



The Journal

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Important Phone Numbers:

Town Hall: (302) 337-7135
Fax: (302) 337-7817

Police Department:
(302) 337-8302

Non-Emergency:
(302) 337-8305

Fax: (302) 337-8359

Fire, Ambulance, Police:
911

State Police, Troop 5
(302) 337-1090

Sussex County:
(302) 855-7700

Bridgeville Fire Dept.
(302) 337-7272

Bridgeville Public Library:
(302) 337-7401

Town Office Hours:
Monday through Friday
8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Online Payments now accepted at:
Bridgeville.delaware.gov

The Town does not accept phone payments

Contact Ashley at
Town Hall to be placed on
the Town Email Notification
List:
awalls@townofbridgeville.de.us

**Commission Meetings
are the Second
Monday of every
month at 7:00 pm**

MONTHLY MEETING

Be Connected. Be Heard. Be Informed.



**Commission Workshops
are the Last
Monday of every
month at 5:00 pm**

Make sure you know who your Town Commissioner is

District #1: Timothy Banks
District #2: Lawrence (Tazz) Tassone
District #3: Bruce Smith [Secretary]
District #4: Tom Carey [President pro tempore]
District #5: Sharon McDowell [President]

**If you are not sure what district you are in,
please contact Town Hall.**

Town Provided Services

Notary: \$2 per stamp
Fax: \$2 for the first page & \$1
each additional page
Copies: \$.25 each page (min
charge \$1.00)

Snow Reminders

Shoveling Snow/ice must be removed within twenty-four (24) hours of it ceasing to accumulate, according to Town Code. The owner or occupant of any building or lot abutting a public sidewalk is responsible to keep it clear of snow/ice. Additionally, in order for your letter carrier to provide you with uninterrupted service, residents must clear the approach to their mailbox.

Snow Plowing /Salting of Roads When snow begins to fall, residents having access to their yard from an alleyway must park their vehicles there. If a driveway does not exist, all residents must move vehicles to the even-numbered (house numbers) side of the street. When the odd-numbered side of the street has been cleared of snow/ice, residents must move vehicles to the odd-numbered side of the street. This will allow the Town to clear the streets completely and efficiently, without the need for residents to shovel their respective parking spaces. **Please use ice melt on sidewalks instead of salt & do not shovel the snow into the road.**



If you are out of Town for an extended period of time during the winter months, you must make arrangements for your sidewalks to be shoveled in your absence.

WHY USE SMART911?

- As a call is made from a phone registered with Smart911, **any city or state** that has Smart911 will recognize the phone number and will display the information that was provided by the registered caller.
- 32 million people use Smart911 for personal and family preparedness in over 1,000 communities. This includes statewide implementations in Michigan, Delaware, and Arkansas. Locally, DuPage County has been using Smart911 since 2010, Naperville since 2013 and Cook County Sheriff's Office since 2015. Chicago will become the nation's largest single user of Smart911.
- Over 10% of 9-1-1 calls nationally are processed through Smart911.
- Approximately 75% of 9-1-1 calls are made using cellular phones that lack detailed location information.



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Bridgeville Town Code
Available on-line at: bridgeville.delaware.gov

Bridgeville Public Library

Story Time 3-6 Year Olds - Tuesdays, 11 AM

Caterpillar 3 Mo. Olds - 3 Year Olds

Clubhouse Wednesdays, 10 AM (Early Literacy Program)

Family Fun Nights Jan. 15 6:30 - 8 PM

Adult Craft Night Jan. 24 6-8 PM

Imagineering Club & Imagineering Basics Club

Wednesdays, 3:30-5 PM

Sussex County 4-H Tech Club

First and Third Wednesdays, 5-6:30 PM

Open to all current & non-4H'ers, Grades 4-12

Basic Tech Assistance

First and third Wednesdays from 5-7pm, and every Friday from 3-5pm. Basic computer skill tutorials are available by appointment.

Free Gaming for All: Jan. 12 11 AM—2 PM

Sussex County 4-H Tech Club: First and Third Wednesday from 5-6:30 PM

L.E.A.P. Dogs: Jan. 8 & 22, 6-7 PM

Home School Network: This program is for children grades Kindergarten - 5th grade, and will be held on the first Thursday of each month at 1pm. Please check Facebook and/or our website for any date/time changes.

Library Closings:

January 1 & 15

For more information please contact the library at 302-337-7401, check out our website www.bridgevillelibrary.com, or visit us on Facebook and "Like" our page

Contact Person:

Karen Johnson Director 302-337-7401x107

Suzanne Collins, Programming Coordinator 302-236-3022



2019 BRIDGEVILLE MUNICIPAL ELECTION

NOTICE OF SOLICITATION OF CANDIDATES

Voting District #4: 1 Commission Seat - 2-year term

Voting District #5: 1 Commission Seat - 2-year term

Municipal Election

Saturday, March 2

Town Hall

Noon - 7:00 PM

Candidate Filing Deadline

Monday, February 4 at 4:30 PM

Register at Bridgeville Town Hall

Candidate Qualifications — Requirements

- U.S. Citizen and at least 21 years of age on or before the date of Election.
- Bridgeville Resident at least one year immediately preceding date of Election.
- Qualified Voter in Bridgeville at least one year prior to date of Election.
- Qualified Voter in the State of Delaware.

Current Commissioners:

District 4 - Tom Carey & District 5 - Sharon McDowell

(Should only one qualified candidate file in any District, that District Election will be canceled)

Absentee Balloting Will Be Available

February 13, 2019 through Noon on March 1,



Voter Registration

Bridgeville Town Hall-Monday-Friday, 8:30 AM-4:30 PM

Deadline: Wednesday, February 20, 2019 4:30 PM

Voter Requirements

- * At Least 18 Yrs. of Age
- * 30-Day Bridgeville Residency
- * U.S. Citizen
- * Registered Voter in Bridgeville
- * Registered Voter in the State of Delaware

Code Department

2019 Business License

Bridgeville has a new annual licensing requirement for all Business working in Town. All Business must register with Town Hall and pay the annual fee of \$100. If your business is within town limits then you must fill out the application but do not have to pay the fee.

Rental License

Per Town Code, homeowners who rent their homes are responsible for obtaining a Rental License with the Town and having an inspection done by the Code Enforcement Officer. The fee is \$25 per bedroom.

Vacant Property Registration.

Vacant property owners will need to register their properties Annually with the Town. \$100 for the first year it is vacant, 2-3 years is \$300 and 5+ years is \$500.

Contact: Code Enforcement Official Jerry Butler
302-337-7135

Important Dates to Remember



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| January 01 | New Years Day Town Office & Woodbridge Schools Closed |
| 14 | Monthly Commission Meeting Town Hall 7 PM |
| 14 | Town Hall Open until 6:45 for Voter Registration |
| 15 | Monthly Planning and Zoning Meeting Town Hall 6 PM |
| 16 | Economic Dev. Committee Meeting Town Hall 3 PM |
| 21 | Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Town Office/Library & Woodbridge Schools Closed |
| 28 | Monthly Commission Workshop Town Hall 5 PM |
| 28 | Woodbridge - No School for Students |

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Bridgeville Historical Society, Inc.

102 William Street - P. O. Box 306
Bridgeville, DE 19933 - 302-337-7600

Bridgeville Historical Society Museum

Open Tues., 10 am-12 noon & First Sunday from May-Nov., 12-3 pm
Membership dues are: Single \$15, Family \$25, Patron \$75, Life \$500