



**GWINNETT COUNTY**  
**DEPARTMENT OF FIRE AND EMERGENCY**  
**SERVICES AND**  
*Fire Station #4 - Proudly Serving Peachtree Corners*

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**NATIONAL EMS WEEK - MAY 15-21, 2016**



Did you know that ***National Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Week*** is May 15-21, 2016? EMS Week is a great time to recognize and honor the men and women who serve as first responders in the community. The

personnel at Fire Station #4 and all across Gwinnett County are cross trained as Firefighters, EMT's and Paramedics. The Gwinnett County Department of Fire Emergency Services is a premier fire and emergency medical services provider. Fire personnel respond to complex fire and emergency medical scenes to provide firefighting and advanced pre-hospital emergency medical care. Whether the call involves a serious injury auto accident or a medical/trauma emergency, the crews at Fire Station #4 and all over Gwinnett County are ready to respond. The department takes a proactive approach to prevention and community risk reduction efforts. While available 24/7 for emergency response, firefighters and emergency medical professionals are also out in the community sharing vital fire safety and injury prevention tips with schools, businesses and homeowners. Be sure to stop-by and show your support and appreciation to the firefighter/paramedics or express your thanks when you see them out and about. To find out more about the programs and services offered by the department, please contact the Gwinnett Fire-Community Risk Reduction Division at 678.518.4845 or e-mail [fireprograms@gwinnettcountry.com](mailto:fireprograms@gwinnettcountry.com). You can also visit the website at [www.gwinnettfire.org](http://www.gwinnettfire.org).

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**OUTDOOR BURN BAN** – Gwinnett County Department of Fire and Emergency Services will recognize an **Annual Burn Ban from May 1 through September 30, 2016.**

This means that most all types of outdoor-open burning are prohibited during the designated time period. The

Outdoor-Open Burn Ban is issued by the Georgia Department of Natural Resources and includes 54 counties within the State of Georgia. To find out more about the burn ban, please visit the website at [www.gwinnettfiremarshal.com](http://www.gwinnettfiremarshal.com) or [www.georgiaair.org](http://www.georgiaair.org). Be sure to check with your local government/jurisdiction to get information on open-outdoor burning ordinances.

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