



Township of FERGUSON Pennsylvania

October 2020 e-Newsletter

Stormwater Public Hearing, ABC Vacancies, Child Care Public Hearing, & More!



Ferguson Township Upcoming Events

October 12

[Planning Commission Meeting](#)

October 19

[Brush & Leaf Collection](#)

[Tree Commission Meeting](#)

[Board of Supervisors Meeting](#)

October 26

[Planning Commission Meeting](#)

October 27

[Zoning Hearing Board Meeting](#)

November 2

[Brush Collection](#)

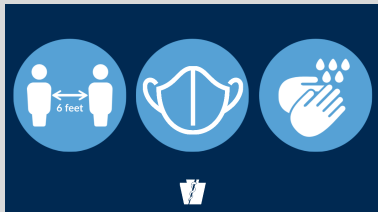
[Board of Supervisors Meeting](#)

November 9

[Planning Commission Meeting](#)

General Township News

Board of Supervisors Expands COVID-19 Restrictions with Safety Ordinance



The Ferguson Township Board of Supervisors enacted a temporary emergency ordinance requiring the wearing of face coverings and restricting gathering sizes.

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Serve Your Community by Becoming an ABC Member!

Interested in becoming involved in local government? Ferguson Township is currently looking for volunteers to serve on many of our Authorities, Boards, and Commissions.



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Fall Bulk Waste Collection Event

Trick-or-Treat Moved to October 29 in State College Area

Next week, Advanced Disposal will collect any bulk residential waste on your collection day.



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The Centre Region Council of Governments voted to move trick-or-treat night to Thursday, Oct. 29.



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Administration News

Secure Ballot Drop Box at Ferguson Township Municipal Building

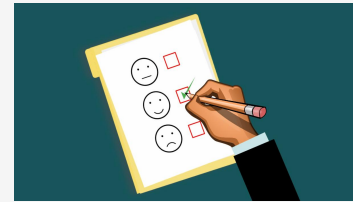
A secure Ballot Drop Box was installed in front of the Ferguson Township Municipal Building for voters to drop off their mail-in ballots.



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Conclusion of the Business Needs Survey

Ferguson Township has received over 80 responses from our Business Needs Survey. Township staff are currently reviewing the emerging trends to determine how the Township may provide support to our business community. Thank you to all our Township businesses who completed the survey!



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Finance & Tax News

Ferguson Township Obtains A New Financial Planning Tool



Ferguson Township entered into a contract with PFM for their financial planning tool, "Synopsis Powered by Synario". The software uses the Township's historical financial data to create future scenarios that will assist in financial planning efforts.

[LEARN MORE ABOUT THIS SOFTWARE](#)

Planning & Zoning News

Board of Supervisors Authorize Public Hearing on Child-Care Facility Requirements

Board of Supervisors reviewed the current child care facility requirements during their October 5 meeting. The Board moved to hold a public hearing on Family Child-Care Homes at their November 16 meeting.



Workforce Housing Ordinance Amendment Public Hearing

During the Board of Supervisor's October 7 meeting, the Board reviewed the draft Workforce Housing Ordinance amendment and provided comments and questions. The Board authorized a public hearing on November 16.



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Police News



Respect Your Neighbor's Political Signs

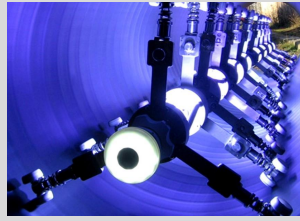
The Ferguson Township Police Department have received several calls from residents their political lawn signs have been stolen. This is considered theft and violators will be prosecuted for such offense.

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Public Works News

Ferguson Township Awards Cured In-Place-Pipe Lining Contract

Ferguson Township has awarded the Cured In-Place-Pipe Lining Contract to National Water Main Cleaning Company. This project involves the installation of an ultra-violet (UV) Cured-In-Place Pipe (CIPP) liner in existing corrugated metal stormwater pipes in various locations in the Township.



[LEARN MORE ABOUT THIS PROJECT](#)

Continued Discussion on the Stormwater Utility Fee Ordinance

The Ferguson Township Board of Supervisors hosted a Public Hearing on the Stormwater Management Utility Fee Ordinance on October 5. Discussion will continue on October 19.



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Construction Continues on The New Public Works Facility

The New Public Works Facility begins to fully take shape with the addition of the interior block walls. The project still remains within the approved budget.

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