

Jonathan McCollar
Mayor
City of Statesboro

Mayor Jonathan McCollar is a native of Statesboro, Georgia. He was educated in the public school system of Bulloch County where he graduated in the class of 1992 from Statesboro High School. He went on to attend Georgia Southern University where he earned a Bachelor's of Arts degree in History with an emphasis in American history. He attended the Jack Averitt School of Graduate Studies where he earned a Master's degree in Public Administration with an emphasis in governmental and non-profit organizations. Mayor McCollar is a devoted husband to the exceptional Adrienne McCollar and is an adoring father of five.

Mayor McCollar recognized early on in his life a desire for public service and being a voice for the voiceless. This passion, being spurred by his Christian beliefs, has led him to become an active tool for the advocating of social equality, economic development, and political activism. Along with this path he has worn the hats of educator, business owner, community organizer, advocate, volunteer, mentor, and now mayor. In these capacities, he has received numerous awards and recognition for volunteerism, leadership, and dedication.

Mayor McCollar's entire career has been focused on public service. He has had the opportunity to work with such stellar organizations as Educational Services of America, Goodwill Industries International, the American Cancer Society and now Georgia Southern University. In each of these capacities, he has been recognized for his ability to be an effective leader.

Mayor McCollar's vision for the city of Statesboro is for the city to become a destination class city that is thriving economically with a culture of inclusion. He believes in a common sense form of governance where City government works to foster an environment where businesses can thrive, the people can grow, and the quality of life is high.