



Dear Tonya,

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

From Ferguson Township to the Borough: a 40-foot blue spruce is this year's annual Christmas tree



This 40-foot blue spruce is this year's Borough Christmas tree -- donated by Ferguson Township and cut down at Homestead Park. [View Photo Gallery](#). The Township has donated the Borough's annual tree for several consecutive years. Thursday, November 19 is the tree lighting ceremony at South Allen Street. [Read more...](#)

A peek at Cecil Irvin Park



Phase one of our newest park is done and you're welcome to visit. Named for longtime resident and former Supervisor Cecil Irvin, whose farm is nearby, the park is located at 126 Cinda Drive in Pine Grove Mills. From Sunday Drive, take Lois Lane to Cinda Drive. [View a Photo Gallery and learn more...](#)

Part 5 of Sustainable Ferguson: Recycling and composting



If adopted, curbside organics composting would be the newest recycling program offered to Centre Region residents. Currently, residents may drop off rock, stumps and yard waste at the Glenn O. Hawbaker Recycling Center for a fee, and grass clippings at the Township office for free. [Learn more](#) about recycling and purchasing compost, mulch and wood chips.

Are you ready for winter weather?

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MARK YOUR CALENDAR

2015 HOLIDAY TRASH AND RECYCLING DATES for Thanksgiving, Buck Season and Christmas: [See schedule](#)

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



Some meteorologists are forecasting a milder winter than we experienced last year in Ferguson Township. Being mindful that winter in central Pennsylvania can be unpredictable, you'll want to be aware when on-street parking is prohibited and snow removal is required. [Stay informed by signing up for our Winter Weather Reminders.](#) Winter can also bring hazardous conditions, not only on the our roads, but at home. Watch our website for winter weather safety tips. [Read more...](#)

Our 2016 Operating Budget



The Ferguson Township Board of Supervisors held open work sessions November 10 and 11 on the proposed 2016 Operating Budget. Those who attended -- including supervisors-elect -- had comments and questions about the environment, energy efficiency and agricultural preservation. The Supervisors approved no change in taxes and one new police officer for 2016.

Penn State Extension avian flu advisory

The Penn State Extension Centre County Office is advising residents to learn about avian influenza and the potential impact of an outbreak in Pennsylvania. Poultry, eggs, and next year's flu vaccine may be affected. [Read more...](#)

Putting it together for you: updates to our website

Ferguson Township's redesigned website is now a year old, so we have a website update project underway. We're doing our best to ensure that our content is fresh. As a provider of essential daily services to our residents, we strive to be a helpful source for the information you need. Under Publications, we have created an archive of current as well as past meeting [agendas](#). Under Residents, we have gathered resources about [Bicycling in Ferguson Township](#). We're also working on pages dedicated to education about trees, backyard composting and recycling, and winter weather safety tips. Stay tuned.

Tell us about your Coffee & Conversation experience and preferences



Every quarter, Ferguson Township invites residents for Coffee & Conversation to discuss matters of interest to you. The conversation on October 17 -- hosted at Videon Central -- focused on traffic studies, bike safety, and economic development. [\(Read more\)](#). We'd like to hear your suggestions for making Coffee & Conversation accessible. You can help us improve these informal gatherings by completing our brief survey. Thanks for helping. [Take the survey](#)

Quick Links

www.twp.ferguson.pa.us

Mondays of the month.

Here is a [direct link](#) to the November 16 Regular Meeting.

The next Regular Meeting is 7 pm, Monday, December 7.

ARCHIVED AT OUR WEBSITE

[Agendas](#)

[Bicycling in Ferguson Township](#)

CURBSIDE LEAF COLLECTION CONTINUES

Public Works crews are collecting leaves from 7 am to 5 pm Monday through Saturday. [Brush and Leaf Collection Guidelines](#)

TOWNSHIP EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Road Worker Ordinance Officer

[Job Requirements and Application](#)

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