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NEWS RELEASE

Response to the Case of Ahmaud Arbery

HINESVILLE, Ga. (May 6, 2020) – The City of Hinesville has received several questions and comments regarding the case of Ahmaud Arbery in recent days. In light of this, we would like to address the concerns we have received from the public.

First and foremost, our thoughts go out to the family of the victim and those who are involved with this case. It goes without saying that the loss of a family member is a difficult one to endure and we are reminded at this time that life is precious.

Second, this incident occurred in Brunswick, Georgia, which is located in Glynn County. Hinesville is located approximately 50 miles north/northwest of this area.

Third, this case has been assigned to the Atlantic Judicial Circuit and subsequently the Liberty County District Attorney's Office. The City of Hinesville, nor the Hinesville Police Department, has any jurisdiction over the case.

To learn more about the Atlantic Judicial Circuit, please visit www.pacga.org. To learn more about the Liberty County District Attorney's Office, please contact 912.876.4154. For additional information regarding the City of Hinesville, please contact Whitney Morris-Reed, Public Relations Manager, at wmorrisreed@cityofhinesville.org.

ABOUT THE CITY OF HINESVILLE:

The [City of Hinesville](http://cityofhinesville.org) was established in 1837 and is recognized as one of the fastest growing cities in the State of Georgia in both size and population. As the largest city in Liberty County, it serves as the county seat and is home to more than 35,000 people. For more information, visit cityofhinesville.org.

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