

QUEENSTOWN NEWS

APRIL 2022

COMMISSIONER'S CORNER –

- The Town Commissioners will hold a “Town Hall” style meeting on Wednesday, April 20, 2022, at 6pm at the Calvary United Methodist Church at 7113 Maryland Ave. The meeting will be an opportunity for interested residents to discuss ideas and concerns with the Town Commissioners in an informal and personal setting. The Town Commissioners will also be updating residents on recent noteworthy Town projects, etc. All town residents are encouraged to participate.
- The Town will soon be beginning upgrades/construction to the Skipjack Cove boat ramp area.
- Dredge work at the Town Docks has been completed. First phase of Dock improvements has been completed, which included the polyurethane injection to stabilize the bulk heading. The Second Phase, which includes design and repair modifications to the 1st and 2nd Ave. Piers, existing finger pier repairs, bulkhead repair and improvements, waterline extension, paving/repaving and parking lot design modifications, is anticipated to begin sometime in mid-2022. Dredging and Dock work is funded with grant money awarded to the Town from DNR Waterway Improvement Fund totaling almost \$350,000.
- The Town applied for a \$100,000 grant from the DNR Waterway Improvement Fund for engineering work to dredge the channel coming into Queenstown Creek. Town is waiting for final approval, which is scheduled for early spring.
- Want to stay up to date on all the happenings in Queenstown? We welcome you to attend a Commissioners or Planning Commission meeting or view meeting minutes posted on our website.

DOG WASTE - A reminder to please clean up after your dog when walking around Town. Waste stations are provided throughout Town for bagging and disposing of dog waste. Also, a reminder that the Queen Anne's County Code Ch. 9 Sec. 9-18 (which Queenstown follows) requires property owner's permission prior to allowing dogs to defecate on private property, even if waste is immediately removed.

PROPERTY MAINTENANCE – A reminder as Spring weather arrives that lawns must be maintained at a height of 8 inches or less. Please avoid blowing leaves and cut grass onto roadways and sidewalks. Also, a reminder that open burning (including leaves) is prohibited within the Town. The Town offers bulk pickup service every Monday and will gladly collect any bagged leaves, grass and yard debris left out for pickup.

COLLECTION GUIDELINES – We would like to remind all residents to follow all bulk, recycling, and trash collection guidelines when setting items out for pickup. Any yard waste must be put out for bulk collection, never put out with trash. Republic recycling cans provided by the Town must only be used for recycling, never for trash. Failure to follow these and other guidelines can result in your items not being collected. Information on guidelines and collection dates/holiday collection schedules can be found at www.queenstown-md.com/services/collection-services

UPCOMING SCHEDULED REGULAR MEETINGS

Planning Commission:

Wednesday, April 6, 7 pm
Wednesday, May 4, 7 pm

Town Commissioners:

Tuesday, April 12, 4 pm
Wednesday, April 27, 6 pm

Dates subject to change.

More info at: www.queenstown-md.com/events-meetings/#meetings

UPCOMING SCHEDULED RECYCLE DAYS

Wednesday,	April	13
Wednesday,	April	27
Wednesday,	May	11
Wednesday,	May	25

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TOWN OFFICE & SERVICE HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

Good Friday – April 15

Town Office will be closed Fri. April 15 for Good Friday. Services will run on normal schedules.

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