



Lewisburg Enlightener Summer 2018

The Borough Building Renovation Project is complete and the building is now handicap accessible, with a public restroom. As a result of this renovation work, the Borough Office and Council Chambers can be accessed through a **new** entrance located next to the railroad tracks on the western side of the building. There is signage around the building directing the public to this new entrance.



NOTICE OF ENFORCEMENT OF REFUSE-CONTAINER REQUIREMENT OF SOLID WASTE ORDINANCE

Borough Council recently reviewed the Borough's solid waste ordinance in response to various issues/complaints regarding refuse collection. After much deliberation, it was the sense of Council that the refuse-container language in the existing ordinance should be strictly enforced. By doing this, many of the issues/complaints should be eliminated.

The entire Solid Waste Ordinance can be found on the Borough's website. (www.lewisburgborough.org). Click on the Borough Codes tab, then click on Chapter 280—Solid Waste.

To summarize: refuse containers shall be provided by the owner, tenant, lessee, or occupant of the premises and should be maintained in good and sanitary condition. Containers shall be made of durable rust-resistant material or plastic, equipped with suitable handles and tight-fitting covers, and shall be watertight. All bagged garbage must be placed inside containers and covered. Containers shall have a capacity of not more than 33 gallons and shall weigh, when filled, not more than 50 pounds. All bagged garbage must be placed inside the container. Containers that may have holes or ragged/sharp edges or any other defect liable to hamper or injure the person collecting the contents shall be promptly replaced by owner upon notice. If you have any questions, please contact the Borough Office. You may also check the Borough's Website and the Borough's Facebook page for updates.

SCHEDULED 2018 COUNCIL MEETINGS 6:30 PM

July 17
August 21
September 18
October 16
November 20
December 18

BOARD VACANCIES

Planning Commission
Term expiration December 31, 2019

Historic Architectural Review Board (HARB)
Term expiration December 31, 2020

OFFICE HOLIDAYS

September 3 — Labor Day
November 22 — Thanksgiving Day
November 23 — Day After Thanksgiving
December 25 — Christmas

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BRUSH PILE & RECYCLING CENTER

The Borough's Brush Pile and Recycling Center is open every Wednesday from 8 AM to 4 PM and every Saturday from 8 AM until Noon; both are located in the Wolf Field Complex.

Curbside recycling occurs the first Saturday of each month; acceptable items are clear glass, newspaper and aluminum. Recycling is encouraged and recycling bins are available at the Borough Office, as well as the Recycling Center at no cost to Borough residents.

Reminder: Electronics are no longer being accepted at the Borough's Recycling Center. Residents who wish to recycle electronic items should contact the Borough office to schedule a special pick-up. Electronic item special pick-ups will occur on the last Wednesday of each month.

Visit the Borough's website for more information.

DRIVERS AND PEDESTRIANS

Please help ensure our streets are safe for all. State Law reminder with respect to right-of-way at crosswalks:

- At locations with traffic lights, pedestrians must obey traffic control signals.
- At locations without traffic lights, vehicles must yield to pedestrians in a crosswalk.

However, caution is key because others may not be aware of the law or comply with the law. Be sure to always practice defensive driving and defensive walking.

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SECOND ROUND OF 2018 BOROUGH IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS

The Borough has selected the following projects for the second round of the 2018 Streets Project to occur this fall: South Third Street from Market Street to St. Louis Street, James Alley at South Sixth Street, and a storm sewer project on South Eighth and St. Catharine Streets.

Note: The first round of 2018 Borough Improvement Projects: Terrace Drive from St. Paul Street west to Fifteenth Street; Meadowview Court; South Second Street from St. Louis Street to St. George Street; White Pine Alley from South Third Street to South Second Street along with portions on Apple Tree Alley; Ogren Alley; North Third Street from Beck Street to Market Street; and Cherry Alley from North Fourth Street to North Third Street are very close to completion.

The handicap ramp improvements reported to occur this summer along the north side of St. Anthony Street between Hazel Alley and Water Street are currently underway and are also very close to completion.



PARKING METERS

When visiting the Borough and pulling a vehicle into a parking stall with a parking meter, it is required that the meter be activated by the deposit of the proper amount of coinage. Even if you are making a quick phone call or sending a text, any vehicle sitting in a parking stall with a meter must activate the meter. Failure to do so will result in a ticket.

The Borough employee charged with enforcing parking in the Borough will remind drivers that meters need to be activated and does this as a courtesy.