



Denton Town News

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FREE

Denton Goes Purple in September & November



During the month of September and November, the Denton Town Council and Staff wore purple to show support of the “Caroline Goes Purple” campaign and the Municipal Government Works Month Purple Campaign. In September, staff wore purple on Fridays. In November, staff wore purple on Wednesdays and posted each week on Facebook.

To find out more about opioid addiction and prevention, visit <https://beforeitstoolate.maryland.gov> or www.carolinehd.org.



Bay Restoration Exemption Procedure

The Town of Denton has established a program to exempt certain owner-occupied residential properties from the Bay Restoration Fee based on substantial financial hardship. In order to qualify for this exemption, the applicant must meet at least (2) two of the following criteria:

PROPOSED FINANCIAL HARDSHIP EXEMPTION CRITERIA:

Factors to be considered for possible exemption are the following:

- Receiving energy assistance subsidy;
- Receiving public assistance – supplemental security income (SSI) or food stamps;
- Receiving veterans or social security disability benefits;
- Meeting the income criteria below:

Income Eligibility Limits*

Effective July 1, 2018– June 30, 2019

Household Size	Monthly Income Is Less than
1	\$1,770
2	\$2,400
3	\$3,030
4	\$3,660
5	\$4,290
6	\$4,920
For each additional person add	\$ 630

* (Income limits established by the Maryland Department of Human Resources/Office of Home Energy Programs. www.dhr.state.md.us/meap/index.htm) Applications can be found on the Town of Denton website at www.dentonmaryland.com or call the office at 410-479-2050 and ask for Joanna Reedy in Finance.

UTILITY BILL ALERT!

Utility bills will be mailed around January 1, 2019. To avoid having your water turned off payment must be received by January 25, 2019. Payments can be made in person Monday - Friday from 8:30a.m. to 4:00p.m., by mail, or by placing it in the night drop box located to the left of the front door. Acceptable payment methods include cash, check, money order or cashier check. You can also pay by credit card in the office. The next utility bill will be mailed April 1, 2019 and will be due in full by April 25, 2019.

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Town Calendar

Town Council Meeting 7 p.m. at Town Office

January 3
February 7

Council Working Sessions 6:30p.m. at Town Office

January 28
February 25

Planning Commission Meeting 6 p.m. at Town Office

January 29
February 26

Historic Review Meeting 6 p.m. at Town Office

January 16
February 20

Utility Commission Meeting Town Office 4p.m.

*As needed, check the
website for dates
www.dentonpublicworks.com*

Town Holidays

The Town Office will be closed
on the following days:

January 1, 21,
February 18

Trash Pickup

Collection day will be on every Tuesday,
unless otherwise noted in the Times
Record. Trash must be outside for
pickup by 6a.m.

Web Page Address:
www.dentonmaryland.com

ATTENTION OWNER OCCUPIED PROPERTY OWNERS: YOU MAY QUALIFY FOR A FINANCIAL HARDSHIP EXEMPTION FROM PAYING THE STATE OF MARYLAND'S BAY RESTORATION FEE (BRF)

Bay Restoration Fund Facts

In 2004 the State of Maryland took a major step to protect our waterways through the enactment of the Bay Restoration Fund (Senate Bill-320). The purpose of the bill was to create a dedicated fund to improve the environment and water quality of the Chesapeake Bay. Through an environmental surcharge fee, this fund is used to upgrade wastewater treatment plants, upgrade septic systems in the critical area, and implement cover crops on agricultural land. All Municipalities are required to bill all properties through their Utility Billing and transmit the funds to the State. Caroline County Tax Office bills all other properties annually on their real estate tax invoice.

During the 2012 State of Maryland Legislative Session came the adoption of Senate Bill 240, doubling the BRF. Effective July 1, 2012, the BRF was doubled for all property owners. For most the fee is now \$60.00 a year. The Town of Denton began billing the new fees on the Utility Bills issued on Oct. 1, 2012, (for the July 1, 2012 –Sept. 30, 2012 billing cycle).

Single Family Residential Home Owners - saw a quarterly increase from \$7.50 per quarter to \$15.00 per quarter; annual increase from \$30.00 to \$60.00.

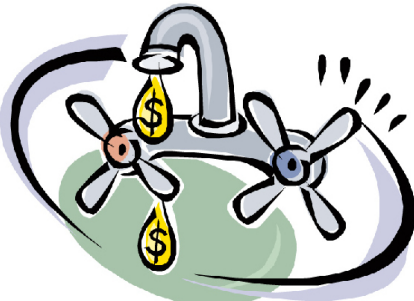
Non-Residential/Commercial Owners – the BRF is based on the number of EDU's and the total average daily water consumption. Minimum BRF will be \$15.00 per quarter/\$60.00 for a year.

BRF Exemption Plan - Most recently with the implementation of House Bill #446, another bill was adopted during the 2012 legislative session in which Municipalities are now required to establish a BRF Exemption Plan.

As a result, on February 7, 2013, The Denton Town Council took action and adopted Resolution #778, establishing a BRF Exemption Plan and Application. If you own property within the Denton Town limits and it is your primary place of residence, visit www.dentonmaryland.com to read more about the BRF Exemption Plan to see if you qualify for an exemption from paying the State of Maryland's Bay Restoration Fee. If you do not have access to a computer and would like to obtain a copy of the plan please stop by the Denton Town Office at 4 N. Second St. to pick up a copy or call 410-479-2050 to request to have a copy mailed to you.

For additional information about the State of Maryland Bay Restoration Fund visit the Maryland Department of the Environment website at: www.mde.state.md.us.

**March - April
ISSUE
DEADLINE
February 10, 2019**



**High Water Bills?
Check your
faucets and toilets
for leaks!**

Denton Public Works
410-479-2050

Calendar of Events

January 2019

1 - Happy New Year - Town Office closed today.

7, 14, 21, 28 - Monday Night Trivia

7:30p.m. Market St. Pub. Join host Norm Amorosa for a fun-filled evening of trivia. Call 410-479-4720 for more info.



8-Write On

6-7:30p.m. Foundry Building 401 Market St. Topic: Working at night or through solitary streets. This adult group meets the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month. Free. Are you an avid wrighter or wish to be? Come out and visit us.

12 - Second Saturday at the ArtsWay

2-4p.m. Foundry Building, 401 Market Street. Join us for a free artist demonstration. Local artists demonstrate how they do what they do.



Free and fun for the whole family. Visit www.carolinearts.org.

17-Third Thursdays

5p.m.-7p.m. Come shop and dine in downtown Denton. Businesses will have extended hours and specials during this event. Not to be missed.

18 - Stitch n Sew

10a.m.-2p.m. *FACES Building at 7 N. Fourth St. Denton.* Do you have unfinished sewing projects? Would you like to meet with like-minded sewers? Come to our monthly stitch n sew to finish you projects and meet with sewing friends or need new people. \$10. This is a drop in class. Visit www.fiberartscetner.com for details.



18 - Friday Nites in Caroline

7-9p.m. Central Library Denton. Free, 2nd floor.

Breath of Fresh Air will kick off this winter series with the breezy sounds of smooth jazz.

21-Martin Luther King Jr. Day

Join the Lockerman School Association for their annual MLK March from LMS to the Courthouse. Starts at 9a.m. After the march join them at Union Bethel AME at 509 Lincoln St. for a free health screening and hot meal.



February 2019

4, 11, 18, 25 - Monday Night Trivia

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9 - Second Saturday at the ArtsWay

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9 - Heartsong Applique Quilt Class

10a.m.-2p.m. Fiber Arts Center at 7 N. Fourth St. Beginner applique class \$35. Learn the art of applique quilting. Visit www.FiberArtsCenter.com for details and to pre-register.



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17 - Daddy Daughter Dance

5-7p.m. Frettered Community Center. \$35 per couple, \$5 additional daughter. Escort your princess to a special evening full of smiles, dancing, and fun at the 13th Annual Daddy-Daughter Sweetheart Dance. Dads and daughters ages 3-12 will enjoy dancing, refreshments, souvenir photos and great music! You can avoid the picture line by getting your

pictures taken early from 3-5 p.m. at the Frettered Community Center. Deadline to register is February 8. Call 410-479-8120 to register.

21-Third Thursdays

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- Adkins Arboretum

#410-634-2847

www.adkinsarboretum.org

- Caroline Co. Arts Council

#410-479-1009

www.carolinearts.org

- Caroline Co. Public Library

410-479-1343

www.carolib.org

- Caroline Co. Recreation and Parks

#410-479- 8120

www.carolinerecreation.org

- Fiber Arts Center of the Eastern Shore

(FACES)

#410-479-1009

www.fiberartscenter.com



Police Department...

Thanksgiving Dinner Special Delivery



NUTS volunteers came out Thanksgiving morning to deliver turkey dinners. Denton Police, town staff, youth, and neighbors all helped with the process. Thank you to everyone for your support and a special day of deliveries.

Free Ride To School



Denton Elementary School held a silent auction during their Harvest Festival and Denton PD donated a ride to school in a police car. The winners of the ride were picked up at their bus stop and driven to school in style.

Denton PD Welcomes 2 New Officers



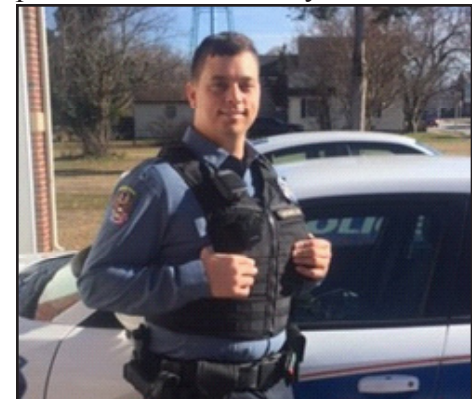
Denton Police Department recently added 2 police officers to their staff.

Ofc. Andrew Turner (above) worked for the DC Metro Police Dept., and the University of Maryland Eastern Shore Police

before coming to Denton.

Officer Christopher McMullen (below) was a part of the St. Michael's Police Dept. before coming to Denton.

If you see them around town, please extend a friendly welcome.



Free Cardboard Recycling



Cardboard

1. **Flatten** and bundle by curb
2. **Call** 410-479-2050
3. **Pick-up** on Wednesdays

Holiday Trash Schedule

Due to the upcoming holidays, trash collection will be altered slightly. Trash collection for Christmas week and New Year's week will be collected on Wednesday 12/26/18 and Wednesday 1/02/19.

*Please note that cardboard will not be picked up with household trash.

The Town's free cardboard pickup that is normally done on Wednesdays, will be picked up on Thursday, December 27th, instead of December 26th. Please call the Town Office at 410-479-2050 to schedule cardboard pickup no later than 4pm on December 26th.

Toys for Tots Drive



Member of the Denton Police Dept. gathered toys for their annual Toys for Tots drive sponsored by the US Marine Corp.

There was a great public

turnout at Walmart to fill the boxes with new toys.

The Denton PD wishes to thank everyone for their donations. Happy Holidays!

Planning and Codes . . .

Special Event Permits



Planning a special event that will close off a street in Denton? Make sure to fill out a Special Event form 60 days before your event. The forms may be found at the town office or online at <http://www.dentonpublicworks.com/uploads/file/pdf/Special%20Events%20Request%20Form.pdf>.

Permits

The following is a list of permits issued by the Town of Denton between October 2018 and December 2018:

- Granados, 10 South 7th Street, Porch and Railing
- Summers, 1105 Cypress Court, Roof
- Superior Rentals, 10591 Greensboro Road, Mechanical
- Freedom Estates LLC, 402 Fountain Avenue, Roof and Windows
- American Legion, 9238 Legion Road, Banner
- Wheeler, 110 Gateway Lane, Accessory Building
- Rose, 1103 Cattail Commons Way, Renovations
- Brockson, 1104 Daylily Lane, Solar
- Town of Denton, 501 Gay Street, Concrete Pad
- Matthews Properties, 408 North 10th Street, Accessory Building
- Redd, 1148 Osprey Lane, Mechanical
- Newman, 1113 Whistling Pine Road, Solar
- Turnbridge Point, 119 Gay Street, Porch
- Pummer, 8 North Second Street, Mechanical
- Castro, 107 South Sixth Street, Mechanical
- Richards, 114 South Fifth Avenue, Fence
- Webb, 518 Market Street, Roof
- Mitchell, 7 North First Street, Banner
- Leisure, 208 Sunset Drive, Fence
- Jacobs, 105 Franklin Street, Renovations
- Stein, 1108 Cattail Commons Way, Accessory Building
- Denton Main Street, 323 Market Street, Banner
- 1140 Blades Farm Road LLC, 1140 Blades Farm Road, Signs
- Kirsch, 1110 Lupine Lane, Accessory Building
- Davis, 1160 Osprey Lane, Solar
- C&N Rentals, 15 South Third Street, Renovations

Curbside Recycling Now Available in Denton

Bi-Weekly Recycling
Upcoming Dates
 December 20
 January 3, 17, 31
 February 14, 28

(includes container)

\$8 per month
Call 410-829-1717
 Provided by: Eastern Shore Environmental

Permit Reminder

A reminder from the Housing Department: Before you make improvements to your home, call the Denton Town Office Planning & Codes Department at 410-479-3625 or stop by 4 N. Second Street for permit information. Thank you.

Town of Denton				
2018 Utility Billing Schedule				
410-479-2050				
<u>Months of Service</u>	<u>Billing Date</u>	<u>Due Date</u>	<u>1% Interest Added</u>	<u>Shut Off Date.</u>
January - March	04/01/2019	04/25/2019	04/26/2019	05/06/2019
April - June	06/28/2019	07/25/2019	07/26/2019	08/05/2019
July - September	09/30/2019	10/25/2019	10/26/2019	11/09/2019
October - December	12/30/2019	01/25/2020	01/26/2020	02/09/2020

Public Works . . .

Free Christmas Tree Pickup

Need to get rid of your live Christmas tree? Denton Public Works is happy to remove your tree for you.

Make sure all ornaments, lights, decorations, etc are removed from the tree and place at the curb.

Christmas tree removal will

be on Wednesday's. Call the Town office at 410-479-2050 to schedule your free tree pickup no later than 3p.m. on Tuesdays.



Winter Weather Tips

Here are some helpful tips to keep you and your home comfortable during this winter season.

To keep your pipes from freezing, turn off all outside spigots and insulate the pipes to protect them from the freezing temperatures.

To prevent water damage in your home, so you don't experience a burst pipe, locate all the water shut off valves. Don't wait for someone else to turn it off. The delay could cause major water damage.

As far as snow removal in the town, streets will not be plowed unless there is a 2 inch accumulation. The snow removal equipment cannot withstand clearing the street for a trace of snow.

When shoveling out your driveway pile the snow in your yard not in the streets and always pile it

to the left side of your driveway. This prevents the snow from being pushed back in your driveway from the street.

During snow storms park as many cars as you can in the driveway to make snow removal easier. It may also prevent your vehicle from being damaged by other vehicles on the roads.

EMERGENCY ROUTES are a priority when removing snow, secondary roads and alleys are last. You must be patient the crews will get to your area as soon as possible.

Lastly, your safety and the safety of our snow removal crews are our number one concern. Let's do all we can to keep everyone out of harm's way.

SNOW PLOW POLICY INFORMATION

Planning for a winter storm event can be difficult. The variations in rate of snowfall, moisture content, air/surface temperatures, time of day, and wind velocity make each storm unique.

The purpose of this policy is to clarify and describe the Town's snow plowing and sanding priorities and the level of service that is intended to be provided by Town forces. The Town does not guarantee that streets will be free of snow and ice after plowing and/or sanding. Bare, dry pavement should not be expected. The Town will attempt to maintain adequate traction for vehicles properly equipped for winter driving conditions.

It is the goal of this effort to establish general policies and procedures that help make travel within the Town as safe as possible and to minimize economic hardship.

Visit http://www.dentonpublicworks.com/streets/snow_plowing_policy.asp for the list of street priority.

Summerfest Quilt Expands



Pictured above: Sue Simmons Director of Caroline Co. Recreation and Parks, Cindy Towers, Summerfest quilt maker, and Abby McNinch, Denton Mayor.

At the November 19 Council Working Session, Cindy Towers was recognized with a proclamation for her work on expanding the Summerfest quilt. 5 additional quilt squares were added to celebrate the 30th anniversary of Caroline Summerfest.

Cindy created the quilt 5 years ago with staff event t-shirts. The quilt was completed in 2013 for

the 25th anniversary of Caroline Summerfest. Since then the event has continued and in the spirit of the event, 5 more t-shirt quilt squares were added.

The quilt is on display in the lobby of the Denton Town Office located at 4 N. Second Street, Denton. The public is invited to stop in during business hours to admire the quilt.



Pictured above: Karen Monteith, Clerk-Treasurer and Donald Mulrine, Town Administrator, display the Summerfest Quilt in the lobby of the Denton Town Office.



CAROLINE COUNTY
COUNCIL OF ARTS

THE 
FOUNDRY
gallery & gifts

CCCA's community art gallery
at 401 Market Street, Denton
Open 12-5 pm Wednesday – Saturday
Visit: carolinearts.org

Featured Artist: Parran Coltery

Parran is a public artist and she is creating the "From the Heron's Eye" tile mosaic mural. Her tiles and mosaics combine sophisticated design with vibrant color and a sense of space. They are exhibited in shops and galleries throughout the US, and are installed in many private residences. Parran's work can be seen at earthahandmadetile.com



Second Saturday at the Artsway

Saturday, January 12th, 2019 from 2-4 pm



DENTON

Artsway

Join us Saturday, January 12th from 2-4 pm at The Foundry to make 3-D flower tiles with Parran Coltery. Participants will get to shape and form wet clay and add color to their designs. These pieces will be fired by the artist and added to the final mosaic mural "From the Heron's Eye". **These sessions are open to all ages and skill levels!**

The Artsway is located in downtown Denton. Demonstrations and activities from a variety of artists are typically held at The Foundry community arts gallery (401 Market St.), FACES (7 N. Fourth St.) and/or at the Community Demonstration Garden (behind FACES). We hope to see you there!

For more information and to register for classes: go online to carolinearts.org, call 410-479-1009, or email ccartsCouncil@verizon.net. Be sure to sign up for the CCCA e-newsletter on our website or 'like' us on Facebook for the most up-to-date information and news.



CAROLINE COUNTY
COUNCIL OF ARTS

Art Classes and Events:

Tue Jan 8, 6 pm, Write On! Write On! is an adult writers group that meets every 2nd and 4th Tuesday at The Foundry. Come write, share your writing, or just listen! Topic: Walking at Night Through Solitary Streets **FREE!**

Thu Jan 10, 6-8pm, Photography 101: Join Foundry Artist Sara Grantham as she teaches the basics of how to use your camera, as well as what settings are ideal in different situations and what techniques you can incorporate to take great photos: **\$10/CCCA Members, \$15/Non-Members**

Thu Jan 10, 17 & 24, 12-1:30 pm, Lunch and Learn: Three painting sessions during your lunch break to paint a "Calico Cat" on canvas with Foundry Artist Janice Knauss. Come for one session or come for all! **\$20/CCCA Members, \$25/Non-Members**

Sat Jan 12, 2-4pm, Second Saturday: Learn how to make 3-D flower tiles with Parran Collery at the Foundry Community Art Gallery: **FREE!**

Wed Jan 12, 6-8:30pm, Mosaics for All Levels: You will learn mosaics from A to Z; including how to design a project, how to cut glass, how to glue, and how to grout: **\$25/CCCA Members, \$30/Non-Members**

Tue Jan 15, 6-8pm, Sola Craft Night: Come learn how to make your own sola wood flowers and add them to a craft project with Foundry Artist Sara Grantham: **\$25/CCCA Members, \$30/Non-Members**

Fri Jan 18, 7pm, Friday Nites in Caroline: featuring Breath of Fresh Air, a smooth jazz and R&B sound band at the Denton Library: **FREE!**

Tue Jan 22, 6 pm, Write On! Write On! is an adult writers group that meets every 2nd and 4th Tuesday at The Foundry. Come write, share your writing, or just listen! Topic: Made by Hand **FREE!**

Thu Jan 24, 6-8pm, Photography 102: Join Foundry Artist Sara Grantham as she teaches the basics of how to use your camera, as well as what settings are ideal in different situations and what techniques you can incorporate to take great photos: **\$10/CCCA Members, \$15/Non-Members**

Murder Mystery Dinner February 22nd, 23rd & 24th

Get your tickets now to reserve your seat!

You are cordially invited to a murder (or maybe two) on February 22nd, 23rd, and 24th, 2019. The second annual murder mystery dinner theatre production will take place on the second floor of the Denton Library at 6pm for the Friday and Saturday evening buffet and 2pm for the Sunday matinee. The project is a collaboration between the Caroline Association of Theatre (CAT), the Caroline County Council of Arts (CCCA), Caroline County Recreation and Parks, and the Caroline County Public Library. It is catered by the Culinary Center, and there is a cash bar for the evening performances. This year's performance is *You Auto Know Better*, a madcap murder mystery written by Keith L. Shaffer. Tickets are available at carolinearts.org.

Questions About Your Water Bill?



Contact the
Denton Town
Office

410-479-2050

OIG

Office of the Inspector General
SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION

Fraud Advisory

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

December 7, 2018

<https://oig.ssa.gov>

IG Warns Public About Fraudulent Phone Calls Threatening Arrest or Legal Action

The Acting Inspector General of Social Security, Gale Stallworth Stone, is urging citizens to remain vigilant of telephone impersonation schemes that exploit the Social Security Administration's (SSA) reputation and authority.

The Office of the Inspector General (OIG) continues to receive reports from across the country about fraudulent phone calls from people claiming to be from SSA. Recent reports have indicated that unknown callers are using increasingly threatening language in these calls. The callers state, due to improper or illegal activity with a citizen's Social Security number (SSN) or account, a citizen will be arrested or face other legal action if they fail to call a provided phone number to address the issue. This is a scam; citizens should not engage with these calls or provide any personal information.

SSA employees do contact citizens, generally those who have ongoing business with SSA, by telephone for customer-service purposes. However, SSA employees will never threaten you for information; they will not state that you face potential arrest or other legal action if you fail to provide information. In those cases, the call is fraudulent, and you should just hang up.

"Unfortunately, scammers will try anything to mislead and harm innocent people, including scaring them into thinking that something is wrong with their Social Security account and they might be arrested," Stone said. "I encourage everyone to remain watchful of these schemes and to alert family members and friends of their prevalence. We will continue to track these scams and warn citizens, so that they can stay several steps ahead of these thieves."

The OIG recently warned that some of these impersonation calls have "spoofed" SSA's national customer service phone number, displaying 1-800-772-1213 as the incoming number on caller ID.

The Acting Inspector General urges citizens to be extremely cautious, and to avoid providing information such as your SSN or bank account numbers to unknown persons over the phone or internet unless you are certain of who is receiving it. If you receive a suspicious call from someone alleging to be from SSA, you should report that information to the OIG at 1-800-269-0271 or online at <https://oig.ssa.gov/report>.

For more information, please visit <https://oig.ssa.gov/newsroom/scam-awareness>. For media inquiries, please contact Andrew Cannarsa, OIG's Communications Director, at (410) 965-2671.

Attention Settlement Attorneys

Reminder to all settlement attorneys and agencies to please contact the Denton Town Office for fees due to the Town when handling settlements for properties being sold or transferred within the Town limits. There may be water/sewer fees or miscellaneous charges that need to be collected at the time of settlement. This will keep the Town's records up to date and better serve the residents of the Town of Denton. This will also eliminate problems after settlement of any outstanding balances for the new property owner.

Please note: Any property that transfers ownership and the utility fees are not collected at settlement and forwarded to the town that result in the water being turned off for non-payment, the water turn on fee will still be charged. This charged may be passed on to the settlement attorney. Currently the fee to turn water service back on during regular business hours is \$50.00 and after 3:30p.m., the fee is \$100.00. Forms are available to use when requesting information. Any questions, please call the Town of Denton at (410) 479-2050.

Service Fees for Utility Calls

All calls for utility service for properties located in the Town of Denton are assessed the following service fee. This fee applies for all water shut off/turn ons, and other miscellaneous calls for service. Paying utility bills on time can help the property owner avoid these fees.

Special Attention: Any water that is turned off will be assessed this fee to have the water turned back on. Tenants will need to pay this fee before water service is turned back on. (This may not apply for emergency situations pending the nature of the call.)

\$50.00 fee during normal business hours.

\$100.00 fee after normal business hours.

IT IS UNLAWFUL TO TAMPER WITH THE TOWN OF DENTON UTILITIES. DOING SO CARRIES UP TO A \$1,000 FINE AND POSSIBLE ARREST. PLEASE CONTACT THE DENTON PUBLIC WORKS DEPT. AT 410-479-2050 IF YOU NEED ASSISTANCE WITH YOUR SERVICE.

Updates on Ordinances and Resolutions

Resolution #854 - A resolution of the Town of Denton repealing all previous resolutions adopting a Citizen Participation Plan in regards to Community Development Block Grant Programs. Adopted 11/01/18.

Resolution #855 - A resolution of the Town of Denton repealing all previous resolutions adopting a Residential Anti Displacement and Relocation Policy for State of Maryland Community Development Block Grant Programs, and

adopting a new Residential Anti Displacement and Relocation Policy for said program. Adopted 11/01/18.

Resolution #856 - A resolution of the Town of Denton creating a Section 3 Plan for State of Maryland Community Development Block Grant Programs, and adopting a Section 3 Plan Policy for said program. Adopted 11/01/18.

Resolution #857 - A resolution

of the Town of Denton creating a Minority Business Plan for State of Maryland Community Development Block Grant Programs, and adopting a Minority Business Plan Policy for said program. Adopted 11/01/18.

Resolution #858 - A resolution of the Town of Denton creating a Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity Plan for State of Maryland Community Development Block Grant Programs, and adopting a Fair Housing and Equal Opportunity

Plan Policy for said program. Adopted 11/01/18.

Complete copies of all Resolutions and Ordinances may be viewed at the office of the Town of Denton, 4 North Second Street, Denton, Maryland, during normal working hours 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, except holidays. To inquire or obtain additional information regarding these amendments please contact the Clerk-Treasurer at (410) 479-2050.

Tax Sale Reminder

The 2018 - 2019 Real Property Tax Sale process will begin soon. If you have not paid your real property taxes, water and sewer billings or any other miscellaneous service charges to the Town of Denton, please do so immediately to avoid losing your property during the Tax Sale process.

All real property taxes are due in full by December 31, 2018 and are to be paid at the Caroline County Tax Office, located in the Caroline County Court House. To verify that your real property taxes have been paid, please call the County Tax office at 410-479-0410.

If you want to check to see if you have any other outstanding bills due on your property within the Town of Denton, please contact the Finance Dept. at 410-479-2050.

Special Collection Reminder

Household Items: All special collection items to be picked up on Wednesdays must be called in by 12 noon on Tues. Effective January 1, 2003, there is a \$5.00 collection fee for each item to be collected. This fee must be paid prior to pickup date.

Yard Waste: All bagged leaf and brush pickup requests must be called in by 12 noon on Tuesday for Wednesday pickup.

Call all requests in to the Town Office at
410-479-2050.

Leave a message after normal business hours.

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