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### OFFICE HOURS

Monday — Friday

8:30 AM — 4:30 PM

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## Rezoning Committee meets to review the Township Zoning Ordinance and Map

The purpose of creating a Rezoning Committee is to look at possibilities of rezoning parts of the Township, to make sensible changes allowing possible growth within Carroll Township, and to make any changes to the Zoning Ordinance. No voting will be conducted at the monthly meetings. We are gathering information from the Planning Commission, the Zoning Hearing Board, as well as the public to then pass along for the Board of Supervisors to have final say. We will welcome public comments at the monthly meeting, limiting 3 minutes per person who wishes to convey their input and concerns or words of encouragement. There will also be other opportunities for public input before final voting, which is done by the Township Board of Supervisors. This Rezoning Committee is only gathering information.

The Rezoning Committee: Kelley Moyer-Schwille, Chair - Supervisor, Brian Schmick - Supervisor, Todd Ryan - Planning Commission, Gary Reihart - Zoning Hearing Board, Brandon Slatt - Zoning Officer/ Construction Inspector, Duane Stone - Township Solicitor, and Phillip Brath - Township Engineer

Our first meeting was held on Tuesday, March 12th to introduce ourselves and discuss the upcoming meeting schedule which will be public. Meetings on the following dates are scheduled to begin at 6:30pm in the meeting room of the Carroll Township Municipal Building.

Tuesday, April 16th

Wednesday, May 22nd

Tuesday, June 18th

Tuesday, July 9th

**The current Zoning Ordinance and Map are available on the Carroll Township website.**



### PRIMARY ELECTION IS MAY 21, 2019

Your Vote is your voice as an American Citizen.

Polls are open on Election Day from 7:00am to 8:00pm.

Last day to register to Vote: April 22, 2019

Last day to request an absentee ballot: May 14, 2019

**Find your polling place, check your registration status, register online to vote, apply for an absentee ballot, and more at [www.VotesPA.com](http://www.VotesPA.com).**

## RECYCLING GUIDELINES

### METAL

- Aluminum beverage cans
- Steel and bi-metal food & beverage cans
- ✓ Rinse thoroughly to ensure they are free of contaminants and residue.
- ✓ Remove caps or lids and dispose of them in the trash.
- ✓ It is not necessary to remove labels.



### GLASS

- Clear, blue, brown and green glass food & beverage containers
- ✓ Rinse thoroughly to ensure they are free of contaminants and residue.
- ✓ Remove caps or lids and dispose of them in the trash.
- ✓ It is not necessary to remove labels and neck rings.



### PLASTICS

- Plastic containers #1, #2 and #5 with a neck smaller than the base
- ✓ Rinse thoroughly to ensure they are free of contaminants and residue.
- ✓ Remove caps or lids and dispose of them in the trash.
- ✓ It is not necessary to remove labels and neck rings.



### NEWSPAPER

- ✓ Clean and Dry.
- ✓ No food contact.
- ✓ Cover loose paper with heavier items in the container to prevent them from blowing.



### CARDBOARD

- All sizes of corrugated cardboard and shipping boxes
- ✓ Dry and flattened.
- ✓ No food contact.
- ✓ Bundle any large or loose pieces of cardboard that will not fit in your recycling bin.



### CARTONS

- Shelf-stable and refrigerated food and beverage cartons
- ✓ Remove and dispose of straws and caps in the trash.
- ✓ Rinse cartons.



Subscribe to Penn Waste email alerts at [www.pennwaste.com/e-news-signup](http://www.pennwaste.com/e-news-signup) for a monthly newsletter with helpful tips and collection updates.

# Why Has Recycling Changed?

China is the world's largest buyer of recyclable material. The Chinese government recently imposed new rules severely restricting the levels of contamination allowed in the recyclable material they accept. Contamination is any non-recyclable item (trash) that gets mixed into a bale of recyclable material such as plastic bags, clothing, medical waste and any other non-recyclable items.

These changes have had catastrophic consequences on the recycling industry in the U.S. and globally. For example, bales of mixed paper were allowed to have approximately 5% contamination in them, or 92 pounds of trash, in a 1,850 pound bale of recycled paper. Beginning in 2018, China changed those restrictions to a 0.5% contamination rate, or 9 pounds of trash in a 1,850 pound bale of recycled paper. Consequently, recyclers are having a difficult time meeting these requirements and a lack of US-based end users is complicating this problem.

Residents can help reduce contamination of recyclables by educating themselves on what items are acceptable for recycling. Do not throw items in the recycle bin unless you know for sure it is recyclable. Make sure that wet, non-recyclable items are disposed of in the garbage.

## When In Doubt, Throw It Out!

Fortunately, the York County Resource Recovery Center uses waste-to-energy to manage trash. Waste-to-energy uses environmentally safe advanced technology to process combustible municipal solid waste as fuel to generate electricity. Solid waste is reduced to a small amount of inert ash. Metals and other valuable commodities are recycled out of the combustion ash and reused. The remaining ash is beneficially reused as alternate daily landfill cover (displacing the use of virgin soil).

## UNACCEPTABLE ITEMS

- Paperboard (cereal boxes, shoe boxes, tissue boxes, pizza boxes or paper towel/toilet paper rolls)
- Office paper or mixed paper (junk mail, envelopes, letterhead, copier paper, magazines, catalogues, post cards) No shredded paper.
- Needles and medical waste - DO NOT place used needles or any other medical waste in your recycling! Doing so poses a potential health hazard! Place used needles in a plastic detergent bottle and dispose of in regular trash. Household medical waste should also be included in regular trash.
- Food waste and food soiled material
- Broken glass, drinking glasses, windows, mirrors and ceramics
- Styrofoam (packaging "peanuts," styrofoam cups and bowls, etc.)
- Hoses
- Light bulbs and Christmas lights
- Aerosol cans
- Aluminum foil
- Scrap metal
- Clothing hangers (metal and plastic)
- Used paper towels or tissues
- Wet paper and cardboard
- Chemical, oil and solvent containers
- Plastic grocery bags - Plastic bags including grocery, bread, vegetable, dry cleaning, newspaper and many more can be recycled at most grocery stores. For more information, visit [www.abagslife.com](http://www.abagslife.com).
- Plastic bubble wrap, clamshell containers, food wrappers, utensils (forks, knives, spoons, etc.)
- Electronic waste - By law, Pennsylvania residents and businesses may not dispose of electronic devices at the curb or in their trash. Electronic devices include desk top computers; laptops; monitors; computer peripherals such as a keyboard, mouse, printer, etc.; televisions and e-readers.



# Leaf Waste Facility Improvements

Carroll Township has entered into an agreement with the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) for an Act 101, Section 902 Municipal Recycling Grant in the amount of \$215,875.00. These funds will be used to upgrade the existing Leaf Waste Drop-off Facility which will include paving the stone portion of the facility, upgrading the current key card system to allow tracking user activity, and security cameras to monitor the facility. A wheel loader to move the leaf waste materials and a leaf collection machine to gather leaves throughout the Township will be purchased. The funds will also be used for public education on recycling including newsletters, handouts, fliers, updating the Township website and TV channel. A pole building next to the drop-off facility is also part of the plans. This will keep the recycling equipment close by and out of the weather. Additional landscaping will be added around the facility.

Key cards are available for residential, non-residential and landscape/lawn service businesses which reside in the Township. Applications are available at the Township office and our website [www.carrolltownship.com](http://www.carrolltownship.com). The applications are processed at the Township office. Cards are free to residents, \$300 to non-residential and \$500 to landscape/lawn service businesses. Lost or damaged cards can be replaced for a \$20 fee.

Materials accepted are leaves, shrubbery, garden residue, tree trimmings, and similar materials. NO grass clippings. All items must be removed from bags. Do not leave bags in the facility. These materials are transported to a PA DEP permitted composting site.

Do not drop-off root balls, skids, treated lumber, telephone poles, railroad ties, bricks, stones, metal, steel, aluminum, furniture, garbage of any type, tires, batteries, construction materials or any other item that is not considered Leaf Waste. These items can damage the equipment during processing. Anyone who does not abide by the rules shall be denied access for a minimum of the remainder of the calendar year.



## Spring is Ambulance Membership time!

Mailers went out in March for this coming year's subscription, effective April 2019 through March 2020. Your subscription covers 100% of co-payments and 50% of deductibles for emergency calls. There is also a discount for non-emergency transportation. You may subscribe by mail or online at [www.hsems.org](http://www.hsems.org), click Online Payments, Membership.

Your area is Northern York County if you live in Carroll, Dillsburg, Franklin, Franklinton, Warrington, Washington, Wellsville. Any questions please call 717-763-2108, extension 2.

Please note that West Shore- Holy Spirit EMS is now also doing business as Geisinger Emergency Medical Services. Services and those who provide service in your community has not changed. We continue to transport to all area hospitals. You will start to see new patches on our uniforms and updated graphics in the future.



## Electronic Recycling

Under PA Act 108 (the state's Covered Device Recycling Act), it is unlawful for Pennsylvania landfills and resource recovery facilities to accept specific electronic devices (computers, computer peripherals and televisions) for disposal. PA waste haulers are also prohibited from collecting these electronics for disposal. Fairview Township's Electronic Recycling Center is open to all York County residents free of charge. Summer/Fall (April-Oct) hours are Monday—Saturday, 8:00am to 4:30pm except holidays. Winter/Spring (Nov-March) hours are Monday—Friday, 9:00am to Noon and the 1st and 3rd Saturday of every month, from 9:00am to Noon except holidays.

Fairview Township's Electronics Drop Off Center is located at 55 Fairview Road, New Cumberland.

Other electronic devices that are accepted at the drop-off include answering machines, CD players, fax machines, computer hard drives, mobile phones, modems, microwave ovens, pagers, small home office copiers, printers, printed circuit boards, clocks, radios, remote controls, stereos, tape players, MP3 players, electronic toys and games, photo and video cameras, telephones and telephone equipment, VCRs, toaster ovens, hair dryers, electric razors, and many other mixed household electronics.

York County businesses, schools and organizations are not eligible to participate in this residential electronics recycling program. Additional information can be found at [www.twp.fairview.pa.us](http://www.twp.fairview.pa.us).



## MedReturn Drug Collection Unit

Carroll Township has a MedReturn medication take-back box in the lobby.

**Accepted** items include: prescriptions, prescription solid or liquid medications, prescription patches & ointments, inhalers, over-the-counter medication, vitamins, and medications for pets.

**Not Accepted** items include: thermometers, hydrogen peroxide, aerosol cans, personal care products in the form of non-prescription ointments, liquids or lotions, medications from businesses or clinics, needles (sharps), bloody or infectious waste and hazardous waste.

The lobby is open 8:30am to 4:30pm. Just look for the green MedReturn Box.

Medications collected in the take-back box program are delivered by law enforcement to the York County Solid Waste Authority's waste-to-energy facility for safe and complete destruction. Law enforcement also maintains the box and secures medications that are received until they can be destroyed.

Seventeen York County police departments currently partner with the York County Solid Waste Authority (YCSWA) to host medication take-back boxes in their police department lobbies. In 2018, the program safely collected and disposed of a total of 4.15 tons of unused and expired medications.



## Retired Flag Disposal Box



*Do you have a worn flag to dispose of? Carroll Township has a retired flag drop-off box located just inside the main doors. Collected flags will be given to the American Legion for proper disposal. Flags may be dropped off during normal office hours.*

# Municipal Separate Storm Sewer Systems - (MS4)

## Pollutant Reductions for Resident, Businesses and Pets in the Township

Carroll Township is one of many municipalities included on the list of small MS4 programs across Pennsylvania that are subject to Pennsylvania DEP and Federal EPA regulations governing storm-water quality. Municipal separate storm sewer systems (MS4) are systems that collect and convey stormwater from developed areas of the Township to nearby streams. These systems are designed for stormwater only, and are separated from wastewater systems. To comply with MS4 regulations, municipalities such as Carroll Township are required to develop stormwater management programs that are responsible for improving and maintaining water quality.

### Pollutant Control

Rain by nature is important for replenishing drinking water supplies, recreation, and healthy wildlife habitats. It only becomes a problem when pollutants from our activities like car maintenance, lawn care and dog walking are left on the ground for rain to wash away. Here are some of the most important ways to prevent storm water pollution:

- Properly dispose of hazardous substances such as used oil, cleaning supplies and paint – never pour them down any part of the storm sewer system and report anyone who does.
- Use pesticides, fertilizers, and herbicides properly and efficiently to prevent excess runoff.
- Look for signs of soil and other pollutants, such as debris and chemicals, leaving construction sites in stormwater runoff or tracked into roads by construction vehicles. Report poorly managed construction sites that could impact stormwater runoff to Carroll Township.
- Install innovative storm water practices on residential property, such as rain barrels or rain gardens that capture storm water and keep it on site instead of letting it drain away into the storm sewer system.
- Report any discharges from stormwater outfalls during times of dry weather – a sign that there could be a problem with the storm sewer system.
- Store materials that could pollute stormwater indoors and use containers for outdoor storage that do not rust or leak to eliminate exposure of materials to stormwater.
- Pick up after pets and dispose of **Pet Waste** properly. No matter where pets make a mess – in a backyard or at the park – stormwater runoff can carry pet waste from the land to the storm sewer system to a stream.

### Pet Waste Disposal

When animal waste is left on the ground, rain-water or melting snow washes the pet waste into our storm drains or directly into our local creeks. The disease-causing bacteria found in pet waste eventually flows from our local waterways into our streams and rivers, our drinking water source. In addition to contaminating waterways with disease-carrying bacteria, animal waste acts like a fertilizer in the water, just as it does on land. This promotes excessive aquatic plant growth that can choke waterways and promote algae blooms, robbing the water of vital oxygen.



## (MS4) - continues

### Scooping Up the Poop

- Bag it! When going for dog walks, take a shopping bag or sandwich bag. When doggy makes a deposit, turn the baggie inside out over your hand and use it as a glove to pick up the waste.
- Flush the pet waste down the toilet because then it is treated at a sewage treatment plant.
- If flushing down the toilet is not a viable option, put the pet waste in the trash, but never put waste into storm drains.
- Encourage your Home Owners Association/Civic Association to provide pet waste stations for collection and disposal of waste. Check to see if the parks in your neighborhood have them.
- Dig a small trench in your yard where your pets tend to defecate and toss the waste in the trench, cover with a layer of leaves, grass clippings, and dirt.
- Dispose waste in disposal units called Doggy Loos where they are installed into the ground. Decomposition occurs within the unit.
- At the park, set up a pooch patch which has a pole surrounded by a light scattering of sand around it. Dog owners can introduce their dog to the pole upon entry to the park. Dogs will then return to the patch to defecate and then you can place the pet waste in special bins for disposal.



## Bag It, Don't Blow It! (MS4)

- NEVER blow leaves or grass clippings from your yard into streets, sidewalks or storm drains.
- Mowing or blowing grass clippings or leaves onto streets and paths can cause dangerous conditions for motorcycles, bicyclists and possibly for cars. Keep our streets clear.
- Streets and sidewalks must be kept clear of all yard waste to prevent this debris from entering a curb inlet or storm drain. Assume that if your yard waste is on a paved surface, it has access to a storm drain!
- When yard waste makes it through a storm drain and into a stream or river, it:
  - o adds excess nutrients to the water, causing potentially-toxic algae blooms
  - o reduces and degrades fish and wildlife habitats
  - o decreases water recreation opportunities by degrading water quality
  - o makes it harder to treat our drinking water
- Carroll Township's Stormwater Ordinance does not allow any non-stormwater discharge such as leaves and grass clippings to be introduced into the stormwater system.



### Carroll Township has an open seat on the Planning Commission

The Planning Commission is an advisory body that reviews and makes recommendations to the Board of Supervisors for all proposed subdivision and land development plans, rezoning requests, conditional use requests, and amendments to the Subdivision/Land Development and Zoning Ordinances. Meetings are the fourth Thursday of each month. This is a four year term. Applicants must be a resident of the Township and submit a letter of interest to the Township Office. Any questions, please call 717-432-4951.

# A Snapshot in Time - 2020 Census

- What takes place just once every 10 years, yet its effects will be felt over the next decade? It's the census, a massive undertaking mandated by the U.S. Constitution to count every man, woman, and child in America.

## The Census:

- The U.S. Constitution requires a national census once every 10 years.
- The census is a count of everyone residing in the United States: in all 50 states, Washington, D.C., Puerto Rico, U.S. Virgin Islands, Guam, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, and American Samoa. This includes people of all ages, races, ethnic groups, both citizens and non-citizens.
- The 2020 Census will create hundreds of thousands of temporary jobs across the nation.

## Your Participation in the 2020 Census Matters:

- Various federal and state programs and grants are based on census data. This includes federal funding toward such critical programs as Medicaid and Medicare, as well as grants for education and highway construction. The commonwealth relies on census data to allocate money for local improvements, services and projects, including liquid fuels reimbursement, firemen's relief funds, community development grants, and recycling grants.
- Census data guides local decision-makers in important community planning efforts, including where to build new roads, hospitals and schools.
- Census data affect your voice in Congress by determining how many seats each state will have in the U.S. House of Representatives.

## Completing the 2020 Census Questionnaire: Simple and Safe

- Census forms will be mailed to every residence in the United States. This year respondents will have three methods for responding to the questionnaire. Return the paper copy, accessing the form online, or calling the Census Bureau.
- The 2020 Census questionnaire consist of about 10 questions that should take about 10 minutes to complete and the goal remains the same: count everyone once and only once in the right place. Fill out the form based on where you live and sleep most of the time.
- The Census Bureau does not release or share information that identifies individual respondents or their household.

## Census Timeline:

- July 2019 - Communities begin promotion of census
- August 2019 - Census Bureau starts address canvassing
- March 2020 - Census Bureau mails census materials
- April 1, 2020 - CENSUS DAY
- April 2020 - Census Bureau begins follow-up phone calls and visits
- December 1, 2020 - Census Bureau delivers apportionment counts to the president

**For the first time people can respond to the census via the internet.**



**For more information about the 2020 Census - [www.census.gov](http://www.census.gov)**



# Logan Park—Your Community Park



The Logan Park Authority continues to fulfill its purpose to provide a safe and clean location to play, picnic, and enjoy the outdoors. Warmer weather on the way will bring the children out to play, bluebirds back to the park to nest and the pollinator garden to bloom. Spring sports teams will start their season, on April 13th. The rest rooms will be open after March 30.

Work and planning has begun to address the drainage issue beside the pavilion. Instead of “draining the swamp” there, the “green team” will be creating a rain garden/bio swale planted with native wetland plants for absorption, river stone and rocks to slow down the runoff. A generous donation (\$500) was given by the Dillsburg Garden Club to purchase these plants and also to plant a white oak tree where the old one had been. The Fisher’s Run trail at the lower end of the park will be mowed for you to enjoy a walk on the “wild side”. Other improvements to the park include, helping with the baseball field drainage issues, expanding storage with a new shed at the end of the barn. Nate Reed is going to be refinishing and staining all of the picnic tables at the pavilion for his Eagle Scout project. Kiwanis Club plans to replace “snail and turtle” with a safer kiddie ride.

The yearly Spring Cleanup is scheduled for Saturday, May 4 beginning at 9:00am. Area residents who use the park are requested to volunteer (call Nancy at 717-712-3951 for more information). This work involves cleaning up sticks and debris, planting and mulching.

Anyone who wants to reserve the pavilion for a special event, contact Bil Cressler at 717-502-2401 or by emailing loganparkauthority@gmail.com. A \$75.00 donation is required.

**Logan Park Authority Board Members:** *Bob Ingham- Chair (Carroll), Ted Pawlik- Vice Chair (Carroll), Kay McKinney- Secretary (Carroll), Bill Cressler- Treasurer (Carroll), Terri Hildebrand- Historian (Dillsburg), Chad Reed (Carroll), Scott Houseal, Nancy Putt, Beth Aughenbaugh, and Kristen Omler (Dillsburg)*

## House Numbering

## Ordinance # 1999-120

Carroll Township Ordinance 1999-120 requires that all residential and commercial properties prominently display identification numbers which mark the location of the residences and businesses for fire, police, ambulances and other personnel involved in providing emergency services.

Requirement is that reflective numbers, at least 3 inches in height, be placed in such a location as to be visible in either direction from a public roadway. House numbers may be displayed on the house, mailbox, or other structure, such as a lamp post or fence.

In the event of an emergency, persons responding to help cannot be of service if they cannot find where they are to go. Delays in assistance in many emergencies could result in a tragedy.

If interested, reflective number signs may be purchased through Northern York County Fire Rescue at 717- 432-3281.



### Carroll Township Office will be closed on the following dates:

|                         |                              |                           |
|-------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|
| May 27—Memorial Day     | November 11—Veterans Day     | December 24—Christmas Eve |
| July 4—Independence Day | November 28—Thanksgiving Day | December 25—Christmas Day |
| September 2—Labor Day   | November 29—Day after TG     | December 31—New Years Eve |

# Government Officials & Township Personnel

## U.S. Representative:

Scott Perry (717) 600-1919

## State Senator:

Mike Regan (717) 432-1730

## State Representative:

Dawn Keefer (717) 432-0792

## District Justice:

Richard Thomas (717) 432-3618

## Supervisors:

Andy Ritter—Chairman  
acritter@hotmail.com

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bschmickets@gmail.com

Bruce Trostle  
BRTMason@hotmail.com

Kelley Moyer-Schwille  
kmschwillecarrolltwp@gmail.com

Richard Rocco  
roccotownship@gmail.com

## Planning Commission:

Perry Bates—Chairman

Alexis Isenberg

Terry Adams

Michael Todd Ryan—Vice-Chairman

Ronald Colvin

Chad Reed—Secretary

Brian Linsenbach

## Zoning Hearing Board:

Gary Reihart—Chairman

Richard Gensler II—Vice-Chairman

Frank Setlak

Deana Weaver—Alternate

## Logan Park Authority:

Robert Ingham—Chairman

Theodore Pawlik—Vice-Chairman

Kay McKinney—Secretary

William Cressler—Treasurer

Chad Reed

## Tax Collector:

Christina Heisey (717) 502-6382

## Engineer:

Phillip Brath, P.E., Barton & Loguidice  
(717) 737-8326

## Sewage Enforcement Officer:

Gary Morrow (717) 319-1301

## Solicitor:

Duane Stone, Esquire (717) 432-2089  
Stone, Wiley & Linsenbach, PC

## Emergency Management Coordinator:

Raphael LaRocca (717) 638-8042

## Office: (717) 432-4951

Faye Romberger, Secretary/Treasurer ext. 101  
fromberger@carrolltownship.com

Josephine Patton, Assistant Secretary ext. 100  
jpatton@carrolltownship.com

## Zoning Officer: (717) 432-4951

Brandon Slatt ext. 104  
bslatt@carrolltownship.com

## Roads: (717) 432-4951

Bruce Patton, Road Foreman ext. 123  
Paul King ext. 123

## Police Department: (717) 432-3317

Thomas Wargo, Chief ext. 105

David Smith, Sergeant ext. 106

John Schreiner, Sergeant ext. 119

Gene Baptisti, Records Officer ext. 107

Lori Snider, Clerical ext. 107

## Police Officers:

Ben Martin ext. 120

Terry Williams ext. 114

David McCoy ext. 115

Justin Rogerson ext. 121

Michael Lohr ext. 110

Brian Sunday ext. 116

Elias Martinez ext. 113

Laura Solmon ext. 109

John Shapley III ext. 111

# Highway Department Comments

Carroll Township makes every effort to keep its roads in good condition and safe for travel. Constant work and maintenance goes into keeping our roads hazard free. The Township road projects for the summer of 2019 will include:

- Re-paving of Chestnut Grove Road from the south cul-de-sac to Fileys Road
- Base paving and tar & chip of Blair Hollow Road from Pleasant View Court to Blair Mountain Road; and
- Tar & chip of Dorsey Lane from Mumper Lane to Chestnut Grove Road

Dates of the proposed work will be posted on the Township website, cable channel, and on site prior to work beginning. Expect road closures or lane restrictions for this work.

The Township Road Crew will be out and about working on various projects and maintenance of infrastructure throughout the Township. As always, please be on the lookout for the crew and use caution when traveling through work areas.



## Free Resident Shredding Event



**DATE: SATURDAY, JUNE 15**  
**TIME: 9:00AM TO NOON**  
**LOCATION: PARKING LOT AT THE CARROLL TOWNSHIP MUNICIPAL BUILDING**

Township residents are invited to have “confidential” paper material securely destroyed by Higher Information Group. Items include but are not limited to: Old tax returns, pay stubs, bank statements, receipts, utility bills, etc. Staples and paper clips are fine. This will be a free service to our residents.

### Public Meetings

**Board of Supervisors**  
 Work Session—1st Monday @ 6:30PM  
 Business Session—2nd Monday @ 6:30PM

**Planning Commission**  
 4th Thursday @ 6:30PM

**Zoning Hearing Board**  
 By Request Only

*Above meetings are held monthly at the Carroll Township Municipal Building*

**Logan Park Authority**  
 3rd Wednesday @ 7:00PM  
*Authority meetings are held monthly at the Logan Park Barn*

### Phone Numbers

**Fire, Police & Ambulance Emergency....911**

**Non-Emergency Dispatch.....(717) 854-5571**

**Police Headquarters.....(717) 432-3317**

**Twp. Office & Road Department(717) 432-4951**

**Tax Collector.....(717) 502-6382**

**Sewage Enforcement Officer.....(717) 319-1301**

**Township Engineer.....(717) 737-8326**

**Dillsburg Area Authority.....(717) 502-0431**

**Penn Waste, Inc (trash).....1-866-575-8720**

**Animal Control..... (717) 854-5571**

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## Open Burning

Ordinance No. 2014-230 prohibits open burning in Carroll Township, but also provides for certain exemptions. The exemptions are as follows: Fires set for the purpose of training authorized personnel in fire fighting; campfires or bon-fires for organized recreational or ceremonial purposes; any fire for the purpose of cooking and preparing food; a containerized fire set to keep persons warm at a private or public gathering when it does not create a fire hazard; any fire set for the prevention or control of pests (rats, snakes, bees, etc.); and any fire for the burning of brush exclusively for agricultural management and conservation practices and protection, provided burning is located 75 feet or more from any structure and the brush must originate from the same property. Make proper notification to York County Non-Emergency (717-854-5571) of the time, place, and period of an uncontained fire.

The Code Enforcement Officer may suspend the outdoor burning at any time when smoke and ash emissions are objectionable or offensive to human or animal health or crosses neighboring properties, and falls on buildings, vehicles or vegetation. Also when extreme dry conditions or drought warrant a ban on all burning.

All fires shall be kept under continuous responsible adult supervision and thoroughly extinguished after the use has been completed.

So if you have been wondering whether fire pits are allowed in the Township, the answer is yes. Please be considerate of your neighbors and also make sure to extinguish the fire completely once you have finished using it.

You can view the entire Burning Ordinance at the Carroll Township office or online at [www.carrolltownship.com](http://www.carrolltownship.com).

