### 11th Annual

# **PARADE OF TREES**

2023

In Rylander Park, Americus, Georgia

## Recognizing, Honoring, Remembering



#### Here's how it works!

Americus Main Street provides and sets up the 7 ft. tree. Main Street also provides electricity for each of the trees, November 16, 2023 through December 29, 2023. All you do is decorate!

You sponsor a tree & select your choice of decorating option.

OPTION #1 YOU decorate with YOUR decorations. \$50 OPTION #2 WE decorate with YOUR decorations. \$75

A sign notating the tree sponsor with a brief personal message sharing the individual, group, family, church, business, school, club, etc. being honored or recognized is provided for each tree.

The first day to decorate is Monday, November 6th, & the last day to decorate is Wednesday, November 15th. This ensures that your tree is decorated and ready to go before Christmas Open House on November 16th. Please use items that can withstand the weather for an extended period of time. For example, use plastic or laminated photos. Be sure to secure your items for windy conditions and to maintain its beauty through the end of the event.

Please DO NOT use glass items, tinsel (due to the mess it creates in the park), items that you would not want to lose, or make alterations to the tree (such as cutting, painting, spray snow, etc.).

Decorations can be removed beginning Tuesday, December 26th and must be removed NO LATER than Thursday, December 28th. <u>Items remaining after the deadline are subject to disposal by the City of Americus</u>.

\*\*\*As a general rule, we do not have a problem with lost items. However, please keep in mind that this is a public park, so do not use any item that you are not willing to lose & be sure to make copies of your photos. Trees will be monitored on a regular basis, but we ask that you check your tree from time to time as well.

**Submission of the application with payment indicates that:** I have read & agree to follow the rules & regulations of the "2023 Parade of Trees". I do hereby release the City of Americus, Georgia from any & all liability for any loss or damage to my personal property during my/our participation in the 2023 Parade of Trees. I further agree to hold harmless, defend, & indemnify the City of Americus against any & all claims, losses, damages, or liability of any kind arising from participation.

\*\*\*Deadline for application & payment is Friday, November 11th.

This event is sponsored by:



#### **2023 Parade of Trees Application (One Form per Tree)**

#### \*\*\*Deadline for application & payment is Friday, November 10th.

Sponsoring Individual or Busine	onsoring Individual or Business				
Address		City	State	Zip	
Contact Person					
Phone	Email				
Name Being Recognized/Honor	ed/Remembered_			<del> </del>	
Personalized Message (Please p	rint clearly.)				
Decorating Tree (Please ch	eck one.)				
Option #1 \$50					
Option #2 \$75					

For information & questions, please contact Americus Main Street at 229-924-4411 Ext. 235. **Keep pages 1 & 2** for your records & send the completed application with payment made **payable to Friends of Downtown Americus**, address 101 West Lamar Street, Americus, Ga. 31709.

\*\*All proceeds are designated for the purpose of purchasing additional Christmas trees for the 2023 Parade of Trees & future Christmas decorations for Americus Main Street.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR PARTICIPATION!