

LOWER ALLEN TOWNSHIP

1400 Saint Johns Road * CAMP HILL, PENNSYLVANIA 17011-8033

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

MONTHLY REPORT SEPTEMBER, 2019

Deliveries of wood chips and leaf compost, to Lower Allen residents, will continue on Thursday and Friday mornings, through early November. 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 – 3:00pm, or the second Saturday of each month, through November, 8:00am – 1:00pm.

Leaf collection will start on October 21st. and continue through the week of December 9th. Leaves will not be collected during the Thanksgiving holiday break, November 28th – December 2nd. Collection areas will be updated daily, on the Township website, making easy reference for residents as to when leaves in their area will be picked up.

The Public Works building expansion is moving along. Contractors were on site to excavate and pour, the new footer, towards the end of August. Pictured below, is the existing, back side of the Public Works building.



Once the footer was completed, the framing and roof panels were delivered.

Another crew was contracted to install and assemble the frame work and roof.

The extension to the building, is needed, so equipment can be kept dry and free of rust.



During construction, moving trucks and equipment trailers around the building has been a concern. We ask everyone, coming into the facility, to use caution and take some extra time, to be mindful of other individual vehicle and pedestrian safety. The expansion is projected to be completed in January of 2020.

Parks crews were busy wood chipping and tree trimming in selected Township parks. Field use at Pete's, Wass and LACP are wrapping up for the year. Over seeding of athletic fields and fertilization was completed during the month. The Dillsburg Soccer tournament will be the last big event at the Community Park, for the 2019 season. The event will be held over the Columbus Day weekend, October 12th/13th. Water fountains and restroom facilities, in parks that offer those amenities, will be shut down in mid-October, for the season.

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

- . Roadway vegetation control
- . Screened leaves with County machine
- . Traffic control during, line painting for Penn DOT.
- . Cleaned swale at Colgate and Cedar Cliff Drive
- . Milled and blacktopped an area on Hartzdale Drive
- . Removed shingles and rotted boards from the LACP Upper pavilion
- . Removed black top around building expansion
- . Cleaned inlet grates, throughout the Township
- . Delivered and picked up barricades from Flincheys
- . Delivered and picked up barricades from Highland park block party
- . Street sweeping trouble areas where drains flood with leaves
- . Painted pavilion at Peters Field
- . Cleaned swale at Creekwood Park
- . Installed drain box and trench pipe @ 2 Amherst Drive
- . Moved screened leaf compost from Yetter, to Public Works
- . Repaired drainpipe @ 1748 Sheepford Road
- . Repaired drain @ 18 Cornell Drive

Meetings: Safety Meeting – (Ben Peters)
Department Head Meeting (2) – Bryan Harshbarger
Budget meetings – (Bryan Harshbarger, Tom Stambaugh, Mark D’Agostino)
County recycling meeting – (Ryan Turpin and Ben Peters)

Respectfully submitted,

Bryan Harshbarger,
Public Works Coordinator