

DCNR Playground Grant:

The borough awarded the bid to Pennell Services at the May 3rd meeting. Site work and construction will begin the week of July 5th. Pennell Services will be installing the pavilion and benches. The playground equipment will be installed by Willow Playworks after the site work is completed and the playground equipment has arrived.

CDBG Grant

The borough has been awarded a Community Development Block Grant to make the handicap ramps on Main Street and also at the intersection of High Street ADA compliant. This is being done in order to place a crosswalk at the corner of Main Street and High Street. Construction should begin sometime over the summer.

Dirt Gravel Low Volume Road Grant

The borough will be applying for a grant to do storm water controls and paving on Church Lane off of High Street.

Bethany Felton UMC

41 High St

717-244-4162

www.bethanyfelton.one

Weekly Worship Schedule

8:45 AM Traditional Worship Service

10:00 AM Educational Hour

In person worship

SonLight Chapel

53 Main Street ~ Felton

www.sonlightchapelchurch.com

Weekly 10:00 AM Worship Service

In person worship



Alliance Fire & Rescue Services
UNION STATION

61 Main Street Felton, PA, 17322

Phone: (717) 246-3892



Garbage and Recycling

Trash Collection Days:
Monday & Thursday / Bag
Limit ~ 4 Bag limit

Recycling Collection Day: Monday
One Large/Bulk Item per Week on
Thursdays

Help us...build a better York County

The County of York is conducting a new survey to help determine the future needs and services that will make York County an even better place to live, work and play. This survey will be open to all York County residents on **July 13th**. You can use this QR code below to link you directly to the survey.



Council Meeting Schedule:

Monday, July 5th 6:30
PM

Monday, **August 9th** 6:30 PM

Monday, **September 20th** 6:30 PM

Monday, October 4th

Monday, October 11th Budget Meeting

Monday, November 1st

Monday, November 8th Budget

Monday, December 6th

Monday, December 13th Budget

FELTON BOROUGH NEWSLETTER

Regular Office Hours:

Monday - Thursday

10:00 am – 3:00 pm

Friday **CLOSED**

Office will be closed

July 12th – July 16th

&

August 2nd – August 6th

Phone: 717-246-6493

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Felton Borough is now on the web. Check out the new website to find the borough's ordinances, minutes, history, event calendar and other great information. *Please note: Information is still being added.*

www.feltonboroughpa.com

PUBLIC WATER

At the May 3rd council meeting a motion was made to table any further discussion of public water indefinitely until there is a greater need for water in the borough. The motion carried 4 to 1.

Risk Rating 2.0: Equity In Action

FEMA is updating the [National Flood Insurance Program](#)'s (NFIP) risk rating methodology through the implementation of a new pricing methodology called **Risk Rating 2.0**. The methodology leverages industry best practices and cutting-edge technology to enable FEMA to deliver rates that are actuarially sound, equitable, easier to understand and better reflect a property's flood risk.

FEMA is conscious of the far-reaching economic impacts COVID-19 has had on the nation and existing policyholders and is taking a phased approach to rolling out the new rates.

Beginning Aug. 1, current National Flood Insurance Program policyholders can contact their insurance company or insurance agent to learn more about what Risk Rating 2.0-Equity in Action means to them.

PHASE I

New policies beginning **Oct. 1, 2021**, will be subject to the new rating methodology. Also beginning Oct. 1, existing policyholders eligible for renewal will be able to take advantage of immediate decreases in their premiums.

PHASE II

All remaining policies **renewing on or after April 1, 2022**, will be subject to the new rating methodology.

FEMA continues to engage with Congress, its industry partners and state, local, tribal and territorial agencies to ensure clear understanding of these changes.

Why FEMA is Undertaking Risk Rating 2.0

FEMA is committed to building a [culture of preparedness](#) across the nation. Purchasing flood insurance is the first line of defense against flood damage and a step toward a quicker recovery following a flood.

Since the 1970s, rates have been predominantly based on relatively static measurements,

emphasizing a property's elevation within a zone on a [Flood Insurance Rate Map](#) (FIRM).

This approach does not incorporate as many flooding variables as Risk Rating 2.0. Risk Rating 2.0 is not just a minor improvement, but a transformational leap forward. Risk Rating 2.0 enables FEMA to set rates that are fairer and ensures rate increases and decreases are both equitable.

FEMA is building on years of investment in flood hazard information by incorporating private sector data sets, catastrophe models and evolving actuarial science.

With Risk Rating 2.0, FEMA now has the capability and tools to address rating disparities by incorporating more flood risk variables. These include flood frequency, multiple flood types—river overflow, storm surge, coastal erosion and heavy rainfall—and distance to a water source along with property characteristics such as elevation and the cost to rebuild.

Currently, policyholders with lower-valued homes are paying more than their share of the risk while policyholders with higher-valued homes are paying less than their share of the risk. Because Risk Rating 2.0 considers rebuilding costs, FEMA can equitably distribute premiums across all policyholders based on home value and a property's unique flood risk.

What's Not Changing Under Risk Rating 2.0

We are upholding statutory requirements by:

Limiting Annual Premium Increases

Existing statutory limits on rate increases require that most rates not increase more than 18% per year.

Using Flood Insurance Rate Maps (FIRMs) for Mandatory Purchase and Floodplain Management

FEMA's flood map data informs the catastrophe models used in the development of rates under Risk Rating 2.0. That is why critical flood mapping data is necessary and essential for communities. It informs floodplain management building

requirements and the mandatory purchase requirement.

Maintaining Features

We are maintaining features to simplify the transition to Risk Rating 2.0 by offering premium discounts to eligible policyholders. This means:

- FEMA will continue to offer premium discounts for pre-FIRM subsidized and newly mapped properties.
- Policyholders will still be able to transfer their discount to a new owner by assigning their flood insurance policy when their property changes ownership.
- And, discounts to policyholders in communities who participate in the [Community Rating System](#) will continue. Communities will continue to earn National Flood Insurance Program rate discounts of 5% - 45% based on the Community Rating System classification. However, since Risk Rating 2.0 does not use flood zones to determine flood risk, the discount will be uniformly applied to all policies throughout the participating community, regardless of whether the structure is inside or outside of the Special Flood Hazard Area.

York County Solid Waste Authority

Benefits of Managing Wastes at the York County Resource Recovery Center

About YCSWA

Authority Mission Statement: Facilitate responsible solid waste management.

Goals:

- Use appropriate assessment tools, ensure that continuing solid waste management needs are met.
- Lead efforts to optimize environmental benefits from the management of solid waste.
- Provide or facilitate the availability of relevant long-term solid waste management programs and infrastructure that consider waste reduction, reuse, recycling, waste-to energy and land filling.

- Actively participate in the legislative and regulatory process at the federal, state and local levels.
- Attract, retain, motivate and continually improve the Authority in the pursuit of our mission and goals.
- Promote service and responsibility to our customers, community and other interested parties.

Sustainability: The ability to reuse waste as fuel benefits the environment by avoiding the use of fossil fuels to generate power, reducing the volume of waste that must be managed in a landfill, minimizing the release of greenhouse gases due to the decomposition of waste, protecting wildlife and preserving valuable natural resources and land. What comes out of our plant's stack is what you would typically find in air-water, vapor, nitrogen, oxygen, and carbon dioxide. The remaining constituents are well below levels allowed under federal and state standards. Choosing waste-to-energy for business disposal needs helps to mitigate climate change.

Waste-to-Energy is a Win-Win

Customer Appeal: Businesses today recognize that their reputations are closely related to their customer appeal. In the age of sustainability, more and more customers seek businesses that employ responsible environmental practices, including the way they manage waste disposal.

Choosing Waste-to-Energy for Your Business is a Smart Choice:

- Preserves valuable land space for other uses
- Produces clean power from nonfossil fuels reducing greenhouse gas emissions and mitigating climate change
- Reduces long-term financial risk
- Increases the recovery and recycling of metals, sands and aggregates
- Increases recycling overall
- Avoids emissions from landfills
- Meets customer needs for sustainable business practices