

Newsletter

Southampton Township Cumberland County

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Board of Supervisors Meetings

2nd Monday of each month at 8 am and the 4th Monday of each month at 6 pm at the Township Office.

Township Website

<http://southamptontwp.com>

TOWNSHIP NEWS

Plow Truck Safety Tips

Stay at least six car lengths behind a plow truck and remember that the main plow is wider than the truck.

SLOW DOWN and move over. Move as far away from the centerline of the road as is safely possible when approaching a snow plow head-on. Snow spray can obscure the actual snow plow width which can be 11' wide. Some travel lanes may only be 10.5' wide. Remain alert, snow plows generally travel much slower than other traffic and may be obscured by blowing snow.

Never pass or travel next to a snow plow as the weight of the snow thrown from the plow can quickly cause smaller vehicles to lose control.

Turn your headlights on and keep your lights on when driving near a snow plow to help the operator better see your vehicle. Remember to

keep your lights on every time your wipers are on.

Shoveling Snow

When shoveling snow near the road, attempt to shovel as much snow as possible in the direction of travel. The snow plow truck moves snow in the direction of travel and may plow snow back into your driveway if snow is shoveled against the direction of travel. **NEVER SHOVEL SNOW INTO THE ROADWAY.**

Bulk Trash

The fall bulk clean up on September 25th and 26th was a big success. 21.62 Tons of trash were collected. The reason that the township offers bulk clean up is so residents don't accumulate trash on their property, or trash is illegally dumped. \$3,442.88 was the cost to provide this service.

Township Vehicle

The Board of Supervisors have approved the purchase of a new 2021 Mack Granite Series Dump truck which will

replace one of the 1999 GMC trucks. This truck will be delivered in March. Once the new truck arrives STCC will then sell one of the 1999 GMC Trucks.

Ordinance Update

STCC is working hard on the codification of Township Ordinances. Codification will allow township ordinances to be easily searched and viewed on the township website.

Permit Update

2020 was a busy year. As of late November 2020, the following permits have been issued: 65 new home construction, 71 detached garages, sheds and fences, 8 mobile homes, 13 home additions, 11 pools, 15 agricultural buildings, and 10 solar projects.

Park and Rec

An additional vehicle gate has been installed at the multi-purpose center to alleviate the traffic congestion at the football games.

The Township Office will be closed on the following dates:

January 1st -New Years

January 18th - Martin Luther King Jr. Day

February 15th Presidents' Day

April 2nd - Good Friday

UPCOMING EVENTS

January 4th - Tee ball, Softball, and Baseball registration opens

January 7th - Ship Market is now indoors EVERY OTHER Thursday 3:30-6:30 pm at the Multi-Purpose Center 56 Cleversburg Road

January 31st - Bridal Garage Sale 1-4 pm 56 Cleversburg Rd.

March 5th - Hops and Humor Comedy Night with Earl David Reed 56 Cleversburg Rd.

March 13th - St. Patty's 5K Run - you may register at <https://cvraceseries.us/Events/EventPage.php?event id=869>

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