

# WEST BRANDYWINE TOWNSHIP *Pennsylvania*



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## Q&A

### Taxes, Transparency & Accountability

**Q: What is categorized as general-purpose, ambulance, and fire protection on the tax bill?**

A: The current tax bill distinguishes the difference between each tax rate. We (The Board of Supervisors) have three taxes that impact Real Property:

1. Fund 01 – General Fund – Tax Millage 3.0
2. Fund 02 – Fire Fund – Tax Millage 0.503
3. Fund 04 – Ambulance Fund – Tax Millage 0.200

**Q: Why where the taxes raised last year and again this year.**

A: Both year's tax increases are focused heavily on public safety.

**Last year's tax** increase was for both the fire service tax (Fire Fund) and the creation of an Emergency Medical Services, i.e., ambulance tax (Ambulance Fund). Both the Fire Fund and the Ambulance fund are taxes that are **dedicated to only those expenses** and 100% of those funds collected may only be used for the intended tax purpose.

**This year's tax** increase is for the general fund. We have not had a tax increase since 2015. While we have tried to work closely with our Citizen's Finance Committee to maintain/reduce costs where possible, some areas have evolved and required increased level of investment. The tax increase represents approximately \$424,000 dollars. The entire tax increase will be offset by an increasing funding to the police force. Our police budget is being increased by \$431,000. This increased investment was made to ensure the safety of our police officers and that they are adequately trained and equipped to perform their primary duties. Additionally, the increase came ahead of a voluntary assessment that we requested from the PA's Department of Community & Economic Development. Throughout the process of completing the "Police Management Study" several areas of funding deficiencies had been identified that left exposure and risk to the township and to our officers. The correction of these deficiencies is being addressed through our 2020 budget.

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- Family Law
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(non 911 after hours 610-383-7000)

**Emergency** 911

**F: Twp** 610-384-4934  
**Police** 610-384-0438

**E: Twp** township@wbrandywine.org  
**Police** wbpolice@wbrandywinepd.org

### Public Meetings

Changes to schedules are advertised in the Daily Local News.

**Board of Supervisors**  
1st and 3rd Thursdays at 7:30pm

**Citizens Finance Advisory Committee**  
meets the Tuesday prior to the 3rd Thursday of each month at 7:30pm

**Historical Commission**  
2nd Monday at 7:30pm

**Municipal Authority**  
2nd Thursday at 7:00pm

**Parks & Recreation Board**  
2nd Tuesday at 7:00pm

**Open Space Review Board**  
4th Thursday at 7:00pm

**Planning Commission**  
4th Thursday at 7:30pm

**Trails Commission**  
4th Thursday at 6:00pm

**Zoning Hearing**  
Meets as needed

## Taxes, Transparency & Accountability *continued from cover*

### Q: Why wasn't the public informed about tax increase?

A: We think we can always do better in our attempt to be open and transparent. However, we have been discussing the tax increase for 2020 since 2018

Discussions regarding our budget and tax increases for 2020 were conducted in the following meetings that were advertised and open to the public (Meeting minutes for all meetings are on our website). We encourage and welcome public participation.

#### Citizen's Finance Committee Meetings

1. August 28, 2018
2. Sept 18, 2018
3. Oct 16, 2018
4. July 16, 2019
5. August 13, 2019
6. Sept 17, 2019

#### Board of Supervisor Meetings

1. Dec 28, 2018
2. Sept 19, 2019
3. Nov 7, 2019
4. Nov 21, 2019
5. Dec 5, 2019
6. Dec 19, 2019

### Q: Can you explain the increase in employees' rates from the supervisory to captain and who decides on these increases?

A: The township operated without a police chief since Chief Walt Werner retired. The position is back in our budget now, along with new police positions. Annual salary increases to our police force (union) are part of their contract. These are discussed as part of the budget process which is open to the community. The final approval for the budget comes from a vote of the Board of Supervisors.

### Q: Can you explain about the proposed liquor license referendum?

A: As one of our many growth strategies, placing a referendum on our ballot to determine if the citizens of West Brandywine would like the township to no longer be a "dry" township has been in discussion for at least two years. The referendum that will be on our next ballot will be *"Do you favor granting of liquor license for the sale of liquor in the township of West Brandywine?"* The decision to allow liquor sales will be determined by the electorate at the next election in West Brandywine.

### Q: The Township has other areas of revenue with a contract to Wallace Township for Police Services?

A: This is an accurate statement. West Brandywine does provide police services to Wallace Township through an approved agreement. Wallace Township pays an hourly rate for West Brandywine police services. The rate that Wallace pays for police services is computed at a fully loaded cost. As a result, by providing services at an hourly rate, West Brandywine is better able to leverage and reduce our overhead costs of maintaining a police force.

### Q: Why has there not been much paving of Township roads?

A: We have a large township with over 35 miles of township roads. We actively maintain a five-year paving plan along with extensive infrastructure management which includes bridges, culverts, storm water systems and base repair. The Township is currently bidding the 2020 road paving project that includes a comprehensive paving plan.

### Q: Why does the township seem to have less input from the community?

A: The township currently has numerous volunteer boards and commissions that are deployed to help us run the township and we just completed a comprehensive plan that was created by a taskforce and included focus groups and a township wide survey to help frame the vision for the future of the township. This plan is available on our web site. The Board agrees that the township should be run with input from the community and are open to any suggestions that residents may have.



### Elected Officials

**Board of Supervisors** Joseph M. Morris, John W. Cassels, Jr., Charles A. Dobson, P.E.

**Tax Collector** Dr. Edward Pristernik

**Board of Auditors** Terrie Peterson, Lindsay Scott Joseph Dunn

**Constable** Mike Canale

**District Justice** Michael J. Cabry, III

### Appointed Officials

**Manager/Code Officer/BCO** Dale C. Barnett

**Secretary** Linda Formica

**Treasurer** Bonnie Lucy

**Police Chief** Jeff Kimes

**Emergency Management Coordinator**

Joseph Dell'Arciprete

**Deputy Emergency Management Coordinators**

Michael Conway, Keith Davis

**Public Works Director** Thomas Maher

### Important Contact Info

**East Brandywine Fire Dept** (Non-Emergency)

610-269-2625

**Wagontown Fire Dept** (Non-Emergency)

610-384-2770

**Westwood Ambulance** 610-383-0538

**Brandywine Valley SPCA** 610-692-6113

**Dead Deer** 484-340-3200

**PECO** (Emergency) 800-841-4141

**Public Sewer** (WBTMA) 610-383-7140

**Public Water** 877-987-2782 (Aqua)

**Trash Hauler** 610-942-2480 (Charles Blosenski)

**PennDot Road Maintenance** 484-340-3201

**Township Tax**

Checks Payable to:

Chester County Treasurer

313 West Market Street, Ste 3202

West Chester, PA 19382

610-344-6370

## Lieutenant Jeff Kimes Promoted to Chief of Police

Lieutenant Jeff Kimes was promoted to Chief of Police on March 5, 2020 at the Board of Supervisors meeting. Kimes stated, "I am honored and humbled to receive this position and would like to thank the Board of Supervisors for their vote of confidence, I am looking forward to moving the department progressively into the future and providing the residents of West Brandywine and Wallace the best service they deserve." Kimes then acknowledged the support from his family, several residents, peers, and county officials in his appointment and thanked them for endorsing his ability to lead.



Chief Kimes began his career in Law Enforcement in 1999, part time with the West Brandywine Police Department. Leaving West Brandywine Police in 2000 for a short stint to work in Phoenixville Boro until 2002 when he returned to West Brandywine Police. Kimes became full time in 2005, was promoted to Sergeant in 2011, and then promoted to the rank of Lieutenant under Chief Werner in 2014. In April 2018 when Chief Werner retired the Board of Supervisors appointed Kimes to Officer in Charge (Acting Chief). Kimes directed the department for two years as Acting Chief, before being appointed to his new Chief of Police position.

Chief Kimes has lived in Chester County his entire life, graduated from Downingtown High School, earned a college degree in criminal justice, and has attended multiple command classes through-out his career. The Chief is also a current sitting volunteer fire chief at a nearby local fire department and has been an active volunteer firefighter for about 28 years. Chief Kimes is married, he and his wife have one daughter.

Chief Kimes welcomes all feedback from the community, positive or areas of improvement, in order to work together in providing the best customer service in keeping the neighborhoods and streets a safe place for residents, guests, and those passing through. The police department is available 24/7/365, and residents may call anytime for assistance. Residents who wish to report suspicious activity or remain anonymous may also go to the police web site and fill out the "crime tips" forms for areas of concern. If you need to address a matter with the chief, you may email him or contact the police secretary at 610-380-8201 for an appointment.



### What is Community Policing?

During the course of their work, the police interact with the communities that they serve in various ways. The community is reliant upon the police to curb disorder and help in times of emergency. The police, on the other hand, rely on the community to report crime and provide vital information that is necessary to solve crime and address community concerns. In recent decades, this relationship has developed as the police and the communities they serve have come to expect more from one another as each increasingly recognizes the importance of working together as partners. Police departments that practice all reactive policing, (respond after that fact) over a proactive, problem-solving approach, are not in touch with communities they serve. Modern police work

requires close partnerships with the communities they serve to handle and address quality of life issues quicker and efficient. What exactly is community policing?

Community policing is a collaboration between the police and the community that identifies and solves community problems. The police are no longer the sole guardians of law and order, all members of the community become active allies in the effort to enhance the safety and quality of neighborhoods. Community policing has far-reaching implications. The expanded outlook on crime control and prevention, the new emphasis on making community members active participants in the process of problem solving, and the patrol officers' pivotal role in community policing require profound changes within the police organization. The neighborhood patrol officer helps community members mobilize support and resources to solve problems and enhance their quality of life. Community members voice their concerns, contribute advice, and take action to address these concerns.

Creating a constructive partnership will require the energy, creativity, understanding, and patience of all involved. Reinvigorating communities is essential if we are to deter crime and create more vital neighborhoods. In some communities, it will take time to break down barriers of apathy and mistrust so that meaningful partnerships can be forged. Trust is the value that underlies and links the components of community partnership and problem solving. A foundation of trust will allow police to form close relationships with the community that will produce solid achievements. Without trust between police and citizens, effective policing is impossible. When trust is broken, and safety is compromised, or people experience inequitable law enforcement, residents may think the police are prejudiced and enforce policies unfairly. Police may feel blame for all kinds of social problems and think they don't get credit for doing their jobs. Meanwhile, our society wrestles to balance protection of civil liberties and public safety.

Communities need routine opportunities for people of many backgrounds to have dialogue with each other and with police, have a voice in decision making and work together for stronger communities. Opportunities for dialogue and action involving residents and police will lead to better relationships, more equitable treatment by the police, greater police responsiveness and accountability, and greater willingness of residents to work with police. Communities will be safer for everyone.

West Brandywine Police are available to our resident 24/7/365. The officers of this department encourage community participation in help solving crimes, addressing quality of life issues making your community safer for you, your family, your guests and those who just "travel through." We welcome all feedback, positive or areas of improvement, and want all to know how thankful we are to work in such a great community with supportive leaders and residents, and look forward to a great continued partnership in keeping our community safe, crime free and tranquil. If you ever need our service, please reach out, day or night, weekday or weekend. We believe this township has one of the best relationships between the PD and residents, hands down, then any other nearby community and look forward to the continued partnership in helping us, help you when you need it. Thank you for your continued support, respect, and know we have our residents back in their time of need.

Respectfully,

Chief Jeff Kimes  
West Brandywine Township Police

## Volunteer Township Organizations

### Building

#### Appeals Board

- John Callahan
- John A. Dell
- Douglas Howe
- Ronald M. Scott, Jr.

#### Citizen's Finance Committee

- Linda Formica
- William J. Walker
- Robert Weidner
- Robert Westervelt

#### Historical Commission

- Maria Ciliberto
- Jeff Grossman
- Hugh J. Redditt, Jr.
- John F. Vilcheck, Jr.
- + 3 vacancies

#### Municipal Authority

- Joseph S. Boldaz
- William Clark
- Sandra G. Martin
- Kent D. Nation
- Joseph Sawicki

#### Open Space

#### Review Board

- Joseph D. Arvay
- John Conti
- Molly Deger
- Joseph Dell'Arciprete
- John Hoertz
- Kim P. Hoopes
- Aus Marburger
- Nace Naumoski
- Thomas Scamuffa

### Parks &

#### Recreation Board

- Melissa Falvo
- Mindy Patton
- Karen Sload
- Denise Stoltzfus
- + 1 vacancy

#### Planning Commission

- John Conti
- Joseph Dell'Arciprete
- Anita M Ferenz
- John Hoertz
- Kim P Hoopes
- Aus Marburger
- Kevin Schneider

#### Trails Commission

- Joe Arvay
- John Conti
- Meghan Jackson
- Aus Marburger
- Mary Ann Peach

#### Vacancy Board

- Kathleen Franciscus

#### Zoning Hearing Board

- Stephen D. Crane (alternate)
- David Frankland
- Richard K. Guest
- Andrew F. Reczek

*Interested in serving?* Please fill out an online application or email [manager@wbrandywine.org](mailto:manager@wbrandywine.org) Please consider joining one of our committees.

We have openings on the following

- Citizens Finance Advisory Committee (Financial background required)
- Historical Commission
- Parks and Recreation Board

The Township is looking for volunteers to help prepare the flower beds for spring. If interested in volunteering please contact the township with your name, email or phone number.

## Help Needed! Adopt-A-Roadway Program

The Township provides bags, gloves, signs, and vests to the Adopt-A-Roadway volunteers and the collected garbage is picked up by the Public Works Department. A one-time clean-up is also welcomed! If you are interested, stop by the police station and pick up an application or download an application from [wbrandywine.org](http://wbrandywine.org)

### ROADS THAT NEED TO BE ADOPTED:

#### Twp. Roadways:

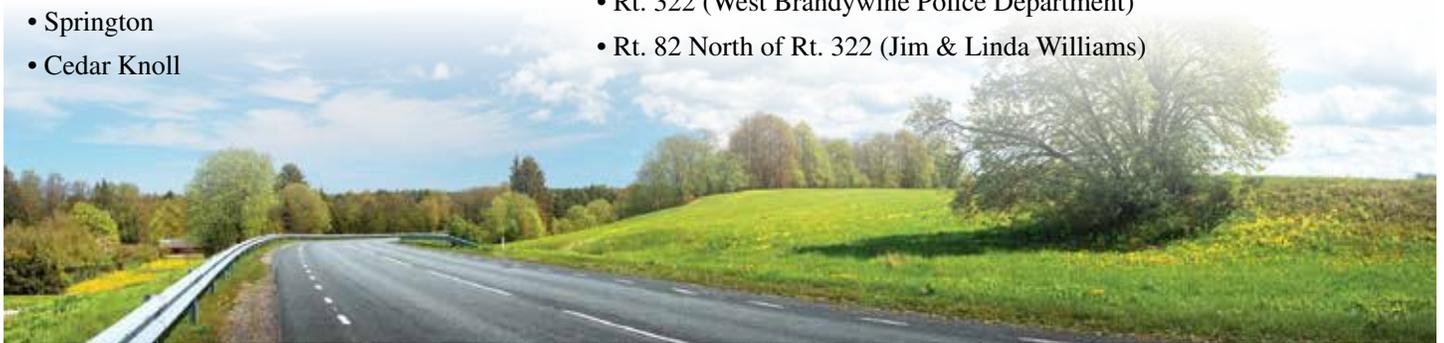
- Highspire
- Hurley
- Lafayette
- Brandamore
- Pratts Dam
- Telegraph
- Union & Gabel
- Culbertson Run Road

#### State Roadways:

- East Reeceville
- Swinehart
- Little Washington
- Springton
- Cedar Knoll

### ADOPTED ROADS:

- Barons Hill (Gauil Family)
  - Beaver Creek (Saint Peter's Boy Scout #56)
  - Icedale (Ethan Wait & Family)
  - Monacy Road (Robert Rice)
  - Rt 82, Between Hibernia & Rt 322 (St. Peter's RC Church Knights of Columbus)
  - Swinehart to Highspire (Michelle Shields & Gregg Shields, Justin & Jordan Shields)
  - Germany Hollow (Jim Kunkel)
  - Hurley (Brandywine YMCA & Yoshitomi Family)
- State Roadways:
- Hibernia (Boy Scouts Troop 116 - United Methodist Church)
  - Rt. 82 South of Rt. 322 (St. Peter's RC Church Knights of Columbus)
  - Reeceville & East Reeceville (Boy Scouts Cub Pack 36 - Friendship School)
  - Rt. 322 (West Brandywine Police Department)
  - Rt. 82 North of Rt. 322 (Jim & Linda Williams)



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## Trash & Recycling Information

*Charles Blosenski is our contracted hauler for residential curbside pick up*

### When: Every Thursday

All trash/recyclable materials are to be placed at the curb by 5am and no more than 24 hours in advance of the collection day. **TRASH MUST BE PLACED IN BAGS AND TIED.** Place your trash bags into a container so they won't get ripped open by animals.

### Holiday Trash & Recycling Schedule

- July 4th – No change
- Thanksgiving - November 26, 2020: Pick Up will move to Saturday, November 28, 2020
- Christmas – No change

All trash and recyclable materials are to be placed at the curb by 5am and no more than 24 hours in advance of the collection day. Please place your trash bags into a container so they won't get ripped open by animals.

\*Yard waste, tires, electronics, TV's, and construction debris will not be collected.

**Trash:** Up to 100 gallons placed in cans or secured in bags

**Recycling:** single stream recycling of paper, cardboard, cartons, glass, metal cans, clean aluminum foil, plastics #1-#5 & #7 to be placed in Township provided Recycling Toter. *Please no Styrofoam, scrap metal, or plastic toys*

### Recycling Toters



When in doubt – throw it out!

Please do not throw items in the Recycling Toter that are not recyclable – follow guidelines for Single Stream recycling located at [wbrandywine.org](http://wbrandywine.org) or call the Township for information.

Recycling Toters are the property of West Brandywine Township and are assigned a serial number linked to a Township address. Should you move, please place the Toter in

a secure area for the next resident's use.

**Bulk Trash:** One bulk item (not to exceed 70 lbs)

#### Criteria for Bulk Items:

- o For appliances that contain Freon, a certified technician must remove the Freon and tag the appliance
- o Doors must be removed from refrigerators and freezers
- o Mowers/engines must have gas and/or oils removed
- o Rugs and other items must be bundled, tied, and may not exceed 4' in length
- o Mattress/box spring (cost for pick up is \$25 per piece, must be paid in advance. **MATTRESS/BOX SPRINGS MUST BE WRAPPED IN PLASTIC.**)

\*\*\*Yard waste, tires, electronics, TV's, and construction materials will not be collected.

### 24-hr Drop-Off Center

Maintenance Facility, 199 Lafayette Rd

- Paper Items: Paper, flattened and non-corrugated boxes tightly tied or bagged in paper bags, no plastic bags, and stacked neatly in specified container. **Paper is hauled to a local farmer where it is made into animal bedding – please no binder clips or spiral notebooks.**
- Corrugated Cardboard: Break down and flatten, cut into pieces no larger than 2'x 2', tie in bundles, and stack in specified container. No whole boxes are to be placed in the container. Remove packing foam from boxes and discard in regular trash.
- Used Clothing: Secured plastic bags.
- Medication Collection Box: Anonymously dispose of unwanted drugs and medication. Box is located inside the vestibule at the Township Administration Building (open 24 hrs).
- Retiring Flags: Box is in the parking lot at the Township Building, 198 Lafayette Rd.

### Drop Off During Twp. Business Hours

- Tire Recycling: Prepay at the Township Building Tires must be off the rims and clean of debris and water. (Most tire stores recycle tires when you purchase new tires.) Bicycle tires are \$3.00 each, motorcycle/ small lawn mower tires are \$4.00 each, passenger car and small pickup truck tires are \$5.00 each and large truck/farm tires are \$25.00 each.

Dispose of your old-style television and monitors free of charge at Chester County Solid Waste Authority (Lanchester Landfill) located at 7224 Division Highway, Narvon, PA 17555. CCSWA is accepting TVs & Monitors for FREE for a limited time. Limit 3 per vehicle. Must unload yourself onto appropriate pallet. Lanchester Landfill does not accept any Hazardous Waste.

### Mandatory Recycling for Businesses – Businesses must report weight of recycled materials by February 1st of each year.

*Commercial, industrial, institutional, and privately-owned establishments are required to recycle and verify compliance via reporting: Aluminum/ bimetals cans, corrugated cardboard, glass (clear, brown, & green, newspaper & misc. paper, high-grade office paper, plastics with logos #1-5 & #7. Businesses can utilize the Township's paper and cardboard 24 hour drop off. Paper is now recycled into animal bedding for local farmers. Your recycled paper is needed! **Paper for animal bedding should be free of binder clips and spiral bound notebooks.***

## Mulch Available:

Mulch Delivery available Thursdays, spring and summer—approximately 4-5 yards delivered to your residence. To sign up for delivery, you must fill in the mulch delivery form that is available either online or at the Township office, sign a release-of liability, and pre-pay by cash/check/online. Drivers cannot accept payments. \*Please have exact amount for cash payments.

**During peak periods, we can only deliver one load per household per week.** Please do not pay for more than one load at a time. Please bear with us and understand that there are a limited number of loads that can be delivered each week as our main focus is on the road conditions throughout the Township. Deliveries must be paid for two days in advance of delivery and a release-of-liability form must be signed. Deliveries are on Thursday's only and subject to availability.

## YARD WASTE DROP-OFF SCHEDULE

Year Round: First Saturday of each month 8AM - 1PM

March through October:

Third Wednesday of month 4PM – 8PM

Proof of Residency Required

See website for details



## Spring Brush Chipping Program

Residents who wish to participate in the program must fill out the online form on the Township website or call ahead to schedule the pick-up. Pick up must be scheduled no later than the Friday before your scheduled Monday. Any requests (via on-line or by phone) made after 3:00 p.m. on Friday will not be accepted.

Program participants must have their brush at the curb by 7:00 a.m. on the scheduled Monday.

### Brush Pick Up Guidelines:

You should place the brush and tree trimmings by the road prior to the scheduled pick-up date. Brush chipping crews will spend one week in each section, therefore if they don't pick up your brush on Monday, they will continue through the rest of the week until they have completed the entire section. Because of time constraints, however, they will not be able to return to a street/road after the brush pick-up has been completed. Pick-up begins on the scheduled Monday at 7 AM, the trucks and crews will make only one pass on each street; please do not call to request special pick-ups. As much as the Township would like to accommodate requests for pick-up outside of the scheduled day, the Public Works crews must adhere to the established pick-up schedule in order to administer the program effectively and efficiently.

- Trimmings should be placed by the roadside, stacked neatly with the cut ends toward the road.
- Limbs should be cut in 4 to 12-foot lengths
- Limbs should not exceed 4" in diameter.

### The following material will not be collected:

- Trash, thorny materials, plants, leaves and grass, wood with nails or wire in it, dirt or rocks will not be chipped or picked up. These items are dangerous and may cause damage to the grinding equipment used to make mulch or may injure an employee.
- Brush cut or trimmed by contractors. Persons hired by the property owners are responsible for removing material.
- Small twigs and branches less than 18" in length.
- Material cleared from lots or undeveloped property
- Material put in bags, boxes, or trash containers.

Brush chipping: **Each resident is allowed fifteen minutes of chipping.**

Brush is limited to an amount that would fill the back of a small pickup truck. **Residents with a larger amount should contact a professional tree service.**

## IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS

- West Brandywine Township no longer accepts larger bills i.e., one hundred- or fifty-dollar bills for cash payments at the Township. Please bring exact amount if paying by cash, we do not keep change on the premises. We apologize for any inconvenience.
- **Did you remember to Pay Your Trash Bill?**  
Bills were due April 1, 2020. A 10% penalty is applied if paid after the due date. Fees collected after May 1st are subject to an additional 1% interest per month. Credit/Debit card payments accepted at the Township or at wbrandywine.org. You must have your 4-digit trash account number available. (A non-refundable service fee is charged to your credit card to process electronic payment) Please contact the Township if you did not receive yours. **TRASH PAYMENT EXTENDED UNTIL JULY 15TH WITHOUT PENALTY.**
- **2020 Township Tax Bill was mailed on February 1, 2020**  
Please contact the Chester County Treasurer if you did not receive yours.

### • Mattresses & Box Springs

There is a **\$25.00** charge for each out for trash pick-up. Please prep box-spring or mattress picked up Blosenski. The landfill now charges \$25 to dispose of them so the charge will be passed onto the resident needing this service. Payments can be made online by e-check or credit card via our website (*\$1.50 additional fee applies for e-checks or 2.65% fee for credit card payment*). Payments can also be made in person by check or cash (*please bring exact amount*). To pay online select department “trash”



\*If you are purchasing a new mattress please consider having that company remove your old mattress or box-spring. Most mattress companies do this free of charge.

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## Schedule for Spring Brush Pick Up 15-minute chipping limit • No exceptions

SECTION 1 Monday, June 1, 2020		SECTION 2 Monday, June 8, 2020		SECTION 3 Monday, June 15, 2020	
Allison Dr	Jamie Lane	Andover Rd	Little Washington	Ashley Ct	Laurel Dr
Ashberry Ln	Jennifer Lane	Apple Dr	Lyndell	Barons Hill Rd	Manor Rd
Audrey Lynn Dr	Justin Ln	Beaver Creek Rd	Northfield Dr	Brandamore Rd	Mendenhall Dr
Baker Rd	Kathleen Ln	Berkley Dr	Michael Ct	Brandywine Dr	North Manor Rd
Beechwood Dr	Kingswood Ln	Briars Run Dr	Peach Tree Ln	Cedar Knoll Rd	Overlook Dr
Caln Meetinghouse Rd	Kristin Dr	Bridle Ct East	Pennswick Dr	Croce Ln	Pratts Dam Rd
Carol Ln	Main Lin Dr	Bridle Ct West	Pheasant Cove Dr	Ednas Ln	Red Oak Dr
Castle Ln	Monacy Rd	Brittany Ln	Ponds End Dr	Evelyn Dr	Reid Rd
Connies Dr	Netherwood Dr	Brook Cir	Post Run Rd	Fraser Blvd	Rockland Way
Country Ln	N Hawthorne Rd	Camberly Ct	Raleigh Dr	Freedom Valley Cir	Ryan Ln
Dogwood Dell Dr	Old Homestead R	Canter Ln	Ramblewood Dr	Gabel Rd	Telegraph Rd
Eachus Dr	Old Spring Rd	Casey Dr	Rebecca Ln	Germany Hollow Rd	Union Rd
East Kings Hwy	Old Willows Rd	Chelmsford Ct	Songbird Cir	Hibernia Rd	Vinelyn Ln
E Reeceville Rd	Patricias Ln	Cochran Dr	Southfield Dr	Hillside Ct	Wagontown Rd
Elmwood Ln	Prout Dr	Creeks Bend Dr	Springton Rd	Horseshoe Pk (W of 82)	Walden Way
Fox Ln	Reason Ln	Culbertson Run Rd	Steven Way	Icedale Rd	Westview Dr
Graces Dr	Reeceville Rd	Gabe Cir	Summers Ln	Kaolin Rd	Windle Ct
Greenhill Rd	Schoolhouse Ln	Glenview Dr	Sunshine Cir	Lafayette Rd	Windy Way
Hadfield Rd	S Hawthorne Rd	Highspire Rd	Swinehart Rd	Landover Rd	Woodbrooke Dr
Holly Dr	Sweet Briar Rd	Horseshoe Pk (E of 82)	Trotter Ln		
Hurley Rd	Virginia Dr	Hunter Dr	W Bridle Ct		
	Wynnewood Dr	Jolly Joe Dr	Warren Cir		
		Kailey Ct	Waterford Ln		
		Kimberwick Cir	Windy Hill Rd		
		Lahawa Dr	Wythe Dr		
		Lauren Ln			



Additional information on upcoming events posted on the Township's Website & Facebook.  
Sign up on the Township website to receive updates and notifications via email.



## Ghost Stories October 23, 2020

Presented by

Storyteller, Deborah Pieri &  
The Downingtown Area Paranormal  
Investigators

Age Limit 12 and up (*not for children*)

Registration required – limited seating

## Saturday with Santa November 28, 2020

If you'd like to be a vendor, register early with the township to reserve your spot.  
Registration will open in September and spots fill up quickly.

We are looking for volunteers to assist with the event this year.

If you can donate your time to help, please contact the township.



### Outdoor Safety

- » If you can hear thunder, you are within striking distance of lightning. Look for shelter inside a home, large building, or a hard-topped vehicle right away.
- » Do not go under trees for shelter. There is no place outside that is safe during a thunderstorm.
- » Wait at least 30 minutes after hearing the last clap of thunder before leaving your shelter.
- » Stay away from windows and doors. Stay off porches.
- » There is no safe place outside. Places with only a roof on sports fields, golf courses, and picnic areas are not safe during a lightning storm. Small sheds should not be used.
- » If a person is struck by lightning, call 9-1-1. Get medical help right away.

### Indoor Safety

Turn off computers. Stay off corded phones, computers, and other things that put you in direct contact with electricity or plumbing. You can use a cell or cordless phone.

Do not wash your hands, bathe, shower, do laundry, or wash dishes.



### FAST FACTS

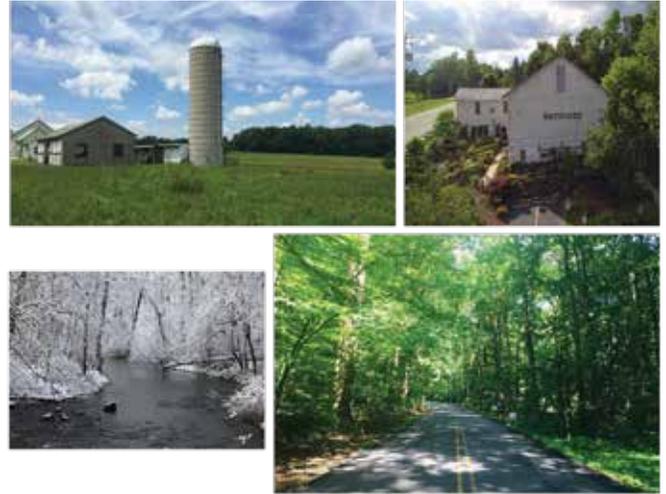
Lightning may strike  
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## 2019 Update to the Comprehensive Plan Adopted by Resolution No. 07-2020 on January 16, 2020

The 2019 West Brandywine Comprehensive Plan is an update of the Township's 2005 Comprehensive Plan. The 2005 Comprehensive Plan set to guide the Township through what was expected to be a period of considerable growth. However, the Great Recession of 2008 saw many residential developments that were planned subsequently abandoned. In the interim period, the Township has seen very little additional growth and this plan provides a framework for balancing future growth with a focus on protecting its natural and historic resources, maintaining its unique agricultural and rural character, and providing for enhanced transportation networks and trails.



### What is the Comprehensive Plan?

This 2019 Comprehensive Plan is intended to guide the development and preservation of the Township over the next 20 years as per the Community Vision, Goals, Objectives and Strategies included herein. It establishes implementation recommendations for natural resources and open space, historical and cultural resources, community facilities and services, transportation and trails, future land use, housing, and energy conservation. Complete Comprehensive Plan can be found on the Township's website.



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## **Chester County Household Hazardous Waste Event Schedule for 2020**

**NO ELECTRONICS WILL BE ACCEPTED**

**ALL EVENTS START AT 9:00 AM AND CLOSE AT 3:00 PM SHARP**

• **Friday, June 19, 2020**

**COATESVILLE LEARNING CENTER**

1635 East Lincoln Highway, Coatesville, PA 19320

(Stone wall entrance-Veteran's Drive-Same entrance as CAT  
Brandywine –Route 30 across from Dairy Queen)

• **Saturday, August 29, 2020**

**OXFORD SCHOOL DISTRICT ADMINISTRATIVE BLDG**

(Proof of Residency May Be Required)

125 Bell Tower Lane, Oxford, PA 19363

• **Saturday, October 10, 2020**

**GOVERNMENT SERVICES CENTER**

601 Westtown Road, West Chester, PA 19380



### **Maximum Amount Accepted**

- 25 Gallons or 220 Lbs.
- No Metal Drums
- No Freon Appliances

**\*PLEASE TAKE YOUR  
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## EBYA

### East Brandywine Youth Association Baseball, Softball & Soccer!

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As a non-profit and 100% volunteer organization, EBYA wouldn't be possible without the incredible support of all of our amazing local business sponsors!

EBYA gets your kids out into the fresh air and away from the screens! Register now for our newsletter to stay informed of upcoming events and all our Fall registrations. [eybabbsponsors@gmail.com](mailto:eybabbsponsors@gmail.com) • <https://www.ebya.org/>



## DEP GRANT AWARDED

### West Brandywine received notice that it received a grant award for \$315,000.

The grant is a reimbursement grant used to purchase a woodchipper, swap loader truck, hook loader, and a new roll-off container for recycling. The grant will also be utilized to reimburse for the fence that was installed and for paving the new leaf composting site located at the old Kimberwick Sewer Processing Site located off Route 322.

*Pictured: Big Green Bandit Chipping Machine funded by the DEP grant.*



## Memorial Garden

The Memorial Garden Committee is seeking volunteers to continue its work on the construction and completion of the Memorial Garden. Are you a retired Veteran that would like to help? Please contact the Township if you are interested.



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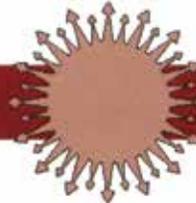
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