



Spring 2017 — Summer 2017

# Summit Township Newsletter

## Township Information

### SEWAGE UPDATE

The Act 537 Plan that will be submitted to the DEP for the Herman area sewage plant is available for the public to review at the municipal building at 502 Bonniebrook Road, Butler, PA. A 30-day comment period has been established for you to submit your written comments no later than April 19, 2017 to the following address:

Senate Engineering Company  
Attn: Michael Elisco  
420 William Pitt Way  
Pittsburgh, PA 15238

An informational public meeting will be held on April 20, 2017 at 6:30 p.m. at the Herman Fire Hall. The comments at this meeting will not be included in the Act 537 Plan.

**Address:**  
502 Bonniebrook Road  
Butler, PA 16002

**Telephone:**  
724-285-1168

**Fax:**  
724-285-7677

**Office Hours:**  
9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.  
Monday – Friday

**Email:**  
[summittwp@zoominternet.net](mailto:summittwp@zoominternet.net)

### Website:

[www.summittwp.org](http://www.summittwp.org)

### Public Meetings:

Held the first and third Wednesday of every month at 6:45 p.m.

### Planning Commission:

Held the second Tuesday of every month at 7:00 p.m.

### Zoning Hearing Board:

Meetings held on as needed basis.



### RECYCLING 101

(<http://www.realsimple.com/home-organizing/green-living/recycling>)

- **Collect newspapers in a paper grocery bag or in tied bundles**, depending on your community's guidelines, and set them out on pickup day. (It takes up to 75,000 trees to produce one Sunday edition of the *New York Times*.)
- **Don't recycle wet cardboard.** It can clog sorting machines. Throw it away to keep it from contaminating the rest of the load.
- **Don't recycle bottle tops;** they're not made from the same plastic as recyclable bottles. But if you forget, don't sweat it. They'll be sorted down the line. (The energy saved by recycling one plastic bottle can power a computer for 25 minutes.)
- **Rinse cans, but crushing isn't necessary.** The aluminum can is the most recycled item in the United States, as well as the most valuable. It can be recycled again and again, and so efficiently that a can is regenerated and back on the shelf in as little as 60 days.
- **Don't fret if you can't get the last of the peanut butter from the jar.** The recycler's machinery will zap all contaminants. But do empty and rinse glass jars and containers.

### ROAD PROJECTS



The following road projects are scheduled.

1. Crack sealing of roads in May.
2. Geibel Road repair and paving.
3. Sealcoating of Bull Creek Road, Harris Road, Headland Road, Schiebel Road, South Osche Road, Star Grille Road and the western end of Green Manor Drive.
4. Tentatively scheduled is the middle section of Keck Road, western Heist Road and Bonnie Drive.

Thank you for your patience and cooperation during the projects. There may be times when you will experience delays and road closures. Also, please be safety conscious of the road crew.



### Spring Primary Election May 16, 2017

Please take a moment to cast your vote at the Herman Fire Hall or Lick Hill Fire

Polls are open from 7:00 a.m.—8:00 pm.

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# Summit Township Contact Information

Each of the following can be reached at the township office.  
724-285-1168

## Supervisors

Willie Adams, Chairman  
Richard Green, Vice-Chairman  
Larry Osche,  
Supervisor/Roadmaster

## Zoning Officer

Roxann Stickney

## Zoning Field Officer

Chuck Montag

## Dog Officer

Dennis Sybert  
724-352-4732

## Real Estate Tax Collector

Kathy Oesterling  
724-283-4645  
Wednesday 12:30 p.m.—5:00 p.m.

## Sewage Enforcement Officer

Doug Duncan  
724-679-4860

## Wage Tax Collector

Berkheimer Tax Administrator  
724-282-0377

## Herman Volunteer Fire Company

Non-Emergency Number  
724-287-0836

## East Butler Rescue Services

Non-Emergency Number  
724-285-6261

## Lick Hill Fire Department

Non-Emergency Number  
724-287-2493

## PA One Call

Call before you dig. Dial 811



## Trash Disposal

Please do not dispose of garbage and debris on the township's right-of-way, public roads or private property.



Know what's below.  
Call 8-1-1 before you dig.

## CALL BEFORE YOU DIG

Please call 811 before you dig on your property to ensure that there are no utilities lines in the area. It is the excavator or individual performing the work that is responsible to call 8-1-1.



## Lost Keys

A car key was turned into the township building that was found on rails-to-trails. If you have lost your key, please call 724-285-1168.



## Quick Historical Fact of Summit Township

*A small train depot known as the Brinker Depot was located near the township building. On January 12, 1873, the first train on the tracks was a passenger train traveling from Butler to Freeport to Pittsburgh.*