

Borough of Lewisburg

THE ENLIGHTENER



FALL 2026

WE ARE TAGGING YOUR REFUSE BECAUSE:

- ☐ Replace your container or lid.
All trash must be in a can with a lid.
- ☐ Place refuse to curb, alley or road.
The night before if possible.
- ☐ The container is overweight.
- ☐ Special pickup items need to be paid for ahead of pick up.
- ☐ We do not pick up grass/leaves/brush.
- ☐ We do not pick up recyclables.

Call 570-523-3614 for assistance.
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CHECK YOUR CANS!

AVOID TRASH VIOLATIONS

If you notice a bright orange sticker on your trash can after collection, please check to see why it's been placed there. The Borough of Lewisburg is actively auditing cans to ensure all residential and commercial trash containers meet refuse ordinance standards. The initial sticker is a courtesy warning, however, if updates are not made, property owners could receive a Quality-of-Life (QOL) ticket. Tickets start at \$25.00. If you are unsure why your trash can received a sticker, please contact Emily at the Borough office: 570.523.3614 x315, or email ehontz@lewisburgborough.org.

GLASS RECYCLING

Glass is no longer accepted in single-stream recycling (commingled recyclables collected curbside by private haulers). You are still able to take glass recyclables to the recycling center at Wolfe Field, or you can place your glass recyclables out for curbside pick-up on the first Saturday of each month. Please remember to not place your glass in the regular trash.

Halloween
Trick-or-Treat
will be held on
October 31st
from 5:30 pm
until 8:00 pm



SHARE YOUR INPUT ON THE 2027 BOROUGH BUDGET

The Borough of Lewisburg is preparing its budget for 2027. Many expenses are already set because of existing obligations. However, Borough Council has some flexibility in deciding how other funds are spent.

The Borough Council would like to hear about residents' priorities. This survey is an initial effort to collect public input, and the goal is to use what we learn from residents to improve this process and expand public participation in the Borough's budget decisions in future years. The survey will end October 20th, 2026.

To take the survey using the QR Code:
Open the camera on your smartphone.

Point it at the QR code



Tap the link that appears on your screen to complete the quick survey.

Thank you for taking a few minutes to help shape the future of our community!

(If the QR code doesn't work for you, you can also type the link into your browser bar: <https://tinyurl.com/lbgbudget>)



Fall Leaf Collection

Leaf collection will begin on October 19, 2026 and run through December 4, 2026. Leaf collection follows the street maintenance schedule which is available online and on the street signs. Leaves must be placed in the parking spaces along the curbs prior to 6:30am on collection day. **No leaves will be collected in alleyways or on the sidewalk.** Residents are reminded that vehicles illegally parked on No Parking days will be towed during this time. Towing will begin on November 2, 2026.



For the most up to date information and reminders on refuse schedules, leaf collection, towing, etc.. follow us on Facebook or visit our website.

www.lewisburgborough.org

TREE TRIMMING/CURBSIDE COLLECTION

Curbside collection of tree trimmings will occur the week of Monday, October 12th through Friday, October 16th. This is a semi-annual event that will follow the normal street maintenance schedule. Tree trimmings should be bundled. Trimmings must be no larger than 2 inches in diameter and 4 feet in length. All other tree trimmings can be taken to the brush pile during normal hours of operation.



Are You Prepared for a Flood?

Much of Lewisburg Borough is susceptible to flooding. While flooding can occur at any time, historically the worst flooding occurs in Summer/early Fall (tropical storms) and Winter/early Spring (ice jams and snowmelt). Are you prepared for the next flood? Below are some tips to help you before the next flood hits:

Know your flood hazard

- The Borough is subject to flooding by the Susquehanna River, Buffalo Creek, and/or Limestone/Bull Run
- You are in a repetitively flooded area
- Call the Borough at (570) 523-3614 or SEDA-COG at (570) 524-4491 to find out the flood hazard for your property

Insure your property for your flood hazard

- Ask your insurance agent if you are covered for flood damage
- Renters should buy flood insurance for their contents
- Do you have a flood insurance policy? If so, see if you have contents coverage
- There is a 30-day waiting period before a flood insurance policy takes effect, so call your insurance agent now

Protect people from the hazard

- If there is water on the street, turn around, don't drown
- Do not walk through flowing water
- Stay away from power lines and electrical wires
- Be aware of gas leaks

Protect your property from the hazard

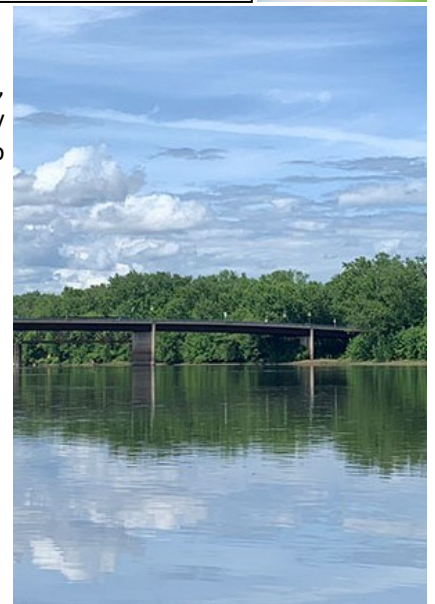
- Replace your flooded furnace or other utilities with ones elevated above the base flood level
- Store your valuables and insurance papers upstairs in a waterproof container

Build responsibly

- Make sure you get a permit from the Borough before you build
- Use contractors who are familiar with the regulations regarding building in flood-prone areas

Protect natural and beneficial floodplain functions

- Protects fish and wildlife and promote diversity
- Filter nutrients and pollutants from runoff and increase water quality
- Reduce the amount of sediment entering a waterway
- Provide additional storage and decreases the velocity of floodwaters



Holiday Refuse Schedule

Thanksgiving

Thu., 11/26 collected Wed., 11/25
Mon., 11/30 collected Wed., 12/2

Christmas

Fri., 12/25 collected Wed., 12/23

New Year's Day

Fri., 1/1/27 collected Wed., 12/30

Mon./Tues. = following Wednesday;
Thurs./Fri. = Wednesday prior

Upcoming Council Meetings

Third Tuesday, 6:30 PM

October 20, 2026
November 17, 2026
December 15, 2026