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Greene Township Board of Supervisors

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The Greene Township Board of Supervisors meets: 2nd Tuesday of each month at 7:00 PM 4th Tuesday of each month at 12:00 Noon

Greene Municipal Authority (Sewer)	(717) 263-5324
Guilford Water Authority	(717) 263-2813
Tax Collector (Kathy Frazer)	(717) 264-8674
PennDOT	(717) 264-4171
PA Game Commission	(814) 643-1831
Dog Enforcement Office	(717) 762-9794
PA DEP	(717) 705-4700
Fayetteville Fire Department	(717) 352-3131
Franklin Fire Department	(717) 263-8600
West End Fire Department	(717) 532-5555
Pleasant Hall Fire Department	(717) 532-5155
Pennsylvania State Police	(717) 264-5161
Magisterial District Court	(717) 263-7949

OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday, 8:00 AM - 4:00 PM

COMPOSTING FACILITY HOURS

Beginning March 18

Mon. – Fri. 8:00 AM – 2:30 PM Saturday 8:00 AM – 1:00 PM

PARK HOURS

Dawn to Dusk

Landfill Voucher Program

Blue Ridge Landfill 1660 Orchard Road, Chambersburg, PA 17202

Greene Township has partnered with Blue Ridge Landfill to allow residents to dump at Blue Ridge Landfill up to six (6) Saturdays throughout the year. You may pick up your FREE voucher cards at the Greene Township office, Monday through Friday, 8:00 am - 4:00 pm. A valid driver's license is required for address verification. Voucher Cards are available to Greene Township residents only.

A Bulk Item is an item that will not fit in your garbage container or weighs more than 50 pounds. Bulk items must be free of garbage. PLEASE NOTE: Building materials, loose material, and items that can be broken down to fit in a garbage container are not bulk items and will not be accepted at the landfill through our Bulk Items Voucher Program.

White goods and metal will not be accepted at the landfill through our Bulk Items Voucher Program. See page 2 for additional information on white goods and metal recycling.

There is a full list on our website containing items accepted at the landfill through our Voucher Program.

Bulk item drop-off is for Saturdays only 7:30 am – 11:00 am.

Tires, Batteries & Propane Tanks Collection

Greene Township Office Complex 1145 Garver Lane, Chambersburg, PA 17202

Greene Township will be collecting ONLY tires, batteries, and propane tanks at our Greene Township Office Complex on:

Saturday, April 13, 2024 7:00 am - 12:00 pm

We will accept up to 20 standard car or pickup truck tires. Rims and tires must be separated. There will be a charge of \$2.00 per tire.

Electronics Recycling

Greene Township is unable to accept electronic devices. However, in an effort to provide our residents a provisional option we suggest taking advantage of Washington Township's Electronic Recycling Program. All electronic devices must be recycled and cannot be disposed of in any other manner.

The following information is from the Washington Township website:

- There will be a \$0.50 per pound charge with a \$15.00, (30 lbs) minimum charge. All electronic items will be weighed.
- This program is available to anyone. It is not limited to Washington Township residents.
- No limit on how many items are brought in at one time.
- We will receive electronic items ONLY on Fridays and the first Saturday of the month.
- Cash or check only at this time. (We will be taking credit cards soon).
- Any of the above conditions are subject to change if the program becomes too costly, or if conditions change in the overall recycling environment, or if our staff becomes overwhelmed with the processing.

Visit www.washtwp-franklin.org for more information.

Septic Tank Pumping

We would like to remind residents that **District 1** septic tank pumping is required this year (2024) as part of our sewage management program. District 1 is located in the western 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 **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 and Facebook page for updates.

Spring Brush & Leaf Collection



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

Brush: Monday, April 8, 2024 Leaves: Monday, April 22, 2024

Dates are subject to change. Please check our website or Facebook page as dates approach.

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 and please do not place your leaves on a tarp.

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.

White Goods & Metal Recycling

Greene Township Composting Facility
300 Mickey Inn Rd, Chambersburg, PA 17202

Greene Township has a self-service dumpster available to Township residents for white goods and metal. White goods (traditionally white in color) includes refrigerators, ranges, microwaves, water heaters, freezers, unit air conditioners, washing machines, dishwashers, clothes dryers and other similar domestic appliances.

This dumpster is located at the Greene Township Composting Facility. Signs are posted.

White goods and metal will not be accepted at the landfill through our Bulk Items Voucher Program.

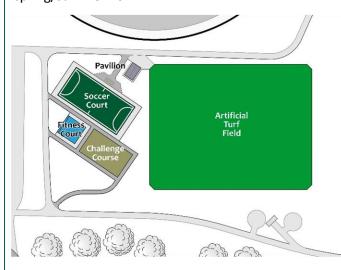
The composting facility continues to accept leaves and brush.

GREENE TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL PARK

New Park Recreation Facilities – Coming Soon!

Construction at the Greene Township Park is underway for our new recreational facilities. The site is located near the Elevator Street entrance as you enter the park.

We are adding a new Soccer Court, Fitness Court and Challenge Course, as well as an Artificial Turf Field and Pavilion. Construction is estimated to be completed in spring/summer 2024.



Park Pavilions

Greene Township Park offers 4 picnic pavilions, which are ideal for picnics, birthday parties, family gatherings and much more with plenty of parking and public restrooms. Fees for pavilion rentals are based on an hourly rate and are as follows:

Pavilion #1 (Medium – 100/110 People) – \$25 per hour Pavilion #2 (Small – 50/60 People) – \$20 per hour Pavilion #3 (Large – 150 People) – \$33 per hour Pavilion #4 (New – 40/50 People) – \$20 per hour

For further information and reservations please visit our website or call the Township office at 717-263-9160.

Dogs Welcome

Dogs are welcome at our park but please clean up after them. Pet waste stations are located throughout the park. We would also like to remind you that for everyone's safety, **please keep your dogs on a leash** when visiting the park.

Greene Township Tax Collector – Kathy Frazer

For the convenience of Greene Township Property Owners, Kathy Frazer will be collecting taxes at the Scotland Community Center on the following dates:

SCOTLAND COMMUNITY CENTER

Tuesday, April 2, 2024 9 AM – 12 Noon Tuesday, August 6, 2024 9 AM – 12 Noon

Contact

Phone: 717-264-8674 Fax: 717-264-8674

Email: dkfrazer@comcast.net

Office Location: 8190 Nyesville Road, Chambersburg PA

17202 (Office in rear, bottom of house)

Mailing Address: PO Box 69, Orrstown PA 17244

Office Hours

January & February: Mon & Wed 9 – 4

March – December: Mon, Wed & Fri 9 – 4

Saturdays:

April 20, 2024 9 – Noon August 24, 2024 9 – Noon April 27, 2024 9 – Noon August 31, 2024 9 – Noon

Additional hours by appointment.

Lockbox located to left of office door for convenient payment drop.

Burning in the Township

There is NO burning permitted in Township as per State mandate, Township Ordinance No. 2004-7; a few exceptions include recreation fires in a burn ring. Contact Township for copy of Ordinance for details. Greene Township operates a compost facility so that you may dispose of your leaves and brush. Grass should be disposed of with your curbside trash hauler. Garbage is not permitted to be burned under any circumstance.

Office Spring & Summer Closings:

Good Friday Primary Election Day Memorial Day Independence Day Labor Day Friday, March 29 Tuesday, April 23 Monday, May 27 Thursday, July 4 Monday, September 2 Greene Township Board of Supervisors 1145 Garver Lane Chambersburg, Pennsylvania 17202

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Current Resident

Community Page

Clean Up After Your Pet

The Greene Township Board of Supervisors would like to remind residents and property owners and in particular, pet owners, Section 45-4 of the Greene Township Code states:

- "... a dog owner or cat owner shall be presumed to have created or maintained a nuisance if he shall permit his dog or cat to defecate or urinate:
- 1) Upon any street, sidewalk, passageway, park or any other public place where people congregate or walk; or
- 2) Upon any private property of another person without the permission of the owner of said property unless, with regard to defecation only, such dog owner or cat owner shall immediately remove and dispose of in a sanitary manner all feces deposited by such dog or cat."

Besides the unpleasant smell and unsightly appearance, animal waste can be hazardous to the health of the children in our community and other pets as well. Disease can be transmitted to dogs, cats and people through feces.

When walking your pet please clean up after your pet. Take along a baggie to pick up waste and then dispose of it properly. If you're visiting our park with your pet, waste stations are located throughout the park.

As a pet owner it is not only a courtesy to your neighbors to clean up after your pet but it is also your responsibility. Keep our community safe and clean. Your neighbors will appreciate it.

Greene Township Website

The Greene Township website provides our visitors an easy way to access information through our user friendly menus. We are constantly updating our content so please visit: twp.greene.franklin.pa.us

All forms and payments can be securely accessed online. Visit our website, select Forms from our menu, and choose the appropriate form. Then simply fill-out your form and submit. Wait for your confirmation email and follow instructions for payment options if required.