



WEST VIEW BOROUGH

"A Good Place to Live"

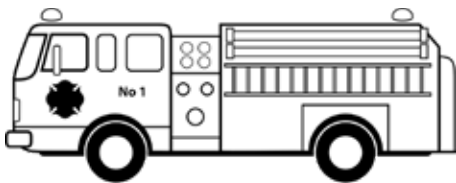
NEWSLETTER

Fall/Winter 2018

COMMUNITY SAFETY DAY

Saturday, October 6, 2018
10:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Kmart parking lot

Come and visit with our local emergency personnel and see many types of emergency vehicles, such as fire trucks, ambulances, police cars and SWAT vehicles. We are also hoping for a visit from the LifeFlight medical helicopter, as they have done in previous years.



SHREDDING EVENT

Saturday, October 20, 2018
9:00 AM – 11:00 AM
(or until the truck is full)
Center Avenue, behind
West View VFW

West View Borough, in cooperation with State Representative Adam Ravenstahl, will host a shredding event. Bring any documents (tax records, bank records, loan documents, etc.) that you would like shredded. This will be done on site. Please make sure all documents are unbound - no staples, paperclips or binders.



COMMUNITY CLEAN-UP

Saturday, October 20, 2018
9:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Help us keep our community clean! We will walk throughout the borough to pick up trash, tires or any other unsightly items that may be found along our roadways.

No electronics will be collected at this event. If you have an old TV or electronic item, please contact Waste Management's "At Your Door Service" to schedule a FREE pickup of your old TV: (800) 449-7587, www.WMAtYourDoor.com, AtYourDoor@WM.com. If you place a television out for regular pickup, they will not take it.

This is a great way to show pride in your community and keep it clean. The meeting location is the West View VFW on Center Avenue. All volunteers are welcome. If you cannot attend the event, feel free to walk around your neighborhood and pick up

any trash. We appreciate any effort to keep West View Borough "A Good Place to Live"!

WEST VIEW BOROUGH ANNUAL HALLOWEEN PARADE

Monday, October 29, 2018
Start time: 7:00 PM

Registration will take place at the Borough Building beginning on October 8th, between the hours of 8:00 AM and 6:00 PM, Monday through Friday.



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Council meetings are held the second Thursday of each month at 7:00 PM

Tax Collector:

Rita Schwarzmeier
(412) 931-1633



DID YOU KNOW THAT...

- Property owners are responsible for ensuring garbage is disposed of properly.
 - Appropriate trash containers must be used and maintained at all times.
 - No trash container or trash shall be placed at the collection point any earlier than 6:00 PM on the day before the designated collection day and all containers must be removed from that point by midnight on the designated day of trash collection.
 - Parking in your front yard is prohibited unless already established prior to 2014.
 - Grass cannot be longer than 10 inches and must be cut and maintained.
 - Pets must be kept on a leash when being walked and cleaned up after.
 - You do not need a permit to install a fence as long as it is not higher than 6 feet and does not extend past the front corner of your residence where the house structure connects with the front porch. If a fence is the stockade type of fence, the finished side must face outward from your property.
 - We have a free Senior Bus Program for West View Borough residents. Visit our website or call (412) 931-2800 ext 111 or 110 for more information.
 - You can report a burnt-out street light through our website (www.wvboro.com) and click the "Street Light Out" link.
 - You can report potholes through our website by clicking the "Report a Pothole" link.
 - You can drop off any unused prescription medication into the red CVS box in the lobby of the Borough Building. No liquids please.
 - You can pay parking tickets at www.wvboro.com.
- Please remember to safeguard belongings by keeping all doors and windows of your vehicles and home locked.
- Also remember that West View Borough has a soliciting ordinance which requires a permit in residential areas. Be wary of solicitations at your home and ask to see a West View Borough permit. You can also sign up for our No Knock List by visiting our website or calling 412-931-2800 ext 110.



PUBLIC WORKS NEWS



Leaf Collection Program

The leaf collection program has been a huge success and we thank everyone for their cooperation with this service. This past fall, we collected 28 loads of leaves from our streets. This equates to approximately 145 cubic yards of leaf debris that will be kept out of our combined sewer system. These leaves are taken to the North Hills Council of Governments compost site through a multi-municipal program we participate in. Every spring, Borough residents can utilize compost from that site for their gardens! Contact Joe Assisi for more information at (412) 931-2800 ext 112 or jassisi@wvboro.com.

Snow Removal

The Public Works crew makes every attempt to keep all roads clear during snow events. The trucks, when equipped with plows, are difficult to safely navigate the many narrow, hilly streets within our community. To assist them with this task, there are a few things you can do to make this process more efficient.

- (1) Please park as close to the curb as possible and observe any no parking areas marked in yellow.
- (2) Keep your vehicle's side mirrors turned in.
- (3) When shoveling your sidewalk, it is best to shovel the snow away from the street. Do not blow or shovel snow into the street. Remember, snow and ice must be cleared from your sidewalk within 24 hours of the end of the event. Thank you, in advance, for your patience as we make every attempt to clear all roads as quickly as possible.





SWIFT 911 EMERGENCY NOTIFICATION SYSTEM

In an effort to provide more reliable and effective communication with citizens, West View Borough has implemented Swiftreach Networks, Inc. as our emergency notification provider.

Swift911™ is a system designed to make phone calls to specific people or areas in the event of an emergency or for sharing important information. West View Borough Emergency Management and other departments will use this system to notify citizens of information regarding you or your property. The system can make thousands of calls in a minute to convey vital information. These messages may include information on floods, fires, water emergencies, road closures, missing persons, evacuation orders, and weather emergencies.

The Swiftreach Network data has been provided by a third-party data provider and only includes

listed phone numbers in West View Borough. It is important for residents and business owners to provide contact information such as unlisted, unpublished or cell phone numbers. Accurate numbers in the database help to ensure emergency information will be passed on to everyone in a timely manner. If you would like to provide an alternate number other than your home number, you may do so. The alternate phone number would be called if your primary phone number is not answered by a person or answering machine.

All calls you receive will have the caller ID of "West View Borough". Your information will not be provided to any outside agencies or companies. To enroll, visit our website www.wvboro.com. Click the "Living Here" tab and follow the instructions under the Swift911 portal.



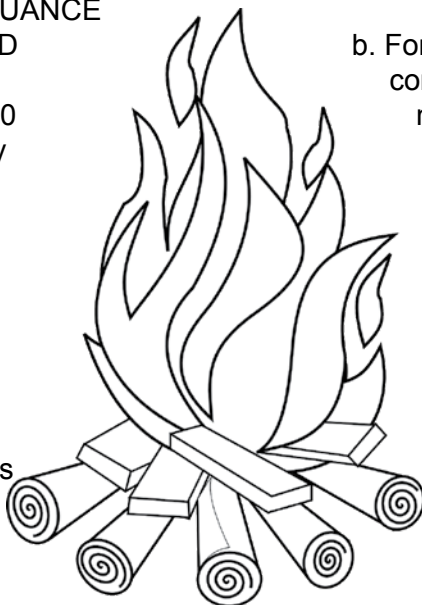
BURNING PERMITS

Burning permits are NOT required in West View Borough. Like most neighboring municipalities, West View Borough follows the Allegheny County Health Department's Air Quality Program, as outlined below.

ANYONE FOUND TO BE IN VIOLATION OF THESE GUIDELINES WILL BE SUBJECT TO FINES AND/OR PENALTIES. ALLEGHENY COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT AIR QUALITY PROGRAM GUIDELINES FOR ISSUANCE OF OPEN BURNING PERMITS AND ENFORCEMENT OF THE OPEN BURNING REGULATION - §2105.50 OF ARTICLE XXI (Revised: January 1, 2015)

1. OPEN BURNING SHALL BE DEEMED TO BE ALLOWED WITHOUT A PERMIT ONLY IF:

a. For recreation, camping, or a cookout: i. Only dry, clean wood products or other clean-burning fuels



are burned; ii. Only smokeless fuels, if any, are used to start the fire; iii. The pile of material being burned is no larger than 3' wide, 3' feet long, and 2' high; iv. The fire is at least 15' from the nearest structure, inhabited area, roadway, property line, or utility; and v. No fires are permitted to be burned on Air Quality Action Days. To determine if a day is under this restriction, please visit the Health Department's website at: www.achd.net or call 412-578-8179.

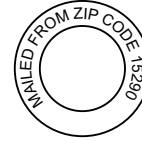
b. For Warmth of work crews: i. The burning is conducted in a noncombustible container no larger than a 55 gallon drum; ii. The material being burned is completely contained by the container; iii. Only one container is used for each work crew; and iv. The outside temperature is less than forty degrees Fahrenheit (40 F).

TO REPORT SOMEONE WHO IS IN VIOLATION OF THE ABOVE RULES, CONTACT THE POLICE DEPARTMENT AT "9-1-1".



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