How Your Local Government Works...

Board of Supervisors

One of the oldest townships in Montgomery County, Douglass was granted its status as a Township of the second class by the Commonwealth in 1741. As permitted by the Second Class Township Code, the municipality is governed by a three member Board of Supervisors, each of who serves a staggered six year term in office, with one member elected on each odd numbered year. Supervisors are elected at large, must reside in the township and must be registered electors.

The duties of the Board of Supervisors are specified in the Second Class Township Code, Municipalities Planning Code, and other legislation designated by the State. The Board has the authority to:

- Appoint staff members to handle day to day administrative and departmental business;
- Appoint members of various Township commissions and boards;
- Levy taxes to provide services for residents, including fire and police protection, road maintenance, and snow removal; and
- To regulate building and zoning in the Township

The Douglass Township Board of Supervisors meetings are normally held on the first and third Mondays of each month at the Township Administration Building located at 1320 E. Philadelphia Avenue, Gilbertsville, PA, 19525. Meetings begin at 7:00PM.

Planning Commission

The Planning Commission is a seven member body, which is appointed by the Board of Supervisors to serve in an advisory capacity on all Township planning and zoning matters. All applications for subdivisions and land development in the Township and all ordinances and ordinance amendments affecting zoning or subdivision must be reviewed by the Planning Commission. Members of the Planning Commission serve a staggered 4 year term.
Highway Department - Hours of Operation: Monday through Friday 7:00A.M. - 3:30P.M
610-367-0984 • Fax 610-367-7124

The office of the Highway Department is located at 108 Municipal Drive. Public works operations, including requests for service, may be contacted by telephone at 610-367-0984.

Douglass Township Highway Department is responsible for 80 miles of Township owned roadways and winter maintenance responsibilities of 3 miles of State Highways. The township completes the maintenance of these roadways with 6 full time personnel and a fleet of trucks and equipment.

The list below summarizes the list of activities that the highway department performs on township owned roadways:

- Roadway resurfacing
- Snow plowing and application of anti-skid materials
- Pothole patching and pavement repairs
- Maintenance of bridges
- Traffic line painting
- Installation of all traffic signs in the municipality
- Grading of stone roads and shoulders of the roadways
- Tree trimming along the roadways
- Grass cutting along the roads and bridges
- Municipal vehicle and equipment maintenance
- Installation and replacement of storm drains and pipes

WINTER MAINTENANCE

The Township Highway Department undertakes winter maintenance operations on all 80 miles of township owned roadways. Winter maintenance includes the plowing of snow and ice curb to curb, and the application of anti-skid and anti-icing materials. Douglass Township contracts with the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation (PennDot) to perform winter maintenance activities on Gilbertsville Road. This contract allows for Douglass Township to provide a better response time and higher level of service to Gilbertsville Road for the residents and visitors of Douglass Township during the winter months.

During snow events, main roads and state roads will be cleared first, residential streets, developments and cul-de-sacs will be addressed second. The application of anti-skid and anti-icing materials takes approximately 3 hours to complete depending on weather conditions and traffic. However, snow plowing 80 miles of roadway start to finish takes our highway department 10-12 hours to complete depending on the amount of snow that falls. The equipment used for winter maintenance includes an assortment of different trucks equipped with snow plows and material spreaders and heavy equipment that includes a tractor, road grader and front end loaders.

The Highway Department requests that you remove your vehicles from the roadway until after the snow plows have removed the snow from the roadways and cul-de-sacs. This speeds up the process and reduces the risk of vehicle damage during the snow removal process. Mailboxes should meet the federal code requirements established by the Postmaster General (6” from the face of the curb). The Township is not responsible for mailboxes damaged during normal snow removal operations. When shoveling, snow blowing, or plowing your driveway and sidewalks, do not place the snow back into the street. This is against the law and it leaves a road hazard for other motorists and pedestrians, leaving you liable if someone gets hurt.

TOWNSHIP RIGHT OF WAYS

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania enacted law providing for a minimum width of 33 feet of Township rights of way. Most township owned roads are 18 to 20 feet in width, allowing 6 to 7 feet of roadway on each side of the road and allowing for the drainage system and signs. Within this area, Douglass Township is to provide a public roadway, a storm water drainage system, and road signs.

Douglass Township maintains a storm water drainage system that includes hundreds of inlets and outlets, pipes, and easements. According to the Second Class Township Code, the township has the power to open drains and ditches “when it is necessary to carry the water from the roads”. Once water crosses the road and leaves the roadside swale or ditch, it is no longer the responsibility of the Township. Any person who damages or diverts any drain or ditch without the written consent of Douglass Township commits a summary offense and is liable for the cost of restoring the drain or ditch. Also, anyone who obstructs any public road or commits any nuisance by falling trees, erecting fences, retaining walls or berms, or filling in a ditch and who does not, on notice from the township immediately take corrective action is committing a summary offense.
Gilbertsville Fire and Rescue company is comprised of 32 volunteer men and women. We provide and are trained in Fire, Rescue, Hazardous Materials, and medical services. We provide these services to our primary coverage area which is all of Douglass Township, Montgomery County, and also provide mutual aid to surrounding departments when called upon. Fire hydrants are supplied by two different water companies in Douglass Township, Aqua Water company to the east, and Boyertown Borough water to the west.

The following are some things that we would like you to keep in mind:

- Dial 911 for any emergency in Douglass Township. If you are dialing from a cellular phone, please be sure that you are connected with Montgomery County Emergency Dispatch.

- Please inspect your driveway to make sure emergency vehicles can easily access your residence. All of our emergency vehicles are much larger than most vehicles that you see on the roadway and require more room to maneuver in and out of driveways.

- Please be sure that your street address is clearly marked at the entrance to your property. Numbers and letters should be no smaller than 3 inches and preferably reflective. This allows emergency personnel to quickly and easily locate your residence in the event of an emergency.

- Check the function of your smoke detector and carbon monoxide detectors on a regular basis. Most smoke detectors and carbon monoxide detectors are only scheduled for a 10 year life expectancy and should be replaced at that time.

- Sleep with your door closed! In the event of a fire, close doors behind you as you exit the structure. Closing doors will starve the fire from oxygen and contain it to the room where it started. This will save life and property.
Gilbertsville Area Community Ambulance Service was formed and chartered July 15, 1982 to provide Basic Life Support for our surrounding communities. Gilbertsville Area Community Ambulance Service received licensure on March 1, 2003 as an Advanced Life Support Service, providing Paramedics twenty-four hours a day, seven days a week to our surrounding community. Today, the ambulance service provides Advanced Life Support (ALS) services to Douglass-Montgomery and New Hanover and portions of Upper Pottsgrove Township. In addition, the organization assists neighboring ambulance companies with mutual aide. Gilbertsville Area Community Ambulance Service currently holds a roster of 21 career staff, including Paramedics and EMT-B’s. Being an ALS service, Gilbertsville Area Community Ambulance Service has partnered with Lehigh Valley Health Network for medical direction and providing a medical director to our service available 24hrs a day seven days a week.

We presently have three (3) fully equipped ALS ambulances to provide service 24 hours per day, seven days a week.

Smoke Alarm Safety at Home

Smoke alarms are an important part of a home fire escape plan. When there is a fire, smoke spreads fast. Working smoke alarms give you early warning so you can get outside quickly.

SAFETY TIPS

- **INSTALL** smoke alarms inside every bedroom, outside each sleeping area and on every level of the home, including the basement.
- Larger homes may need **ADDITIONAL** smoke alarms to provide enough protection.
- For the best protection, **INTERCONNECT** all smoke alarms so when one sounds, they all sound.

- An **IONIZATION** smoke alarm is generally more responsive to flaming fires and a **PHOTOELECTRIC** smoke alarm is generally more responsive to smoldering fires. For the best protection, both types of alarms or a combination ionization and photoelectric alarms (also known as dual sensor alarms) are recommended.
- Smoke alarms should be **INSTALLED** away from the kitchen to prevent false alarms. Generally, they should be at least 10 feet (3 meters) from a cooking appliance.
- **REPLACE** all smoke alarms when they are 10 years old.

**FACTS**

- ! Roughly two thirds of home fire deaths happen in homes with no smoke alarms or working smoke alarms.
- ! Working smoke alarms cut the risk of dying in reported home fires in half.

**AND DON’T FORGET...**

All smoke alarms should be tested at least once a month using the test button.

www.nfpa.org/education
CHILD SEAT SAFETY CHECKS

Did you know that the Douglass Township Police Department and the Gilbertsville Area Community Ambulance Service have certified child seat inspection technicians on staff? Technicians are available by appointment to assist you with inspection and proper installation of your child safety seat. Please contact the Douglass Township Police Department at 610-367-0466 or Gilbertsville Area Community Ambulance Service at 610-367-9191 to schedule your appointment today!

ELECTRONIC SPEED DISPLAY SIGNS

The Douglass Township Police Department purchased two (2) new Shield 12 Electronic Speed Display Signs from All Traffic Solutions this year in an effort to make motorists more aware of their speeds while driving through Douglass Township, to assist the police department in completing various traffic studies, address speeding complaints and other traffic complaints in a more timely manner, and to reduce the number of traffic accidents throughout Douglass Township. The signs can be mounted below speed limit signs, on telephone poles, and other traffic control signs. The portability of the signs allow the police department to address speeding complaints and other traffic related complaints throughout Douglass Township in a more timely manner. The signs are equipped with cameras to prevent sign tampering. The signs can be monitored twenty-four (24) hours a day, seven (7) days a week through the use of a computer, tablet, or smart phone.

NATIONAL PRESCRIPTION TAKE BACK

The Douglass Township Police Department partnered with Giant Food Stores on April 27, 2019 for the 1st National Prescription Take Back of 2019. Everyone was able to drop off their unwanted, unused, or expired medications for proper disposal. This collection date yielded 122 lbs. of medications. The Douglass Township Police Department has been participating in the program since 2013 and since then has collected 1,403 lbs. of medications. The program has been a huge success. The Douglass Township Police Department would like to remind everyone that they have a daily collection box at the Township building and are accepting medications during normal business hours. No sharps please.
The fall curbside leaf collection will begin on the 4th Monday in October and end on the first Friday of December.

**The Fall weekly schedule will be as follows:**

**MONDAY – ZONE 1:**
Ammon Avenue, Ash Street, Aspen Lane, Barley Drive, Blue Ridge Drive, Cara Lane, Christopher Drive, Cobblestone Drive, Congo Road, Crystal Lane, Detar Road, Elm Street, Fox Hollow Drive, Hadley Drive, Hampton Circle, Hampton Drive, Hickory Valley Drive, Huntsville Drive, King Drive, Kulp Road, Linsenbiedler Road, Maple Street, Marjessa Drive, E. Middle Creek Road, Mulberry Lane, Municipal Drive, N. Westler Avenue, Nathan Avenue, Nelmor Boulevard, Noble Lane, Oak Street, Samantha Lane, Sassamansville Road, Smith Road, Spruce Street, Swamp Pike, Westbury Drive, Willow Lane and Windover Drive.

**TUESDAY – ZONE 2:**
Arrow Drive, Bow Lane, Bruce Drive, Buchert Road (east of Gilbertsville Road), Creekside Court, Eagle Court, Fadler Drive, Falcon Court, Gilbertsville Road, Hawk Court, Hidden Valley Drive, Hillside Circle, Jordan Drive, Lark Lane, Moore Drive, Moyer Road, Onyx Lane, Patricia Drive, Paul Drive, Pine Lane, S. Westler Avenue, Specht Road, Star Drive, Stephanie Court, Sunny Ridge Road, Swan Court, Thrush Drive, E. Virmay Road, Walter Drive, Wren Road.

**WEDNESDAY – ZONE 3:**
Congo-Niantic Road, Crestview Drive, Fairfield Drive, Fairview Circle, Greenhill Road, Harvest Drive, Heidi Court, Henry Road, Hill Road, Himmelwright Road, Hoffman Road, Hoffmansville Road, Keller Road, Little Road, Lone Pine Road, Miller Road, Niantic Road, Papermill Road, Pheasant Circle, Robin Drive, Scenic View Court, Stone Road, Weller Road, West Branch Road, Wild Run Road and Windward Drive, and Woodland Road.

**THURSDAY – ZONE 4:**
Amadeo Drive, Ashley Circle, Ava Circle, Brian Road, Buchert Road (west of Gilbertsville Road), Clubhouse Circle, Cross Road, Diehl Drive, Fairway Circle, Gilbert Road, Golf Road, Grosser Road, Hawthorne Avenue, Hemlock Drive, Jackson Road, Jamie Circle, Links Road, Martin Avenue, Meadow Drive, Mega Lane, Mensch Lane, Merkel Road, Michelle Circle, Linda Drive, Lois Lane, Penny Lane, Philadelphia Avenue, Rhoads Avenue, Rick Road (east of Route 100), Roberts Road, Second Avenue, Silcox Drive, Summerhill Drive, Sweinhart Road (behind E.G. Landis Jewelers), Third Avenue, Thomas Lane, W. Virmay Drive and Yoder Avenue.

**FRIDAY – ZONE 5:**
Acorn Drive, Adams Court, Bartman Avenue, Broad Street, Buchanan Drive, Cleaver Road, Clover Lane, County Line Road, Douglass Street, Eisenhower Drive, Emerald Road, Estate Road, Fifth Street, Fourth Street, Foxtail Court, Grant Court, Hallowell Road, Highland Avenue, Hillside Drive, Holly Drive, Hoover Court, Lincoln Court, Middle Creek Road (west of Congo Road), Mill Street, Montgomery Avenue, Oak Hill View Drive, Oberholtzer Road, Pinehurst Way, Renninger Road, Roosevelt Drive, Ruby Circle, Schlegel Road, Second Street, Sheiry Court, Swamp Creek Road, Sweinhart Road, Taylor Court, Truman Court and Wilson Avenue.

**CURBSIDE LEAF COLLECTION TIPS…**

- Please rake leaves as close to the road as possible.
- Do not place leaves in front of or behind mailboxes, telephone poles, or street signs.
- Do not park a vehicle in the area of your leaf pile.
- Please do not mix grass clippings or any other yard waste material with your leaves.
- Please rake leaves out the night before your scheduled pick-up date.
- Piles of leaves should measure 2 foot high by 2 foot wide and placed along your curbline. It is ok to place leaves in the roadway along the curb line. Just be sure not to hinder traffic, intersections, sidewalks or storm inlets. Any pile larger than this measurement only slows down our collection process.

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• Large Picnic Pavilion
• Large Outdoor Grill
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CONGO ROAD PARK
475 Congo Road
• Passive Open Spaces
• Wooded Nature Walking Trails
• Picnic Tables
• Boy Scout and Girl Scout Recreation Center

MOYER OPEN SPACE
Congo Road and Hoffmansville Road
• Passive open space

KELLER WOODS OPEN SPACE
Keller Road
• Passive open space

MERKEL ROAD OPEN SPACE
• Passive open space
Douglass Township provides residents with household bulk-waste pickup on regular trash collection days. Bulk-waste stickers must be obtained from the township office for $10 per item. Bulk waste is limited to large household items that are not practical to dispose of in a trash bag. Items should be more than 40 pounds, but not more than 120 pounds, and should not exceed six feet in length. Examples of household bulk waste include kitchen ranges, washers, dryers, furniture and mattresses. Each item must have a sticker attached.

***BULK ITEMS*** Stickers to be purchased at Township Administration Building. $10.00 per sticker.

Note: If you are having a room remodeled, carpeting installed, or drywall, flooring or a deck removed, please have the contractor remove the scrap material, or rent a commercial roll-off container. Douglass Township does not provide for the removal of construction material. This is the responsibility of the homeowner.

No Burning in Douglass Township

On May 3, 2004 the Douglass Township Air Pollution Control Ordinance (Ord. 2004-06) was enacted and ordained by the board of supervisors to permanently ban burning in Douglass Township, Montgomery County Pennsylvania. It was believed at that time that pollution of the air is detrimental to the health, comfort, living conditions, welfare, and safety of the citizens of Douglass Township. The Douglass Township Fire Marshall has been designated as the Air Pollution Control Officer.
RECYCLING WASTE AUDIT

With a little planning and some determination you can reduce the amount and the toxicity of waste you produce while increasing your recycling. You’ll quickly become an expert waste watcher! Below are guidelines for a “walk through waste audit.” The questions will help you become aware of your purchasing habits, as well as your disposal habits.

ANSWER THESE QUESTIONS

On average, how much trash does your household generate each week? You can measure by weight or volume. Volume is usually easier. How many bags or cans of trash are set out each week?

What’s in there? Take a look. You may not want to sort through the trash at the end of each week, since it will have time to “marinate.” As an alternative you can record what you place in the trash during the week. Look at each “disposal site” separately. For an example:

KITCHEN - approximate amounts: of food waste, plastic packaging, plastic bags, bottles, cans etc.

GARAGE/STORE ROOM - paints, motor oil, pesticides, etc.

BEDROOMS - newspapers, magazines, plastics, etc.

HOME OFFICE/FAMILY ROOM - paper, plastic wraps, cans, etc.

BATHROOM - containers, disposable razors, packaging, etc

Are there a lot of disposables in the kitchen or bathroom trash? (Paper towels, plastic or paper cups, plates, disposable razors) Could some be replaced by durable items?

You may not want to completely eliminate the use of paper towels in your kitchen but perhaps you could cut back.

Keep attractive cloth for drying hands while still using paper for cleaning up spills.

Use disposable cups during the cold and flu season and switch back to a reusable cup for most of the year.

How much of your trash is packaging? Studies indicate that packaging accounts for 1/3 of household trash. Perhaps you could:

• Purchase items with less packaging or no packaging. Buy “supersized” for items you routinely purchase
• Buy fruit loose, or in a bag that you are reusing.
• You might need to purchase over-packaged items occasionally if you have a very specific need or to get a real bargain, but as routine, excessive packaging should be avoided.
• Look for packaging that is recyclable in our curbside collection program.
• Look for packaging that is made with recycled materials.
• There are recycled tissue products and recycled paper readily available in our local stores.
• A wide variety of detergents and hair care products are packaged in recycled plastic that can be recycled again.
• Read labels and consider the packaging as well as the product you choose to purchase.
Businesses, Institutions, and Multi Family Dwelling Units

Ordinance 2009-01 and ordinance 2006-06 section 211.2 requires all residents, businesses, institutions, multifamily residential dwellings, and municipal establishments to recycle the following materials in Douglass Township Montgomery County:

- Aluminum
- Glass
- Commingle
- Newspaper
- High grade office paper
- Corrugated cardboard
- Leaf and yard waste

All residential, commercial, institutional, and municipal users, including all multifamily housing properties containing four (4) or more dwelling units shall have a waste collection system established by the owner, landlord, or agent of the owner or landlord to comply with Act 101. A collection system must include suitable containers for collecting and sorting materials, easily accessible locations for the containers and written instructions to the occupants concerning the use and availability of the collection system. The collection system provided shall require separation of recyclable materials selected by the township and collection of recyclables at least one (1) day each month. The owner, landlord, or agent for the same shall submit an annual report to the Township on or before January 31 of the following year indicating the total weight of recyclable materials collected during the prior year, providing documentation, when requested, to the township.

Storm Drain Stenciling Program Puts Message On The Street About Water Quality

You may be seeing groups of kids and adults roaming the streets of Douglass Township putting decals on storm drain inlets. They are volunteers for Douglass Township’s storm drain stenciling project. Volunteers will mark street curbs near storm drains with a permanent message stating “Rain Only Drains to Creek” in an effort to help with our storm water management program.

The storm drain stenciling project is one of many activities aimed at preventing trash, pet waste and household chemicals from entering our streets, which are an important local environmental resource, through the storm sewer system.

When it rains, water rushes down streets and parking lots, driveways and sidewalks, roofs and yards, carrying everything it picks up along the way into drains, which are the entry point into the storm sewer system. This system discharges storm water directly to local streams without treatment.

The storm drain stenciling project is part of a larger storm water management program that strives to keep local creeks free of trash, dirt and chemicals, such as used motor oil, by promoting smart practices that will reduce sources of pollution.

Through storm drain stenciling, we hope to increase residents’ awareness about the connection between the street and their yards, storm drains, and the storm sewer systems.

There are things that everyone can do to reduce the amount of trash, debris, pet waste and harmful chemicals carried by storm water. The most basic way to help is to never dump anything you wouldn’t drink or swim in down a storm drain.

Other ways to help are picking up pet waste, properly disposing of household chemicals such as paints and cleaning supplies, sweeping driveways and sidewalks instead of hosing them off, and washing cars at car wash facilities or on lawns rather than in driveways.

If you have any questions on the storm water program, contact the township office. And the next time it rains, consider where it the storm water drains!
Put a FREEZE on Winter Fires

Home fires occur more in winter than in any other season. As you stay cozy and warm this winter season, be fire smart!

**DEC JAN FEB**

Half of all home heating fires occur in the months of December, January and February.

Heating equipment is involved in 1 in every 7 reported home fires and 1 in every 5 home fire deaths.

Keep anything that can burn at least 3 feet from any heat source like fireplaces, wood stoves, radiators or space heaters.

Keep portable generators outside, away from windows, and as far away as possible from your home.

Install and test carbon monoxide alarms at least once a month.

Plug only 1 heat-producing appliance (such as a space heater) into an electrical outlet at a time.

Have a qualified professional clean and inspect your chimney and vents every year.

Store cooled ashes in a tightly covered metal container, and keep it outside at least 10 feet from your home and any nearby buildings.

For more information on how to prevent winter fires, visit www.usfa.fema.gov/winter and www.nfpa.org/winter.
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**MEETINGS**

The Board of Supervisors: the 1st and 3rd Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m.  
Planning Agency: the 2nd Thursday of each month at 7 p.m.  
Zoning Hearing Board: at the call of the Chairman

**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

Alan Keiser – Chairman  
Joshua Stouch – Vice Chairman  
VACANT – Supervisor

**TAX COLLECTOR**

Rebecca Zern  
76 Merkel Road  
Gilbertsville, PA 19525  
Phone: 610-367-5257

**FIRST RESPONDERS**

Gilbertsville Area Community Ambulance Service  
91 Jackson Road  
Gilbertsville, PA 19525  
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Gilbertsville Fire and Rescue  
P.O. Box 454, 1456 E. Philadelphia Ave.  
Gilbertsville, PA 19525  
Emergencies: Dial 911 • Non-Emergencies: 610-367-0277

Douglass Township Police Department  
Police Office: 610-367-0466  
Chief of Police: Barry L. Templin Jr.  
1320 E. Philadelphia Ave.  
Gilbertsville, PA 19525  
Emergencies: Dial 911  
Non-emergencies (24 hours): 610-327-1441

Douglass Township Highway Department  
610-367-0984

Douglass Township Recycling Department  
610-367-2381

**TAXES**

Tax Collector – Rebecca Zern  
76 Merkel Road • Gilbertsville, PA 19525 • Phone: 610-367-5257

Real Estate Taxes – Douglass Township residents are billed annually for three separate real estate taxes as follows:

- **Boyertown Area School District** 27.33 mills
- **Montgomery County** 3.459 mills
- **Douglass Township** 2.3 mills

**THANK YOU TO THE BUSINESSES!**

Douglass Township would like to thank the businesses that appear in this newsletter and to recognize them each as supporters and cornerstones of our community. For it is with their contributions that this newsletter has been produced at no charge to our residents. The Township would like to further request that citizens, in response, patronize these businesses first when given a choice as these businesses are saving each citizen tax dollars.
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