

Town of Georgetown Take Note



Important Phone Numbers:

Town Hall: (302) 856-7391
Fax: (302) 856-6348

Planning Department:
(302) 853-0104

Public Works:
(302) 856-6045

Sewer Department:
(302) 856-7377

Sewer Emergency
Beeper: (302) 441-7377
Cell: (302) 381-5642

Water Department:
(302) 856-9529

Water Emergency:
Cell: (302) 236-2647

Non-Emergency Police
Dept. (302) 856-6613

Code Enforcement:
(302) 448-5027

Fire, Ambulance, Police:
911

Waste Industries: Trash
(302) 934-1364

Sussex County:
(302) 855-7700

Georgetown State Service
Center: (302) 856-5574

Town Hall Office Hours:

Monday through Friday
8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Visit us on the Town of Georgetown's Website located at www.georgetowndel.com

Happy Spring,

Ladies and Gentlemen of Georgetown, the Council and I would like to thank you for your continued support. People are talking about our little town and the changes we are making for the best. Let us continue to improve our image by starting to clean up yard waste as the weather becomes more suitable. Regular yard waste pick up starts on April 3, you can check the web page or call Town Hall for additional dates of waste pick-up.



We are enacting a new ordinance that addresses window coverings. This will improve the appearance for all homes. We will be sending notice of this ordinance to all property owners. Let's work together to teach and educate our community about making this town a better place.

The 2018 Concert in the Park season will start on May 31 at the Bedford Street Park. We have scheduled 12 dates for music to be enjoyed by all. Please take the time to come out and have a great time with visitors, neighbors, and friends.

We are working with the Delaware Department of Transportation to have Market Street and Bedford Street repaved. This can be very costly due to additional street work that may be required as part of a repaving project. We will continue to try and find creative ways to get these streets paved.

By the time you read this, the new Town Hall Annex will be nearing completion. We are planning a Grand Opening as soon as both buildings are complete. I think you will be impressed with both buildings and certainly all of Georgetown will be proud of them.

Please enjoy your spring and all Georgetown has to offer. The Council and I look forward to seeing everyone around town and talking about our well rounded community.

Sincerely,

Bill West, Mayor

Brush, Grass and Weeds

To maintain a healthy, safe and attractive community, grass height shall not be more than eight (8) inches in height. Additionally, grass clippings are not to be blown onto any streets, alleys, and other public roads. For the safety of our pedestrians, sidewalks are to be cleared of sand, leaves, dirt, grass and weeds. Please consult with our Code Enforcement Officer, Michael Picarello (302) 448-5027, for more information.



Reminder - Property Taxes will be mailed on May 1, 2018 and will be due by June 8, 2018. On June 11, 2018, penalties will be applied to all accounts that did not pay by the due date.

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Meetings

Town Council Meetings

Second & Fourth Wednesdays of each month at 7:00 p.m.

Planning Commission Meetings

Third Wednesday of each month at 6:00 p.m.

Board of Adjustment

First Wednesday of each month at 5:00 p.m.

Looking for information on what is happening in Georgetown?

Follow us on Twitter or Facebook in order to get current events and notices!



Online Payments!

Please visit our website www.georgetowndel.com to pay your water/sewer/trash, and taxes online. The Town does not accept phone payments



Questions or concerns?

Please feel free to contact Town Hall, (302) 856-7391 or email your local councilmember.

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Ward 2—Rebecca Johnson-Dennis
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Ward 3—Chris Lecates
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Ward 4—Robert Holston
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Holiday Closing

Memorial Day

Monday, May 28, 2018

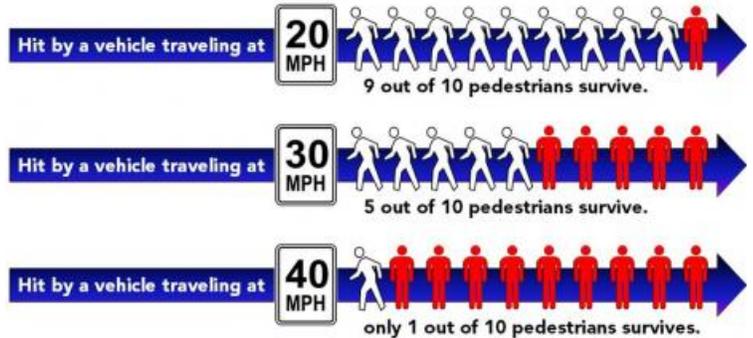
Independence Day

Wednesday, July 4, 2018

Trash and Recycle pick up is on regular schedule.



Obey the Speed Limit!



The Town of Georgetown Municipal Election

Saturday, May 12, 2018

Located at Town Hall from 8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Mayor, Town Council Person for the Third Ward, and Town Council Person for the Fourth Ward will be considered during this election. Any qualified candidate interested in filing for these offices may do so at the Town Hall. The filing deadline is Friday, April 20, 2018 at 5:00 p.m.

Voter Registration - Register to vote before May 10, 2018 with the Sussex County Department of Elections: 119 North Race Street, Georgetown DE 19947 (302) 856-5367.

Absentee Voting—Any registered voter of the Town of Georgetown, who wishes to vote by absentee voting, may do so by obtaining an “Affidavit for Absentee Voting” at the Town Hall. Absentee ballots will be available Monday, April 23, 2018. Absentee ballots can either be picked up at Town Hall or mailed. The deadline for voting by absentee ballot in person is Friday, May 11, 2018 at 12:00 p.m.

In Delaware, **CALL 911** if you can.

TEXT 911 IF YOU CAN'T

Sussex County is proud to partner with the State of Delaware and the nation's top telecommunications carriers in making "Text-to-911" available to mobile phone users. Announced in March 2018, the new feature allows wireless callers anywhere within Sussex County and the rest of Delaware to send texts to 9-1-1 dispatchers in the event of an emergency. With just a few taps, callers who are cannot talk – whether because of an impairment, or because of the situation – can summon police, fire or medical services with a simple text.

Dialing 9-1-1 is still the best way to call for help. Citizens should only text if calling 9-1-1 is not possible. Simply text '9-1-1' in the 'To' field on your mobile phone and then type a short message.

Remember: **In Delaware, call 911 if you can. Text 911 if you can't!**