Ferguson Township e-Newsletter

August 2015



Dear Tonya,

Thank you for welcoming us into your inbox and **WELCOME to our newest subscribers**. Here is your August 2015 issue of the Ferguson Township e-Newsletter.

Ferguson Township welcomes new Director of Planning and Zoning



Ray Stolinas, Jr., AICP, will join Ferguson Township as Director of Planning and Zoning on August 31. A Penn State graduate who majored in geography while he was living in the Centre Region, Stolinas is returning to the area from Bradford County, where he served as planning director. He's excited to be coming back to the Centre Region to work. He welcomes the opportunity to serve Ferguson Township by managing issues relevant to development, transportation, and parks. <u>Read more...</u>

Ferguson Township is pleased to present the 2014 CAFR



The Comprehensive Annual Financial Report (CAFR) for the calendar year ended December 31, 2014, is an audit of Ferguson Township's financial records. Independent auditors prepare the CAFR along with the Township's Finance Director. The auditors found that the Township's overall financial position improved during the past year, considering total fund balances, capital investment, long-term debt, net revenues, and cash flow. <u>Read the report...</u>

Please review our 2016-2020 Capital Improvement Plan

Citizens are welcome to review and comment on the Ferguson Township 2016-2020 Capital Improvement Plan, to be voted on by the Board of Supervisors at its August 17 meeting. The CIP outlines plans for capital expenses of \$2,500 or more, with a life span of more than one year, including such projects as buildings, roads, and the purchase of

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MARK YOUR CALENDAR

AUGUST 17

TREE COMMISSION 5:30 pm

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS 7 pm

AUGUST 24

PLANNING COMMISSION 6 pm

OCTOBER 17

COFFEE & CONVERSATION

8 - 9:30 am Videon Central major equipment and vehicles. Review the plan...

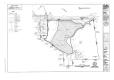


Update: Westfield/Hillside Farms Park project naming



Thank you for suggesting names for the Westfield/Hillside Farm Estates Park project. The Township accepted submissions through August 3. The timeline for reviewing and approving suggested names continues through September 7. <u>Read more...</u>

Public Works to fine grade site of stormwater improvement project at Haymarket Park



During the week of August 17, Ferguson Township Public Works crews anticipate fine grading the site of a stormwater improvement project at Haymarket Park. The contractor for The Landings Planned Residential Development, Johnson Farm Associates, has been excavating this portion of Haymarket Park adjacent to

Blue Course Drive. This project is being completed to improve stormwater storage, control and conveyance, and is part of the overall stormwater management that includes the Haymarket Regional Stormwater Basin just east of the Young Scholars Charter School. <u>Read more...</u>

Speeders in your neighborhood? Request a flashing speed sign and contact your legislator



Ferguson Police receive a number of complaints from local residents about speeding in your neighborhoods, where the speed limits are typically set at 25 mph as permitted by state law. Residents may not be aware of the limits under which enforcement must occur. <u>Learn</u> <u>more</u> about how you can help. 2171 Sandy Drive

GET TO KNOW YOUR BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

View your Ferguson Township Board of Supervisors' bios. Learn why they decided to run for office, about the achievements they take pride in, and why they enjoy serving.

Learn more...

WATCH

Regular Meetings of the Ferguson Township Board of Supervisors are available to watch LIVE during the meeting, web streamed by C-NET on cnet1.org.

Regular Meetings are scheduled for 7 pm the first and third Mondays of the month.

Here is a <u>direct link</u> to the August 3 Regular Meeting.

The next Regular Meeting is August 17.

Around the Township: Butterfly Garden at Tudek Park



Wings in the Park at Tom Tudek Memorial Park is sponsored annually in July by Penn State Extension Master Gardeners and partner organizations. Accentuating the positives about pollinators--bees, birds and butterflies--the event draws its inspiration from its co-founder Dr. Robert Snetsinger, aka "Butterfly Bob." Dr. Snetsinger and the Penn State Master Gardeners developed the butterfly garden at Tudek Park eight years ago in cooperation with partners of the park. Children and their families who attend Wings in the Park learn how they can save pollinators by providing habitats for them in their own gardens. <u>Read more...</u>

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