

# GEOGRAPHY

## County Creation and County Seat

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Order	Date	County Seat		Order	Date	County Seat		Order	Date	County Seat	
APPLING	42	Dec. 15, 1818	Baxley	EVANS	152	Nov. 3, 1914	Claxton	NEWTON	53	Dec. 24, 1821	Covington
ATKINSON	153	Nov. 5, 1918	Pearson	FANNIN	107	Jan. 21, 1854	Blue Ridge	OCONEE	137	Feb. 25, 1875	Watkinsville
BACON	151	Nov. 3, 1914	Alma	FAYETTE	51	May 15, 1821	Fayetteville	OGLETHORPE	17	Dec. 19, 1793	Lexington
BAKER	66	Dec. 12, 1825	Newton	FLOYD	88	Dec. 3, 1832	Rome	PAULDING	89	Dec. 3, 1832	Dallas
BALDWIN	29	May 11, 1803	Milledgeville	FORSYTH	81	Dec. 3, 1832	Cumming	PEACH	161	Nov. 4, 1924	Fort Valley
BANKS	129	Dec. 11, 1858	Homer	FRANKLIN	9	Feb. 25, 1784	Carnesville	PICKENS	101	Dec. 5, 1853	Jasper
BARROW	149	Nov. 3, 1914	Winder	FULTON	105	Dec. 20, 1853	Atlanta	PIERCE	120	Dec. 18, 1857	Blackshear
BARTOW	87	Dec. 3, 1832	Cartersville	GILMER	85	Dec. 3, 1832	Ellijay	PIKE	56	Dec. 9, 1822	Zebulon
BEN HILL	146	Nov. 6, 1906	Fitzgerald	GLASCOCK	122	Dec. 19, 1857	Gibson	POLK	96	Dec. 20, 1851	Cedartown
BERRIEN	116	Feb. 25, 1856	Nashville	GLYNN	7	Feb. 5, 1777	Brunswick	PULASKI	36	Dec. 13, 1808	Hawkinsville
BIBB	55	Dec. 9, 1822	Macon	GORDON	94	Feb. 13, 1850	Calhoun	PUTNAM	33	Dec. 10, 1807	Eatonton
BLECKLEY	147	Nov. 5, 1912	Cochran	GRADY	139	Aug. 17, 1905	Cairo	QUITMAN	128	Dec. 10, 1858	Georgetown
BRANTLEY	158	Nov. 2, 1920	Nahunta	GREENE	11	Feb. 3, 1786	Greensboro	RABUN	47	Dec. 21, 1819	Clayton
BROOKS	131	Dec. 11, 1858	Quitman	GWINNETT	44	Dec. 15, 1818	Lawrenceville	RANDOLPH	75	Dec. 20, 1828	Cuthbert
BRYAN	19	Dec. 19, 1793	Pembroke	HABERSHAM	46	Dec. 15, 1818	Clarksville	RICHMOND	2	Feb. 5, 1777	Augusta
BULLOCH	21	Feb. 8, 1796	Statesboro	HALL	45	Dec. 15, 1818	Gainesville	ROCKDALE	135	Oct. 18, 1870	Conyers
BURKE	3	Feb. 5, 1777	Waynesboro	HANCOCK	15	Dec. 17, 1793	Sparta	SCHLEY	124	Dec. 22, 1857	Ellaville
BUTTS	70	Dec. 24, 1825	Jackson	HARALSON	113	Jan. 26, 1856	Buchanan	SCREVEN	14	Dec. 14, 1793	Sylvania
CALHOUN	112	Feb. 20, 1854	Morgan	HARRIS	72	Dec. 14, 1827	Hamilton	SEMINOLE	156	Nov. 2, 1920	Donalsonville
CAMDEN	8	Feb. 5, 1777	Woodbine	HART	102	Dec. 7, 1853	Hartwell	SPALDING	97	Dec. 20, 1851	Griffin
CANDLER	150	Nov. 3, 1914	Metter	HEARD	77	Dec. 22, 1830	Franklin	STEPHENS	143	Aug. 18, 1905	Toccoa
CARROLL	65	June 9, 1825	Carrollton	HENRY	52	May 15, 1821	McDonough	STEWART	78	Dec. 23, 1830	Lumpkin
CATOOSA	100	Dec. 5, 1853	Ringgold	HOUSTON	49	May 15, 1821	Perry	SUMTER	80	Dec. 26, 1831	Americus
CHARLTON	111	Feb. 18, 1854	Folkston	IRWIN	41	Dec. 15, 1818	Ocilla	TALBOT	73	Dec. 14, 1827	Talbotton
CHATHAM	5	Feb. 5, 1777	Savannah	JACKSON	22	Feb. 11, 1796	Jefferson	TALIAFERRO	69	Dec. 24, 1825	Crawfordville
CHATTAHOOCHEE	109	Feb. 13, 1854	Cusseta	JASPER	31	Dec. 10, 1807	Monticello	TATNALL	25	Dec. 5, 1801	Reidsville
CHATTOOGA	93	Dec. 28, 1838	Summerville	JEFF DAVIS	142	Aug. 18, 1905	Hazlehurst	TAYLOR	99	Jan. 15, 1852	Butler
CHEROKEE	79	Dec. 26, 1831	Canton	JEFFERSON	23	Feb. 20, 1796	Louisville	TELFAIR	35	Dec. 10, 1807	McRae
CLARKE	26	Dec. 5, 1801	Athens	JENKINS	140	Aug. 17, 1905	Millen	TERRELL	114	Feb. 16, 1856	Dawson
CLAY	110	Feb. 16, 1854	Fort Gaines	JOHNSON	130	Dec. 11, 1858	Wrightsville	THOMAS	67	Dec. 23, 1825	Thomasville
CLAYTON	127	Nov. 30, 1858	Jonesboro	JONES	32	Dec. 10, 1807	Gray	TIFT	141	Aug. 17, 1905	Tifton
CLINCH	95	Feb. 14, 1850	Homerville	LAMAR	160	Nov. 2, 1920	Barnesville	TOOMBS	144	Aug. 18, 1905	Lyons
COBB	84	Dec. 3, 1832	Marietta	LANIER	157	Nov. 2, 1920	Lakeland	TOWNS	118	Mar. 6, 1856	Hiwassee
COFFEE	108	Feb. 9, 1854	Douglas	LAURENS	34	Dec. 10, 1807	Dublin	TREUTLEN	154	Nov. 5, 1918	Soperton
COLQUITT	115	Feb. 25, 1856	Moultrie	LEE	61	June 9, 1825	Leesburg	TROUP	63	June 9, 1825	La Grange
COLUMBIA	12	Dec. 10, 1790	Appling	LIBERTY	6	Feb. 5, 1777	Hinesville	TURNER	145	Aug. 18, 1905	Ashburn
COOK	155	Nov. 5, 1918	Adel	LINCOLN	24	Feb. 20, 1796	Lincolnton	TWIGGS	37	Dec. 14, 1809	Jeffersonville
COWETA	64	June 9, 1825	Newnan	LONG	159	Nov. 2, 1920	Ludowici	UNION	83	Dec. 3, 1832	Blairsville
CRAWFORD	57	Dec. 9, 1822	Knoxville	LOWNDES	68	Dec. 23, 1825	Valdosta	UPSON	59	Dec. 15, 1824	Thomaston
CRISP	138	Aug. 17, 1905	Cordele	LUMPKIN	82	Dec. 3, 1832	Dahlonega	WALKER	90	Dec. 18, 1833	La Fayette
DADE	92	Dec. 25, 1837	Trenton	MACON	91	Dec. 14, 1837	Oglethorpe	WALTON	43	Dec. 15, 1818	Monroe
DAWSON	119	Dec. 3, 1857	Dawsonville	MADISON	38	Dec. 5, 1811	Danielsville	WARE	60	Dec. 15, 1824	Waycross
DECATUR	58	Dec. 8, 1823	Bainbridge	MARION	74	Dec. 14, 1827	Buena Vista	WARREN	16	Dec. 19, 1793	Warrenton
DEKALB	54	Dec. 9, 1822	Decatur	MCDUFFIE	134	Oct. 18, 1870	Thomson	WASHINGTON	10	Feb. 25, 1784	Sandersville
DODGE	136	Oct. 26, 1870	Eastman	MCINTOSH	18	Dec. 19, 1793	Darien	WAYNE	27	May 11, 1803	Jesup
DOOLY	48	May 15, 1821	Vienna	MERIWETHER	71	Dec. 14, 1827	Greenville	WEBSTER	104	Dec. 16, 1853	Preston
DOUGHERTY	103	Dec. 15, 1853	Albany	MILLER	117	Feb. 26, 1856	Colquitt	WHEELER	148	Nov. 5, 1912	Alamo
DOUGLAS	133	Oct. 17, 1870	Douglasville	MITCHELL	123	Dec. 21, 1857	Camilla	WHITE	125	Dec. 22, 1857	Cleveland
EARLY	40	Dec. 15, 1818	Blakely	MONROE	50	May 15, 1821	Forsyth	WHITFIELD	98	Dec. 30, 1851	Dalton
ECHOLS	132	Dec. 13, 1858	Statenville	MONTGOMERY	20	Dec. 19, 1793	Mount Vernon	WILCOX	126	Dec. 22, 1857	Abbeville
EFFINGHAM	4	Feb. 5, 1777	Springfield	MORGAN	30	Dec. 10, 1807	Madison	WILKES	1	Feb. 5, 1777	Washington
ELBERT	13	Dec. 10, 1790	Elberton	MURRAY	86	Dec. 3, 1832	Chatsworth	WILKINSON	28	May 11, 1803	Irwinton
EMANUEL	39	Dec. 10, 1812	Swainsboro	MUSCOGEE	62	June 9, 1825	Columbus	WORTH	106	Dec. 20, 1853	Sylvester

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<sup>1</sup>When several counties were created on the same day, the order in which they are listed in a single act governs the order of their creation.