

THE STORY OF GREEN STREET

Gainesville was founded in 1821 as Mule Camp Springs when it was known as a stopping place for Native Americans and wandering traders.

In 1828, gold was discovered in the region! Gainesville became a trading center for miners, merchants and professionals, and taverns, stores and offices were erected around the square. After 1870, the first railroad reached the town. The rails greatly stimulated business, including a prosperous cotton market.

Green Street became the prime residential district. It was elevated above the business area, was level for a considerable distance and much was well wooded. It served as a stagecoach and freight route to the mining regions, and locally, it was a pleasant way to get to the town spring, known then as Gower's Spring.

Beginning in about 1880, many fine homes were built along Green Street. For over 50 years, it was known to visitors as one of the outstanding residential neighborhoods in Northeast Georgia. The following description is quoted from the Georgia Department of Natural Resources declaring Green Street a historic district:

"Gainesville's major thoroughfare, Green Street, is a broad, tree-lined street with a predominance of Victorian and Neo-Classical Revival residences dating from the late 19th and early 20th centuries. Although Gainesville has other areas worthy of preservation, rapid commercial and civic building development has forced this district into its own separated area. Architecturally, Green Street has one of the finest relatively untouched group examples of Neo-classical architecture in North Georgia."



616 GREEN STREET

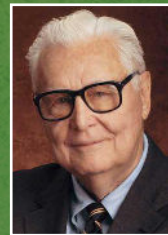


434 GREEN STREET



756 GREEN STREET

JUDGE W. L. NORTON



The City of Gainesville is proud to share this publication is printed in honor of **Judge William L. and Mrs. Adelaide Norton.**

The City thanks the Nortons for their passion

and dedication to spearheading the movement to preserve historical homes on Green Street.



For assistance or more information, call the **Gainesville Tourism Office at 770-531-2664** or visit exploregainesville.org.

HISTORIC GREEN STREET VISITOR MAP

GAINESVILLE, GA



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GREEN STREET

Step back in time by embarking on a walking tour of Historic Green Street in downtown Gainesville, Georgia. This enchanting tour will let you imagine what tree-lined Green Street was like in the late 1800s and early 1900s.

GETTING STARTED AND WHAT TO EXPECT:

- The full tour is approximately an 0.8-mile walk; 0.4 miles north & 0.4 miles south
- Sidewalks line the street for easy mobility
- Please note, the homes are not open for public access and are not available for tours

TAKE THE TIME TO:

- Learn more about the history of Gainesville at the Northeast Georgia History Center
- Enjoy the newest exhibits at the Quinlan Visual Arts Center
- Rest and stop for lunch at Mellow Mushroom, located inside the Dixon Rudolph House
- Experience the beauty of native plants at Gardens on Green

SOUTH

16 DUNLAP BURROUGHS
635 Green Street



17 CHARTERS SMITH
625 Green Street

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18 RILEY NEWMAN QUINLAN
605 Green Street



19 PRUITT WHEELER McBRAYER
539 Green Street

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20 ROBERTSON THURMOND HOUSE
529 Green Street



21 TURNER DANIEL DELONG
517 Green Street

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22 DORSEY PLAGINOS ELLARD
505 Green Street



23 FINGER HOUSE
439 Green Street

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24 DILLARD SLOAN HAWKINS HUNTER
431 Green Street



25 ADAMS HOUSE
427 Green Street

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26 WALLACE HOUSE
417 Green Street



27 BAKER WHITE SHERIDAN
411 Green Street

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28 TURNER ESTES
403 Green Street



29 MATTHEWS NORTON
393 Green Street

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625 GREEN STREET

First Baptist Church Campus

HALL COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICE

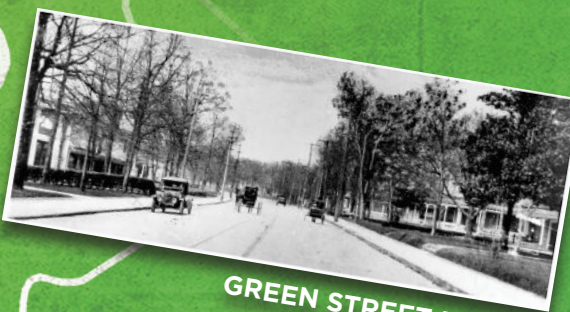
Gardens on Green



GREEN STREET IN 1907



466 GREEN STREET N.E.



GREEN STREET IN 1909

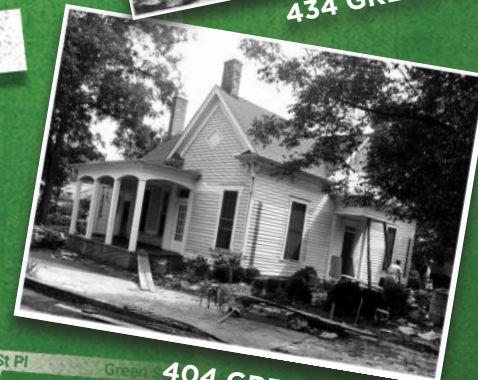
HISTORIC GREEN STREET

QUINLAN ART CENTER

Moved to Thompson Bridge Road



434 GREEN STREET



404 GREEN STREET

15 MILLER BANKS HOUSE
756 Green Street



14 LONGSTREET NEWTON
746 Green Street

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13 BROWN MILICAN HOUSE
736 Green Street



12 PARKER JACKSON HOUSE
718 Green Street

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11 DIXON RUDOLPH HOUSE
700 Green Street



10 ADAMS SMITH EDMONSON WARD
634 Green Street

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9 GARNER HULSEY HOUSE
616 Green Street



8 REDWINE HOUSE
502 Green Street

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7 BARRETT WHITEHEAD MOORE
466 Green Street



6 BURNS MOSS PALMOUR
454 Green Street

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5 SMITH PALMOUR ESTES
446 Green Street



4 NALLEY MARTIN
434 Green Street

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3 HOSCH HOUSE
424 Green Street



2 LATHAM BARRETT MOORE
404 Green Street

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1 BOONE GARNER NORTON
380 Green Street



NORTH