



## Town of Gaston

**Street Address:**..... 131 N Carlisle St  
 Gaston, SC 29053  
**Mailing Address:**..... PO BOX 429  
 Gaston, SC 29053-0429  
**Phone:** ..... 803.796.7725  
**Fax:** ..... 803.739.5793

**Population:**..... 1,608  
**County:**..... Lexington County  
**Planning District:**..... Central Midlands  
 Council of Governments  
**Council Meets:**..... 1st Tue, 7 p.m.  
**Form of Government:** ..... Mayor-Council  
**Election Date:** ..... 3rd Tuesday  
 in January of odd years  
**Election Method:**..... Nonpartisan  
**Method of Representation:** ..... At large  
**Town Hall Hours:** ..... M-F 9-5  
**Full-Time Employees:** ..... 6  
**Fiscal Year Start:**..... July

### State Legislators

Senator: ..... Carlisle Kennedy  
 Senator: ..... Russell L. Ott  
 Representative: ..... Jerry N. Govan Jr.  
 Representative: ..... John Lastinger  
 Representative: ..... Donald Ryan McCabe Jr.

### Elected Officials

Mayor: ..... Troy Bivens  
 Councilmember: ..... Charles Michael Cook  
 Councilmember: ..... Jimmy Cox  
 Councilmember: ..... Carol McCombs  
 Councilmember: ..... Charles T. Sharpe

### Key Municipal Personnel\*\*\*

Building Official: ..... Steve A. Martin  
 Clerk/Treasurer: ..... Jennifer Hoyt  
 Police Chief: ..... Stephen Watkins  
 Lead Attorney: ..... John R. Rakowsky

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\*\*\* Titles describe the individual's role, not necessarily the official title within the municipality.