

# TOWN OF EAST SPENCER

## *“The Original Southern City”*

February 2026

**Black History Month**



### Town Hall Meeting

The next Town Hall meeting will take place on **Monday February**

**2<sup>nd</sup>, 2026, at 6:30pm.**

### Meet the Manager

Meet the Manager will take place on **Wednesday February 4<sup>th</sup>, 2026, at 6:00pm** in the Council Chambers.

### Black History Month

Black History Month is a time to honor the strength, brilliance, and resilience of Black Americans who have shaped our nation’s past, present, and future. From trailblazing leaders and artists to educators, innovators, and everyday heroes, their contributions continue to inspire progress and unity. We celebrate stories of courage, creativity, and perseverance, while recommitting ourselves to equity, justice, and opportunity for all. May this month deepen understanding, spark dialogue, and remind us that Black history is American history...every day, everywhere.

### Voter Registration and Early Voting

Primary season is upon us, and we will have our primary election in March. In North Carolina, eligible residents must be registered to vote at least 25 days before Election Day to vote on that day; this applies whether you register online, by mail, or in person. If you miss that deadline, you still have options: during NC’s early voting period (Feb 12 – Feb 28), you can use same-day registration to register and cast your ballot at the same time at any early voting site in the county. The Mid-Term elections are here. Let your voice be heard. Be sure to

check your registration status and bring a valid photo ID when you vote.

### Health Information

If you need additional information materials for understanding Flu, COVID-19 and RSV, please visit the website below where you can get up-to-date information.

<https://www.dph.ncdhhs.gov/programs/epidemiology/communicable-disease/respiratory-diseases/seasonal/materials>

### Parks and Recreation

The Parks and Rec department is sponsoring a Valentines Day event , Lovers and Friends, Wine and Sweets. This event will take place on Feb 14th, from 11 am -3 pm. We will have several sweets vendors as well as wine tasting for those over the age of 21 . A valid ID must be presented.

In March we will have our first Charity walk. The Charity walk will be for Colon Cancer as well as Women's History Month. The walk will take place on March 21st, 2026. We are asking for can-good donations to participate.

### Bulk Pickup

Pickup will be February 6<sup>th</sup>, and 20<sup>th</sup>. Please contact town hall so that we can add you to the list.

### Upcoming Activities

All meetings are at the Town Hall.

February 2<sup>nd</sup> @ 6:30pm Council Meeting  
February 4<sup>th</sup> @ 6pm Meet the Manager

February 14<sup>th</sup> @ 11am Lovers and Friends  
@ Royal Giants Park