



East Buffalo Township Newsletter

WHAT'S NEW? Spring has begun, March went out like a lamb, and April fooled all of us with the showers and temperature change. We celebrated Easter by searching the fields, backyards and even the potholes for easter eggs. That tricky rabbit we will get you next year. We all faced the tax year together, and did you get them filed on time? We celebrated Earth Day by planting trees or new flowers and remembered to thank our Administrative Personnel for all the hard work they did for us. As we enter the month of May...wait...what did you say...**May**? Oh my, look out for school to end, vacation trips, but let us not forget what we celebrate in May. May begins with Cinco de Mayo. Do you know what it is and why it is celebrated? Then there is National Day of Prayer. We all need to take a minute or two on this day. We celebrate or honor our mothers on Mother's Day for caring for us, loving us and for putting up with us for all the good, bad and the in-between stuff that we have done over the years. Let us not forget Armed Forces Day, let us celebrate and honor all current active-duty personnel across all six military branches. However, if you do not celebrate all the other holidays in May I hope that you all stop and celebrate **MEMORIAL DAY**. What is Memorial Day and why is it celebrated? Memorial Day is a federal holiday to mourn and honor over 1.5 million+ American military personnel who died in service. This day was originally called Decoration Day established in 1868. Thank you to all the men and women who laid down their lives for us then and now and thank you to all who are currently serving or have served for us over the years.

DROP-OFF CENTER RECYCLING REMINDERS:

The recycling center on Fairground Road will be open on: *

- Monday, May 4 – 7am – 3:30pm
- Saturday, May 9 – 8am – 12pm**
- Monday, May 11 – 7am – 3:30pm
- Monday, May 18 – 7am – 3:30pm
- Tuesday, May 26 – 7am – 3:30pm**

CURBSIDE RECYCLING BINS AVAILABLE:

Curbside Collection will be on **Tuesday, May 5***. Residents need to have their recycling materials along the curb by 7am. Includes aluminum cans and glass bottles and jars (clear, green & brown).

Curbside recycling bins are available for East Buffalo Township residents.

Visit the Township Office Monday through Friday from 7:30 AM to 4 PM to pick up a bin to be used for curbside collection provided by the Township.

BRUSH & YARD WASTE DROP-OFF REMINDERS:

Do not forget your permit, it is needed, pick it up at the Township Office. The brush & yard waste drop-off site located on Pheasant Ridge Road will be open on: *

- Monday, May 4 – 7am – 3:30pm
- Saturday, May 9 – 8am – 12pm**
- Monday, May 11 – 7am – 3:30pm
- Monday, May 18 – 7am – 3:30pm
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Brush Pick Up Bundles:

The **second** round of brush & yard waste collection throughout the Township begins on **Monday, May 11th***. Please place material curbside by 7:00 AM.



The specific collection date for your residence is dependent upon weather conditions and the volume of brush and garden waste in need of collection.

The Public Works Crew follows a regular rotation that collects on each street, one time during each collection cycle. Township employees **will not enter private property or private streets** to collect brush and waste.

MEETING REMINDERS:

The Board of Supervisors will meet on **Monday, May 11 at 5:30pm** for a business meeting and will meet on **Tuesday, May 26 at 5:30pm*** for a Work Session Meeting, both will be at the East Buffalo Township building.

The Buffalo Valley Regional Police Commission will meet on **Wednesday May 13 at 5pm** and will be held at Police Department.

The Planning Commission will meet on **Wednesday, May 20 at 6pm*** at the East Buffalo Township building.

TOWNSHIP ORDINANCE REMINDERS:

Now that the weather is nice, we can all open our doors, windows or even sit outside on our decks, patios, or porches. Please remember the following Township Ordinances.

The **Noise Ordinance: Chapter 10, Part 3**, all outside activities or work are not allowed before 7:00 AM and must end by 10:00 PM unless it is an emergency or it is approved by the township.

The **Burning Ordinance: Chapter 7, Part 1**, absolutely **“NO”** burning in the township unless approved by the Fire Department and Township. **All residents are required to recycle. “No burning trash, brush, or yard waste material.”**

I know some of us like to have campfires. It must be in a firepit, and flames must be kept under control.

The **Property Maintenance Ordinance: Chapter 5, Part 6**, let us all be responsible for keeping our property maintained. If you have a neighbor who is struggling, be kind, reach out and see if you can help them.

The **Animal Ordinance: Chapter 2**, let us not forget about our pets. Please remember to keep them on a leash if you are out walking them in public. Most importantly...clean up after them. If you have pets outside, please make sure they have proper shade, food, and water.

These ordinances can all be found on our township website at ebtwp.org, go to the Publications tab, scroll down to Code of Ordinances, click on the box

and all 27 Chapter Ordinance are listed. Just click on the chapter link and you can read the information yourself or provide it as a reminder.

*****HAPPENING NOW AND LOOKING AHEAD***:**

The Public Works Crew will start its road work projects. **South 7th Street** from River Road to Moore Avenue; **Lan Avon Drive** from River Road South entrance to River Road North entrance; and **River Road** from US 15 to Township Line. The Public Works Crew will also be finishing the Turtle Creek Road Bridge Project and will be doing a lot of road grading and ditch/swale regrading.

PennDOT will be doing some work on US 15 (West Branch Highway) from the Marine Corps League Memorial Highway sign to Old School House Road approximately 3.07 miles of roadway they will be resurfacing from May 1st to June 30th.

The Union County 250 PA Committee will be kicking off their Home and Business Decoration Contest. <https://sites.google.com/view/unioncounty250pa/home> events. The contest starts on **May 15th**, and judging will be on **July 31st**.

May 4th deadline to register for the May 19th Primary. Out of town on Election Day, you have until May 12th to request a mail-in ballot. Please go out and vote on **Tuesday, May 19th, from 7am to 8pm.**

The Township Office Building and Public Works Garage will be closed on **Monday, May 25th** for Memorial Day will reopen on **Tuesday, May 26th**.

Bucknell University firework display on **Friday, May 29th** starting around **9:15 PM.**

The Lewisburg Sprint Triathlon on **Saturday, May 30th**. The event will start at the Lewisburg Community Pool.

Real Estate Taxes face period ends **May 31st**. June 1st starts the penalty period. School Taxes come out in July.

Mark your calendars, the next East Buffalo Township **Safety Action Plan Open House** is scheduled for **Monday, June 22, 2026**, at 5:30 PM at the East Buffalo Township Office Building.