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MEETINGS: Town Council

First Wednesday of Month

Work Session Third Monday of Month

Planning Commission Fourth Monday of Month

TOWN OFFICE

410-635-6575 www.newwindsormd.gov College Avenue and Blue Ridge Avenue Street Project: The Town submitted a State of Maryland Community Development Block Grant application for the reconstruction of Blue Ridge Avenue & College Avenue. This project would include the construction of ADA compliant sidewalks, new curbing, new storm water management system and repaying of College Avenue and Blue Ridge Avenue. The amount requested was \$673,300.00. We should know the outcome of the application in a few weeks.

Preservation Maryland: Preservation Maryland has been working with the Town to receive funding for a practical and comprehensive study on Dielman Inn. Two grant applications they are working with us will be submitted later this year.

Grant Updates:

The largest portion of the lagoon remediation has been completed. G.E. Fielder & Associates has completed three options for the future use of the former lagoon are as well as the surrounding area. The area includes the Lions Club ball field, the lagoon area, public works facility, tennis courts and picnic shelter. We believe this study will provide public works and recreation facilities that will be very beneficial to the town for many years. The three preliminary options will be presented to the council in July.

Streetscape Project:

Sewer Line Lining: Work has begun on one of our responsibilities of Streetscape. This project is the lining of sewer lines on High & Main Streets. The lining or cured-in-place pipe (CIPP) system creates a protective, structural pipe inside the existing host pipe system, without digging or destruction to the landscape. Cleaning and inspection of the sewer lines began on June 26. Lining of the sewer lines is scheduled for the week of July 17. There will be periodic short interruptions in sewer service, we will notify everyone when this is to happen and have a schedule posted on the Town's website when work is scheduled.

Waterline Replacement: Engineering of the waterline replacement began on June 8th. The bid for this project will be ready in about a year, with a Notice to Proceed for construction is scheduled for next fall. We will have a community informational meeting this fall.

We cannot seek achievement for ourselves and forget about progress and prosperity for our community... Our ambitions must be broad enough to include the aspirations and needs of others, for their sakes and for our own. Cesar Chavez



July, August, September 2017

MAYOR ROOP'S MESSAGE

Operating Assistance Grant: The National Center for Smart Growth, University of Maryland was submitting a grant on behalf of the Town. This grant, through the Maryland Department of Housing and Community Development would provide funding for a comprehensive study to incorporate the future growth of the Town and services and infrastructure needed to meet the resident's needs. Again, we hope to hear more about the grant in July.

Dielman Inn update: As I mentioned in the last newsletter, the Maryland Department of Housing and Community Development approved \$143.716 for additional work on the exterior of the Inn. The work began on April 17 and so far, the roof has been painted, shutters have been painted and reinstalled where possible with original hardware. Additional shutters may be hung later using modern hangers. Rain gutters and down spouts have been completed. Chimney repairs; two of three have been repaired. The replacement of a large chimney in the back was scheduled for the week of the June 26. Construction of piers for support columns are also scheduled for the week of June 26.

TOWN CALENDAR

July		
July 3 July 4	Office Closed Independence Day, Office Closed	BOOK MOBILE SCHEDULE FOR
July 5	Yard Waste	
July 5	Town Council - 7:00 PM at Community Meeting Room	The Bookmobile will be at Carroll County
July 5	Trash/Recycle Pick-up, due to Holiday	Public Library Headquarters, 1100 Green Valley Road
July 13	Music on the Main Mtg 7:00 PM at Comm. Mtg. Room	
July 17	Work Session - 7:00 PM at Community Meeting Room	Monday, July 10 & 31, 3:00-5:00 PM
July 18	Walk W/ Mayor	Monday, August 21, 3:00-5:00 PM
July 19	Yard Waste	New Time! Wed, September 13
July 24	Planning Comm 7:30 PM at Community Meeting Room	2:30-4:30 PM
		You may order books online for pick up
<u>Augu</u>		at the bookmobile.
Aug 1	Walk W/ Mayor	www.library.carr.org
Aug 1	National Night Out 6:30-8:30 at Carnival Grounds	
Aug 2	Town Council - 7:00 PM at Community Meeting Room	
Aug 2	Yard Waste	REMINDER
Aug 10	Music on the Main Mtg 7:00 PM at Comm. Mtg. Room	
Aug 15	Walk W/ Mayor	Trash and Recycle are picked up
Aug 16	Yard Waste	on Tuesdays and please put trash
Aug 21	Work Session - 7:00 PM at Community Meeting Room	and recycle out the <u>night before.</u>
Aug 28	Planning Comm 7:30PM at Community Meeting Room	
	ember	
Sept 4	Labor Day, Office Closed	
Sept 5	Walk W/ Mayor	
Sept 6	Trash/Recycle Pick-up, due to Holiday	
Sept 6	Yard Waste	<u>Curfew</u>
Sept 6	Town Council - 7:00 PM at Community Meeting Room	
Sept 14	Music on the Main Mtg 7:00 PM at Comm. Mtg. Room	"Do You Know Where Your Children
Sept 18	Work Session - 7:00 PM at Community Meeting Room	Are?"
Sept 19	Walk W/ Mayor	Curfews for children under the age of
Sept 20	Yard Waste	18 are:
Sept 20-21	Read Water Meters, Please keep dogs in those days	
Sept 25	Planning Comm 7:30PM at Community Meeting Room	11:00 PM on Friday & Saturday
Ostober		10:00 PM Sunday thru Thursday
Oct 7 MUSIC ON THE MAIN!! 1:00-7:00 PM		• 3 _ 3
Oct 28 Shred Day 9:00 AM-12:00 PM		Ø 💓 🖉 🚳
UCt 28 Bulk	Trash Day 8:00 AM-1:00 PM	🔉 👗 🏹 🍝 🌌

Yard Waste

Yard Waste will be picked up on the first and third Wednesdays of each month starting April 5 and ending in October. Yard Waste includes grass cuttings, leaves, shrub clippings, flowers, small plants and branches not over 4 inches in diameter or 4 foot in length. Branches must be tied in bundles. Yard waste should be placed in brown paper bags or containers that can be easily dumped; these containers should not weigh over 40 pounds.



FIREWORKS

The Mayor and Town Council would like to remind everyone:

FIREWORKS ARE STRICTLY PROHIBITED WITHIN THE TOWN LIMITS

Crab Feed

Saturday, September 9th New Windsor Fire Hall Engine Bays 5:00-8:00 PM Price: \$40.00

> Menu: Steamed Crabs Fried Chicken Hot Doas Potato Salad Corn on the Cob Crab Soup Beer Soda And more!

If you would like to purchase a ticket, please contact Dorothy Rue (410)-775-7402



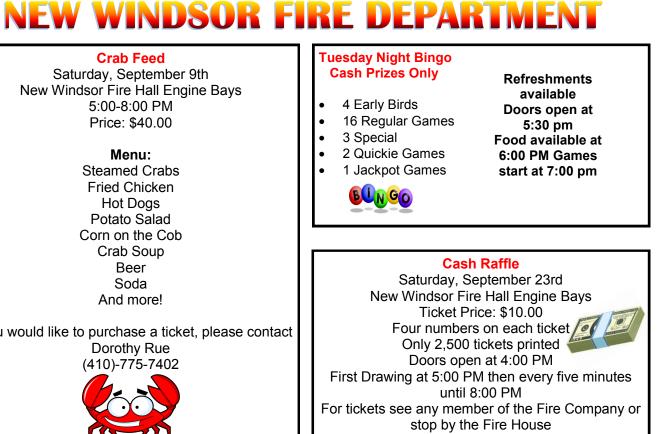


Sub Sale

Wednesday, August 23rd Cut-off for orders: Friday, August 11th Price: \$5.50 - 7" Sub Types of Subs: Ham & Cheese American Cold Cut Italian Cold Cut Turkey Breast w/ American Cheese Roast Beef with Swiss Cheese Pretzel w/ Ham & Cheese If interested in purchasing any subs, please contact Barbara Misenar at (410)-635-2470

Crab Cake Sale

Tuesday, October 10th Cut-off for orders: Friday, September 29th Price: \$6.00 If you would like to order crab cakes, contact Dorothy Rue (410)-775-7402







Apple Dumpling Sale

Friday, September 29th Cut-off for orders: Friday, September 22nd Price: \$3.00 If you would like to order dumplings contact Dorothy Rue (410)-775-7402 *Dumplings can be picked up after noon on Friday, September 29th

Farmers[®] News Release



Farmers Insurance[®] Agent Christine Shoemaker to Attend Local Grand Opening

New Windsor, Maryland (July 16th, 2017) - Farmers Insurance agent Christine Shoemaker will attend the Grand Opening on July 16th, 2017 to show case and provide multiple insurance plans offered and available, food, games, and invite other local businesses to attend.

"As a Farmers Insurance agent, it's a privilege to be able to offer customers and the community first-rate customer service, industry-leading insurance products and competitive rates" said Shoemaker "I look forward to attending this event to offer attendees further insights and share insurance tips."

Shoemaker will bring her insurance understanding and know-how so consumers attending the Grand Opening on July 16th, 2017 can get smarter about their coverage options, 206 High Street Ste, 1 New Windsor, Maryland 21776. A key component of her years of training and experience is the commitment she feels for the community of New Windsor and surrounding communities she serves on a daily basis.

Farmers Insurance, The Shoemaker Agency is open 5 days a week Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday from 8am to 5pm, Wednesday 10am to 7pm and Saturday by appointment. The office is accessible via phone at (410)202-8030 (office) or (240)772-0436 (mobile), or by the web at http://www.farmersagent.com/cshoemaker1.

About Farmers Insurance

"Farmers Insurance®" and "Farmers®" are trade names for a group of affiliated insurers providing insurance for automobiles, homes and small businesses and a wide range of other insurance and financial services and products. Farmers Insurance is proud to serve more than 10 million households with over 19 million individual policies nationally, through the efforts of more than 48,000 exclusive and independent agents and approximately 21,000 employees. Farmers Insurance Exchange, the largest of the three primary insurance insurers that make up Farmers Insurance, is recognized as one of the largest U.S. companies on the 2016 Fortune 500 list.

For more information about Farmers Insurance, visit Farmers.com, Twitter and Instagram, @WeAreFarmers, or Facebook.com/FarmersInsurance.



The 2nd Annual Music on the Main is on Saturday, October 7, 2017

all local businesses, organizations and craft vendor's we would like you to participate In Music on the Main! There is NO fee to have space! The vendor application can be found on the Town's website www.newwindsormd.gov under the Documents/Town Events page or call the Town Office at (410)-635-6575

Music on the Main 2017 Poster Design Competition

The winning artist(s) will receive a \$100 Prize! The Poster Design Competition is open to Maryland Residents ONLY. The winning design may be reproduced on posters, t-shirts, brochure covers, and other promotional items to publicize the Town of New Windsor's Music on the Main October 7, 2017. DEADLINE: August 19, 2017

To learn more about the rules and guidelines please download the Entry Form on the Town's website www.newwindsormd.gov under the Documents/Town Events page or call the Town Office at (410)-635-6575



ATTENTION....

TOWN OF NEW WINDSOR NATIONAL NIGHT OUT



POLICE · COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS

NEW WINDSOR FIRE DEPARTMENT CARNIVAL GROUNDS Tuesday, August 1, 2017 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm Sheriff's Department and Fire Department Demonstrations **State and County Agencies Moon Bounce Free Hot Dogs and Drinks Gift Card Raffle Give A-ways**



RSVP Carroll County announces two new services that are now available to help senior and other residents of New Windsor and the surrounding areas.

The Food Pantry at Frederick Scott Key High School, 3825 Bark Hill Road, is now open to all residents every Tuesday from 3:00-4:00. Canned goods, bakery items and other pantry staples may be picked up at no cost. It is not necessary to show proof of household income to obtain groceries, and participants are encouraged to take an extra bag of groceries to deliver to a friend or neighbor. To find the Food Pantry, go to the back parking lot of the school and use the entrance near the flagpole.

RSVP Volunteers will deliver groceries to anyone who does not have transportation to get to the school, those over age 55 or those who have physical limitations that make it difficult to carry grocery bags. Call RSVP at 410-386-4646 to request home delivery through Seniors with Groceries project.

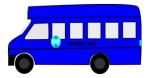
Transportation assistance is now available to cancer patients who find it difficult to get to their medical appointments. RSVP Volunteers for the American Cancer Society's "Road to Recovery Program" will pick up patients at their home, and provide transportation at no cost to treatment appointments in the county. Call the American Cancer Society at 410-781-6909 to request transportation assistance.

RSVP stands for Retired and Senior Volunteer Program, which is a branch of the Senior Corps, a federally supported program through the same agency which administers AmeriCorps and Vista. The program recruits volunteers age 55+ to provide needed services in Carroll County through established non-profits.

RSVP volunteers serve with Meals and Wheels, health and wellness partnerships, soup kitchens, and food pantries to address food insecurity for older, home-bound residents. Many seniors must make the choice between eating healthy food and paying rent or buying critically needed medicine, and RSVP volunteers serve in programs that help seniors to live better, more healthy lives.

RSVP Carroll County addresses the concerns of the community by harnessing the power, wisdom and experience of seniors age 55+. A few minutes or hours per week can make a significant difference in the lives of others.

If you would like to volunteer to help with the Senior with Groceries project, or know of a home-bound individual who could benefit from the services provided by RSVP volunteers, contact RSVP at 410-386-4646



New Services Available to New Windsor Residents



Cub Scouts is fun and adventure for boys in grades 1-5. It's friendship, games, camping, arts, outdoors, leadership, service, personal growth, teamwork and much, much more! WE ALSO OFFER A PROGRAM FOR KINDERGARTEN BOYS! Scouting supports all types of families and we believe in involving families in training our youth. Cub Scouting provides opportunities for family members to work, play, and have fun together.



Contact Info: Nick Dowdy Cell: (443)-536-3327 E-Mail: superpro1974@yahoo.com Website: www.beascout.org





WEST CARROLL REC COUNCIL NEWS

West Carroll serves New Windsor, Union Bridge and surrounding areas. Anyone interested in Rec Council programs or events is welcome to attend our meetings. which are held the 2nd Monday of each month at 7:00pm at the Old New Windsor School/ County Government Offices/Library Administration Offices in New Windsor.

Next Meeting Dates: August 14th & September 11th (July is our annual Program Coordinators-Only meeting, closed to the public)

FALL SPORTS



Soccer ~ FSK Jr. Eagles Contact: Bill Rose 443-857-7084 or williamrose@aol.com

Field Hockey ~ FSK Jr. Eagles Contact: Mellissa Lease 443-386-1479 or coachmellissa@yahoo.com



Cheer ~ Rebels Contact: Tanya Golden 443-605-4314 or tblevins514@gmail.com

For general information about West Carroll programs, contact Community Coordinator, Penny Rockwood at 410-775-1506. Another source to check for upcoming sports registrations is "RecZone", found in the back of the Sports section of the Carroll County Times on Sundays.

Effective July 1st, 2017 water and sewer billing rates will be adjusted. You will see the adjustment beginning with the October 2017 quarterly billing. The new rates will be \$85.00 for the base rate and \$7.66 per thousand gallons for usage on sewer. The new rates for water will be \$133.00 for the base rate and \$3.75 per thousand gallons for usage. As always, you may find this information on the Town website at www.newwindsormd.gov



Saturday, October 28, 2017 Time: 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM Location: Back parking lot of the NWSB Bank New Windsor location. 213 Main Street, New Windsor, MD 21776



FREE LOAN OF LIONS MEDICAL EQUIPMENT



New Windsor Lions Club maintains a large selection of medical equipment consisting of hospital beds, wheel chairs, walkers, potty chairs, etc.

Our storage building is located on Lambert Avenue adjacent to the Lions Park.

If you are in need of loaned medical equipment while recuperating, please contact David Ensor at (410)-635-8955 or Neal Roop at (410)-596-7912 for an appointment. Equipment can be picked up and returned to our storage building on Lambert Ave. Lions cannot deliver.



Bulk trash is for large items that cannot go with regular trash, with the exceptions of paint cans, concrete, tires and building materials.

We will be accepting computer and electronic recycling. Acceptable Items: computer monitors, computer speakers, televisions, central processing units (CPU's), mice, keyboards, cell phones, printers, power supplies, laptop's scanners, cables and cords.

Bulk trash must be brought to the Public Works facility located on Geer Lane. Identifications will be required to show that you live within corporate limits.



Just a Reminder!

MARK YOUR CALENDAR'S!!

Town of New Windsor and NWSB Bank is hosting a SHRED DAY!!





BULK TRASH SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28 8:00 A.M.—1:00 P.M.

New Windsor Quarry Development



Contractor Allen Myers continues to develop the North pit by excavating the top layers of clay, Karst and Phyletic (overburden) materials to obtain the limestone source needed for the cement plant operations. All of the overburden materials are being transported to create the safety/security berm around the property and fill in overburden areas on the North (Rt. 31) and South (Old New Windsor Road) ends of the property. Blasting in the North pit area is ongoing approximately every other day and will continue for the future.

New Windsor Quarry Maintenance Shop

The steel of the maintenance shop is complete, the roofing materials have been installed and the contractor (J.B. Fay and Sub) are beginning to install the siding and infrastructure. The maintenance shop will provide large and small work bays for maintaining and repairing large and small guarry mobile equipment. The shop will also house the breakroom, washroom and offices for the employees working at the New Windsor Quarry. The entrance road; One Wanner Drive has been complete with the first pour of concrete.

New Windsor Crusher

The Hazamag impact crusher installation was completed in May. Since the completion the crusher has had several dry runs without stone. All equipment has been test run individually and as a group run. All safety checks and interlocking has been tested and confirmed. The first test run of the crusher with stone is scheduled for July 6.

Overland Convevor

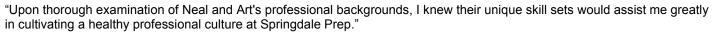
All civil work has been completed along the conveyor path. All fields that were disturbed during construction have been reinstated and the farmers have planted crops for the 2017 harvest. The last stream of restoration along Greenwood Church road will be completed by the first week of July.

The conveyor tunnels and jumbo covers are complete and all doors are installed. Mechanically the conveyor is complete. Electrical wires are still being installed to complete the last few instruments over the 4.5 mile run.

The final belt pull of the total 9 miles of belt on the overland conveyor was completed on June 22. After all the electrical work is completed we will begin to perform check out on the conveyor. The team will test every sensor, belt alignment switch, start up alarm and pull cord to insure the safety of the workers before the belt is started. The first belt start is expected to be late July early August.

Two of New Windsor's Own Join Springdale Preparatory School

"I am thrilled to add two New Windsor natives to my staff," says Johnny Graham, founding head of school.



As student services coordinator, Roop will support the school administration as the conduit in meeting student needs. He will connect students with a variety of services and administrators in such areas as counseling, instruction, residential life and athletics, and he will help students with challenges, helping them develop an action plan to address issues.

Since 2008, Roop has served in an administrative capacity with the Carroll County Volunteer Emergency Services Corporation, an organization that promotes, advocates for and represents the interests of the volunteer fire, rescue and emergency medical service of Carroll County. He supported organization officers and members and acted as a liaison for the organization to the Carroll County government, and performed strategic planning and auditing functions for the organization. In addition, he managed injury reporting and coordination and claim verification with insurance companies. Also, he developed and implemented new and existing programs, regulations and policies in accordance with best practices.

Previously, Roop served for eight years as a manager for the Carroll Area Transit System, which provides human services transportation to all persons with disabilities, low income and seniors who need specialized services above what is available through the county's public service provider.

D. Arthur Seibel is a seasoned business leader experienced in guiding corporate operations, strategic planning, expansion planning and executive management for a variety of organizations. His reputation is based on his creative and compliant approach to financial management both domestically and overseas. He has served in a variety of executive management positions for firms in industries ranging from banking, manufacturing, clothing, investment management and consulting. He holds board leadership and fellowship credentials from the National Association of Corporate Directors, is a certified public accountant through the Maryland State Board of Public Accountancy, and a certified financial planner through the CFP Board. In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, EPA prescribes regulations which limit the amount of certain compounds in water provided by public water systems. We treat our water according to EPA's regulations. Food and Drug Administration regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water which must provide the same protection for public health.

Sources of Drinking Water

The sources of drinking water (both tap water and bottled water) include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs and wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally-occurring minerals and, in some cases radioactive material, and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity.

Lead Prevention

If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. The Town of New Windsor is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your drinking water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the EPA Safe Drinking Water Hotline at 1-800-426-4791 or at http://www.epa.gov/safewater/lead.

Important information regarding Gross Alpha Emitters:

Alpha emitters are naturally occurring radiations in soil, air and water. These emitters generally occur when certain elements decay or break down in the environment. The emitters enter drinking water through various methods including the erosion of natural deposits There are no immediate health risks from consuming water that contains gross alpha, however some people who drink water containing alpha emitters in excess of the MCL over many years may have an increased risk of getting cancer. Currently, the highest level of gross alpha detected is 3.6 pCi/L which is below the 15 pCi/L MCL.

request to jjann@menv.com.





Town of New Windsor Treated Water Quality Report 2016

Contaminant	Highest Level Allowed (EPA's MCL)	Highest Level Detected	Ideal Goal (EPA's MCLG)
Regulated at the Treatment Plant			
Main Spring and Dennings Road Spring - New Wind	sor Road - Plant I.D. 01		
Nitrate (Range: 3.9 ppm to 4.1 ppm)	10 ppm	4.1 ppm	10 ppm
Typical Source of Contamination: Runoff from fertilizer use	and erosion of natural dep	osits	
Barium (2014 Testing)	2000 ppb	5.5 ppb	2000 ppb
Typical Source of Contamination: Erosion of natural deposit	s		
Di (2-Ethylhexyl) Phthalate (2014 Testing)	6 ppb	2.3 ppb	0 ppb
Typical Source of Contamination: PVC Plastics			
Hillside Water Plant wells 1 and 2 - Lamber Ave & H	Hillside Drive - Plant I.D.	. 03	
Nitrate	10 ppm	4.0 ppm	10 ppm
Typical Source of Contamination: Runoff from fertilizer use	and erosion of natural dep	osits	
Barium (2014 Testing)	2000 ppb	37.1 ppb	2000 ppb
Typical Source of Contamination: Erosion of natural deposit	s		
Gross Alpha (2016 Testing)	15 pCi/l	3.6 pCi/l*	0 pCi/l
Typical Source of Contamination: Erosion of natural deposit	s		
* Please read page 4 of the Consumer Confidence report for more	information on Gross Alpha E	Emitters	
Combined Radium 226 & 228 (2016 Testing)	5 pCi/l	4 pCi/l	0 pCi/l
Typical Source of Contamination: Erosion of natural deposit	s		
Regulated in the Distribution			
Total Trihalomethanes (TTHM) (2016 Testing)	80 ppb	2.1 ppb	N/A
Typical Source of Contaminants: By-product of drinking wa	ter disinfection		
Chlorine	4 mg/l	1.66 mg/l *	4 mg/l
* Annual Average			
Typical Source of Contamination: Water additive used to co	ntrol microbes. (range: 1.37 to 1.92 m	ng/I)
Regulated in the Distribution	Action level	90th percentile	Ideal Goal
Copper (2015 Testing)	1300 ppb	180 ppb	1300 ppb
Typical Source of Contamination: Corrosion of household pl			1000 pp0
Lead (2015 Testing)	15 ppb	3 ppb	0 ppb
Typical Source of Contamination: Corrosion of household pl			0 bbo

The New Windsor Hall of Fame proudly announces its 5th year nomination season. We are enthusiastic about sharing our mission with members of our New Windsor community.

We are dedicated to provide an opportunity to honor members of the New Windsor area community, past and present, who have worked hard to make a positive difference for our community.

The Heritage committee sponsors the event but we remind you that the Hall of Fame belongs to the entire town. It is our goal to encourage members of local organizations, like the fire department, Lions club, business community, town government, churches, and all groups, as well as individual citizens to consider nominating an individual who has contributed to your organization and/or our town. It is important to recognize them for their contributions. People do not volunteer and work hard for any special recognition or fame but isn't it nice that we can, in hindsight, offer it as a way of saying "Thank You."

In our towns history, and presently, there are so many people who have and continue to contribute to our success we feel certain that you will take the time to nominate them and say "Thank You, we appreciate what you have done".

Nomination forms are simple to fill out are available in on the Town website - newwindsormd.gov and or, on the Heritage Committee website - newwindsorheritage.org - or pick one up at the NWHC museum (open **MOST** Saturdays from 10:00 – 1:00 at 207 Main Street). QUESTIONS? Contact HoF Chair, Don Ludke at LGATHERING@msn.com

Please take the time. The New Windsor Heritage Committee and indeed the entire Town thank you.



ALL local organizations... and groups, as well as individual citizens, are encouraged nominate an individual who has contributed to the New Windsor area community, past or present.

Town of New Windsor 2016 Drinking Water Quality Report



Important Information About Your Drinking Water

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We're pleased to present to you the Annual Water Quality Report for 2016. This report is designed to inform you about the water quality and services we deliver to you every day. Maryland Environmental Service (MES), an Agency of the State of Maryland, operates the water treatment facility and prepared this report on behalf of the Town of New Windsor.

The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) regulates Public Water Systems and the contaminants found in water through the implementation of the Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA). The SDWA sets regulations and guidelines for how public water systems operate and identifies several hundred drinking water contaminants, establishes monitoring frequencies and limitations. The Maryland Department of the Environment (MDE) is responsible for the enforcement of the SDWA and routinely complete Sanitary Surveys as part of their ongoing inspection and monitoring program. MES provides safe dependable operations of the water system and is dedicated to consistently providing high quality drinking water that meets or exceeds the SDWA standards.

If you have any questions about this report or have questions concerning your water utility, please contact Jay Janney at 410-729-8350, e-mail jjann@menv.com.

For More Information:

For the opportunity to ask more questions or participate in decisions that may affect your drinking water quality, the Town Meetings are held at the 1100 Green Valley Road, in the "Community Meeting Room" of the recently renovated Carroll County Library Admin building or contact the Town Office for additional information at (410) 635-6575.

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The Town of New Windsor water works consists of two drilled L wells in the Sams Creek Phyllite formation and a natural spring. After water is pumped out of the wells and collected from the spring, disinfectant is added to protect against microbial contaminants. The Maryland Department of the Environment has performed an assessment of the source water. A copy of the results is available. Call Maryland Environmental Service at 410-729-8350.

C ome people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by Cryptosporidium and other microbial contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (1-800-426-4791).

Town of New Windsor Treated Water Quality Report 2016

Definitions:

- known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.
- are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.
- a water system must follow
- way to describe the level of "cloudiness" of the water.
- ◆ *pCi/l* Picocuries per liter. A measure of radiation.
- ◆ *ppb* parts per billion or micrograms per liter
- ppm parts per million or milligrams per liter

Special points of interest:

Drinking Water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some compounds. The presence of these compounds does not necessarily indicate that water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA's) Safe Drinking Water Act Hotline (1-800-426-4791).

he table on the next page lists all the drinking water contaminants that were detected during the 2016 calendar year. The presence of these compounds in the water does not necessarily indicate that the water poses a health risk.

Unless otherwise noted, the data presented in the table is from testing done January 1 - December 31, 2016. The State requires us to monitor for certain contaminants less than once per year because the concentrations of these contaminants are not expected to vary significantly from year to year.

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• Maximum Contaminant Level Goal (MCLG) - The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no

◆ Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL) - The highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs

Action Level - The concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which

• Treatment Technique (TT) - A required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water

◆ Turbidity - Relates to a condition where suspended particles are present in the water. Turbidity measurements are a

