



# WAYCROSS MOVIE THEATRES

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## ATKINSON COUNTY PEARSON

Drake **CLOSED**  
? 1945-? 1955  
397 seats

## WILLACOOCHEE

Central **CLOSED**  
Main St.  
? 1950-? 1955  
449 seats

Dixie **CLOSED**  
Closed by 1940  
250 seats

## BEACON COUNTY ALMA

Alma **CLOSED**  
? 1940-? 1950  
290 seats

Family Drive-In **CLOSED**  
? 1955-? 1975  
250 cars

## COFFEE COUNTY BROXTON

Brox **CLOSED**  
? 1950  
325 seats

## DOUGLAS

Martin **CLOSED**  
Ashley St.  
? 1945-? 1975  
Martin Theatres owned this 1,357-seat theatre.

Martin Twin **OPEN**  
1907 Bowen Mill Road  
? 1980-  
Owners:  
1980 Martin  
1990 Carmike Cinemas.



## Rivoli **CLOSED**

Peterson St.  
? 1930-? 1969  
670 seats  
Afro-American theatre from 1945-closing, Martin Theatre owned this 670-seat theatre.

Sky-View Drive-In **CLOSED**  
? 1950-? 1980  
150 cars  
Martin Theatres owned this drive-in from 1975 to closing.



## PIERCE COUNTY BLACKSHEAR

Royal **CLOSED**  
? 1940-? 1955  
215 seats

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## WARE COUNTY WAYCROSS

### Carver **CLOSED**

? 1950-? 1969

Georgia Theatre Company owned this Afro-American theatre.



### Cozy **CLOSED**

? 1920

### Grand

AKA: Orpheum, Ritz  
521 Pendelton St.  
1913-1917

### Lyric **CLOSED**

518 Elizabeth  
? 1930-? 1975

Georgia Theatre Company owned this 828-seat theatre.



### Mall Cinemas **OPEN**

2260 Brunswick  
? 1975-

Opened with 2 screens, 5 screens by 1990, 7 screens by 1998

Owners:

1975 Georgia Theatre Company  
1990 United Artists  
1995 Georgia Theatre Company

### Orpheum

AKA: Grand, Ritz  
521 Pendelton St.  
1917-1935

### Ritz **LIVE**

AKA: Grand, Orpheum  
521 Pendelton St.  
1935-1977

Georgia Theatre Company owned this 676-seat theatre; it is now a live performance hall.



### Skyline Drive-In **CLOSED**

? 1950

### U. S. 1 Drive-In **CLOSED**

? 1955-? 1985

300 cars

Georgia Theatre Company owned this drive-in



### Waycross Drive-In **CLOSED**

? 1950-? 1964

300 cars

21 theatres found  
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