



QUEENSTOWN NEWS December 2017

WATER DISCONNECTION REMINDER: With the passing of Resolution 17-102 in May, the Town Commissioners established a disconnection policy for delinquent water and sewer accounts effective January 1, 2018. Any account that is not current and paid in full prior to December 31, 2017 will be disconnected on January 3, 2018. Because this new policy could be an inconvenience and a hardship to some residents who have rather large past-due balances, the Town Commissioners elected to defer the implementation of the new policy until January 1, 2018 to give residents time to bring past due accounts current. Feel free to contact the Town Office with any questions regarding this policy or your account.

COLLECTION OF YARD DEBRIS: A reminder that any grass clippings, fallen leaves, twigs collected from yards for bulk pickup must be bagged and any limbs or branches must be put in a pile next to other bulk items and cut to 5 ft. or less in length and 6 in. or less in diameter. Please leave these items for bulk pickup as there is no open yard burning allowed in Town.

WATER/SEWER LINE TESTING: Before you sell your property, **it is your responsibility** to have the water and sewer lines tested. The Town will not sign off on any deeds of transfer unless the testing has been completed and passed. You can contact our office for more information.

HOLIDAY NOTICES:

- The Town Office will be closed on Monday, December 25 and Tuesday, December 26 for the Christmas holiday.
- Recycling and Trash Collection will be pushed back one day each due to the Christmas holiday the week of December 24.

WINTER PREPARADNESS: Delmarva Power encourages its customers to be ready for the winter season by taking the following steps:

- Assemble an emergency storm kit. Include a battery-powered radio or TV, flashlight, first-aid kit, battery powered clock, extra batteries, special need items, insulated cooler, and a list of important and emergency phone numbers.
- Keep a 3 day supply of nonperishable foods and bottled water and have a hand operated can opener available.
- Protect your electronic equipment by plugging devices into surge suppressors and consider an uninterruptible power supply for temporary backup power.
- Identify a safe alternate location in case of an extended outage.
- Tune to local news for the latest weather and emergency information.
- Follow the advice of local emergency management officials.
- Never leave candles unattended when in use and watch children and pets who could knock them over.
- Never operate a generator indoors.
- Please report any power outages or downed wires to Delmarva Power at 1-800-898-8045.

Feel free to contact us with questions or concerns:

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