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MEETINGS:

Town Council

First Wednesday of Month

Work Session

Third Monday of Month

Planning Commission

Fourth Monday of Month,
As needed

TOWN OFFICE

410-635-6575
<https://newwindsormd.gov/>

A Message from Mayor Cornick

Fellow Neighbors,

Summer is officially here, and our community is buzzing with activity and shared success. I want to take a moment to express my gratitude for the incredible spirit of collaboration and generosity you have shown over the past few months.



Community Acknowledgments

SHA Open House: Thank you to the residents who attended the State Highway Administration Open House regarding the upcoming MD-31 project. The work has an anticipated start date of spring 2027.

Town Beautification Day: Our town looks beautiful thanks to the town staff and residents who volunteered their time again this year. Looking ahead, I would like to make next year's Beautification Day a friendly competition among the developments within our town - more details to come.



Firemen's Carnival & Parade: Thank you to all the volunteers and participants who walked in the annual Firemen's Parade, and to everyone who came out to patronize the New Windsor Carnival. Your support keeps our local traditions thriving.



Mayor on the Square Food Drive: A huge thank you goes out to our dedicated town staff who helped organize this initiative. I am equally grateful to our residents, friends, and family who stepped up to donate. Your generosity made this event a success for those in need. We will continue this initiative in November!



Grant & Project Updates

We are making great strides on key town improvements through various grant programs:

211 High Street Revitalization: The town continues to actively pursue funding for this project through the Community Legacy and Strategic Demolition Grant Program. Grant submission is scheduled for August 6, 2026. We anticipate starting construction within the next two months. Initial work will focus on interior demolition and a full roof replacement.

Lions Club Pavilion: Funded through the Project Open Space Grant Program, work will soon begin on replacing the pavilion roof alongside interior and exterior painting.

Atlee Ridge Basketball Court: We are also finalizing the Atlee Ridge Basketball Court project, which is also funded through the Project Open Space Grant Program.

Upcoming Events & Volunteer Opportunities

We need your help to make our upcoming community events a success! If you are interested in volunteering, or exhibiting please contact Town Staff for details on how you can get involved with the following:

National Night Out: Tuesday, August 4, 2026

Music on the Main: Saturday, October 3, 2026

6th Annual Frank G. Schaeffer Memorial 5K: Saturday, October 17, 2026

In closing, I wish every one of you a safe, happy, and enjoyable summer. Let's continue to make New Windsor a wonderful place to live by always treating our neighbors with kindness and respect.

UPCOMING EVENTS

JULY

- 1 Town Council Meeting at 7 pm
- 3 4th of July observed — Town Hall Closed
- 9 Yard Waste Pick Up
- 10 Yard Waste Pick Up
- 20 Work Session Meeting at 7 pm
- 23 Yard Waste Pick Up
- 24 Yard Waste Pick Up
- 27 Planning Commission Meeting at 6 pm

AUGUST

- 4 National Night Out from 6 pm to 8 pm
- 5 Town Council Meeting at 7 pm
- 6 Yard Waste Pick Up
- 7 Yard Waste Pick Up
- 17 Work Session Meeting at 7 pm
- 20 Yard Waste Pick Up
- 21 Yard Waste Pick Up
- 24 Planning Commission Meeting at 6 pm

SEPTEMBER

- 2 Town Council Meeting at 7 pm
- 7 Labor Day - Town Hall Closed
- 10 Trash Pick Up - Thursday
- 10 Yard Waste Pick Up
- 11 Yard Waste Pick Up
- 21 Work Session Meeting at 7 pm
- 24 Yard Waste Pick Up
- 25 Yard Waste Pick Up
- 28 Planning Commission Meeting at 6 pm

Meeting dates and times are subject to change. Please confirm dates and times at the Town website www.NewWindsorMD.gov

Yard waste pick up is the **first full week of the month and the 3rd week of the month**. Dates are firm, unless an emergency or inclement weather occurs. Rain dates are the following Monday.



America 250

On July 4, 2026, the United States of America will celebrate its 250th anniversary. As part of the **America 250** anniversary celebration, Carroll County Government, in partnership with seven county municipalities, launched the "[Journey Through 250 Years of Local History](#)" webpage showcasing the rich history, culture, and character of seven cities and towns through StoryMaps.

The StoryMap is available free to the public. To view the Carroll County 250 StoryMap, visit: <https://carrollcountytourism.org/experience-history/>



Franklin G. Schaeffer Memorial 5K

Saturday, October 17, 2026 @ 9 am

Wakefield Community Trail Park - Tahoma Farm Road, Westminster

This event is for walkers, joggers, casual runners and competitive runners. Registration information coming soon!

TRASH & RECYCLING PICK-UP IS WEDNESDAY EACH WEEK UNLESS SPECIFIED IN THE TOWN CALENDAR.

- Your trash must be taken out the night before to ensure pick up.
- Each stop may have up to 3 trash containers of household refuse per week with each container limited to 25 pounds.
- Each stop may also have up to 3 recycle toters per week with each toter limited to 25 pounds.

If you need a recycle toter, please call Town Hall at 410.635.6575.



YARD WASTE PICK UP

Yard waste pick up is the **first full week of the month and the 3rd week of the month**. Dates are firm, unless an emergency or inclement weather occurs. Rain dates are the following Monday.



Collection Reminders:

1. Yard waste can be put in brown paper yard waste bags (can be purchased at Walmart, Lowe's or Home Depot).
2. Yard waste can be put into cans. Please make sure lids fit and holes are drilled in the bottom of the can for drainage. Please, NO cans that are broken and/or have sharp edges.
3. Tree limbs can NOT exceed more than 4 feet long and 4 inches in diameter and must be tied into bundles.
4. Please NO DOG WASTE or trash mixed into yard waste!!

The Town of New Windsor presents our

10th Annual Music on the Main

October 3, 2026 | 12PM to 6PM



200 block of Main Street
New Windsor, Maryland 21776

410.635.6575
NewWindsorMD.gov

Music on the Main

10th
Annual

VENDORS WANTED

October 3, 2026 | 12PM to 6PM

We are currently looking for local vendors and businesses to help us fill Main Street.

For more information or to sign up, please call

Town Hall at 410.635.6575 or email

info@NewWindsorMD.org.

Vendor spots are limited.

MUNICIPAL MINUTE

Volunteers Needed

The Town of New Windsor is excited to announce our participation in the **Sustainable Maryland** certification program, and we need your help to succeed! We are seeking enthusiastic volunteers to join our new **Green Team**. Achieving Sustainable Maryland certification opens doors to valuable grant funding, which could help us implement projects like a new **community garden** and other sustainability initiatives. If you are passionate about making our town a greener, healthier place to live, please contact us at 410.635.6575 or info@newwindsormd.org to learn more!



New Windsor Business Network - Calling all New Windsor Businesses

The **New Windsor Business Network** is an exciting new initiative dedicated to fostering collaboration and strengthening our local economy. This Network aims to create a dedicated forum where New Windsor's business leaders can share insights, address common challenges and explore collective opportunities for growth.

The group meets on the third Monday of the month at 5:30 pm. Upcoming meeting dates are July 20, August 17 and September 21. Please check the Town's website for meeting location.

If you are a New Windsor Business and are interested in attending a meeting, please call Town Hall (410.635.6575) or email info@newwindsormd.org for more information.

Lawn Mowing

Please remember to keep your grass clippings out of the street. When grass ends up on the pavement, these clippings enter our storm drains, which can cause localized flooding and pollute our local waterways. Additionally, it creates a slippery surface that is extremely dangerous for motorcyclists and bicyclists. When mowing, please aim your discharge chute back toward your lawn. It acts as a great, free fertilizer for your grass and is an excellent way to slow water loss on your lawn. Let's work together to keep our community safe, clean and beautiful for everyone.




SMALL BUSINESS SPOTLIGHT!

NOW OPEN!

GUIDO'S
Italian Kitchen
PIZZA • SUBS • PASTA & MORE

Guido's Italian Kitchen
IS NOW OPEN
in New Windsor!

We are excited to announce that Guido's Italian Kitchen has officially opened at:

 **105 Church Street
New Windsor, MD 21776**

After weeks of preparation, we are proud to be serving the New Windsor community with fresh pizza, subs, pasta, wings, salads, sandwiches, and more.

Whether you're looking for a quick lunch, family dinner, or convenient delivery, we're here to serve you with quality food and friendly service.

★ WE OFFER: ★

-  CARRY-OUT
-  DELIVERY
-  ONLINE ORDERING
-  DAILY SPECIALS
-  FRESH PIZZA, SUBS, PASTA & MORE

CURRENT CUSTOMER FAVORITES:



As we enter our
THIRD WEEK
of business,
we want to thank everyone who has already stopped by and supported us. The warm welcome from New Windsor has been incredible, and we look forward to serving our community for years to come.

 **410-635-2221**

 guidositaliankitchen.com

Thank you 
FOR SUPPORTING LOCAL BUSINESSES!



Guido's Italian Kitchen

FRESH FOOD • FRIENDLY SERVICE • LOCAL DELIVERY



Do you have a small business and would like to be featured in an upcoming Newsletter?

Reach out to Town Hall with your name and information on your small business via email at

info@newwindsormd.org

You might just be our next feature!

NATIONAL NIGHT OUT

NEW WINDSOR, MD

TUESDAY, AUGUST 4, 2026

6 PM - 8 PM



POLICE • COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS





You are invited to attend the 20th annual New Windsor National Night Out on **Tuesday, August 4, 2026**, from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM. The event will be held at the New Windsor Fire Department’s Carnival Grounds, located at 101 High Street, New Windsor, Maryland. The event continues to grow each year, and at the last live event approximately 300 attendees from the community came out to support it.

We hope that you can join us in growing the event by representing your organization. If you are interested in attending, please fill out the registration form below, and send it back by July 20, 2026. You may email to the Town of New Windsor at info@newwindsormd.org or mail to Town of New Windsor, P.O. Box 609, New Windsor, MD 21776. Please note there are no vendor fees associated with being a part of the event; however, we do ask that all vendors are set up by 5:30 PM and remain set up until the conclusion of the event.

There will be food, games, and so much more, so please respond today to join in on the fun. We look forward to working with your organization and hope to see you there!!

Registration Form

Organization: _____

Organization Address: _____

Organization Phone: _____

Contact Representative: _____

Contact Representative Email: _____

Display (brochures, giveaways, static, live, etc.): _____

Display Needs (Table, chairs, etc.): _____

- Limited number of tables available
- Limited number of chairs available
- Canopy tents are highly recommended; however, they are not provided.

Number of Representatives Attending: _____

Any questions may be forwarded to kmcginnis@carrollcountymd.gov.

St. Paul United Methodist Church and Johnsville United Methodist Church

Worship with us on Sunday!

St. Paul United Methodist Church
200 Main Street
New Windsor, MD 21776
www.Stpaulnewwindsor.com
10:30 am Sunday Worship

Johnsville United Methodist Church
11106 Green Valley Road
Union Bridge, MD 21791
www.johnsvilleumc.org
9:00 am Sunday Worship

Pastor: Rev. Shari M. McCourt - sharimccourt@aol.com

New Windsor Food Bank at St. Paul UMC

Making a Difference! The New Windsor Food Pantry opens on the **3rd Wednesday of the month from 5:15 pm until 6:30 pm**. Must live in New Windsor or Union Bridge zip codes 21776 or 21791. All you need to bring is a form of picture ID. Come in through the side doors on High Street. We will provide a variety of fresh, frozen and canned food items for you and your family.

The Shepherd's Staff Blessings Closet at St. Paul UMC

The Blessings Closet offers free assistance to all with non-food essentials and personal care items. The Blessings Closet is open on the **3rd Wednesday of the month from 5:15 pm until 6:30 pm**. Come in through the side doors on High Street.



Upcoming UMC Events

Saturday, September 12 from 4:00 pm to 6:30 pm

Carry-out Chicken BBQ Dinner

Leg quarter platter with two sides

Pre-order by August 26 for \$15/platter

Day of \$17/platter (subject to availability)

To order, please call 443.974.0541 or 410.960.2516

For updates, please check out www.stpaulnewwindsor.com



**Men's Bible Study
Breakfast
Every 4th Saturday of
the Month
St. Paul UMC Social Hall
Bring a friend!**

St. Luke's (Winters) Lutheran Church

701 Green Valley Road
New Windsor, MD 21776
410-635-6177

Secretary@St.LukesNewWindsor.org
www.stlukesnewwindsor.org

Sunday Worship Service with Communion at 9:30 am

Please check www.stlukesnewwindsor.org for updated information.



Painting by Parishioner Ona Martin

Upcoming Events at St. Luke's

August 10 - 14 - Snowball Mountain Challenge - Vacation Bible School from 6 pm until 8:15 pm for children Pre-K through 5th grade. Please call the church office for information and to register.



Saturday, October 10 - Apple Festival from 12 pm until 6 pm

Fried chicken platters, vendors, games, crafts, activities for children and treats for all!

Edgewood Church of the Brethren

15025 New Windsor Road
New Windsor, MD 21776
Pastor Paul Leatherman, Jr.
Lay Preacher—Billy Horton

Sunday Worship begins at 9 am
Bible Study - Thursdays at 7 pm



Strawbridge Community Church

1601 New Windsor Road
New Windsor, MD 21776
Pastor Ambassador Blango Ross, Jr.

Sunday Worship begins at 9 am
Sunday School begins at 9 am
Livestream on YouTube



www.strawbridgecc.org

Contact us at secretary@strawbridgecc.org

New Windsor Presbyterian Church

200 Church Street
New Windsor, MD 21776

Bible Study - 8 am

NEW Sunday Worship Time - 9 am

All are welcome! We are small in number but have a deep love for the Lord and for one another. There is a place for you!



Upcoming Events

Please check the sign on the lawn for occasional Household Goods Giveaway

Coming mid-July - Summer Good News Clubs for Kids

New Windsor Heritage Museum

207 Main Street, PO Box 28
New Windsor, MD 21776

nwhc28@gmail.com

As of June 1, the museum is temporarily closed due to unexpected repairs. Please check www.newwindsorheritage.org to find out when the museum will reopen.

As America commemorates 250 years of independence, New Windsor Heritage proudly invites residents and visitors to celebrate our shared heritage at the “New Windsor Heritage Liberty and Legacy Ball” on **Saturday, December 12, 2026, from 7 pm until 10 pm at St. Paul’s United Church of Christ, 17 Bond Street, Westminster.** All profits from the event will benefit the preservation of New Windsor’s history through the work of the museum.

Step back in time for an unforgettable evening featuring:

- Historic dancing with live instruction
- Beer and wine available for purchase
- Light hors d’oeuvres
- A professional photographer to capture the evening
- Music, fellowship, and celebration inspired by America’s rich past

Guests are encouraged to dress in costume representing their favorite period of history - from Colonial America and the Revolutionary War to the Civil War, Victorian era, and beyond. Whether you arrive in powdered wigs, hoop skirts, or period attire of your choosing, you’ll become part of a living celebration of history.

Ball tickets are \$60 per person and can be purchased through the QR code to the right or by sending an email to nwhc28@gmail.com.



**Join us as New Windsor honors America’s legacy
while showcasing why we are truly a
“small town with a big history.”**

New Windsor Heritage
Invites You To The

America 250

LIBERTY AND LEGACY



BALL

December

12th,

2026



7-10 PM

STEP BACK IN TIME FOR AN ELEGANT EVENING OF HISTORY, MUSIC, DANCING, AND HOLIDAY CELEBRATION HONORING 250 YEARS OF THE AMERICAN STORY! EXPERIENCE HISTORIC DANCING WITH LIVE INSTRUCTION , BEER & WINE AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE AND LIGHT HORS D'OEUVRES . A PROFESSIONAL PHOTOGRAPHER WILL BE ON SITE TO CAPTURE THE EVENING. GUESTS ARE ENCOURAGED TO COME DRESSED TO CELEBRATE THE SPIRIT AND STYLE OF THE NATION THROUGH THE CENTURIES.

TICKETS
\$60

PURCHASE HERE OR AT
MUSEUM ON SATURDAYS
207 MAIN ST.
NEW WINDSOR



LOCATION:

ST. PAUL'S UCC
FELLOWSHIP HALL
17 BOND STREET
WESTMINSTER, MD 21157
(ENTER AT GREEN ST. RAMP)

Strawbridge Shrine

2650 Strawbridge Lane
New Windsor, MD 21776
Helen Kemp, Curator

Tours at the Historic Strawbridge Shrine

Monday through Saturday from 10 am until 3:30 pm

Sunday from 1 pm until 3:30 pm

From October 31 until March 31 - please call the curator for an appointment - 443.289.0191



1760's Farm Life At Historic Strawbridge Shrine

July 11, 2026 from 10 am to 1 pm

2650 Strawbridge Lane
New Windsor, MD

Visit the farm of early Methodist Circuit Rider, Robert Strawbridge. There will be tours, colonial cooking demos, portrayals dressmaking, music and games for kids!

Free but donations are welcome.

More info call 443-289-0191



Celebrate America's 250th Anniversary

New Windsor Lions Club

The **New Windsor Lions Club** meets on the **2nd and 4th Wednesday** of the month at 6:29 pm at the Windsor Station, 101 High Street, New Windsor. We invite you to attend a meeting to see what we are about.

The **New Windsor Lions Club - Lions for Literacy** hosts events the second Saturday of each month from September through June, except in November. Each event features a book to be read out loud and a copy to be given to attendees. There are also crafts and snacks at the reading events. All ages are welcome. Follow the New Windsor Lions Club Facebook page for more details. <https://www.facebook.com/nwliions>



Donations of new and gently used books are very appreciated!

We are always accepting sponsorships, as well. If you are interested in sponsoring, please contact Lynn Talbert at ltalbert58@gmail.com or 443.974.6892.

Upcoming Events

August 4 - National Night Out - Carnival Grounds

August 7 - New Windsor Lions Golf Tournament - 8 am shotgun start @ Quail Valley Golf Club - for more information contact Dave Keefer at NWLCgolf@gmail.com

September 12 - Literacy Reading - 10 am - New Windsor Community Room



Fall Harvest Raffle tickets are now available from any Lions member!

Purchasing raffle tickets allows us to continue serving the needs of the New Windsor community.

West Carroll Recreation Council

West Carroll serves New Windsor, Union Bridge, Taneytown and surrounding areas. Anyone interested in Rec Council programs or events is welcome to attend our meetings at 7 pm in the New Windsor Community Meeting Room, 1001 Green Valley Road, New Windsor.



Next Meeting Dates: **July - No Meeting, August 10, September 14**

Visit our website: www.gowcrc.com

Facebook: <http://www.facebook.com/goWCRC>

For general information about West Carroll programs, contact Community Coordinator, Penny Rockwood at 410.775.1506 or prockwood1@verizon.net.



Eclectic Motor Company

103 Church Street

New Windsor, MD

Ph: 443.671.6536

www.eclecticmotorcompany.com

We accept clean waste oil!



New Windsor Auxiliary Events

15 Week Club Tickets You haven't bought your New Windsor Auxiliary 15 Week Club ticket? Why not? Tickets are only \$15 and include over 60 chances to win cash prizes **plus** a fried chicken meal on October 10, 2026, is included in the price of your ticket. Come join the fun. Call 410.635.2909 for tickets. Leave a message and we will get back to you.



Bingo Do you like to yell "BINGO!"? Well, if you do, New Windsor Auxiliary Big Money BINGO at 101 High Street, New Windsor, Maryland, is the place to yell on **Saturday, July 18, 2026**. Large jackpot \$1,000, small jackpot \$500, Specials pay \$300, regular games pay \$200. Doors open at 4:30 pm and the first game starts at 6:45 pm. Cost: \$60 in advance, \$70 at the door – price includes a hot dinner, drinks and dessert.

For information, call or text: 443.677.2166 or 443.487.1278

Yard Sale and Craft Show Do you have treasures hiding in your house that you would like to sell to some lucky customer? New Windsor Auxiliary is looking for vendors for our huge yard sale and craft show at the carnival grounds on **August 29**. \$10 rents you a 12' X 12' space. Several covered spaces of various sizes are also available for \$15. Call (no texts) 410.635.2909 and leave a message. We will get back to you.

If you don't have any treasures to sell, maybe you are looking for some treasures to buy. New Windsor Carnival Grounds is the place to search for something you need on August 29, 2026, from 8 am – 2 pm. With vendors offering everything from A – Z, you are sure to find something you like. Join the auxiliary for breakfast and lunch fare.



Music on the Main Are you coming to Music on the Main on the first Saturday in October? Sure you are. Don't forget to stop by the New Windsor Auxiliary stand for an apple dumpling and a little education on how to prevent fires in your home, as well as how to escape safely if you do have a fire.

Apple Dumpling Sale To be sure you get one or more of those delicious apple dumplings, call 410.635.2909 by September 20, to preorder. Leave a message (no texts) and we will return your call. Pickup for preorders will be Friday, October 2, from 4 pm until 6 pm at the carnival grounds.

Holiday Bazaar Have you been using your creative talents to make beautiful crafts, but now wonder what to do with these works of art? Let others enjoy your special talents by participating in the New Windsor Auxiliary Holiday Bazaar. The auxiliary is looking for vendors for **November 21, 2026**. \$15 for 8' table space and 2 chairs. Call or text 443.605.8083 for information. Be sure to include your name. Call only (No texts) 410.635.2909. Leave a message and we will return your call.



Fire Blankets The auxiliary is selling something we hope you never have use for. What would that be, you ask? Why, Fire Blankets. If you have a fire, simply pull your fire blanket out of the pouch and throw it over the flames. Once the fire is out, just fold up your blanket and return it to the pouch, as it is reusable. Blankets are \$25 each. Call 410.635.2909 if you would like to purchase one or have questions.

Thank you for supporting the New Windsor Auxiliary to the NWVFD. Proceeds from our efforts support the fire company's purchase of items needed to keep our community safe.



New Windsor Volunteer Fire Department - Weekly Bingo

- ◆ Every Tuesday night
- ◆ Doors open at 5 pm and food is served from 5:30 pm until 7 pm
- ◆ Bingo games start at 7 pm
- ◆ Come out and support your local Fire Department
- ◆ ATM Available

Concerned Community Outreach

In partnership with **Gateway School**, donations are being collected for students and families at the Gateway School. The following items are of top priority and any donation is greatly appreciated.

- Deodorant
- Toothpaste
- Shampoo & Conditioner
- Socks (solid colors preferred)
- Soap/Body Wash
- Microwavable Foods (Easy Mac, Ramen, etc.)

For more information, contact:

Theresa Hebron - 443.240.6198 or thebron418@gmail.com

Sarah Nalley - 410.751.3691 or SarahNalley@carrollk12.org

Associated Catholic Charities Inc., Head Start & Early Head Start of Carroll County Free School Readiness Program

Associated Catholic Charities, Inc. Head Start and Early Head Start is a federally funded program that promotes school readiness and family self-sufficiency through holistic services.

Carroll County Head Start/Early Head Start provides a wide range of services from prenatal to preschool, for low-income families. We support the development and growth of children from 6 weeks to age 4. Our program is MSDE Accredited. We have several sites throughout the county. For more information or to enroll your child, please contact us at 667.600.2571 or visit our website @ <https://cc-md.org/programs/carroll-county-head-start/>



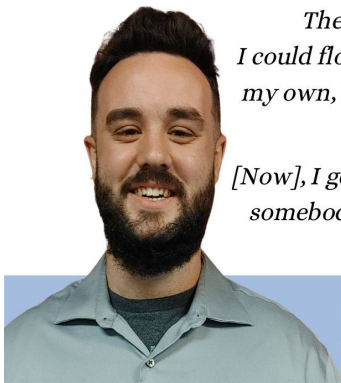
Human Services Programs
of Carroll County, Inc.



"When I was at my lowest point, HSP came in and gave me the tools to help forward myself..

They showed me the ways that I could flourish and grow, and do things on my own, in a way that I never thought was possible.

[Now], I get to wake up every day and do for somebody the exact same thing that was done for me."



-Mike, HSP job coach and former Opportunity WORKS participant

*Serving Carroll County
for over 30 years!*

Our Mission:

HSP gives **HOPE**,
inspires **CHANGE**, and
provides **OPPORTUNITY** by
mobilizing our community
in the fight against poverty.

Our Services:

- Shelter & Housing
- Energy Assistance
- Family Support Center
- Financial Education
- Opportunity WORKS
- Second Chances Free Store
- VITA Free Tax Preparation

Contact Us:

10 Distillery Drive
Westminster, MD
410-857-2999 | hspinc.org

Town of New Windsor 2025 Drinking Water Quality Report

PWSID: 006-0008



Important Information Concerning Your Drinking Water

We're pleased to present to you the Annual Water Quality Report for 2025. 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, or by e-mail at jjanney@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 Council Meetings are held the first Wednesday each month at Town Hall, 209 High Street, New Windsor, MD at 7:00 pm 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 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.

Some 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 2025

Definitions:

- ◆ **Maximum Contaminant Level Goal (MCLG)** - The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.
- ◆ **Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL)** - The highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.
- ◆ **Action Level** - The concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow.
- ◆ **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 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
- ◆ **ppt** - parts per trillion or nanograms per liter
- ◆ **"<"** - Symbol signifies a ND or non-detect, indicating the result was below the detection limit for testing
- ◆ **Locational Rolling Annual Average (LRAA)** - The average of samples specific to a monitoring point composed of taking the most recent and the previous calendar year data.

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)**.



Lead Prevention

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 and removing lead pipes, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components in your home. You share the responsibility for protecting yourself and your family from the lead in your home plumbing. You can take responsibility by identifying and removing lead materials within your home plumbing and taking steps to reduce your family's risk. Before drinking tap water, flush your pipes for several minutes by running your tap, taking a shower, doing laundry or a load of dishes. You can also use a filter certified by an American National Standards Institute accredited certifier to reduce lead in drinking water. If you are concerned about lead in your water and wish to have your water tested, contact Jay Janney at jjanney@menv.com for a list of eligible labs. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available at <http://www.epa.gov/safewater/lead>.

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Contaminant	Unit	Meets Primary Standard Yes/ No	State Primary Standard MCL	State Secondary standard MCLG	Highest Level Detected	Range
Regulated at the Treatment Plant						
Nitrate Typical Source of Contamination: Runoff from fertilizer use and erosion of natural deposits	ppm	Yes	10	10	5.1	4.0 – 5.1
Nitrate-Nitrite (2023 Testing) Typical Source of Contamination: Runoff from fertilizer use and erosion of natural deposits	ppm	Yes	10	10	1.9	1.9 – 1.9
Barium (2023 Testing) Typical Source of Contamination: Erosion of natural deposits	ppb	Yes	2000	2000	33	7.5 - 33
Chromium (2023 Testing) Typical Source of Contamination: Erosion of natural deposits	ppb	Yes	100	100	15	15 - 15
Combined Radium (226 & 228) Typical Source of Contamination: Erosion of natural deposits	pCi/L	Yes	5	0	0.3	0.3 - 0.3
Radium-228 Typical Source of Contamination: Erosion of natural deposits	pCi/L	Yes	5	0	1.0	1.0 – 1.0
Regulated in the Distribution System						
Chlorine Source: Water additive used to control microbes	ppm	Yes	4	4	1.02*	0.72 – 1.41
				*Annual Rolling Average		
Total Trihalomethanes (TTHM) (LRAA)	ppb	Yes	80	N/A	3.9*	3.9 – 3.9
Haloacetic Acids (HAA5) (LRAA) Typical Source of Contamination: By-product of drinking water disinfection	ppb	Yes	60	N/A	1.1*	1.1 – 1.1
				*Locational Rolling Annual Average		
Regulated in the Distribution System						
Lead (2024 Testing) No sites exceeded the lead action level during this monitoring period.	ppb	Yes	15	0	2.8*	<2.0 – 7.5
				*90 th percentile		
Copper (2024 Testing) No sites exceeded the copper action level during this monitoring period.	ppb	Yes	1300	1300	230*	7 - 410
				*90 th percentile		

The table above lists all the drinking water contaminants that were detected during the 2025 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, 2025. 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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Nitrate – Health Effects

Nitrate in drinking water at levels above 10 ppm is a health risk for infants of less than six months of age. High nitrate levels in drinking water can cause blue baby syndrome. Nitrate levels may rise quickly for short periods of time because of rainfall or agricultural activity. If you are caring for an infant, you should ask for advice from your health care provider.

Annual Service Line Inventory Violation

An annual Service Line Inventory was completed by the Town of New Windsor and submitted to the Maryland Department of the Environment on 11/17/2025, and a letter was provided to consumers on 11/03/2025. The annual notification was due to consumers by July 1, 2025, and therefore is a violation. A copy of the Service Line Inventory Statement is available upon request by emailing gdye@newwindsormd.org.

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.

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. The Cooperative treats 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.



Contaminants That May Be Present in Source Water

Microbial contaminants, such as viruses and bacteria, which may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations, and wildlife. Pesticides and Herbicides, which may come from a variety of sources such as agriculture, urban stormwater runoff, and residential uses. Inorganic Contaminants, such as salts and metals, which can be naturally-occurring or result from urban stormwater runoff, industrial, or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining, or farming. Organic Chemical Contaminants, including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, which are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can also come from gas stations, urban stormwater runoff, and septic systems. Radioactive Contaminants, which can be naturally-occurring or be the result of oil and gas production and mining activities.

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Polyfluoroalkyl Substances

PFAS – short for per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances – refers to a large group of more than 4,000 human-made chemicals that have been used since the 1940s in a range of products, including stain- and water-resistant fabrics and carpeting, cleaning products, paints, cookware, food packaging and fire-fighting foams. These uses of PFAS have led to PFAS entering our environment, where they have been measured by several states in soil, surface water, groundwater, and seafood. Some PFAS can last a long time in the environment and in the human body and can accumulate in the food chain.

The Maryland Department of the Environment (MDE) conducted a PFAS monitoring program for Community Water Systems from 2020 to 2022. PFAS sampling was conducted for the Town of New Windsor Water Treatment System during 2025 for Main Spring and Hillside Wells Point of Entry (POE). Main Spring Wells' results were non-detectable. Previous years' results are available on MDE's website:

<https://mde.maryland.gov/PublicHealth/Pages/PFAS-Landing-Page.aspx>.

The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) finalized regulations for 6 PFAS compounds in drinking water in April 2024. The MCLs for PFOA and PFOS are each 4.0 parts per trillion (ppt). The MCLs for PFNA, PFHxS, and HFPO-DA (GenX chemicals) are each 10 ppt. Additionally, a mixture of two or more of the following chemicals (PFNA, PFHxS, HFPO-DA, and PFBS) will be regulated with a Hazard Index of 1 (unitless) to determine if the combined levels of these PFAS pose a risk and require action.

The 5th Unregulated Contaminant Monitoring Rule (UCMR5) began testing for 29 PFAS compounds and lithium in 2023. The UCMR5 should test all community water systems with populations of at least 3300 people. Three randomly selected systems in Maryland with populations less than 3300 people will also be tested under the UCMR5. Detections greater than the minimum reporting levels for each constituent should be reported in the

July 2025 PFAS Sample Results – Hillside and Main Spring Wells POE

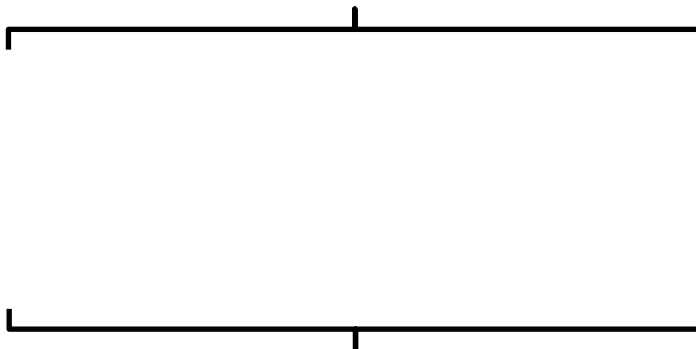
PFAS Initial Monitoring Requirements	Collection Date of Highest Value	Highest Value	Range of Sampled Result(s)	Unit
Perfluorobutane Sulfonic Acid (PFBS)	07/09/2025	2.0	2.0 – 2.0	ppt
Perfluorohexane Sulfonic Acid (PFHxS)	07/09/2025	<1.7	<1.7 - <1.7	ppt
Perfluorooctane Sulfonic Acid (PFOS)	07/09/2025	<1.7	<1.7 - <1.7	ppt
Perfluorooctanoic Acid (PFOA)	07/09/2025	<1.7	<1.7 - <1.7	ppt
Perfluorononanoic Acid (PFNA)	07/09/2025	<1.7	<1.7 - <1.7	ppt
Hexafluoropropylene Oxide Dimer Acid (HFPO-DA)	07/09/2025	<1.7	<1.7 - <1.7	ppt

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Beginning in June 2026, and running through Labor Day, Hughes trash and recycling crews begin their routes at 4 am.

This change is made in compliance with the Maryland Heat Stress Standards to protect the health and safety of workers during extreme heat.

Please place your items curbside the night before your scheduled collection day to ensure they are picked up.

