

January 2020

CONWAY BOROUGH



801 First Avenue, Conway, PA 15027 www.conwaypa.org 724-869-5550

Water/Sewer Bills

Payment in full is due on or before
January 31, 2020.

Payments received after due date will be
subject to late fees.

Water service to delinquent accounts may
be shut-off after the due date.

Secretary's Office will be closed on

- Friday, April 10, 2020
– Good Friday

CONWAY COUNCIL 2020

Doug Falk	Joe Bohach
Patty Then	David Trombetta
John Antoline	Tim Antoline
David Matthews	

Mayor - Debbie Giska Rose

Conway Volunteer Fire Department

BINGO!

Tuesday Morning - Doors Open at 9:00 am Early
Birds begin at 10:15 am.

We have coffee, tea & donuts, pop, a wide variety
of snacks, & lunch items for Tuesday.

The Conway VFD BINGO is run by its Volunteers
and benefits the Conway VFD.

We would love for you to join us. Questions:
412-559-1042

900 S. Gross St. - Conway, PA



Conway Residents are reminded that snow and ice is to be removed from their sidewalks immediately after, and not later than within 24 hours after snowfall.

Sidewalks shall be kept open and unobstructed at all times to the public.

Please use off-street parking during snowstorms so that the roads may be plowed thoroughly.

PennDOT and the Borough of Conway urge residents to:

- Never shovel snow onto public roads.
- Shovel snow away from roadway, not toward it.
- Be cautious when working near a roadway.
- When clearing the end of the driveway, place snow to the right to prevent it from being plowed back into the driveway.
- Do not pile snow in areas that will block or obscure a driver's view of the roadway and oncoming vehicles.
- Keep children away from the roadway. Parents and guardians should keep their children from playing on snow piles near the roadway that could be plowed during snow removal operations.

Conway Borough Refuse is collected by Valley Waste Service, Inc.

CURB SERVICE: Includes weekly collection of garbage, rubbish, and recyclables. Place your garbage, rubbish, and recyclables at the curb no earlier than 24 hours before your scheduled collection day. Containers must be placed within five (5) feet of the roadway. Please take into account weather conditions - wind gusts may knock over your recycling containers! All garbage must be bagged or in garbage cans. Loose garbage will not be picked up. Containers must be watertight, metal or plastic, with tight fitting covers and handles. Each container must not exceed 30 gallons in size; bags must not exceed 35 lbs. in weight. **DO NOT USE PAPER BAGS, CARDBOARD BOXES, OR 55-GALLON DRUMS AS GARBAGE RECP TACLES.** Any items placed out in this manner will not be collected. *Valley Waste assumes no liability for replacement of cans or lids.*

IDENTIFICATION: It's important to make the containers visible to the driver. In winter months, remember to remove snow from the area where you place your containers and have a reasonably clear approach path to the containers for both the driver and truck.

NEEDLES and SHARP OBJECTS: Place all needles, syringes and lancets in a hard-plastic container with a tight-fitting lid taped shut. Place with your regular trash **NOT** the recycling. Wrap all sharp objects, such as broken glass or sharp metal, in heavy paper and tape shut. Please protect our workers.

ITEMS NOT INCLUDED AND WILL NOT BE COLLECTED:

- Paving materials, stones, rocks, sand, dirt, broken concrete, sod, paints and stains, flammable liquids, metal 55-gallon drums, metal grease drums, concrete washtubs, automobile parts including batteries and tires.
- Refuse caused by repairs, alterations, remodeling, demolition and/or construction of buildings, and other structures including concrete, shingles, and plaster.
- Bushes, shrubs, or other vegetation with earth or soil attached to root system.
- Propane and oxygen tanks, gun ammunition, explosives, or fireworks.

Please call Valley Waste Customer Service Department at 724-843-9373 for information on how to dispose of the items listed above.

HOLIDAYS: The following holidays are observed: New Year's Day; Memorial Day; Independence Day; Labor Day; Thanksgiving Day; Christmas Day.

HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE (HHW): Collection dates are March 10, June 9, September 8, and December 8. You must call to request an HHW kit with instructions.

ELECTRONIC WASTE (E-waste): TVs, computers, tablets, etc. will be picked up by appointment only, 1 device per residence per month. Call Valley Waste at 724-843-9373 Monday-Friday 8:00 am - 4:30 pm to schedule HHW and/or E-waste pick up.

GLASS JARS AND BOTTLES WILL NO LONGER BE ACCEPTED IN RECYCLING!

A complete list of guidelines is available at the Borough Secretary's Office or on the Conway Borough Website.

Prevent Sewer Back-ups and costly plumbing repairs

As a rule of thumb, if it's not toilet paper, don't flush it.

DO NOT FLUSH DOWN A TOILET:

- "Flushable Wipes"
- Baby Wipes
- Paper Towels
- Cotton Balls
- Feminine care products
- Expired Medicines

Storm sewers on the streets are a direct line to the Ohio River, which is a drinking water source for many. Rain water flowing through the storm sewers is not treated at the Sewage Plant.

NEVER dump oil, wastes, or sweep grass clippings into a storm sewer.

WITH YOUR HELP, WE CAN ALL HAVE



CLEAN, SAFE DRINKING WATER.

Code Enforcement

The Borough of Conway has contracted with

Building Inspection Underwriters of Pennsylvania, Inc.

to perform the duties of Code Enforcement, Building Permits, and Rental Inspections.

All Zoning Complaints will still be submitted to the Secretary's Office.

Borough Permits are required for:

- Fences, sheds, garages/carports and swimming pools
- Porches and decks with roofs
- Decks that are 31" or more above ground level
- Retaining walls higher than 47"
- Dumpsters placed on the Borough streets
- Door-to-door soliciting (religious and political activities are exempt)
- Temporary signs – you also must have permission from the property owner to place a sign if it is not on your property. **It is illegal to post signs on telephone/streetlight poles per PA State laws.**

This list is not all-inclusive. Other permits may be necessary.

Please contact the Borough Secretary's Office before any building project is started.

Permit applications are available on-line and at the Borough Secretary's Office.

CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF CONWAY Chapter 61 - Animals

ARTICLE II Nuisances

61-7. Acts considered to be nuisances.

B. Any dog, cat or other animal which scratches, digs or defecates upon any lawn, shrub, plant, building or any other public or private property, other than the property of the owner or person in charge or control of such animal, is hereby declared to be a nuisance.

ANIMAL ETIQUETTE

-Animals must be on a leash at all times while in public places and not allowed to roam freely. Please keep your dog on a leash or dog-run when letting them out to do their business.

- Cats should be kept indoors, or secured outside by a collar and a leash. Unattended animals are subject to capture and removal.

-Animal waste must be picked up immediately from sidewalks, streets, and non-owner yards and disposed of in proper waste containers. Cats should use an indoor litter box.

**-Dog waste stations with bags and waste containers for your convenience are placed at
Buttermore Park on 3rd Avenue
Conway Municipal Building
Gratty Park on Gross Street
Ball Field at South Gross Street**

-Dogs are not permitted at Gratty Park or on the ball fields.

Approach strange animals with caution.

Do not feed stray animals.

CURFEW

Conway Ordinance No. 440
adopted 12/14/1992

"It shall be unlawful for any minor (person less than 18 years of age) to remain in or upon any public place in the Borough of Conway after hours (from 10:00pm to 6:00am) unless accompanied by a parent or upon an errand or other legitimate business directed by written consent of a parent or unless engaged in gainful, lawful employment after hours, in which case said minor shall carry written identification and evidence of employment."

Reminder – Borough Parks close at Dusk

COMMUNITY CORNER

CONWAY RECREATION COMMITTEE



SAVE THE DATE CONWAY COMMUNITY DAY SATURDAY, AUGUST 1

Children's Easter Party - T.B.A.

Meetings are held at 7 pm on the
2nd Wednesday of every month
at the CVFD Banquet Hall.

Everyone is welcome to attend the meetings.

For event dates and times, please see the
[Conway Recreation Committee Facebook page](#)
or web page at
conwayrec.webs.com/upcoming-events

***Additional volunteers are always needed and
welcomed.**

If you would like to volunteer to help with
events email to

ConwayRecCommittee@gmail.com

**High School students looking for volunteer work
are welcome.**

YMCA

SUMMER PLAYGROUND PROGRAM

Weekly themes, sports activities, arts and crafts,
special events, and swim lessons.

June 15 - July 24

10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Children ages 5 -12

Ed Gratty Park

Children will receive a free snack and lunch during
the program hours. Free Lunch program is open to
all children under age 18.

GET INVOLVED!

Conway Volunteer Fire Department

New Members Welcome!

Stop by the Station located at 900 South Gross
Street on the 2nd Tuesday of the month at 7:30pm.

- Junior Member - 16 to 18 years of age.
- Regular Member - over 18 years of age.
- Social Members - volunteers who help with
non-firefighting activities.

For Banquet Hall Rental, call 724-622-8600

KNOW YOUR REPRESENTATIVES

PA Rep. Robert Matzie 16th Legislative Dist.

(724) 266-7774

1240 Merchant St., Ambridge, PA 15003

PA Senator Elder Vogel 47th District

(724) 774-0444

488 Adams St., Rochester, PA 15074-1940

US Rep. Conor Lamb 17th District

(412) 344-5583

504 Washington Road

Pittsburgh, PA 15228

US Senator Robert P. Casey

393 Russell Senate Office Building

Washington, D.C. 20510

(202) 224-6324 toll-free (866) 802-2833

US Senator Pat Toomey

248 Russell Senate Office Building

Washington, D.C. 20510

(202) 224-4254

DIRECTORY

Conway Police Non-emergency (724) 869-9530

Conway Post Office (724) 869-2328

1216 3rd Avenue

CVFD Banquet Hall (724) 869-4844

900 South Gross Street

Freedom Area School District (724) 775-5464

1702 School Street, Freedom, PA 15042

District Justice Ed Howe (724) 774-0840

559 3rd Avenue, Freedom, PA 15042

Beaver County Courthouse (724) 728-5700

810 3rd Street, Beaver, PA 15009