Pine Grove Township

Frequently Asked Questions

Absentee Ballot

Absentee ballots can be obtained at the Pine Grove Township Office or from the Schuylkill County Voter Registration, 420 N Centre Street Pottsville, PA 17901

Ward 1 or 2 (old was East or Ravine) District - 137 Municipality – Pine Grove Township

Ancestry Question

Pine Grove Historical Society at (570) 345-0157

<u>Burn Ban</u>

Website: <u>http://www.dcnr.state.pa.us/forestry/ffp/burnbans.aspx</u>. The counties that are highlighted in red are the counties with burning ban.

Brush, Leaves, Trees

Pine Grove Township does not have a location to dispose of brush, trees, leaves, etc.

Change of Address for Voting

Address can be changed on the Voter Registration Application available at the Pine Grove Township Office or from the Schuylkill County Voter Registration, 420 N Centre Street Pottsville, PA 17901

Comcast Billing Address

Comcast Cable PO. Box 300 Southeastern, PA 19398

Comcast Cable Problems

Comcast at 800-266-2278

Control Burn

Fire Chief – Greg Pijar (570) 345-3600

Disaster Recovery – what to do

Contact insurance carriers immediately. Document all loss – take pictures of the damage. Retain all receipts for expenses related to repairs, disposal, etc. Retain all paperwork from insurance regarding claims. Begin the cleanup process immediately – document and do it – this will help to minimize the potential for mold growth. Disaster Assistance FAQ website: http://www.disasterassistance.gov/help/faqs

Additional information can be found at: Help After Disaster Booklet

Flood Insurance/Elevation Certificate

Contact an engineer or surveyor to do an elevation certificate. There may be a fee for this service. It may be possible to obtain this information from the FEMA website: <u>https://msc.fema.gov/portal</u>

Gas Line (Atlantic Sunrise Williams)

<u>Citizen Hotline</u> (For Questions regarding a pipeline on the pipeline on their property) (844) 785-0455 <u>Security Questions and Concerns</u>: (855) 945-5762 <u>Community Based, Local Outreach Questions</u>: Mike Atchie: (570) 209-4357

For all Emergencies 911

Pavilion Rental: The pavilions are available to rent only by residents of the Pine Grove Area School District. Private rental of a pavilion is only for the pavilion; the general Recreation Center area is available to the public.

Rental Fee Township Resident \$50.00

Rental Fee Non-Township Resident \$100.00 Deposit Fee (refund if property cleaned up) \$50.00 Two checks required 1st check for the Rental Fee and 2nd check for Deposit.

Pine Grove Borough

570-345-3555

Post Office Phone Number

Pine Grove Post Office phone number: (570) 345-4955

Recycle Bins Emptied:

Schedule is subject to change: Monday – cardboard, plastic and paper Tuesday – nothing usually, unless volume is high Wednesday- glass and cans Thursday – plastic and paper Friday – cardboard

Roads:

Deer, tree, stop sign, etc. - is on road Depending on the location. <u>Township road</u> - contact the Roadmaster at (570) 345-4204 ext. 3 <u>State road</u> - contact PennDOT maintenance (570) 385-7812 State roads are: Geary Wolf Road, Sweet Arrow Lake Road, Rt. 125, Rt. 443, Rt. 501, RT. 645, and Rt. 895.

Sewage Enforcement (SEO) Officers (On-Lot Septic)

JB Environmental Services, LLC (Jeremy Bentz) (484) 662-3910 Lehigh Engineering, LLC (William Anders) (570) 628-2300

Sewer Question

<u>Public Sewer</u> - Joint Treatment Authority (PGJTA) (570) 345-6433 <u>On Lot Sewer</u> - Contact a plumber.

<u>SPCA</u>

Ruth Steinhart Memorial SPCA - (570) 345-3540

State Police

Non-Emergency/Emergency - (570) 754-4600 Emergency – 911

Tax Collector for Township

Mayanna Kroh - (570) 915-0207

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Township -Pine Grove Township currently has 1.5 mills Real Estate Tax.County -Schuylkill County Court House Tax Assessment Office (570) 622-5570School -Pine Grove Area School, (570) 345-2731 District OfficePSD Code -(Local Earned Income Tax Residency PSD Code) 540503Resident EIT Rate 1%

Trash Collection

Pine Grove Township does not have Municipal collection of trash, please contact a private collector of your choice. Please refer to the local phone book as these collector's information may have changed.

Potts & Monger (570)-345-6201

Underground Wires, Sewer Lines, etc.

Pennsylvania One Call www.pa1call.org or phone number 800-248-1786 before you begin digging.

Water Question or Issue

<u>Public water</u>: Pine Grove Borough at (570) 345-3555 or Schuylkill County Municipal Authority at (570) 622-8240 <u>On-lot well:</u> Call a plumber.

Washington Township

570-915-6113

Walk Path

1800 feet (1/3 miles) Bikes, Scooters, etc. are <u>not</u> allowed on the walking path.

Zoning Information

The Zoning Officer is Ralph Hummel at Lehigh Engineering, LLC he can be reached at (570) 259-2642. The Zoning Permit Application and Zoning Ordinances are on the website: <u>www.pinegrovetownship.com</u>. (Go to Forms). You can also come to the Township building and purchase the following

Zoning Ordinance Book with a map for \$22.00 Zoning Map for \$10.00 Subdivision & Land Development Ordinance Book (SALDO) \$18.00 SALDO and Zoning Ordinance Book on a flash drive for \$10.00.