Households within the Township are able to drop off 4 loads of brush and bulk items, per calendar year. Additional loads will be $25.00 each, to be pre-paid at the Municipal Services Center. Electronics will not be accepted at this location. We were notified that the hhgregg store, located on the Carlisle Pike in Mechanicsburg, is now accepting televisions for recycling.

Deliveries of wood chips to Lower Allen residents will continue on Thursday and Friday mornings, through early November. At this time, leaf compost is still available for pick up/self-load only. If residents would like to fill containers of the product, they can do so during normal business hours. The compost will be available for deliveries in late September. Pre-payment must be made at the Municipal Services Center, before deliveries can be scheduled. Product can be self-loaded during regular business hours, Monday – Friday, 7:00am – 2:30pm, or the second Saturday of each month, through November, 8:00am – 1:00pm.

During the month, the Public Works garage received a much overdue cleaning, in preparation for the floors to be sealed (pictured above). This job was contracted out and took about three days to complete. sealing these floors should protect the cement from the road salt, which was eating areas of the floor, inside the garage. Since the inside of the building got a makeover, crews also spent a day pulling out old overgrown shrubs and removing years and years of wood chips from around the building. The areas were seeded with grass, for easy maintenance.
The new laws, mandated by The PA Department of Environment Protection, concerning drain inlets and what goes into them, are being implemented at the Public Works facility. During the month, screened baskets were installed in the drains at the shop. These baskets (pictured below), will catch debris and contaminates before entering the drain system. The PA DEP was on site, towards the end of the month, for the MS4 inspection at our facility, and we passed with no negative comments.

![Screened baskets](image1.png)

Along with our normal daily maintenance, the following jobs were completed in July:

- Cleaned drain tops
- Repaired drain pipe on Allendale Way
- Repaired drain pipe at the Lisburn Fire Company
- Milled and blacktopped bad spots on Cedar Cliff Drive
- Milled and blacktopped needed areas on West Shore Drive
- Sign repairs/replacements (7 PA-One Calls)
- Vegetation control spraying and tree trimming at Township parks
- Tiger mowing completed at Beacon Hill radar site and Moreland pond.
- Roadside mowing throughout the Township
- Removed downed tree on the Beacon Hill trail

Meetings:
- Safety Meeting – (Bob Nailor)
- Department Head Meeting (2) – Bob Nailor
- PW monthly meeting – (All PW employees)

Respectfully submitted,

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