



# TALK OF THE TOWN

Spring 2020

## Town of Walkersville

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### Monday - Friday

8:30am - 4:30pm

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Walkersville: Our Town



Visit our website:

[www.walkersvillemd.gov](http://www.walkersvillemd.gov)

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### Frequently Used Phone Numbers

- Animal Control: (301) 600-1546
- Fire Company: (301) 600-9110
- Code Enforcement: (240) 626-1243
- MSP Resident Troopers: (301) 600-4152
- Food Bank: (301) 845-4229
- Library: (301) 600-8200
- Post Office: (301) 845-8342
- Rescue Co.: (301) 845-8875
- Sewer Dept. Fred. Co.: (301) 600-2354

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## Curbside Yard Waste Pick-Up

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Curbside yard waste pick up (**for the in town residents only**) is provided by the Town every Tuesday from March 1st to November 30st. Place containers and bundles at the curb before 7:00am on those days.

### Acceptable materials include;

- 1.) Grass clippings
- 2.) Leaves
- 3.) Branches no larger than 4 feet long and 4 inches in diameter. Branches and limbs must be bundled.



### Unacceptable materials include;

- 1.) Rocks and concrete
- 2.) Sod and soil
- 3.) Ashes
- 4.) Items in excess weight of 45lbs
- 5.) Items in excess length of 4 feet
- 6.) Household hazardous waste
- 7.) Tires
- 8.) Regular trash

Residents will be required to place items in recyclable paper bags or loose in plastic containers clearly labeled "Yard Waste". Anything in plastic bags will NOT be picked up.

## Recycling

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Dumpsters and recycling officers will be behind Town Hall every 2nd and 4th Wednesday of the month from 9:00am until 5:00pm. To see the full list of acceptable materials to recycle, please follow the link below.

Here is a small list of what is acceptable to recycle;

- Clean food and beverage cartons
- Paper, paper mail, and paper boxes (any paper material WITHOUT a glossy finish)
- Aluminum/steel cans and tins
- Clean glass, plastic bottles, tubs, jars, and jugs



<https://www.frederickcountymd.gov/DocumentCenter/View/310119/Recycling-Itemized-List>

# Park Pavilion Reservations

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Reservations for all park pavilions require a rental fee of \$50.00 plus a separate \$75.00 security deposit. The large pavilion at Heritage Farm Park rents for \$75.00.

\*No reservations will be accepted over the phone. The parks are open from 7:00am until sunset.

# The Walkersville Wire

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Have you signed up for The Walkersville Wire? If not, it's super easy and we strongly encourage it! What is it? It is our means of communications via email and text message with anything regarding Walkersville the Town. We will keep you up to date with weather, COVID-19, and so much more!

- Head over to [walkersvillemd.gov](http://walkersvillemd.gov) and click "The Walkersville Wire"
- Click "Sign Me Up" and create a username and password
- Fill everything out on the form - the more you fill out, the more information will be given to you!

If you have any further questions, please feel free to give us a call at Town Hall.

# From the Code Enforcement Officer:

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- Tall grass and weeds may not exceed eight (8) inches in height.
- The Town will be actively and aggressively enforcing the Town Code.
- Code Enforcement Officer can be reached at 240-626-1243

# Permanent Water Ban Information:

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Walkersville has a permanent, year-round water ban that prohibits lawn watering between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m.



SATURDAY, MAY 16 - Walkersville Day - *Cancelled*

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 10 - Veterans Bus Trip

SATURDAY, JULY 11 9:00am to 12:00pm - Shred Day in the Town Hall Parking Lot

TUESDAY, AUGUST 4 at 6:00pm- National Night Out at The Walkersville Volunteer Fire Company

# Bulk Trash

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COLLECTED FOR IN TOWN RESIDENTS ON THE DATES OF JUNE 13TH AND NOVEMBER 14TH. ALL ITEMS NEED TO BE PLACED CURBSIDE AFTER REGULAR TRASH PICK UP ON WEDNESDAY.

# Water Rate Schedule

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Consumption	In Town	*Out of Town
0-10,000 GAL	\$72.00	\$108.00
10,001-25,000 GAL	\$3.66/1,000 GAL	\$5.47/1,000 GAL
25,001-50,000 GAL	\$6.01/1,000 GAL	\$9.02/1,000 GAL
+50,000 GAL	\$7.79/1,000 GAL	\$11.68/1,000 GAL
Collection Fee	\$20.00	\$20.00
Reading Fee	\$10.00	\$20.00
Reconnect Fee	\$100.00	\$100.00
Replace Cap	\$50.00**	\$50.00**
Return Check Fee	\$35.00	\$35.00

\*OUT OF TOWN includes Discovery, Glade Manor I and Spring Garden Estates.

\*\*2nd time - cost of cap plus labor to install; up to \$300.00

**IF YOU CANNOT PAY YOUR WATER BILL IN FULL AT ONE TIME** - please make payments as you can. 1% interest is added monthly. This bill must be paid IN FULL before August 31st to avoid disconnection. Please put your account number on the check written.

# Additional Note to Our Town:

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We are very excited to announce that our Talk of the Town will be getting an extended version ONLINE! You will still be receiving all the important information with your water bills, however, we will be offering a larger version seasonally. This will be posted on our website and hopefully Facebook! Stay tuned!