# **Borough of Pennsburg**

76 W. 6th Street Pennsburg, PA 18073 Office (215) 679-4546 Fax (215) 679-5140 Office Hours: Monday-Friday 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM www.pennsburg.us I pennsburginfo@pennsburg.us

## MAYOR

#### Charles Shagg

#### **BOROUGH COUNCIL**

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All Borough Council members, Mayor and Staff can be reached by leaving a message at (215) 679-4546 or by email at pennsburginfo@pennsburg.us

# Be Alert • Be Informed READY**MONTCO**

Pennsburg Borough will provide residents with alerts and various notifications via Facebook and/or through the Ready Montco notification system that is administered by MCDPS. We strive to keep all of our residents informed in real time. Please visit our website to learn more about Ready Montco. If you'd like to submit an Emergency Response Form to the EMC, please call the Borough Office.

#### THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN A SANITARY SEWER SYSTEM AND A STORM SEWER SYSTEM

Water that goes down a sink or other inside drain flows to a wastewater plant to be treated. Water that flows into the storm sewer is not treated. Therefore, the water that flows down driveways, streets, and outside areas into a storm sewer will find it's way directly to nearby creeks and waterways which can harm fish, wildlife habitats, downstream recreational areas and drinking water supplies. The biggest storm water pollutants are animal waste, litter, motor oil, lawn clippings, fertilizers and pesticides and eroded sediment from construction projects.

#### POLLUTION HOTLINE:

If you see any type of incident that may impact a storm sewer system, such as an oil spill or other contaminant that may lead to a storm drain, please contact the Pennsburg Borough Office at 215-679-4546, ext. 3. or by email at pennsburginfo@pennsburg.us

2025 COUNCIL MEETING DATES 7:00 P.M.

> January 14 February 11 March 11 April 8 May 13 June 10 July 8 August 12 September 9 October 14 November 11 December 9

A second meeting will be held on the 4th Tuesday of each month at 7:00P.M as needed.

#### 2025 ELECTION DATES Primary: May 20th General: November 4th (Vote at Borough Civic Building)

#### UPPER PERK POLICE

88 W. 6th Street Pennsburg, PA 18073 (215) 679-8203 (non-emergency) For all emergencies, dial 9-1-1

### TAX COLLECTOR

Patricia Ann Baver 101 Dotts Street Pennsburg, PA 18073 (215) 679-5977 PennsburgTC@comcast.net

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UMJA (SEWER) (215) 679-5133

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> REP. MACKENZIE (215) 541-3152





Have you visited our website lately? Go to: <u>www.pennsburg.us</u> for information on meetings, trash and recycling, permit requirements, Borough news, events and announcements. Our page is frequently updated!

# **TRASH & RECYCLING PICK-UP**

If you have any issues with your collection or to replace a broken tote, please call the Borough Office!

If trash or recycling is not picked up on schedule, leave your tote out for pickup next morning.

## TOTES ARE NOT OWNED BY THE RESIDENTS AND MUST REMAIN ON THE PROPERTY.

Trash & recycling is picked up weekly on Wednesday. All totes should be placed out for pick up with <u>handles away from the</u> <u>roadway before 6:00 A.M.</u> If possible, allow three feet between totes and keep away from cars, trees and mailboxes.

## THE FOLLOWING 2025 HOLIDAYS WILL BE ALTERED:

New Years Day—Pickup Thursday, January 2nd Memorial Day—Pickup Thursday, May 29th Labor Day—Pickup Thursday, September 4th \*See the full 2025 collection schedule on our website!

## **CURBSIDE RECYCLING**

All residents will use the provided recycling tote for comingled recycling. Place empty/rinsed items directly in the tote. Please do not bag recyclables.

## ACCEPTED ITEMS:

Glass bottles and jars, aluminum and metal cans, plastic bottles and containers #1 through #7 (lids removed), cereal boxes, junk mail, brown paper bags, magazines, newsprint and cardboard. Cardboard must be flattened/broken down.

**Do Not Include:** food waste, plastic bags, polystyrene foam cups and containers, needles, tissues, paper towels, napkins & shredded paper.

Visit our website for more recycling information.

## **TRASH REMOVAL**

Residents are required to use the Waste Management provided 96 gallon green lid tote for trash collection. Any excess trash (outside of the tote) can be in 33-gallon user provided bags with a maximum of (2) additional bags.

**SOLID WASTE ACCEPTED:** All ordinary household trash and garbage and non-recycled materials. Tires, TV's, electronic devices and hazardous waste will NOT be accepted.

<u>Hazardous Household Waste</u> collection dates and times can be found at the Montgomery County Recycling website: <u>http://www.montcopa.org/637/Recycling-Information</u>

# **BULK ITEMS**

Pick up of large items such as appliances, furniture, AC units, dehumidifiers, etc. are not included in your weekly trash service.

Call Waste Management at 1-800-869-5566 for fees or contact a hauler of your choice.

# **ELECTRONIC RECYCLING**

TV's, computers, monitors, etc. cannot be disposed of in the trash or recycling totes. Visit our website for Montgomery County's Recycling information, along with other programs in our area.

# **BRANCH PICK-UP**

Chipping takes place **every Monday** in April & October, and the 2nd Monday of each month (weather permitting) as follows: **May 12, June 9, July 14, August 11 & September 8, 2025** 

- If there is inclement weather, pickup will be the next nice day.
  Neatly place branches no larger than 2 inches in diameter at your trash pick-up location. Put small pieces in a container.
  There is a 10 minute time limit per property.
- Grass, weeds, flowers, vines, branches with fruit, lumber and downed trees (cut down or fallen trees) will not be accepted.
- Christmas trees will be picked up every week in January.

# STREET SWEEPING

Dates will be posted at <u>www.pennsburg.us</u> or call the borough office at 215-679-4546.

# **PERMITS, ZONING & INSPECTIONS**

- Permits and inspections are required for sheds, decks, signs, fences, chimineas, driveways, roofs, additions, pools and other projects. Check our website for more information on permits & inspections required in the borough.
- A Use & Occupancy inspection is required each time there is a change in property ownership.
- Rental units and tenants must be reported to the borough. Rental inspections are required every three years or upon a change in tenant(s).

## • OPEN BURNING IS NOT PERMITTED IN THE BOROUGH.

For questions or to schedule an inspection, please call the Borough Office at 215-679-4546.

All applications are available at www.pennsburg.us.