

Board Of Supervisors Extends Dates For Payment Of Real Estate Taxes

Real Estate Tax Payment

Recognizing the financial difficulties caused by the coronavirus outbreak, the Board of Supervisors on Tuesday voted to extend the dates for payment of Township real estate taxes.

- The real estate tax discount period payment date is May 31, 2020 instead of April 30, 2020.
- The real estate tax face value period payment date is July 31, 2020 instead of June 30, 2020.
- The late/penalty payment date is from July 31, 2020 to December 31, 2020.

Board of Supervisors Meeting

The Board of Supervisors meeting scheduled for April 28 has been canceled. The Board held a successful <u>virtual meeting</u> on Tuesday and thanks the community for its understanding of the need for the different approach.

The Board of Supervisors held their <u>April 14, 2020 Meeting virtually</u> for the first time. During the meeting the Board was provided an update by Emergency Management Coordinator, Frank Baxter and Police Chief, Paul Kenny, on the "state" of Lower Gwynedd Township during the COVID-19 epidemic. The Finance Director, Chuck Wilson, provided the financial position of the Township with the Year-End Financials for 2019. The Township Manager, Craig McAnally, reviewed the Declaration of Disasters for COVID-19 for LGT along with the above mentioned Real Estate Tax Extension in 2020 for all property owners of Lower Gwynedd Township. The Township Engineer reviewed the bids for the Road Program and the Board accepted the bids but removed several "alternates" that will be addressed on a future road program. The amount of the bids will match the Liquid Fuels Funds received by LGT which can only be used for expenses associating with improving roadways.

The Board thanks all who participated in the meeting.

Township Events

The Township is evaluating all events that are scheduled for the remainder of the year to determine if changes will be necessary. The health and safety of the community and staff is a top priority. The Township will continue to have conversations with health officials and monitor COVID-19 developments. Formal announcements on specific events will be made at later dates.

Township Business

The Township Building will remain closed through April 30 in accordance with Governor Wolf's stay-at-home order. The Township continues to provide services as best as possible during this situation.

Please call 215-646-5302 or contact staff by email for assistance.

Lower Gwynedd continues to wish you and your family the best. Please stay home and stay healthy.

State Issues Order To Wear Masks

Dr. Rachel Levine, secretary of the Pennsylvania Department of Health, this week issued an order directing protections for critical workers at businesses and requiring customers entering businesses to wear masks.

Click here to review the state order and the press release on the action

Coronavirus Resources

Lower Gwynedd Township coronavirus page

Montgomery County coronavirus hub

Pennsylvania Department of Health

<u>CDC</u>

