Dickinson Township

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	Township Meeting Schedule					
	April 2022			July 2022		
4	Board of Supervisors	6:00pm	5	Board of Supervisors	6:00pm	
13	Planning Commission	6:00pm	13	Planning Commission	6:00pm	
18	Board of Supervisors	6:00pm	18	Board of Supervisors	6:00pm	
25	Park & Recreation	5:00pm	25	Park & Recreation	5:00pm	
26	Municipal Authority	5:00pm	26	Municipal Authority	5:00pm	
27	Zoning Hearing Board	5:00pm	27	Zoning Hearing Board	5:00pm	
	May 2022			August 2022		
2	Board of Supervisors	6:00pm	1	Board of Supervisors	6:00pm	
12	Planning Commission	6:00pm	10	Planning Commission	6:00pm	
16	Board of Supervisors	6:00pm	15	Board of Supervisors	6:00pm	
23	Park & Recreation	5:00pm	22	Park & Recreation	5:00pm	
24	Municipal Authority	5:00pm	23	Municipal Authority	5:00pm	
25	Zoning Hearing Board	5:00pm	24	Zoning Hearing Board	5:00pm	

June 2022				September 2022		
	6	Board of Supervisors	6:00pm	6	Board of Supervisors	6:00pm
	8	Planning Commission	6:00pm	14	Planning Commission	6:00pm
	20	Board of Supervisors	6:00pm	19	Board of Supervisors	6:00pm
	22	Zoning Hearing Board	5:00pm	26	Park & Recreation	5:00pm
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	28	Municipal Authority	5:00pm	28	Zoning Hearing Board	5:00pm

Holidays



May 17, 2022 - Primary Election May 30, 2022 - Memorial Day Jul. 4, 2022 - Independence Day Sep. 5, 2022 - Labor Day Nov. 8, 2022 - General Election Nov. 11, 2022 - Veterans Day Nov. 24-25, 2022 - Thanksgiving Dec. 23-26, 2022 - Christmas

Apr. 15, 2022 - Good Friday

Kings Gap Environmental Education Center



500 Kings Gap Road, Carlisle, PA 1701.5 Open every day—Sunrise to Sunset

Phone # 717-486-5031 Email: Kingsgapsp@pa.gov

Manager - Gavin Smith

All meetings are held at the Township Municipal Building at 219 Mountain View Road in Mt. Holly Springs, PA 17065. Please visit www.dickinsontownship.org or call the Township for more information.

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Dickinson Township Newsletter

Volume 22, Issue 01

Meet the New Appointees Inside this issue:

Rob Kole (Elected Township Supervisor) Appointees/ Fees /P&R/ When I moved my family to Dickinson

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Upcoming Events

All Parks &

Recreation events

have been

postponed

indefinitely until

further notice

ing/Vector Control

Appointed Officials

Upcoming Meetings

Iolidays / Kings Gap

Township in 2005, I believed that I had moved to the promise land! We have often referred to Dickinson Township as the best kept secret in Central PA. We have an amazing blend of mountains, streams, farmland, small community neighborhood developments, and a vast array of small and large private properties. It's an amazing place to live and I hope to retire here. I am a small business owner of a local insurance agency in Carlisle. I enjoy playing volleyball, golf, and I recently finished an Ironman triathlon race in Lake Placid New York last July. I am humbled and honored to be elected to my first public office and to serve the Township as a Supervisor. My vision is to bring a neighborly experience to local government. I plan to listen, communicate, and follow through on commitments. I would encourage you to reach out to me personally or come out to our Township meetings to say hello and share what is on your mind. Let's work together to ensure that Dickinson Township continues to be that best kept secret!

Kyle Snyder (Public Works)

Kyle recently joined the Public Works crew. He was born and raised in Dickinson Township and graduated from Carlisle High School. Kyle comes to us from a municipal background and looks forward to expanding his knowledge. Kyle enjoys spending time with his wife Emilee, their one year old daughter Neva, and walking his dog Kody. His hobbies include camping, hunting, and fishing. In his spare time he likes making chainsaw carvings.

A Note from the Manager

This will be a busy year for the Township as the Supervisors work with staff on the implementation and adoption of the Updated Comprehensive Plan. The Comp Plan is a long-range policy plan for Townships to help with future goals, objectives and strategies. The Planning Commission has spent countless meetings and hours reviewing and updating the Plan to better align with the newly adopted Zoning Ordinance. The Supervisors will now review the draft for adoption. The Township encourages residents to attend the Comp Plan workshops that will be held on the first Monday of every month at 6 PM.

We are excited to share that Staff have been working with the Cumberland County Conservation District, Planning Department and PA Trout Unlimited on a grant for a stream bank restoration and a native plant restoration project at Stuart Park.

As the weather warms up, you will see the public works crew begin to ramp up on the 2022 road work preparations to include cross pipe replacements, roadside grading, and patch repairs. Please be patient and slow down while driving through construction areas. View the Township website for construction notifications and updates on

In closing, the Township is in dire need of volunteers for the Park & Recreation Board and the Planning Commission. If you are interested in serving, please reach out to staff at (717) 486-7424.

> Larry Barrick Jr. Have a great Spring!!!

Coronavirus Precautions

ATTENTION

COVID-19

To minimize the spread of the COVID-19 virus, the Township Supervisors will continue to implement some preventative measures to protect our Township Residents & Staff.

Keep up to date on Township business proceedings and meetings via our website.

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Www.Dickinsontownship.org

* Building/Zoning permits * Subdivision & Land Development * Stormwater * Road Occupancy * Park Rental * Administrative





CURB WATER POLLUTION Start in Your Own Back Yard

- ♦ Set mower height to 3 inches or higher.
- Retain grass clippings and chopped leaves onsite.
- Keep clippings/leaves out of streams, drains & off the street.
- Fertilizers for your lawn do you need them?
- Test your soil, consult a professional or certified applicator.
- Maximize the slow-release nitrogen in your fertilizer.
- Start with low amounts or fewer applications.
- Apply only during the growing season and check the weather.
- Do not fertilize/use pesticides within 15-20' of a stream.
- Sweep granulated chemicals back onto your lawn.
- Garden fertilizer alternatives include compost/manure.

Septic Haulers

The following is a list of approved septic haulers.

Advanced Septic Service Central Penn Septic LLC Groff's Septic Service Peck's Septic Service Premier Property Service

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Precision Paving & Septic Rosenberry's Septic Service Young's Sanitary Septic Service

Baymont on Call Smith's Septic

Dillsburg Excavating Septic, Inc.

Chamberlin & Wingert Sanitary Services, LLC

D & D Septic & Toilet Rentals

Division of Still Waters, Inc. 2050 Spring Road Carlisle, PA 17013

717-249-1082

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Know Your Legislators

State Representative Barb Gleim (199th District)



(717) 249-1990

State Senator Mike Regan (31st District)

1 E. Harrisburg St., Dillsburg, PA 17019 (717) 432-1730

Governor Tom Wolf

508 Main Capitol Bldg, Harrisburg, PA 17120 (717) 787-2500

United States Congress Representative John Joyce (13th District)

100 Lincoln Way E., Suite B, Chambersburg, PA 17201 (717) 753-6344

United States Senator Pat Toomey

228 Walnut St., Suite 1104, Harrisburg, PA 17101

United States Senator Bob Casey, Jr.

200 N. Third St., Suite 14A, Harrisburg, PA 17101 (717)231-7540

REFLECTIVE HOUSE NUMBER SIGNS

Purchase through the Township



Price-\$23.00 (Vertical or Horizontal)

Residents shall comply with Ordinance 2 of 1996, which requires properties to be identified with a number placed to clearly identify the location, in an effort to assist the emergency services in locating you.

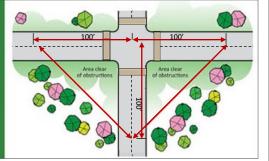
Noncommercial Keeping of Livestock

For any questions or concerns regarding the keeping of noncommercial livestock on your property please refer to Dickinson Township Zoning Ordinance Chapter 205-104.

CLEAR SIGHT TRIANGLES

As per Dickinson Township Zoning Ordinance Chapter 205-22A: Corner Lots: No obstruction to vision exceeding 30" in height above street level shall be erected or maintained within a 100' clear sight triangle formed by the centerline of intersecting streets. Due to safety concerns this could cause when pulling out of intersections, this Ordinance will be enforced.

Sight Distance **Explained**



Example of a 100' clear sight triangle

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ADMINISTRATION

Larry Barrick - Township Manager manager@dickinsontownship.org Glenn Kelso - Zoning & Codes Enforcement Officer zoning@dickinsontownship.org Marge Bear - Assistant Manager/Secretary/Treasurer treasurer@dickinsontownship.org Laci Hockenberry - Receptionist/Asst Secretary township@dickinsontownship.org Glenn Kelso - Public Works Director Mike Kinsler - Public Works Road Foreman Tim Bernhisel - Public Works Department Vacant - Public Works Department Kevin Maines - Public Works Department Kyle Snyder - Public Works Department Barry Shughart- Emergency Management Coordinator Charles Westcott - Emergency Services Administrator

Barry Shughart - Assistant Emergency Services Administrator

AUDITORS

Ali Tanveer, term expires 12/31/25 VACANT, term expires 12/31/23 Patrick Carmody, term expires 12/31/27

WASTE MANAGEMENT 1-800-633-9096

COMCAST 1-800-391-3000

TAX COLLECTOR 717-486-5907

Carolyn McQuillen, term expires 12/31/21 1044 Pine Road, Carlisle PA 17015

SEWAGE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER 717-339-0612

Gilbert Picarelli

Sheriff's Office

143 Carlisle Street, Gettysburg PA 17325 gilp@kpitech.net

STATE CONSTABLE 717-422-8047
Kurt Houpt

 CUMBERLAND CO. COURTHOUSE

 Bureau of Elections
 717-240-6385

 Burning (County Control)
 717-243-4121

 Commissioners
 717-240-6150

 District Attorney
 717-240-6210

 Recorder of Deeds
 717-240-6370

 Recycling & Waste Authority
 717-240-6489

717-240-6390

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

<u>Lorelei Coplen</u> - Chairwoman, term expires 12/31/23 lcoplen@dickinsontownship.org

Robert Line, III - Vice Chairman, term expires 12/31/25 rline@dickinsontownship.ora

Rob Kole - Supervisor, term expires 12/31/27 rkole@dickinsontownship.org

MPL (Christian Miller) - Solicitor

Jason Reichard - Engineer (C.S. Davidson, Inc.)

PLANNING COMMISSION

Earl Bock - Chairman - term expires 12/31/23Beth Kikla - Vice Chairwoman - term expires 12/31/22Elizabeth Grant, Secretary - term expires 12/31/25Robert Line, III - term expires 12/31/23Nathan Merkel - term expires 12/31/24Justin Smith - term expires 12/31/24Vacant - term expires 12/31/25MPL (Christian Miller) - Solicitor

PARK & RECREATION COMMITTEE

Vacant - Chairwoman - term expires 12/31/24
Julie Quigley - term expires 12/31/22
Vacant - term expires 12/31/25
August Ginter - Vice Chairman - term expires 12/31/23
Alex Surcica - term expires 12/31/26

MUNICIPAL AUTHORITY

Harold Cooney - term expires 12/31/25
Dennis Straub Chairman - term expires 12/31/23
Thomas Smith - term expires 12/31/23
Robert Line, III Vice Chairman - term expires 12/31/22
Doug Campbell Secretary - term expires 12/31/24
Susan J. Smith - Solicitor

ZONING HEARING BOARD

Gerald Eby - term expires 12/31/23 Dennis Calaman - term expires 12/31/24 Paul Strizzi - term expires 12/31/22 Ken Giffhorn (Alternates) - terms expire 12/31/22 Steven Stine - Solicitor

AGRICULTURAL SECURITY AREA ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Lorelei Coplen - Supervisor David Walton - Active Farmer Dennis Calaman - Active Farmer Robert Line, III - Active Farmer Kristina Lotwick - Citizen Representative Volume 22, Issue 01 Page 3

Parks & Recreation News

Stuart & Lindenwood Parks

A restroom/storage building is being constructed at Stuart Park and should be completed by late spring 2022.

The Park & Recreation Board and Board of Supervisors have completed a Site Development Plan for developing Stuart and Lindenwood Parks. This Plan will be used as a quide and tool for future recreational needs.



Volunteers are needed to serve as members on the Park & Recreation Board. If you, or someone you know is interested in serving, contact the Township Office. There are currently two vacancies. Get involved!

2022 Household Hazardous Waste

Thurs. April 14 from 11 am—5 pm Sat. June 4 from 9 am—3 pm Sat. Aug. 6 from 9 am—3 pm

Thurs. Oct. 27 from 11 am—5 pm Appointment required— see website ccpa.net Fee of \$0.50/lb.

Cumberland County Recycling Center | 1001 Claremont Road, Carlisle, PA



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1231 Ritner Highway Carlisle PA 17013

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Pavilion Rentals

Stuart Park

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Call (717) 486-7424 to make a reservation.

Residential Rate: \$40 Non-Resident Rate: \$50

Security deposit of \$15 due at time of reservation, which is refunded if the pavilion is cleaned after use.

Medication Drop Off Locations

Carlisle Borough Police Dept.—240 Lincoln St, Carlisle
Carlisle State Police—2 Dunwoody Dr, Carlisle

Cumberland County Courthouse—

One Courthouse Square, Carlisle

Dickinson College Dept. of Public Safety—

(Kauffman Bldg.) 400 W. North St, Carlisle
Mt. Holly Springs Police Dept—

200 Harman St., Mt. Holly Springs

Call (717) 240-6489 for more information

2022 Proposed Road Improvements

Contract 1:

Pipe replacement, stormwater improvements, tree removal, grade and resurface Georgetown, Chestnut Ridge, and Starner Station. Roads

Contract 1 Alternate 1:

Pipe replacement, stormwater improvements, resurface Holly Estates Drive, Piney Court and Peach Court.

Contract 1 Alternate 2:

Pipe replacement, stormwater improvements, grade, base repair, resurface Myerstown Road (Old State to Pine Grove)

Contract 2:

Double application of Chip Seal on Cold Springs Road, White Oak Drive and Stuart Road

Contract 2 Alternate 1:

Skim Patch, chip seal W. Yellow Breeches Road (Montsera to Stuart

Contract 2 Alternate 2:

Skim Patch, Chip Seal W. Yellow Breeches Road (Stuart to N. Dickinson School).

Bridge Replacement on Peach Glen and N. Dickinson School Road.

Stormwater improvements and surface Half Mile Drive (Carlisle to Old State).

Remove embankments and widen to improve sight distance at the Burnt House Road and Ritner Highway intersection.

Permanently close the southern most intersection of Old State and Carlisle Road and construct a cul-de-sac



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Online Voter Registration Available

The PA Department of State offers online voter registration for the primary and general elections. The form can be found at register.votesPA.com.



The deadline for registering is 30 days prior to each election. You can also register to vote at a PA Department of Transportation photo license center or at many state government offices. Call 1-877-VOTESPA (1-877-868-3772).

New Ordinances & Resolutions

Res. 2021 -06 Mike Kistler sewage module Approved 10/18/2021

Res. 2021 -07 2022 Budget Approved 11/15/2021.

Res. 2022 –01 Fee Schedule Approved 1/3/2022.

Res. 2022-02 Designating Depository Approved 1/3/2022.

Res. 2022-03 Oppose I-83 South bridge toll Approved 1/17/22.

Municipal Recycling Program

Recycle Right means "Clean" Recycling



So what can I recycle?

While recycling is the first step in the process, it's important to put materials in the cart or bin that actually belong there. Most importantly, we need your help to reduce the contamination of clean recycling materials by separating those with organic material on them. Know before you throw! Check the Township website for more information.

Combine #1 - #7 plastics, jars, aluminum and steel food containers. Please wash all plastics, and metals, remove all caps/rings before you recycle them.



Rinse plastic and metal containers to remove as much organic

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STORM WATER PERMITS

* * REMINDER

All construction projects with over 1,000 square feet of impervious coverage requires a Storm Water Plan. This includes structures, driveways, sidewalks and patios.

Contact Glenn Kelso for further information:

(717) 486-7424 Ext. 206

PA State Police

As warmer weather approaches, there is typically an uptick of vehicle break-ins. Remember to keep valuables out of sight, and your car doors locked. We give every effort to find those responsible, not all crimes can be solved.

As the income tax deadline nears, scammers will call and pretend to be from the IRS, demanding payment. No legitimate agency will ask for payment over the phone, payment via gift cards, nor payment through services like Western Union. Don't make yourself an easy victim. If it sounds suspicious or you have doubt, go with your instinct.



The Five Steps to Safer Digging

Always Dial 8-1-1 before Digging

Wait the required Amount of Time (3 business days) Locate Accurately * Respect the Marks * Dig Carefully Watch Video: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5u7Ksl2rENM



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Plans, Applications and Subdivisions

Approved:

<u>Kistler</u>

Final Plan approved 10-18-2021

West Cumberland Partners Final Plan approved 12-20-2021.

Ream - Cantwell,

VOTE

Final Plan approved 1-3-2022

the Club at cvatclub@gmail.com

Primary Election

Tuesday, May 17, 2022

Polling Place open 7 AM - 8 PM

Last day to register to vote - May 2

Last day to submit Absentee Ballot—May 17

Appalachian Trail

Cumberland Valley Appalachian Trail Club (CVATC) is looking

for active volunteers. Website http://www.cvatclub.org. Email





Cynthia Stratton-Thompson is

The Amelia S. Givin Library

Mt. Holly Springs, PA 17065

114 N Baltimore Avenue

Amelia S. Givin Library

the Director of the Amelia Givin Library in Mt. Holly Springs. Call the library at (717) 486-3688 for information on the numerous events held at the Library. There are many events for all ages to include children, teens, and adults. Many events may require pre-registration so contact the Library for a full listing of events and additional details.

Newsletter Mailing



The Township newsletter is distributed biannually to keep the residents informed. To be removed from the mailing list, call the Township office at 717-486-7424 or send an email to treasurer@dickinsontownship.org.

NUISANCE ORDINANCE

REMINDER: Trees and shrubs located within the Township's right-ofway are the responsibility of the homeowner. Please remember to trim or remove dead, dying, or overgrown vegetation before it becomes a nuisance.

Septic Pumping/Inspection Reminder

The Township staff has forwarded reminders to residents requiring septic pumping in 2022. It is required that every owner of an individual sewage system have septage or other solids removed from the treatment tank at least once every 3 years. Proof of pumping and/or inspection shall be provided by the owner of the individual system within 30 days of the date of service to the Township, along with the required \$10 administrative fee, which helps to offset administrative costs. Please visit www.dickinsontownship.org for more information, including required forms and a list of approved septic haulers.

The alternative is to have a Registered Septic Hauler or Inspection Company perform a "sludge test" to verify there is no more than 1/3 of the capacity of the tank filled with solids. If this is the case, you will receive a waiver from the pumping requirements until the next 3 year cycle. A report must be submitted for the solids inspection, along with the \$10 administrative fee.

<u>Cumberland</u> County Vector <u>Control</u>

Sign up for "Notify Me" emails to stay informed on the West Nile Virus Program aimed to protect citizens from mosquitoborne disease. Visit www.ccpa.net/ westnile., or con-

tact 717-240-

7808.

Mosquito Complaints? Standing Water? Contact us!



Cumberland County Vector Control

West Nile Virus Program Katie Seymore, West Nile Technician (717) 240-7808 www.ccpa.net/vector



Department of Environmental Protection www.westnile.state.pa.us



Centers for Disease Control and Prevention www.cdc.gov/westnile/index.html

Cumberland County Electronics Recycling Center 1001 Claremont Rd., Carlisle, PA

The Cumberland County Electronics Recycling Center accepts televisions (DO NOT disassemble). Refer to their website for details to include the list of acceptable and unacceptable items, costs, directions, etc. https://www.ccpa.net/3377/Electronics-Recycling-Center -Accepting. Hours of Operation: Tues. & Wed. 12 - 4 PM 2nd & 4th Saturday 8 AM -12 PM