



SOUTHAMPTON TOWNSHIP

FRANKLIN COUNTY

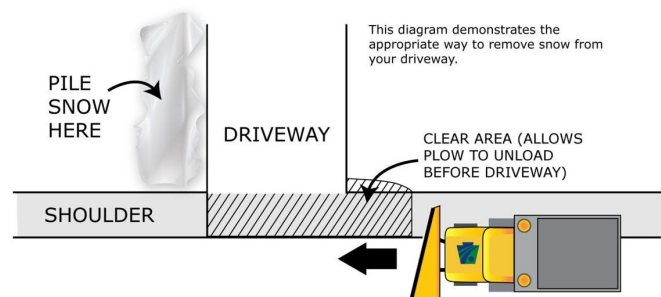
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Winter Weather Advisory

After the wet summer that we have been dealing with it's hard to predict what winter has in store, but there are a few things that can be done to make dealing with the snow a little easier.

- When following a snowplow, please remain at a safe distance behind the vehicle so that the operator can see you. These trucks stop and back up often as well as deposit anti-skid on the road surface.
- Check your mailbox to make sure it is ready for winter. Snow is very heavy when coming off the plow. The force of the snow hitting your mailbox can easily damage the mailbox if not secured properly. Over time, posts can decompose or screws and bolts become loose. Spend a few minutes now to repair your mailbox instead of doing it this winter when it is cold and snow is on the ground. If your mailbox is located within the limits of the legal right-of-way, any damages caused by snow or ice are the responsibility of the property owner.
- You may want to consider the use of reflective tape or other material to make your mailbox easier to see during storms or during dark hours. The use of reflective flexi-posts around the edge of your yard can help guide snowplows keeping them off of the grass.
- When clearing snow from your driveway clear an area to the right of your driveway (see diagram), this will allow the snow to "unload" from the plow before reaching your driveway. This will help minimize the amount of snow you get in the bottom of your driveway after you finish clearing it.

Recommendation for Driveway Snow Removal



- When clearing your driveway, do not shovel or blow the snow onto the road. This creates a dangerous icy patch on the road that is very difficult to remove.
- Please keep items off the roadway. Basketball hoops are not meant to be on the roadway. If a plow truck encounters a basketball hoop, they will need to go around which does not allow them to remove the snow, cinder or salt the roadway. This could result in icy situations later. Also, be sure to remove all trash cans as soon as possible. The Township is not responsible for damage to items within the road right-of-way.
- During snow events, please do not park on Township roads or in cul-de-sacs. Snow is very heavy when being pushed by a plow. If your car is parked on the road it is possible for snow or other debris being moved by the plow to damage your vehicle.

Please be patient. We work as fast as we can to make the roads passable.

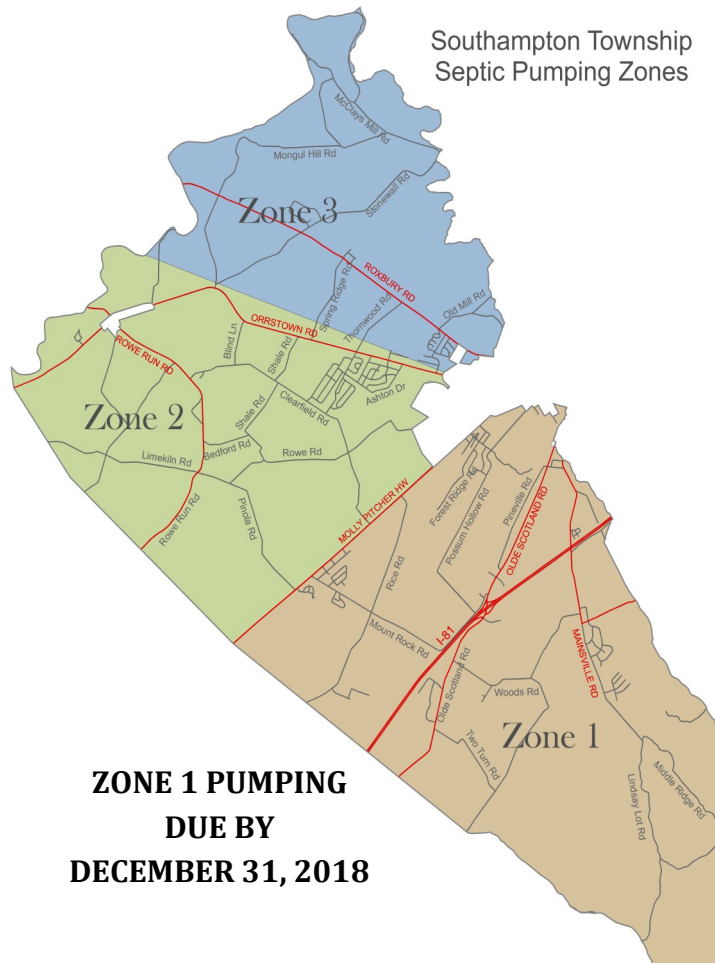


Office Hours During Snowstorms

The normal township hours are 7:00am until 4:00pm Monday through Friday; however, during snowstorms all available personnel may be required to keep the roads passable and safe. If you need to contact the township, please leave a message and someone will get back to you as soon as possible.

Permitted Septic Haulers for Southampton Township

Name	Phone
Art Beidel Enterprises LLC	717-349-7028
Chamberlin & Wingert	717-530-9741
Dillsburg Septic	717-432-9704
Oaktree & Bakers Septic	717-249-5056
Premiere Septic Services	717-530-0582
Rosenberry's Septic Service	717-532-4026
Rosy's Wastewater Removal	717-369-4809



**ZONE 1 PUMPING
DUE BY
DECEMBER 31, 2018**

Christmas Tree Disposal

Beginning December 26th, Christmas trees can be taken to the Township building for disposal. During working hours (7am to 4pm) Christmas trees can be placed inside the fence to the left when you pull into the maintenance building driveway. If after hours, please gently toss over the fence onto the pile. There will be signs to guide you. You may dispose of your Christmas trees through the middle of January.



The Christmas trees are taken to the Borough of Shippensburg's Recycling Facility to be recycled into mulch. Southampton Township Residents may purchase compost and mulch from the Shippensburg Borough Recycling Facility (See Below) .

Composting Options for Township Residents

Township Residents can take advantage of the Borough of Shippensburg's Recycling Facility throughout the year. A one-year pass-card may be purchased for \$22 from the Borough Office located at 111 N. Fayette Street. The cards run annually from January 1st through December 31st.

Christmas trees, leaves, shrubbery, clippings, brush, garden and yard waste is acceptable. No grass clippings, garbage, dirt, stones or fruits will be accepted.

Residents may also purchase compost and mulch.

	With Card	Without Card
Compost (yard)	\$10	\$15
Mulch (yard)	\$ 4	\$ 7

For more information contact the Borough of Shippensburg.

Phone: 717-532-2147

Website: www.borough.shippensburg.pa.us

Bulky Trash Days—October 12th & 13th

Southampton Township will hold its semi-annual bulky trash days on Friday, October 12th, from 12:00pm until 5:00pm, and on Saturday, October 13th, from 7:00am until 12:00pm. The drop off spot will be at the township building on Municipal Drive. There are certain items that we cannot take and others that we require a minimal fee.

Items we DO NOT ACCEPT:

- ◆ liquid wastes of any kind, including waste oil, paint, insecticides, inks and solvents, aerosols or pressurized containers
- ◆ motors containing gasoline
- ◆ ammunition or anything explosive
- ◆ hospital/biohazard waste
- ◆ industrial wastes of any kind
- ◆ anything containing asbestos
- ◆ yard waste or soil
- ◆ dead animals
- ◆ tires on rims
- ◆ **NO ELECTRONICS WILL BE ACCEPTED**

The Township will accept up to 4 automobile tires from each household 15” or smaller free of charge. There will be a \$3/tire charge for each additional tire, and a \$4 charge for 16”-19” residential/light duty tires. **No heavy duty/commercial truck or tractor tires will be accepted.**

Refrigerators, air conditioners, dehumidifiers, or anything that has freon in will have a \$5.00 charge. We accept microwaves at no charge.

The township can accept automobile batteries in small numbers.

We will have big roll-off containers on site if you would like to self-unload. Otherwise, the employees will be happy to help you unload into the loaders.

If you self-unload, we will have **metal salvage** trailers on-site. Please take a few extra minutes to throw all metal items into these trailers for recycling.

* TIP: If you have paint cans with a small amount of wet paint in, open the cans now and put some kitty litter in. This will absorb the liquid and get hard. We can accept them at this point.

As a free service to assist **elderly** and **handicapped**, Lane Thrush of Keller-Williams Keystone Realty in Chambersburg is offering volunteers to pick up the items for you on Thursday, October 11th. You will still be responsible for any fees that may be associated with the junk. If you need help and want to schedule a pickup, just call Lane’s office at 717-504-8002 no later than Wednesday, October 10th.

Thank You! *Keller-Williams*—for helping our disabled and elderly dispose of their bulky items.

Leaf Collection Trivia

Each load of leaves collected weighs approximately 3,000 lbs. During peak leaf collection, the Township can collect up to 10 loads a day! The amount of loads are counted for county recycling reports each year. The amount of loads collected can vary greatly from one year to the next. All leaves collected are recycled, either to Township farmers or residents for mulch, livestock bedding or they are composted at the Shippensburg Borough Recycling Facility.

Township Residents may purchase composted leaves from the Shippensburg Borough Recycling Facility (see Page 2 for details)

Year	Loads	Pounds of Leaves Collected
2011	57	171,000
2012	59	177,000
2013	62	186,000
2014	57	171,000
2015	85	255,000
2016	57	171,000
2017	46	138,000



Trick or Treat
 October 31st
 6:00 pm-8:00 pm

SOUTHAMPTON TOWNSHIP FRANKLIN COUNTY

Southampton Township
705 Municipal Drive
Shippensburg, PA 17257
Phone: 717-532-9041

Your Supervisors

- ◆ Paul Witter
- ◆ Sam Cressler
- ◆ Greg Richardson

New Features on Our Website

We have been working hard on the new Township website to make it more user friendly. We have added new features to accommodate our residents. Check them out!

Our Township Codes and Ordinances are now online and the best part is they are searchable! Anytime you want to look up a code or ordinance just visit our website at www.southamptontownship.org and click on quick links on the left. Click on codes and then at the top of the page you can type in your search criteria. Once your search is complete you can click the search results under codes, ordinances or documents. We love how easy it is to have all the information you need at your fingertips.

We now accept credit cards! If you are applying for a land use permit, rental license, etc. you can now pay with a credit card. This allows you to complete paperwork at home, submit it to us, and pay from home if you wish. Visit www.southamptontownship.org, click quick links on the left, then make a payment. It's easy.

CONTACT THE TOWNSHIP

Southampton Township Office hours are from 7:00am until 4:00pm Monday thru Friday. The office is closed on Holidays and the Friday after Thanksgiving. The facility is also used for primary and regular elections. Our office must be closed those days as well.

You may contact us by phone at **717-532-9041**, or our website at: www.southamptontownship.org. Our office is open to the public and you may stop in during regular business hours for questions or concerns.

All are welcome to attend Board of Supervisors (BOS) meetings, Planning Commission (PC) meetings and Park & Recreation meetings. The dates are as follows:

Township Meeting Dates

1st Thursday of the Month—6:00pm—Park & Rec.
2nd Tuesday of the Month—8:00am—BOS meeting
3rd Tuesday of the Month—6:00pm—PC meeting
4th Tuesday of the Month—5:00pm—BOS meeting