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Township of Ligonier • One Municipal Park Drive • Ligonier, PA 15658

A Newsletter For Our Residents

July • August • September 2014

TOWNSHIP NEWS

Road Sealing

Road sealing in the Township is tentatively scheduled to begin on August 25, 2014. The roads that are scheduled to be done are: Country Club Road, Barron Road, McDowell Road, Deeds Road, Dickey Road, Weller Road, Serena Road, Lake View Road, Singer Way, McKelvey Road, Clifford Woods Road, Piper Road, West Road, Griffith Road, Kissell Springs Road, Hall Road, Horner Hill Road, Center Street, School Street, Darr Street, California Avenue, Weimer Alley and Locust Street. Please be cautious when traveling in these areas where work is being done.

Municipal Authority

Ligonier Township Municipal Authority is pleased to announce the roll out of their new software program. Customers now have the ability to go to our website at www.ligtwpwater.com to sign up for the new customer portal.

The Customer Portal offers the ability to view, print and pay online. Customers utilizing the ACH option will not have a service charge. Customers will also be able to view balances, usage and history.

LTMA will also now accept the following forms of payment: American Express, Discover, MasterCard and Visa (service charge applies). We still accept checks, money orders and cash. Lock box is available in the front door of the Township building.

Consumer Confidence Reports are available online or a hard copy can be obtained at the office.

Our secretarial staff now includes Joyce Zickefoose and Haidee Street. Office hours are 7:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Monday through Friday.

TAX COLLECTOR

By Sue R. Kinsey

Ligonier Township Fall Taxes (school) will be mailed out on August 1, 2014. If you do not receive your statement, please contact the Tax Office. Failure to receive a statement does not relieve the taxpayers of the responsibility of payment. Tax statements are no longer mailed to the mortgage companies for payment. Taxpayers are responsible for sending the tax statement to the mortgage companies. When paying installment payments, the last day to pay your 1st School Installment payment is September 30; last day to pay your 2nd Installment payment is October 31; the last day to pay your 3rd Installment payment is November 30; if you pay after these dates on your installment payment there will be a 10% penalty added. The last day to pay school taxes (fall) at discount is September 30, 2014. If paying by mail or through the door slot, make sure to enclose the statement and a self-addressed stamped envelope with the payment if you wish to receive a receipt. Ligonier Township

Spring taxes (county and township) are at Penalty until December 31, 2014. An after-hour, drop-off slot is available to accept payments before or after normal business hours. Change of mailing address protocol: Address request forms are available at the tax office to be mailed to:

Westmoreland County Real Property Tax Division
ATTN: Address Change:
40 North Pennsylvania Ave. Suite 440
Greensburg, PA 15601

OFFICE HOURS:

Tuesday thru Thursday - 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon
and 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Friday - 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon

Last Saturday of September
9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

724-238-2300

TOWNSHIP NEWS

Meet Your Local Fire Companies Night

The members of Ligonier Valley Fire Companies invite you to meet with us and learn about the important work of providing emergency services in our community. On the evening of July 16th from 6:00 to 9:00 p.m., we will be displaying apparatus from our four local fire companies in the parking lot of Holy Trinity Church in Ligonier. Volunteers from Darlington, Ligonier, Waterford and Wilpen will be on hand to explain the functions of the equipment and its use in various types of emergencies. Lyle Boyd, President of Ligonier Valley



Fire Companies and a longtime member of the Waterford Fire Company, explained: "It's vitally important for our local citizens to understand what is involved with providing emergency services in the community. That includes understanding the types of equipment we use, the cost of acquiring it and the training needed to use it effectively." Mark your calendar. The whole family is invited. We'll see you on the 16th. Contact Person: Phil Fleming 724-238-7990

Fund Raiser

Fire protection is one of the responsibilities of municipal government. Here in Ligonier Township, we benefit by having this critical service provided by a network of all volunteer fire companies. The alternative - turning to a paid system - would be far too costly to imagine. So, it's important that we maintain the volunteer system that we have. The annual fund drive of Ligonier Valley Fire Companies is currently underway. This direct mail campaign is conducted entirely by our local volunteer firefighters who are themselves members of our local, township and borough, fire companies. The proceeds of this campaign support all four fire companies (Darlington, Ligonier, Waterford and Wilpen) and 95 cents of every dollar donated goes to them. These volunteer fire companies offer a tremendous value for township residents and we encourage all Ligonier Township residents and businesses to show your support and contribute to this campaign.

Ligonier Valley Fire Companies
P. O. Box FIRE
Ligonier, P A 15658

Contact Person: Phil Fleming 724-238-7990



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The Ligonier Township Municipal Building will be closed on:

Friday, July 4, for Independence Day

Monday, September 1, for Labor Day

The Township Building is open Monday through Friday 7:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.



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MEETINGS

JULY • AUGUST • SEPTEMBER

Ligonier Township Municipal Building.....724-238-2725

Ligonier Township Municipal Authority 4:00 p.m.
July 2 • August 6 • September 3

Ligonier Township Supervisors' Work Session.. 6:00 p.m.
July 15 • August 19 • September 16

Ligonier Township Supervisors' Meeting..... 7:00 p.m.
July 8 • August 12 • September 9

Ligonier Township Recreation Board..... 7:00 p.m.
July 14 • August 11 • September 8

Ligonier Township Planning Commission..... 7:30 p.m.
July 15 • August 19 • September 16

Ligonier Township Zoning Hearing Board..... 7:30 p.m.
July 22 • August 26 • September 23

Volunteer Fire Departments Directory

Waterford Volunteer Fire Department.....724-238-0471
Chief Robert Beaufort

Darlington Volunteer Fire Department.....724-238-4820
Chief Robert McDowell Cell....814-242-3785

Wilpen Volunteer Fire Department 724-238-6585
Chief Michael DiRinaldo

LIGONIER TOWNSHIP

DIRECTORY

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Barbara L. Hollick

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Shelly Kaltenbaugh.....724-238-3640

Ligonier Township Municipal Authority724-238-7464
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Secretary - Joyce Zickefoose

Ligonier Township Tax Collector724-238-2300
Sue R. Kinsey

Ligonier Township Police724-238-5105
Chief of Police Michael W. Matrunic

Ligonier Township Code Enforcement724-875-2785

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