

GWINNETT VENT!

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* I removed campaign signs that were illegally placed on my property. Now the candidate is suing me. Go figure.

* If the candidates can sue you for removing signs from your property before an election, can you sue them for not removing them after the election? For the Journal-Constitution* Excuse me, but if you could direct me to our "out of control prosperity," I would help with the traffic problem by being able to find a job and not driving during working hours.

* As I teach my kids that voting is a right we cannot ignore, it is sad that I have to tell them I can't vote FOR either candidate, but I'm choosing the lesser of two evils.

* For the first time in my life, I did not vote in a runoff. I agonized over which commission chairman candidate was the lesser of two evils. Finally, my conscience said that I could not in good faith cast a vote for either candidate. Condemn all you want, but you either voted for the man who ruined **Gwinnett** with rampant growth, or you voted for the man who'll bring a good ol' boy network back to county government.

* If **Gwinnett** old-timers would stop believing you have the God-given right to sell your property to developers for exorbitant profits, your concerns about newcomers would cease. Of course, you hypocrites won't embrace that solution, so stop whining!

* Don't blame the longtime landowners in **Gwinnett** for selling out to developers. More often, they are taxed out as developers pressure the county to raise the taxes so high that folks have no choice but to sell.

* If you spend hours each evening helping your child with homework, you already home school. The state requires 4.5 hours of instruction for 180 days to complete an educational year. So why do you continue sending your precious children into those overcrowded, dangerous schools?

* Two more of the imaginary "out of control prosperity" commissioners were just voted out of office. Perhaps now we can strive for the real thing.

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- * Bye, Wayne. Don't let the traffic hit you on your way out. I wonder how much longer he will live in this mess?
 - * Be proud, Charles Bannister. Read these **Vents** and be proud that you will be the next scapegoat for the lunatic fringe.
 - * After years of Wayne Hill not listening to the voters, he finally got the message.
 - * Wayne deserves a break now, since we gave him the boot.
 - * Don't feel sorry for Wayne. Feel sorry for 210,000 registered voters who don't care what happens to this county.
 - * Like the **Gwinnett** growth, all of those Wayne Hill endorsements were way too much. Wayne Mason and Richard Tucker supporting Hill was the deciding factor for my vote for Bannister.
 - * What an ignorant answer to **Gwinnett**'s problems --- "If you don't like it, move." I hope you don't teach your children to run from their responsibilities/problems. No, if you don't like it, "Get out and do something about it!"
 - * After reading your **Vents**, I'm convinced that **Gwinnett** would be perfect if you could get rid of all immigrants, close the libraries, plant more trees, outlaw trailers, cut the salaries of the do-nothing classroom teachers and give the money to youth soccer.
- Let off some steam! Send us your **Gwinnett Vent**. The **Gwinnett** section of the AJC will publish the best of your **vents** from ajc.com. **Vent** online, and we'll publish them in the newspaper Wednesdays and Saturdays.
- * ON THE WEB: Go to ajc.com's **Gwinnett** page and click on the **Vent**, or visit: ajc.com/gwinnett/gwinnettvent.html

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