



# Downingtown Borough Newsletter

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

[Downingtown Farmers Market - Winter Schedule:](#)

2nd & 4th Saturdays, 10am – Noon

## Did You Know?

All non-owner occupied rental units must be licensed with the Borough of Downingtown. The rental license is a two year license and all units must be inspected by the Borough Housing Officer.

The inspection is required to verify that all of the Borough's housing and safety standards have been met. The rental license fee is \$70 per rental unit every two years.

If you have any question about the rental license, please contact the Borough's Housing Officer at 610-269-0344, extension 211.

## Latest News

### Holiday Office Closure:

Borough offices will be closed on **Presidents' Day**, Monday, February 19. **PLEASE NOTE:** There is **NO** change in the trash/recycling collection schedule.

**Winter Weather Info:** As we head into February, please take a moment to read the information regarding **snow/ice removal** ([click here](#)) and **Snow Emergency** procedures ([click here](#)).

Residents can also sign up to get Snow Emergency notifications sent right to your phone or email by signing up at [ReadyChesco.org](http://ReadyChesco.org) and selecting Downingtown Borough alerts/Snow Emergencies.

### Is a building or zoning permit required?

A building permit is required when performing work to the interior or exterior of a home or non-residential building on a property.

Examples of work requiring building permits to the interior of an existing building include; interior renovations, modifications to or new installation of electrical, plumbing, and HVAC systems.

Examples of work on the exterior of the property requiring a zoning permit includes; new/replacement fencing, a new/replacement shed under 200 square feet, patios & pavers. [Click here](#) for more info.

**Letter from Police Chief Brazunas:** Chief Brendan Brazunas was sworn in on Tuesday, January 2, 2024. [Click here](#) to read his letter to the community.

**Sewer/Refuse Bills:** Reminder - bills are due on 2/1/24. Payments can be made online [here](#).

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