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Message from JCA CEO, Courtney Bernardi



Be the exception.

Johns Creek has a new brand that shares just what we are, Johns Creek is the exception. We do not follow the crowd. We look to change rules, look for better ways, rewrite history and usher in progress. We are the exception to the everyday way of getting things done and our achievements, from top performing schools to companies who are global leaders in their field to an unparalleled quality of life.

With 536 cities in Georgia, Johns Creek is not alone. We are one of many trying to stand out in the crowd. It is our job to continue to raise our standards, to be *the* city in the State of Georgia. We must continue to shout from the rooftop all that we as a community have accomplished, about how strong our schools and businesses are and about why this is the best place to live and to do business.

Johns Creek is an exceptional place with exceptional residents and leaders doing exceptional things each and every day.

Some people aren't satisfied with standard fare. They want more. We want more. Johns Creek is the exception to the everyday.

Food Truck Fridays



Shortage of walkable lunch options, that can accommodate a 30 or 40 minute lunch break, is a theme we have been hearing. Thus, JCA is hosting four Food Truck Fridays to thank our Johns Creek companies & to offer an alternative lunch experience within Technology Park! We hope everyone will be able to attend the event on Friday June 5th from 11am—2pm. [Please click here for additional location & event information!](#)

First Food Truck Friday a HUGE success with over 500 joining us!

Hope to see everyone June 5th!



What is Oswald up to now? Next@Kozmo



If you have not already met Oswald and/or Karen Morgan, let us introduce you! Sometimes you can find them at Kozmo Gastro Pub in Johns Creek, well probably a little more than “sometimes” as they own the restaurant! It is not uncommon to see Oswald behind the bar, or in the kitchen, or walking around the dining room greeting his customers. He can do it all, as can Karen—which really helps if an unexpected situation arises. This dynamic duo has been in the restaurant business for years, through ups and downs. As they will tell you, “it’s not always glitz and glamour, but it sure is fun!” It’s in their blood and they are passionate about not only producing great food, but providing a FABULOUS experience.

With the success of Kozmo Gastro Pub and with a strong desire to give the community more, it should be no surprise that these two are starting a new venture: Next! While there is nothing unexpected about them starting a new venture, the way Oswald wanted to start it, is unique.

Oswald wants the community to truly feel like they are a part of Next@Kozmo. While he has secured loans, he is also asking for his loyal fan base to contribute towards Next. Do not misunderstand, this is not simply a donation - YOU ACTUALLY GET SOMETHING IN RETURN. Let’s say you give \$500, then you get dinner for two (including entrees and one appetizer), once a month for twelve months - an \$850 value! Oswald and Karen are using

KickStarter, a creative online project funding platform, to create community buy in and reach their financial goal by May 21st. To learn more about Next@Kozmo and the KickStarter campaign [click here](#).

Oswald and Karen are successful entrepreneurs because they are not afraid to think outside of the box, because they are dedicated to their businesses and because they truly believe their customers are their friends and friends deserve the best. This isn’t the last you’ll hear from The Morgan’s as they already have plans to add more to the community after Next! is up and running!

Thank you Oswald and Karen for investing in Johns Creek, we are proud to have you in our community and look forward to many more years of success!

The Mayor and Council held a Town Hall meeting on May 12, 2015, to present next steps and answer questions and garner more public input.

The entire Town Hall meeting can be viewed by clicking the photo to the right.

For more information on The District please visit the City’s website or [click here](#).

The District Update



Next Steps:

1. Continued public input on concepts
2. Refinement of concepts
3. Further study of transportation impacts
4. Draft redevelopment plan for public review

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*You Already Know Johns Creek is AWESOME,
But Do You Know How Awesome?*

Teradata was named a 2015 World's Most Ethical Company in the Computer Software Industry! Only other companies in that category are Abode, Microsoft, and Symantec, what great company! [Read more.](#)



Movius, a global leader in mobile identities and converged messaging solutions has their Global Corporate Headquarters, & only US location, in Johns Creek! [Learn more here.](#)

Time Magazine named Google's venture with Alcon to develop a smart contact lens: Google's 3rd Boldest Project Ever! [Click here.](#)

Novartis, Alcon's parent company, named 21st on the World's Most InDemand Employers for 2014! In company with Google, Facebook, Chevron and Apple, to name a few. [Click here.](#)

The Providence Group's Kelly Kenton Fink was awarded National Marketing Director of the Year by the National Homebuilders Association.

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Luxury Living By Design

The Providence Group's Laura Kowski was awarded the Silver Award for National Online Sales Counselor of the Year by the National Sales & Marketing Council.

Technology Park in Johns Creek, designed by TPA, is ranked #1 in Atlanta's office park's for square feet—with 5,037,235 total square feet!



Perkin Elmer named to Forbes Most Innovative Growth Companies for 2014 AND 2014 Company of the Year by Instrument Business Outlook! [Click here](#) and [here.](#)

Safest Places to Live: #1 safest place for a city with a population over 10,000. [Click here for article.](#)

Best Small City for Families: #14 on NerdWallet's Rankings! [Read more here.](#)

Money Magazine's Best Places to Live in 2014: #40! [Read more here.](#)

USAToday's America's Best Cities to Live in 2014: #10! [Read more here.](#)

Northview High School is ranked #8 in the State and #236 Nationally! U.S. News & World Reports.

Johns Creek High School is ranked #9 in the State and # 277 Nationally! U.S. News & World Report.

Chattahoochee High School is ranked #11 in the State and #328 Nationally! U.S. News & World