



CHEROKEE COUNTY WEB POLICY

PRIVACY

Cherokee County respects the privacy of its website users. Our goal is to provide you with a website that gives a personalized Internet experience and that delivers information, resources, and services that are relevant and helpful.

To achieve this goal, Cherokee County may collect information through our website to better serve you and your interests. Any information we collect is used for internal purposes only. Cherokee County will not share your information with anyone unless required by law. Data collected is solely to track the number of computers used to visit our site and the pages visited most often.

This statistical data is gathered to analyze what information is most frequently requested by the public and how Cherokee County can best provide it. We do not collect or track personal information on any individual using the site.

SECURITY

Because of the nature of the Internet, information transmitted by this website may be intercepted by a 3rd party. In addition, when you leave our site to visit another site, your information can be collected and used by others. However, Cherokee County contracts with Publiq Software, a third party company that utilizes two security and encryption technologies, to ensure enhanced security when collecting credit card information.

Additionally, any potentially sensitive information stored in a database is encrypted. Internet users should always be cautious when providing such information on the web, but you can be assured that when you use Cherokee County's online services, we take the utmost care to protect your personal information.

LINKING

Cherokee County provides links to other organizations through this site. These links are provided for additional information as a service to our visitors. In providing these links, Cherokee County does not endorse the content, products, services, or viewpoints expressed by these external sites.

LINKING TO CHEROKEE COUNTY

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SOCIAL MEDIA COMMENTS POLICY

Cherokee County welcomes your comments on our social media pages. The purpose of these sites is to present matters of public interest in Cherokee County to our residents, businesses and visitors. We encourage you to submit your questions, comments, and concerns, but please note this is a moderated online discussion site and not a public forum.

Cherokee County reserves the right to delete submissions that contain vulgar language, personal attacks, or disparaging comments of any kind, or offensive comments that target or disparage any ethnic, racial, or religious group. Further, Cherokee County also reserves the right to delete

- Comments that are off topic
- Profane, obscene, violent or pornographic content
- Content that promotes, fosters or perpetuates harassment or discrimination on the basis of race, creed, color, age, religion, gender or national origin
- Defamatory comments
- Comments in support of, or in opposition to, any political campaigns or ballot measures
- Conduct which violates federal, state or local law
- Advocacy or encouragement of illegal activity
- Content which infringes on the intellectual property rights of a 3rd party

SUBJECT TO DISCLOSURE

Please note comments may be subject to disclosure in accordance with the South Carolina Freedom of Information Act.

DISCLAIMER

Also note that the comments expressed on Cherokee County social media pages do not reflect the opinions and position of the Cherokee County government or its council members and employees. If you have any questions concerning the operation of this online moderated discussion policy on Cherokee County social media pages, please contact the Cherokee County Administration Department at Kristy.Bradley@cherokeecountysc.com