



MUNICIPALITY OF KINGSTON

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CLUTTER CLEANUP PROGRAM 2020

It's that time again! We are pleased to announce that Kingston's Clutter Cleanup Program will commence on Monday, June 22, 2020. Please save this information and don't forget your date!

A permit fee of forty **(\$40.00)** dollars per household is charged to offset the costs of heavy equipment, fuel, and landfill tipping fees. Residents **MUST** purchase their permits at least one week before their zone's scheduled pick-up date. Permit applications will be sold at the Kingston Municipal Building, Monday through Friday, 8:30am to 4:30pm. **Permits for Zone #1 go on sale June 15, 2020.**

- **Permits will be sold at the front entrance of the Municipal Building only.**
- There will be a designated line leading to the Tax Collector's Office for the sale of clutter permits.
- Please maintain social distancing and be patient as we expect a high volume of permits to be sold.
- All persons entering the Municipal Building for a clutter permit are required to wear a mask.
- Please exit the building after the completion of your transaction to avoid congestion.

Clutter must be curbside and ready for collection by 7:00 a.m. on the Monday of your Zone's designated pick-up. Clutter shall be placed on the tree lawn any sooner than 48 hours prior to your Zone's scheduled pick-up. Each household with a permit is restricted to 1,000 pounds of clutter. The maximum size for a clutter pile is 6 feet long, by 4 feet wide, by 4 feet high. Please call (570) 288-4576 extension 112 with any questions. **ELECTRONIC ITEMS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED. Electronic items that are left on the tree lawns will be treated as litter. Citations will be issued to violators.**

This program is available for Kingston residents only. Commercial businesses are **not** eligible for participation in the program.

Guidelines for the Clutter Cleanup Program are available at the Kingston Municipal Building and online at www.kingstonpa.org.

The community is broken down into eight (8) zones for the Clutter Cleanup Program. The zones and their dates of pick-up are as follows:

- **Zone #1 – June 22nd through June 26th**, East Union St, Lathrop St between Rutter Ave and Ford Ave, East Vaughn St, East Walnut St, East Bennett St, Church St between Wyoming Ave and Rutter Ave, Park Place, Anthracite Ave, Rutter Ave from Church St to Forty-Fort line, Stewart St, and Wyoming Ave.
- **Zone #2 – June 29th through July 3rd**, Pierce St, Reynolds St, James St, Butler St, East Dorrance St, Lathrop Court, Lathrop St between Tioga Ave and Westmoreland Ave, Hedge Place, Gershorn Place, Ford Ave, Charles Ave, Rutter Ave between Pierce St and Church St, Westmoreland Ave, Gibson Ave, Warren Ave between Pierce St and Lathrop St, Meadowland Ave, Tioga Ave between Pierce St and Lathrop St, Hamilton Ave, Church St between Rutter Ave and Third Ave, Keith Drive, Joseph Drive, Stanley Drive, Nandy Drive, Milton Drive, Sahara Drive, Milford Drive, and Sylbert Drive.
- **Zone #3 – July 13th through July 17th**, East Hoyt St between Wyoming Ave and North Gates Ave, Chester St between Wyoming Ave and North Welles Ave, Ridge Ave, Rutter Ave between Market St and Pierce St, Wright Ave, Osceola Ave, Winola Ave, Warren Ave between Pierce St and Chester St, Tioga Ave between Pierce St and Chester St, Humpleby St, Taylor Lane, North Landon Ave, North Atherton Ave, North Loveland Ave, North Goodwin Ave, North Welles Ave, North Thomas Ave, and North Gates Ave.
- **Zone #4 – July 20th through July 24th**, Market St (excluding W. Market), Bowman Ave, Carle St, Dean Court, South Landon Ave, South Atherton Ave, South Loveland Ave, South Goodwin Ave, South Welles Ave, South Thomas Ave, South Gates Ave, Northampton St between Wyoming Ave and South Gates Ave, Davis St, East Hoyt St between First Ave and Third Ave, North Dawes Ave, South Dawes Ave, First Ave, Second Ave, and Third Ave.
- **Zone #5 – July 27th through July 31st**, West Union St between Wyoming Ave and Railroad Ave, John St, West Vaughn St, West Walnut St, West Bennett St, Eley St, Mercer Ave between Eley St and

West Union St, Schuyler Ave between West Vaughn St and West Union St, Duplan Manor, Floralon Drive, Carolon Drive, and Woodland Drive.

- **Zone #6 – July 27th through July 31st**, Railroad Ave between Union St and Price St, Mercer Ave between Union St and Division St, Elm Ave between Division St and Price St, Schuyler Ave between Union St and Price St, Price St, Division St between Wyoming Ave and Railroad Ave, Poplar St, Sharpe St, Academy Lane, West Dorrance St, Gordon Lane, and Lackawanna Lane.
- **Zone #7 – August 3rd through August 7th**, Main St, Luff Court, North Sprague Ave, South Sprague Ave, North Maple Ave, South Maple Ave, Page Ave, Curtis Lane, Mott St, Spruce St, Covert St, Chestnut Ave, West Market St, Elm Ave between Pringle St and Price St, West Hoyt St, Pringle St between Wyoming Ave and Elm Ave, Newitt Place, Ross St, and Schuyler Ave between Market St and Price St.
- **Zone #8 – August 3rd through August 7th**, Pringle St between Brook Ave and Grove St, Krych St, Penn St, Pulaski St, Cherry St, Eno St, Brewster Lane, Frederick St, Richard St, Edward St, Brook Ave, Zerbey Ave, Gillis St, Belles St, Masons Court, Korn St, Thomas Lane, Meyers Lane, New Hurbane St, Center Ave, Payne Ave, Cuba St, Curtis St, Meyers Court, Grove St, Main St between Payne Ave and Center Ave, and Division St between Brook Ave and Grove St.

Please note that Zones 5 & 6 and 7 & 8 will be collected concurrently.

Administrative Offices

The Administrative Offices of the Municipality of Kingston will open to the public on Monday, June 22 (with the exception of clutter permit applications). The offices are open Monday – Friday, 8:30am to 4:30pm for servicing all public needs. If there is a necessary or compelling need to meet with a member of our staff prior to June 22, it can be arranged by appointment only (570-288-4576 extension 112 or kingston@kingstonpa.org). **Any member of the public entering the Municipal Building will be required to wear a mask and adhere to social distancing guidelines until further notice (no exceptions).**

A Friendly Reminder

Permit applications, tax payments, parking ticket payments, employment applications, and all correspondence requiring our attention can be dropped off at the Kingston Municipal Building or mailed to 500 Wyoming Avenue. There are drop boxes located at the front and side entrances to the Municipal Building. All permit applications are available at www.kingstonpa.org. We encourage this practice to limit overcrowding our office areas.

Kingston Community Pool

The coolest spot in town opens for the season on June 27th! Due to the Coronavirus Pandemic, there are Special Opening Guidelines for 2020. Most notably:

- The Kingston Community Pool is open to current members and residents of the Municipality of Kingston only.
- Any person or family who was a **member** of the pool during the 2019 season is eligible for a 2020 membership regardless of residency.
- Proof of Kingston residency is required for purchasing daily passes.
- Block passes will be sold at the pool and Kingston Recreation Center on a daily basis. Proof of Kingston residency is required at the time of purchase.
- The number of those admitted each day will be limited. When capacity is reached, new guests will not be allowed in until others exit.
- Enhanced sanitation protocols and operating procedures will be in place for conformity with CDC guidelines and public safety.

Memberships go on sale at the Kingston Recreation Center on June 15. The Kingston Recreation Center will be open Monday through Friday, 9am to 5pm for the sale of pool memberships only. **The gymnasium and fitness rooms are closed until further notice.** Membership applications are also available at www.kingstonpa.org. Pool memberships will not be sold at the Municipal Building. 2020 rates and operating dates are available at www.kingstonpa.org and on the Kingston Recreation Center and Kingston Community Pool Facebook Pages.

Have a great summer and thank you for helping us make Kingston a Great Place to Call Home!