

Summit Township Newsletter

Grant Awards

A Multi-modal Transportation Fund Grant was awarded to Summit Township and Jefferson Township for the reconstruction and paving of Bonniebrook Road from Route 422 to Route 356. The start date for the project has not been determined.

Summit Township has been awarded the Dirt, Gravel and Low Volume Road Grant for a three phase project of Binsey Road.

Old East Butler Road is under consideration for the Dirt, Gravel and Low Volume Road Grant. The awarding of the grant will be later in the summer.

Summit Elementary Playground

Summit Township has entered into an Agreement with Butler Area School District for the Summit Elementary School playground to be available for public use whenever school is not in session.

The Township and school district have collaborated to apply for a DCNR grant to rebuild the playground. The fund raising effort by the Summit Elementary PTO is currently underway to raise \$20,000.00 to meet the grant's requirement. If you would be interested in pledging towards the project, please contact Lesley Fidler at 724-214-3880 or via email at lesley_fidler@butler.k12.pa.us. Thank you for your consideration to support this community effort.

Permit Season

Spring and Summer is the busiest time of year for permits. The most common permits are car ports, swimming pools, sheds, garages, decks and porches. If a project is started without a permit, the fee is doubled and the project will be stopped until the permit is issued. To save time and expense, contact the Township office at 724-285-1168 for permit requirements.

Driveway Improvements

If you are planning to improve or pave your driveway, please contact the Township for the permit and requirements. Should a paving company approach you to pave your driveway, please remember that it is the property owner's responsibility to obtain the permit. If a permit is not obtained, the fee is doubled and the driveway must meet the Township's specifications.

Meeting Dates & Times

- Public Meetings
1st & 3rd Wednesday
6:45 p.m.
- Planning Commission
2nd Tuesday
7:00 p.m.
- Sewage Authority
3rd Tuesday
9:00 a.m.
- Zoning Hearing Board
As needed basis.
- Location for the meetings
502 Bonniebrook Road
Butler, PA 16002

Sewage Update

Public Meeting—The design phase of Act 537 Sewage Plan is tentatively scheduled to be completed by the end of this year.

A public meeting will be held for the presentation of the service lines and plant design.

The meeting date has not been determined. Whenever it is available, the information will be posted on the Township's website (www.summittwp.org) or call the Township office at 724-285-1168.

Archeological Study—The State Historical Preservation Office is requiring a Phase I Archeological Study for the sewage project. If your property is within the study area, you will receive notification regarding the process.

Contact Us

- Township Office
724-285-1168
Monday through Friday
9:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.
- Township Fax
724-285-7677
- Township Email
summittwp@zoominternet.net

Landscaping Reminder

Whenever landscaping please take into account the full growth of shrubs and trees so that they do not impact the Township's ability to maintain the road.

Landscaping is not permitted to encroach the Township's right-of way. To determine the distance from the road for your project, please contact the Township office at 724-285-1168.

Road Projects

The Township has a busy paving and sealcoating season scheduled.

Paving Project

Bricker Avenue Brinker Road Fallecker Road Valley View Drive

Seal Coating Project

Brinker Road Fallecker Road Carbon Center Road Great Belt Road
Hesidenz Road Highland Drive Simon Drive Valley View Drive

We would like to thank you in advance for your patience and understanding during the projects. At times, there may be road closures or delays but the end result will be well worth it. Also, please make safety an upmost priority for the well being of the road employees.

Door-to-Door Salespersons

All door-to door salespersons are required to have a Township issued Soliciting Permit. If you are approached by salesperson, please ask to see the permit. If the individual does have a permit, please call the Township office at 724-285-1168. The company will be contacted to submit the required information in order to obtain a permit.