



# GREENE INFORMER

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PA DEP	(717) 705-4700
Fayetteville Fire Department	(717) 352-3131
Franklin Fire Department	(717) 263-5874
West End Fire Department	(717) 532-5555
Pleasant Hall Fire Department	(717) 532-5155

**IN CASE OF EMERGENCY – DIAL 911**

### OFFICE HOURS

Monday – Friday, 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM

### COMPOSTING FACILITY HOURS

Wednesday & Friday, 8:00 AM – 2:00 PM  
 Saturday, 8:00 AM – 1:00 PM

### PARK HOURS

Dawn to Dusk

## Spring 2017 Bulk Collection

Mark Your Calendar!

Bulk Collection days for spring 2017 have been scheduled for:



Friday, April 7, 2017	7:00 AM – 3:00 PM
Saturday, April 8, 2017	7:00 AM – 3:00 PM

The collection will be at the Township building located at 1145 Garver Lane in the village of Scotland. This service is provided to the residents (not commercial) of Greene Township from the Supervisors.

Residents should bring driver's license as a form of identification or have a Greene Township identification sticker on the vehicle. A bulky item is an item that will not fit in your garbage container or weighs more than 50 pounds. **Bulky items must be free of all garbage. Building materials, loose material, and items that can be broken down to fit in a garbage container are not bulky items and will not be accepted.**

Please do not bring liquefied paints, spray cans, fuel drums, and other hazardous materials. We are unable to accept them. In addition, construction debris will NOT be accepted. Arrangements need to be made with the landfill to dump construction debris. We will accept items not picked up by your regular trash service but we do NOT accept regular household trash (bags of garbage, recyclables, etc). Yard waste is also not accepted during bulk collection. Greene Township accepts yard waste on a regular basis at our composting facility on Mickey Inn Road.

Vehicle batteries will be accepted again as well as up to eight tires per household for disposal. We can only accept standard car or pick-up truck tires. Rims and tires must be separated. We continue to accept 20 lb. propane bottles.

**Composting Facility will be closed during Bulk Days**

### NO ELECTRONIC RECYCLING COLLECTION

We will **NOT** be accepting "covered" electronic devices this spring. Please see Page 2 for details.

## Electronics Recycling

Washington Township has opened their Electronics Recycling Program to include residents from outside of Washington Township. The rate is \$0.45 per pound with a \$25.00 minimum per trip. The amount of electronics per trip is not limited. All units will be weighed for cost. Only CASH or CHECKS will be accepted. They will take electronics on the following days and times:

**TUESDAYS & WEDNESDAYS**  
**8 AM - 4 PM**

12721 Buchanan Trail East, Waynesboro, PA 17268  
(717) 762-4413

Greene Township is still unable to accept "covered" electronic devices. Covered devices include but are not limited to: televisions, desktop computers, laptop computers, computer monitors, and computer peripherals (keyboards, printers, scanners, etc.).

Our electronics recycling company, among many others, has pulled out of the State E-Waste Recycling Program. We continue to look into other facilities. However, in an effort to provide our residents a provisional option we suggest taking advantage of Washington Township's Electronic Recycling Program.

## Septic Tank Pumping

We would like to remind residents that **District 3** septic tank pumping is required this year as part of our sewage management program. District 3 is located in the eastern portion of the Township. All septic tanks in the Township are required to be pumped and inspected every three (3) years by a licensed pumper / hauler.

For your reference a **Septic Districts Map** can be found on our website under the **Greene Township Maps** link.

## Street Sweeping

As weather permits, the Greene Township street sweeper will be making passes through the Township this spring to clean anti-skid and other materials left on the roadway this winter. **You should begin to clean your lawns of road material and place it on the edge of the roadway.** Please check our website for updates.



[www.twp.greene.franklin.pa.us](http://www.twp.greene.franklin.pa.us)

## Spring Brush & Leaf Collection



Greene Township will be commencing brush and leaf collection this spring beginning on the following dates:

**Brush: Monday, March 27, 2017**

**Leaves: Monday, April 10, 2017**

The brush and leaves must be placed for pickup on the first day of their respective collection schedules. The collection crew will make ONE pass through the Township. Please place your brush and rake your leaves to the edge of your yard, no further than 4 feet from the edge of the pavement of the road. Do not bag your leaves. Brush should be no longer than 8 feet in length and no bigger than 3 inches in diameter. Place brush PARALLEL to the road. **The brush and leaves must be on separate piles** in order for the Township machinery to collect it. **If the brush and leaves are not separated, they will not be collected.** Please avoid placing brush and leaves next to mailboxes, fence posts, etc. as they can be damaged by the equipment.

**Please note that these are the BEGINNING dates for brush and leaf collection. We ask for your patience as it may take a few weeks to complete the entire Township.**

## Greene Township Tax Collector – Kathy Frazer

For the convenience of Greene Township property owners, I travel to two different locations twice a year to accept payments. For 2017, the dates & times are as follows:

### SCOTLAND COMMUNITY CENTER

Tuesday, April 4, 2017 9 AM – 12 Noon

Tuesday, August 1, 2017 9 AM – 12 Noon

### FAYETTEVILLE FIRE HALL COMMUNITY BUILDING

Wednesday, April 5, 2017 9 AM – 12 Noon

Wednesday, August 2, 2017 9 AM – 12 Noon

The dates and times are also listed on the insert provided with your real estate bills that you receive each year. Also, thank and support these establishments for allowing me to provide this community service at their locations!

Call my office at (717) 264-8674 if you have any questions.

## Greene Township Park



### Upcoming Park Events:

#### Friday, May 19 – Spring Fling

Come join us for our second annual Spring Fling. You'll find food, fun, and a host of vendors that will keep you entertained all night long!

#### Monday, May 29 (Memorial Day) – Mid-Atlantic Baseball Classic

We have a triple header of baseball games featuring the best high school players from Maryland, West Virginia, Northern Virginia, and Southern PA!

#### Saturday, June 17 – Home Run Derby to Fight Drug Addiction

Home runs will again be leaving the park left and right as we team up with Healthy Communities Partnership to fight drug addiction in Franklin County!

#### Saturday, June 24 – Greenvillage Restaurant Car Show

We're expecting over 200 beautiful hot rods, classic, antique muscle, modern muscle cars and trucks to pack the park, along with entertainment for the whole family!



### PENNVEST Homeowner Septic Program

The Pennsylvania Infrastructure Investment Authority (PENNVEST) has teamed with the Pennsylvania Housing Finance Agency (PHFA) and the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) to offer a special funding program. Assistance is available to eligible homeowners who need to repair or replace their individual on-lot septic system OR to connect for the first time to a public sewer system. Benefits to you:

- Receive an attractive rate for this vital home improvement.
- No prepayment penalty if the loan is paid off early.
- Eliminate worries about your septic system when you sell your home.
- Improve the environmental health of your property.
- Avoid or respond to citations from your municipality.

Additional information can be found on their website.

[www.phfa.org/programs/repairs.aspx](http://www.phfa.org/programs/repairs.aspx)

## Greene Township Awarded Grants

Over the last year Greene Township has been awarded the following grants.

1. We were awarded a 902 recycling grant in the amount of \$250,000 to purchase a new grinder for the compost facility. We would like to thank the Department of Environmental services for choosing Greene Township as a recipient. The previous grinder had numerous mechanical problems and was unreliable. The grinder is a vital piece of equipment at the compost facility.
2. The Keystone Historic Preservation Grant in the amount of \$25,000 will be used to help fund a feasibility study for the Corker Hill property located at 1237 Garver Lane, Scotland, PA. The Corker Hill property includes a house, barn and some outbuildings. The property is historic and sits on a portion of the Greene Township Park. Thanks to the Keystone Historic Preservation folks for providing this opportunity to start the study and hopefully preserve some Scotland History.



Corker Hill Manor House

3. We were awarded a grant from the South Mountain Partnership in the amount of \$14,000. This grant will also be used to help pay for the Corker Hill feasibility study. The South Mountain Partnership is dedicated to conservation of the South Mountain Landscape. The South Mountain partnership has assisted Greene Township in the past and we look forward to working with them again.

Greene Township thanks all of the agencies for providing the grants.

### Office Spring & Summer Closings:

Good Friday  
Primary Election Day  
Memorial Day  
Independence Day  
Labor Day

Friday, April 14  
Tuesday, May 16  
Monday, May 29  
Tuesday, July 4  
Monday, September 4

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## Community Page

### Scotland Community Center

**Bingo** is held every Thursday night at the Scotland Community Center. Doors open at 5:00 and the kitchen opens at 5:30. Early Birds begin at 6:45. Contact Gary Smith, Sr. at (717) 816-1963 for information. Like us on Facebook: Scotland Community Center and check out our upcoming events to be held in 2017.

**Rentals.** Contact Jim Umbrell at (717) 709-0179 for Community Center rentals.

### Scotland Memorial Park

**Scotland Memorial Park** opens April 1, 2017 and closes October 1, 2017. The Park is open from dawn to dusk. Contact Jim Umbrell at (717) 709-0179 for Park and Community Center rentals.

### Scotland Community Association 2017 Chicken Bar-B-Q:

Check out our new BBQ Pit located at the Scotland Community Center!

Saturday, July 29 from 11:00 am – 2:00 pm

Contact Gary Smith, Sr. at (717) 816-1963 for information.

### Fayetteville Volunteer Fire Department

#### Dates to Remember:

April 2	Public Dinner
April 29	Jeep Show
May 14	Mother's Day Public Dinner
May 20	Cash/Gun Bash
June 18	Father's Day Public Dinner
July 17-22	FVFD Carnival
August 12	Car Show/Swap Meet
September 23	Gun Bash
November 5	Public Dinner
December 3	Public Dinner



**Bingo Every Friday Night.** Doors open at 5:00 and Bingo begins at 6:45.

Visit their website for additional information:

[www.fayettevillefirerescue.com](http://www.fayettevillefirerescue.com)

Please visit the [Greene Township Website](#) for additional information on upcoming community events.