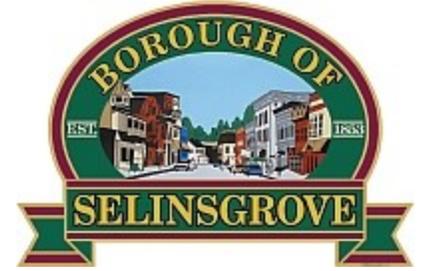


1 North High Street  
 Selinsgrove, PA 17870  
 Telephone: 570-374-2311  
 FAX: 570-374-8902  
 Email: [borough@selingsgrove.org](mailto:borough@selingsgrove.org)  
 Website: [www.selingsgrove.org](http://www.selingsgrove.org)



Volunteer Opportunities are available for residents interested in serving their community.

Call the Borough office 374-2311.

Selinsgrove Borough Office 374-2311

Selinsgrove Borough Police Department 374-8655

Selinsgrove Borough Council would like to thank all the volunteers who have generously given of their time during the year for numerous projects throughout the Borough. Thank you for helping to make Selinsgrove Borough a better place to live, work and play.

**Borough Clean Up Day:  
 September 14-15, 2020**

**Monday, September 14th: Isle of Que and west to and including Orange Street**

**Tuesday, September 15th: Streets west of Orange Street to and including Eighteenth Street and University Avenue**

This will follow the restrictions set for spring clean up 2020. Materials are to be placed along the curb in front of your residence, but not obstructing the street or sidewalks, no earlier than Friday the 11th and no later than 7:00 AM the scheduled day for your street. All materials must be secured from being blown away or scattered by animals or people. The owner of the material is responsible for compliance with the Borough's littering and waste regulations.

**DUMPSTERS ON BOROUGH STREETS**

Dumpsters on the streets of Selinsgrove Borough must be very limited as they reduce visibility and absorb necessary parking spaces. If you are renting a dumpster for any kind of clean-up, please place it on your property when possible. If that is not an option, then you must contact the Borough Office at 570-374-2311 or email [borough@selingsgrove.org](mailto:borough@selingsgrove.org) prior to placing the dumpster to avoid any upcoming projects or events which may require the dumpster to be moved at your expense.

**SEDA-COG: Businesses Impacted by COVID-19 Loan Program**

SEDA-COG has a new loan program to provide funding for businesses impacted by the COVID-19 crisis in its 11 central PA counties, including Snyder Co. The SEDA-COG EDA COVID-19 Loan has limited funds and will end once all funds are exhausted, but requires no payments for the first six months.

For-profit businesses can apply for loans of at least \$10,000. Contact SEDA-COG at 570-524-4491 for interest rates. The funds can be used for acquisition of commercial real estate, working capital, and equipment. Funds can be disbursed based on past working capital expenses.

**SEDA  
 COG**

**—CARES Funds—  
 Heating Unit Repair or Replacement**

SEDA-COG is reminding residents that CARES funds are available until August 31, 2020 or until the funds are exhausted. If your heat source is malfunctioning, contact your County Assistance Office. (Snyder County: 570-374-8126)

**FALL & WINTER Events**

*Saturday, September 19  
 Electronic Recycling Event  
 Borough Public Works Building  
 Sassafras Street  
 8:00 AM—Noon*

*Monday, November 23  
 White Christmas Decorating Day  
 Downtown Selinsgrove*

*Tuesday, November 24  
 Community Tree Lighting Service - 6:30 PM  
 White Christmas Celebration Starts  
 Downtown Selinsgrove*

*Tuesday, December 1  
 Late Shopper's Night*

*Saturday December 5  
 Santa 5K Sprint  
 Stocking Decorating  
 Santa Pet Parade  
 Special Holiday Market  
 Downtown Selinsgrove*

**SUMP PUMPS AND DOWN SPOUTS—**  
 Selinsgrove Borough Ordinance prohibits any person from discharging storm water, surface water, ground water, roof runoff or subsurface drainage including cellar drainage into the sewer system. We ask our customers to comply with this section by removing any sump pumps, downspouts or other items/things that may discharge the above cited items in the sanitary sewer system.

**Borough Building Operations**

The Borough Office Staff appreciates your understanding as the office remains closed to visitors until further notice. The staff continues to work Monday—Friday during the hours of 8:30 AM and 4:30 PM.

If you need to meet with the staff, please call or email to schedule a time for an in-person visit. **(The information is provided in the heading of newsletter.)** We require masks be worn if a meeting is to be held in the building.

If you have something to drop off at the office, please use the drop box labeled "water bill" at the Union Alley entrance. This is a silver drop box on the wall that only our office staff can access.



At the time of this publication, the Regional Engagement Center is unclear about its reopening plans for the school year of 2020-2021. The COVID-19 pandemic is preventing us from allowing our regular 80+ kids to attend the after school free Drop-In Program, but we will stay closely tuned into the school district and the Governor's lead for best practices and safety. In the meantime, we continue with the Summer 2020 REC Support Program for 86 'campers' and have a school bus making weekly rounds through the district as a mobile food pantry starting in the REC parking lot from 12-4PM on Friday afternoons. We will assess the need for continuing this program as the summer continues. Please stay tuned to our Facebook, Instagram, and website for the most up-to-date information about what is going on at the REC.

Take care, everyone!

*"Inspiring ideas, enriching lives and engaging all generations in educational, recreational and charitable activities!"*

<https://www.selingsgroverec.com/>



@The RECofSnyderCounty

### ATTENTION: CLEAR METER

Outside water meters **MUST** be clear of bushes and shrubs so the water usage can be read as needed



## GREASE TRAPS

How to Dispose of Cooking Oil and Grease



### Grease is bad for the waste system.

- RESIDENTS—are strongly encouraged to dispose of contained grease in the trash instead of washing it down the pipes.
- BUSINESSES—All hotels, restaurants, boarding houses, cafeterias, fraternity houses and sorority houses serving food, church and other non-profit entities' kitchens serving food, clubs or other social organizations serving food, commercial food preparation facilities, and any other establishment where food is prepared and/or served, shall install, at its own expense, a grease trap, of type and size approved by the Borough or a properly authorized agent of the Borough, in their plumbing or piping.

Please refer to Selingsgrove Borough Code on our website: [www.selingsgrove.org](http://www.selingsgrove.org) (under Code) Chapter 18 Part 4 for further information on requirements for cleaning the grease traps.

### SIGN PERMITS REQUIRED

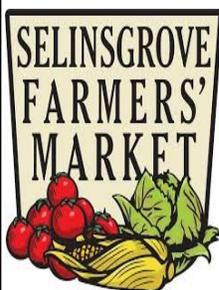
Sign Permits are required for any commercial sign within the Borough. The Sign Ordinance has recently been updated to include electronic message board signs as well as billboards.

Contact Lindsey Brouse, Deputy Zoning Officer, at the Borough Office with any questions regarding a Sign Permit Application. The Selingsgrove Borough Ordinance allows 30 days for review and approval of Sign Permits.

### Is Your Streetlight Out?

All high-level streetlights located along Borough Streets are the responsibility of PPL Utilities. Giving PPL the pole number when you call to report the outage allows them to pinpoint the location and to speed up repairs. You'll find the pole number on a metal strip attached to the pole. It will always be five digits, followed by an S, and then five more digits, for example, 12345/S67890. Once you have the pole number, call PPL at 1-800-342-5775 and their customer care representatives will be able to schedule a repair. This also applies to power outages that can be traced to a particular pole or power line attached to a pole or poles.

All low level, decorative streetlights in the downtown are the responsibility of the Borough of Selingsgrove. Please contact the Borough for concerns or repairs to those lights.



### BUY LOCAL: Selingsgrove Farmers' Market

Beginning mid-May and continuing through November, Selingsgrove Farmers' Market is held every Saturday morning from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on the "Selingsgrove Commons," corner of Market and Pine Streets, downtown.

All produce sold at the market has been grown and produced within 50 miles of the market. Come to purchase seasonal vegetables, sustainably raised meats and cheeses, baked goods, prepared foods, honey, jams, jellies, hand crafted items, nursery plants, and enjoy live music each weekend.

Find the Selingsgrove Farmers' Market on Facebook for more information, or visit [www.selingsgrove.net](http://www.selingsgrove.net). If you are available to volunteer during the market, please call 570-541-9117 or email [selingsgrovemsm@gmail.com](mailto:selingsgrovemsm@gmail.com).

**FLOOD AWARENESS**

**Flood Insurance:**

Most homeowner's insurance policies do not cover losses due to flooding. A separate flood insurance policy is required to cover damages incurred by flooding. Coverage is available for the building itself as well as for the contents of the building.

For homes located in flood prone areas and purchased with federally backed mortgages, flood insurance is required for the life of the loan. Contact your property insurance agency to see what they can do for you. The National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) and private insurance is available.

NFIP rates do not differ from company to company or agent to agent. They depend on many factors, such as flood risk, lowest floor elevation of the building, and the date and type of construction. **Note that there is a 30-day waiting period before coverage goes into effect.**

To help with insurance costs, the Borough participates in the Community Rating System (CRS), which provides a discount on flood insurance. Selinsgrove currently has a Class 7 rating, which provides residents who live in the Special Flood Hazard Area with a 15% discount on their flood insurance.

**Local Flood Hazard:** Issues in Selinsgrove come from over bank flooding, local drainage problems and sewer back-ups. Find out if your property is in the regulated floodplain by contacting the Flood Plain Manager, Lindsey Brouse, at 570-374-2311. Visit the Borough's website for more information on flood issues at [www.selinsgrove.org](http://www.selinsgrove.org).

**The Flood Warning System:** The Selinsgrove Borough Flood Warning System has many components which include the Snyder County 911 Center, Emergency Broadcast System, the National Weather Service and NOAA. Residents are also welcome to call the Borough Office for information before, during, and after a flooding event at 570-374-2311.

**Property Protection Measures:** Talk with a Borough representative about protecting your home or business by minimizing flood damage with some of these measures: filling in your basement, re-grading your yard and flood proofing utilities. Elevating your home may benefit you as well. Not all flood proofing measures are appropriate for all structures.

**Floodplain Development Requirements:** All development in the floodplain requires a permit from the Zoning Officer prior to starting work. Development in the floodplain must comply with the Borough's Floodplain Ordinances and may require permitting from other organizations as well.

**Safety First:** When a flood does occur, do not walk or drive through flood waters. Currents are deceptive and as little as six (6) inches of moving water can knock you off of your feet. Do not drive around or move barriers, as the roads or bridges may be washed out. Remember: TURN AROUND, DON'T DROWN!

For more information on floodplain assistance, please call or visit the Borough Office. The Borough is here to help residents understand the risk, but also to direct residents to the proper protection measures.

Call 570-374-2311 with any questions or concerns.



**100-Year Floodplain Elevation Certificates**

Selinsgrove Borough and SEDA-Council of Governments (SEDA-COG) are working together to provide FEMA Elevation Certificates.

These discounted elevation certificates are available to Selinsgrove Borough homeowners who live in the 100-year floodplain (Zone AE).

Having this certificate can help reduce flood insurance costs. These FEMA elevation certificates are \$700 thanks to a discounted group rate that SEDA-COG negotiated with Orangeville Surveying Consultants Inc. Without the discount, these certificates can cost up to \$2,000.

The Borough is also offering a limited number of "no cost" Elevation Certificates for owner-occupied residents.

Applications for Elevation Certificates are available for pick up at the Borough Office.

Please call Sharon Badman @ 570-374-2311 or email [sbadman@selinsgrove.org](mailto:sbadman@selinsgrove.org) with any questions.

**What Will Your Flood Risk Cost?**

**Get the Lowest Rate You Can Qualify For.**

If your property is at high risk for flooding, you may expect your discounted rate to increase by approximately 25 percent each year. Getting an **Elevation Certificate** now or in the next few years may prevent most policyholders from overpaying for their flood insurance.

**Know your options.**

**Option 1  
Do Nothing**

Your discounted rate will increase by 25 percent each year.



**Option 2  
Get an Elevation  
Certificate**

Don't overpay for flood insurance. Get an Elevation Certificate soon. Learn more at : [www.FEMA.gov/cost-of-flood](http://www.FEMA.gov/cost-of-flood).

If you get an Elevation Certificate, you can continue to pay the discounted rate if it's lower.

**Why should I get flood insurance if I've never had water?**

Even if you've never had water before, that doesn't mean that your property will never experience flooding. Flood zones are determined by past conditions, but cannot predict future conditions or climates. There is no way to predict just where the water will stop.

**How does an elevation certificate affect flood insurance rates?**

There is a correlation between how high your property is above the base flood elevation and the actual cost of a flood insurance policy. In a high risk zone, the higher the elevation of your property, the lower your policy cost will most likely be. Conversely, the lower your elevation, the more your flood insurance policy will cost. You need to supply an Elevation Certificate for an insurance agent to compare it against your property's elevation.

The Gelnett Trust provides grants to several community organizations for the health, education, & welfare of Selinsgrove Borough. Most recently, Borough Council authorized funds to be used for additional benches/tables for the downtown area, permanent grills near Little Norway II, and equipment/grounds updates at the Moose Playground. If your organization is wondering if it could qualify for Gelnett Funds, please visit [www.selinsgrove.org/government/rudy-gelnett-irrevocable-trust/](http://www.selinsgrove.org/government/rudy-gelnett-irrevocable-trust/) to review or print the application. Revisions to this application are currently being considered, so an updated application will be available in the near future.

**STRAY/FERAL CATS**

If you are going to own a pet, please be a RESPONSIBLE pet owner. PETS ARE TO BE LEASHED when outdoors and **NOT** set free in the community. If you got yourself into more than you can handle with a pet, then please act RESPONSIBLY to rehome it. Pets are not to be released into the community simply because you are tired of them or believe they should have free roam of the outdoors. Animals who are not spayed/neutered can cause an explosion of overpopulation. When not cared for properly, animals can cause damage and be a nuisance to residents in the community.

How can someone help with the stray/feral cat population? **TRAP-NEUTER-RETURN**

1. Visit the Selinsgrove Borough website ([www.selinsgrove.org](http://www.selinsgrove.org)) and complete the application found under Codes—Applications & Forms—Application for Low Cost Spay-Neuter. (or stop in for the application)
2. Turn the application in at the Borough Office (1 North High Street, Selinsgrove).
3. The Borough Office will contact Robin Montgomery at the Cherished Cat Rescue who will reach out to the applicant, explain the process of Trap-Neuter-Return (TNR), and give options. She knows the places providing the surgeries as well as the pricing.

The Borough has been participating in this program the last few years and has funding to defray the costs of the spay/neuter. This program helps to keep cat colonies from growing.



T  
R  
A  
P



N  
E  
U  
T  
E  
R



R  
E  
T  
U  
R  
N



**Brush Pick Up**

**October 19, 2020**

Brush, branches, tree limbs, tree trimmings (no bigger than 4” in diameter, and limited to 1 cubic yard—equal to a combined container capacity of 200 gallons) will be picked up curbside. Garden residue, twigs, vines, soft stem plants and weeds (NO grass clippings, roots, dirt or soil debris, or garbage bags) must be placed in moisture-proof, open-top containers capable of permitting materials to be picked up and dumped into a truck (limit of 30 pounds per container). Items are to be placed along the curb, but not into the street, before 7:00AM.

**Leaf Pick Up**

**October 26—November 25, 2020**

Pickup will follow the street cleaning schedule

(schedule available at [www.selinsgrove.org](http://www.selinsgrove.org))

Leaves are to be placed along the curb, but not into the street, before 7:00 A.M. on the scheduled day for your street. Leaves may be bagged but may not include brush, twigs, branches, grass, vines, soft stem plants, or other non-vegetative matter or similar materials that would clog the

Borough’s leaf vacuum.

**FLUSH WISELY**

Being self-quarantined at home can be tough, but being self quarantined at home with a backed up sewer is much worse. As toilet paper runs short, many citizens may turn to alternative “flushable” wipes and sanitizing wipes. These poor substitutes can cause problems for the borough’s sewers and could include backups into homes and malfunctioning treatment equipment. To ensure the borough’s sewer system remains unclogged, follow the ‘Three Ps Only’ rule when considering whether to flush an item or dispose of it in the garbage.

**Three Ps to be flushed:**

- P**ee
- P**oop
- P**aper—toilet paper only

All other products, including those labelled as “flushable” (such as baby wipes) should not be flushed. Instead, they can be disposed of in the garbage can.



## INCREASED COST OF COMPLIANCE (ICC)

ICC coverage provides payment to help cover the cost of mitigation activities that will reduce the risk of future flood damage to a building. When a building covered by a Standard Flood Insurance Policy suffers a flood loss and is declared to be substantially or repetitively damaged, ICC will pay up to **\$30,000** to bring the building into compliance with state or community flood plain management laws or ordinances. Usually this means elevating or relocating the building so that it is above the base flood elevation (BFE). Non-residential structures may also be flood-proofed. ICC coverage applies solely to buildings and only covers the cost of the compliance measures undertaken. It is filed separately from the normal flood insurance claim.

In addition to being insured under the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP), a building must meet one (1) of two (2) conditions to be eligible to receive ICC coverage; it must have been either:

### 1) determined to be substantially damaged, or 2) meet the criteria of a repetitive loss structure

- Substantial damage is the determination by the community that damage due to flooding has equaled or exceeded 50 percent of the value of the building. When repaired, the building must meet local floodplain management ordinances. If the total damage from flooding is less than 50 percent of the market value of the building, ICC coverage is not available.
- Repetitive loss means that a building covered by flood insurance incurred flood related damage two (2) times over a period of 10 years, and that the cost of the repairs was, on the average, at least 25 percent of the market value of the building before the damage occurred each time. This applies only if the community has adopted a repetitive loss provision in the local floodplain management ordinance, and a flood insurance claim must have been paid in both cases. The combined damage total must be 50 percent of the value of the building before the damage occurred, but it need not be evenly distributed. So, if the damage was 35 percent of the value of the building in the first event and 15 percent of the value of the building in the second event, the policyholder would qualify for ICC coverage.

# Selinsgrove Trivia Time



1. What was the first name of Susquehanna University?
2. When George Gabriel established a settlement in 1713 (later becoming Selinsgrove), what title did the establishment have?
3. What Pennsylvania Governor lived on Market Street?
4. George Hendricks and his son Charles operated a hardware business in Selinsgrove for over 40 years, beginning in 1884. What is currently in this location?
5. The Governor Simon Snyder Monument is located at the gravesite of Governor Simon Snyder in Sharon Lutheran Cemetery. This monument was originally built in the 1880s for how much?
6. Name two of three Selinsgrove buildings which are listed on the National Register of Historic Places.
7. Penns Creek, which runs through Selinsgrove, is how long?
8. The year is 1850. I left my dog outside on the Isle of Que unleashed and un-muzzled. How much could I be fined?
9. What family owned the farm that became Susquehanna University?
10. For whom was the Borough named?

Please mail your responses to the Borough, c/o Selin's Grove Trivia, before September 25, 2020. When a question is asking for a location, please be as specific as possible. The individual (resident of Selinsgrove Borough only) with the most correct answers will win a Selinsgrove themed prize. In the event of a tie for the most correct answers, the winner's name will be drawn at the Borough Council Meeting on Monday, October 5, 2020. Please include your name, address, and telephone number.

The answers will be posted on the Borough's website at [www.selinsgrove.org](http://www.selinsgrove.org) after the winner is announced.

**SELINGSGROVE**  
LOVE THE GROVE!

SELINGSGROVE PROJECTS, INC.

As you know, Selinsgrove Projects Inc. (SPI) is a totally volunteer based organization and we are currently seeking volunteers for board and committee positions, as well as volunteers for various events and initiatives that we undertake throughout the year. If you have a few hours a month, week, or even a day and would like to contribute to your community, please contact us by calling 570-541-9117. For more information on SPI, go to [www.selinsgrove.net](http://www.selinsgrove.net) or follow us at Downtown Selinsgrove on Facebook.

**One person, for even an hour,  
can make a big difference  
in our Selinsgrove  
community!!**



Celebrate the 100th anniversary of the 19th Amendment to the U.S. Constitution, which gave women the right to vote, by planning to vote on Tuesday, November 3, 2020.

For more information, contact Snyder County Office of Voter Registration at (570)-837-4286.





The Friends of the Pool (FOP) extend heartfelt thanks to the generous, community minded citizens of Selinsgrove for their ongoing support of the Community Pool. To date this year, contributions have reached nearly \$8,000. The Volunteer Board members of SARI (Selinsgrove Area Recreation, Inc.) work very hard to preserve this wonderful resource for local families. Thank you! Be Safe!



The Selinsgrove Area Community Pool Board, SARI, would like to send out a huge THANK YOU to all who have contributed both time and financial support throughout the 52 years the pool has been open. The pool is a local treasure and relies on local support to keep the water flowing and the doors open each season. SARI is a volunteer board, non-profit 501(C) (3) organization asking for continued support as the pool goes through a major renovation after the 2020 summer season.

The repair made in June 2020 was only a temporary patch to provide the community with an enjoyable outdoor space with so many other things closed or cancelled for the summer season.

We will soon be announcing some fundraisers which will help obtain the necessary funding for the pool to be up and running for 2021.

For updates, please watch our: website at [www.selinsgrovepool.org](http://www.selinsgrovepool.org) Facebook page - Selinsgrove Community Pool Please email [selinsgrovepool@gmail.com](mailto:selinsgrovepool@gmail.com) if you have further questions or would like to help in any way.

### Christmas Tree Pick-Up

Christmas trees, which are placed along the curb, will be picked up the first 10 working days in January.

No plastic bags, decorations, or other attachments (tree stands) will be picked up.



### TREE FEST

It is the hope of the Rudy Gelnett Library to hold the annual Tree Fest of Children's Books again this year. The final decision will not be made until early September 2020. We know many people look forward to participating in this event by selecting a children's book and decorating a tree depicting the story. We also know that this is a popular holiday for our community and want very much for it to take place. However, like so many other events, our decision will be determined by the status of the pandemic. The library will provide information to the public once this decision has been made.

### NEW FEMA FLOOD MAPS

FEMA has prepared new flood maps for the Borough. Owners of property within existing and proposed floodplains should consider or reconsider flood insurance before the new mapping is adopted by the Borough. Check with your insurance agent now and lock in a lower rate than you will receive when the maps become effective. The 1-percent annual floodplain, also known as the Special Flood Hazard Area (SFHA) and previously known as the 100-year floodplain, is changing on the new maps. Properties that were not previously affected may be now, and flood elevations for currently affected properties may have changed. Also, it is important to note that, for damages from ALL causes, all of the costs associated with restoring the structure are to be used in evaluating the 50% limitation for substantial damage. It is possible that a structure in the SFHA could have a fire that would cause only partial damage to the structure, but result in costs to restore that exceed the 50% limitation. Fire insurance may only pay for the portion of the structure that was damaged, but the floodplain regulations will require that the structure be elevated or removed. This is one reason why typical homeowners insurance coverage should be coordinated with flood insurance and insurance covering losses imposed as a result of "governmental requirements" should be considered.

**PLEASE REMEMBER-** Before you consider any repair, reconstruction, alteration, addition or new construction of any kind of property within the flood plain, contact the Borough Zoning Office. If your building or structure is located within the SFHA, damage resulting from ANY cause, i.e. flood, fire, wind, snow, ice, accident, vandalism, etc.; will require a substantial damage determination prior to any clean-up, repair, or reconstruction. Contact the Borough Zoning Office before you occupy any building following such damage.

**Looking to help your community???**  
**VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED!**

- Civil Service Commission: This commission is responsible for administering the Civil Service Examination to applicants for positions and promotions within the Police Department.  
**2 Alternate Vacancies**
- Parks & Recreation Board: Along with equipping, operating, and maintaining recreational facilities, this board functions as advisors to the Borough Council in determining the amounts and kinds of recreation most needed by the citizens.  
**6 Vacancies**
- Planning Commission: This commission has the responsibility of reviewing all proposed Subdivision and Land Development Plans, and Conditional Use applications. After reviewing these forms, the commission makes recommendations to Borough Council.  
**2 Vacancies**
- Shade Tree Commission: This commission has the authority to plant, remove, maintain and protect shade trees located within the borough streets, easements, or borough property. In addition, the commission reviews applications for the removal of shade trees located within borough streets, easements, or property. This assures that such removals are justified and mitigate the impact of the removal on the community.  
**1 Vacancy**
- Zoning Hearing Board: The primary purpose of the Zoning Hearing Board is to help assure fair and equitable application and administration of the Zoning Ordinance. This is done by hearing appeals on the Zoning Officer's determination, Special Exception Use requests, and by granting relief from the literal enforcement of the ordinance in certain hardship situations.  
**2 Alternate Vacancies**
- Selinsgrove Municipal Water Authority: The main objective of this authority is to decide on issues related to the over-all water system infrastructure and to sell water to various entities located outside the legal limits of the Borough of Selinsgrove.  
**1 Vacancy**
- Eastern Snyder County Regional Authority: Selinsgrove Borough participates with Shamokin Dam Borough, Monroe Township, and Penn Township to form a regional authority providing wastewater treatment.  
**1 Vacancy**

**If you have an interest in serving on one or more of these Commissions/Boards, please contact:**

**Selinsgrove Borough Administrative Office**  
**1 North High Street, Selinsgrove, PA 17870**  
**Call: (570) 374-2311**  
**Email: [borough@selinsgrove.org](mailto:borough@selinsgrove.org)**



**You may have noticed the new addition to our downtown:  
 The Pedestrian Crossing Signs at the Market and Chestnut Street Intersection**

These signs act as a reminder to motorists to slow down and yield to pedestrians waiting to cross the street. This is a Pennsylvania Law that applies to all crosswalks, both marked and those unmarked, at intersections. Signs for other selected intersections are coming in the future.

Also, as a reminder to our pedestrians, please cross a street at a crossing and wait for the signal to walk, if you are crossing at one of our traffic lights.

Together, we can all help make our downtown safer and more pedestrian friendly.





**Selinsgrove Borough**  
**1 North High Street**  
**P. O. Box 34**  
**Selinsgrove, PA 17870**

**IMPORTANT**

**U.S. POSTAGE  
 PAID  
 SELINGSGROVE  
 PA  
 PERMIT NO. 40**

***Borough Council Members:***

Marvin J. Rudnitsky - President  
 Richard P. Mease -Vice President  
 Erik Viker - President Pro Tem  
 Sara E. Lauver  
 Grant Neff  
 Bobbie J. Owens  
 Chris Kalcich

***Other Borough Officials:***

Jeff Reed - Mayor  
 Lauren Martz - Manager and Borough Secretary  
 Sharon M. Badman - Asst. Borough Manager  
 and Borough Treasurer  
 Thomas L. Garlock - Chief of Police  
 Roger Feltman - Public Works Director  
 Robert M. Cravitz - Borough Solicitor  
 Coukart & Associates - Borough Engineer

**POSTAL PATRON**



**A LOOK AT OUR BOROUGH**



**SNOW and ICE Removal**

While the first snowfall is often a beautiful and eagerly anticipated occasion, it brings with its arrival several concerns. With the beauty of this event also comes the start of removing ice and snow from sidewalks.

1. Citizens are reminded that snow removal must be completed within 24 hours of the completion of the snowfall, but that they are not allowed to shovel, snow-blow, or remove snow from their property and empty it into the streets. We receive numerous complaints with regards to residents not completing the snow removal process during the winter months. The Borough will be looking for offenders and may assess fines or have the work completed, bill the property owner for the expenses, and file a lien if unpaid.
2. Neighbors should look out for each other and assist the elderly, who often have no assistance shoveling their sidewalks.
3. Residents are reminded that during plowing, vehicles must be able to back up. When following a vehicle that is plowing snow or spreading salt, remember to maintain a distance of at least 200 feet behind the vehicle.



**ELECTRONIC RECYCLING OPPORTUNITIES**

An Electronic Recycling Event will be held on Saturday, September 19, 2020 from 8 AM-Noon in front of the Borough Shed/Recycling Center on Sassafras St. Hand Up Foundation will only accept the items listed below.  
[www.handupfoundation.org](http://www.handupfoundation.org)

- Freon Products: Air conditioners, water coolers, dehumidifiers \$5
- Other Products with a Fee: Desktop printers, copiers, fax, vacuums/ shampoos, small electronics \$5
- CRT TV and monitors: \$0.75/ pound
- Computer towers and laptops: \$3

**YEAR ROUND**

Lycoming Landfill accepts electronics from Snyder County Residents at 447 Alexander Drive, Montgomery, PA 17752 at no cost.

Visit the website for further information!

[www.lyco.org/Departments/Resource-Management-Services](http://www.lyco.org/Departments/Resource-Management-Services)

\*Bring a valid ID & car registration\*



**WELCOME** to all incoming and returning students!  
 We hope you find your stay here pleasant and rewarding.