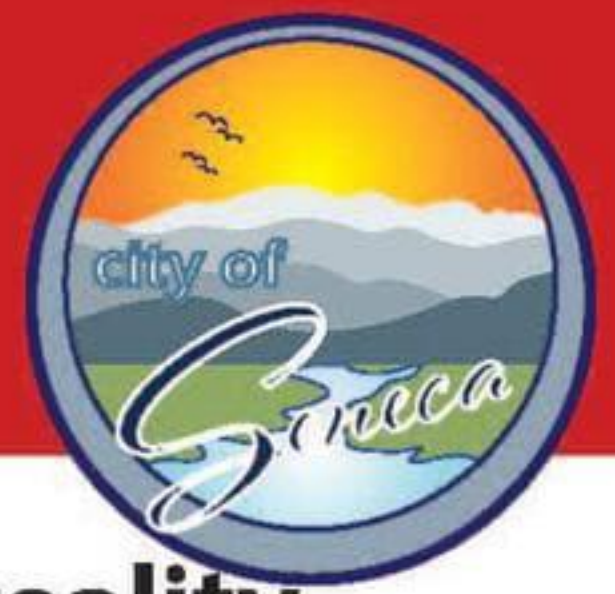
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A dog park for Seneca a step closer to reality



As part of a plan for recreational areas and green space on the property previously home to Kellett Elementary School, the City hopes that a dog park will become a reality for citizens of the area. City officials hope to fund the dog park primarily with grants obtained from outside sources.

A dog park has been on Seneca's City Council priority list for several years now. The proposed dog park will feature separate areas for large and small dogs, and will offer both shaded and open areas in a natural setting. As part of a larger recreational plan for the property now owned by the City of Seneca, the dog park will enjoy proximity to possible walking trails, soccer fields, a children's playground, and restrooms and ample parking.

For further developments on the dog park, visit the park's Facebook page [Seneca Dog Park@SenecaDogPark](#).

Bits & Pieces from the Seneca Scene



Mayor Dan Alexander was delighted to present a proclamation and a "Seneca Strong" award to Steve Finger, former chairman of the Golden Corner Pantry and founder of the Ride to Work Ministry. Mr. Finger will be moving to North Carolina to be near family.



A highlight of Seneca's Juneteenth celebration was a fashion show held at Crown & Crest Events On Friday, June 17th. The fashion show featured "style and elegance from designer Sonya M. Haggan of Haggan of Southern Jersey." Mayor Dan Alexander is shown with several models participating in the event.