

## Cochran Housing Survey scheduled for August and September 2018



The City of Cochran Housing Team will be conducting a Housing Survey during the months of August and September 2018. The purpose is to compile data on housing conditions to help the City become more competitive for federal and state funding.



Cochran has been selected as a Georgia Initiative for Community Housing (GICH) community by the State of Georgia. The housing survey will help the City qualify for grant funds to help homeowners with repairs and improvements.

The City is interested in gathering visual information on housing conditions in different neighborhoods. Local students from Middle Ga. State University will help with the housing survey. The local students will earn college credit for their participation.

During August and September, teams of two-or three college students and housing team members will be walking the neighborhoods of Cochran to collect visual information about houses. The housing surveyors will briefly stop in front of houses to record general housing conditions and to take pictures. At no time will they go on private property unless invited.



If you are a City resident, do not be surprised if you see Housing Team members walking through your neighborhood to gather visual housing data. The housing surveys will be conducted in a safe and cordial manner. The Housing Team members will be wearing vests or T-Shirts that will identify themselves as housing surveyors.

If you have a question about this community housing survey, please call City Hall at (478) 934-6346. The Cochran Housing Team appreciates the cooperation of everyone involved in the community housing survey.