

FALL, 2022

Town of Newport, Delaware

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News of Newport

Happy Harvest!

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Fall Cleanup—Saturday, October 22, 2022

Waste Management will pick up your unwanted household items on Saturday, October 22, 2022. The truck comes by pretty early, so please have your items out the night before.

As a reminder, please do not put out yard waste, construction debris, paint, chemicals, tires, or appliances containing freon.

If you have questions, you call the municipal building for clarification.

UPDATE ON THE TRASH CANS: Waste Management does not have enough on hand at the moment for everyone, but when the cans are obtained, they will be given out. In the meantime, continue using the cans you already have. Again, please do not use the green and yellow recycling can for your regular trash—it will not get picked up.

226 N. James Street, Newport, DE 19804

302-994-6403; Fax 302--996-0214

<http://newport.delaware.gov>

Minquas Fire Company Open House

Wednesday, October 12, 2022

6:00 pm to 9:00 pm

Vehicle / Equipment displays, smoke detectors, free food/beverages.

The concrete work on Justis and Market Streets will begin in the next week or so.

During recent meetings, we have discussed the possibility of the town becoming a Complete Communities Enterprise District (CCED). That means that the town will have things in place to promote walkable, bikeable, multi-zoned development. Representatives from WILMAPCO and DelDOT have done presentations at meetings the past two months. There are many components to the process and council as a board has not decided one way or the other if this will be a good fit for the town at this time. Council recently approved a plan for development that will happen in the near future that will certainly be in line with the characteristics of a CCED. Stay tuned!



PERMIT INFORMATION:

ALL CONTRACTORS need to be licensed in the town to perform work in town. Permits are necessary for building, plumbing, mechanical or electrical work. Cosmetic changes (painting, carpet, etc.) do not need a permit. According to our building code, if the necessary permits are not obtained, a “stop work” order will be placed until the permit is secured. The fee will also be doubled.

These rules are in effect for your safety as well as the safety of your neighbors. Call Wendy with questions.

Upcoming Meetings:

October 20

November 17

December 15

Our trash/recycling schedule is on the website in case you ever question holiday pickup.

<https://newport.delaware.gov>

You can also receive text alerts for information in between newsletters. Instructions on how to do that are on the website.

Did you know we have a dog poop ordinance? We do! Part of that ordinance reads that dog owners are not permitted to allow their dog to poop on property other than their own. We all know that dogs cannot determine property lines when nature calls, so if it happens, **PICK IT UP!** If you fail to do so, you will be fined. It also states that your dog should be under your supervision and leashed at all times. If you want your dog to have the freedom to run, go to Banning or Carousel Park where there are designated areas where dogs can be dogs! Thank you for your cooperation.

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