# New Salem Borough



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## **Street Repaving**

Resurfacing of Palmer Avenue and Robin Hood at drain repair area – The CFA (Commonwealth Financing Authority) LSA Cat 3 grant, in the amount of \$85,268, has been secured for this project with an estimated cost of \$145,000. The contract with Kinsley states the project must be completed by October 31.

**Robin Hood Drive – Water Leak** – The northern end of Robin Hood continues to undergo repairs by York Water Company with the oversight of our borough engineer.

### **Fall Leaf Collection**

Pick up will be on Mondays beginning November 3 and ending December 5 weather permitting.

- Only leaves will be collected—no grass, branches or foreign objects.
- Please do not park near leaf piles.
- Bad weather may delay pick up.
- Leaves must be placed curbside along the streets, not to exceed 4 ft. high and 4 ft. wide.

## Look what's happening...

**Trick or Treat** in New Salem Borough will be on October 31 from 6:00-8:00 PM. Those who would like to participate are asked to turn on their porch light. The Lion's Club will be distributing treat bags at the square during that time.

The General Election will be held on Tuesday, November 4, 2024. Reminder that the polling place has been changed to Genesis Church. For information on registration or mail-in ballots go to yorkcountypa.gov.

## **Community Yard Sale**

The **Community Yard Sale** is planned *tentatively* for Thursday, April 23 through Saturday, April 25, 2026 from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm. We are looking for a resident to be willing to place signs and do some social media. There will be no charge and the entire Borough is encouraged to participate, including our businesses.

## **Emergency Services**



**EMS/Ambulance Service** – If interested, and you have not received an ambulance membership in the mail, go to <u>ambulancebillingoffice.com</u> or call (717) 736-4666.

#### **Police Services**



#### **Northern York County Regional Police Department**

The new 35,000 square foot operations facility is complete and open for business. On Saturday, September 13 there was a ribbon cutting ceremony which was attended by approximately 200 guests.

The property was donated for the facility and they are working a capital campaign. <u>Click Here</u> to find more details on the state-of-the-art building and the capital campaign.



Fire and Emergency Service – York New Salem Fire Company and North Codorus Fire Company coordinate services and responses to emergencies in the borough. Please follow both websites and Facebook pages for community activities.

## Caring for our properties...

**Snow removal** is required per New Salem Borough Code. It requires all property owners to remove snow and ice from their sidewalks within 24 hours from the end of precipitation. Snow and ice must be removed to a width of not less than 30 inches to provide a clear path for pedestrian traffic.

If not removed, the borough may clear the area and bill the residents for the work. Snow and ice are not to be thrown into the street. For public safety please consider clearing fire hydrants.

**Sidewalk and Curbs** – Owners hold the responsibility to keep sidewalks clear and free of tripping hazards. According to the ordinance, shrubs must be trimmed to the **vertical plane of the edge of the sidewalk** and there must be a **head clearing of 8 feet**.

Please be proactive in this primarily for safety reasons. Secondly, it is costly for our codes enforcement officer to inspect, notify owners, and follow-up on properties that are unsafe.

### Who to call...

I need to have a large item picked up with my trash?

You can just put it out with your trash. It may be helpful to call Penn Waste (717-767-4456) to make sure they have what they need to remove your item.

Who do I call for clarification on paying my sewer bill?

Call York Water Company for answers to your questions about your sewer bill or payment (717-845-3601). As a reminder your water bill account is different from your sewer bill.

#### Does the secretary have office hours?

Office hours are by appointment. Phone hours are Monday through Friday, 8:00 - 4:30.



Sign up for Savvy Citizen to receive alerts, news, and event information from the Borough. Tell your neighbors as this is the best way to get Borough and community information. https://savvycitizenapp.com

#### What do I do if I've found a stray dog?

If you find a stray dog, you should call 911. If you have the dog contained, they will contact our contracted dog service. That service will seek to find the owner or take it to a shelter. If the dog is not contained and appears dangerous, 911 will give you instructions.

#### Do I need a permit for my remodel?

It's always best to check with Zoning and Codes Officer Mike Hammers regarding permits. If something is built or remodeled out of code, there could be a costly correct. Better safe than sorry.

#### Office Contact Info...

Office: 717-996-1572

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#### Your Elected Officials...

Mayor.....Edward R. Mundorf
Council.....Kim E. Martin, *President* 

William F. Baldauf, *Vice President*Peter E. Partridge, *President Pro Tem* 

Sue Ann Becker George K. Donavos Bryan A. Pugh

Harvey E. Thumma, Jr.

Tax Collector.....Stephanie J. Mundorf,

717-793-9001, smundorf@comcast.net

## Your Borough Officials...

Secretary/Treasurer .......Judy Albright, 717-996-1572

Zoning & Code Enforcement Officer and

Building Codes Officer......Mike Hammers,

717-870-7753, newsalembco@gmail.com

### Mayor's Meeting

First Thursday of each month 6:30 – 7:30 pm At the Borough Building

Come ask questions and get to know the mayor.