



Our mission for the Borough of Manville is to work in partnership with our residents. We pledge to enhance the community making it vibrant, diverse and to help foster community pride. Our goal is to plan for the future to help preserve our community going forward.

2023 Calendar

A message from the Mayor

We hope that Manville residents find the 2023 calendar informative for the dates of importance in the daily operations of our Borough. The electronic version can be obtained by downloading the “**Recycle Coach**” app on your smartphone.

As your Mayor, along with Council members and all Borough employees, we kindly ask and encourage you to take pride in Manville. We all want to live in a town that is clean, well-maintained, and safe. If at any time you see something that violates these three principles, please contact Mayor Onderko or our Borough Administrator, Gian-Paolo (GP) Caminiti. We are here to serve you.

Mayor Richard M. Onderko

Email: MayorOnderko@manvillenj.org

Phone Number: 908-800-1231

Borough Administrator: Gian-Paolo (GP) Caminiti

Email: gcaminiti@manvillenj.org

Phone Number: 908-725-9478 x 100

We can all pitch in and improve the image of Manville by keeping our yards, houses, and landscaping well-maintained throughout the year. Please adhere to all of the curbside pickup rules and collection dates set by our Department of Public Works for municipal waste, yard waste, and bulk item disposal. Only put items to the curb the night before the designated pickup date. Compliance with the guidelines set will be enforced to provide services at a reasonable cost to the taxpayers.

Let's all do our part to keep Manville affordable, efficient, and clean. I hope to see many volunteers at the 2023 Community Clean-up Day in the Spring. Please follow us on Facebook at [BoroughofManvilleNJ](https://www.facebook.com/BoroughofManvilleNJ) to stay informed of special events and sign up to receive Manville's News in the mail. The newspaper is also published on our website at www.manvillenj.org.

Sincerely,

Mayor Richard M. Onderko



**Borough of Manville
Schedule of Meetings of the
Mayor and Council for the year 2023
Mayor and Council—7:00pm**

Take Notice that pursuant to Sec. 13 of P.L. 1975 Ch. 231, of the Laws of the State of New Jersey, the regular meetings of the Mayor and Council, and the Borough of Manville shall be held in the Municipal Council Chambers, 325 N. Main Street, as follows:

January	9 & 23
February	13 & 27
March	13 & 27
April	10 & 24
May	8 & 22
June	12 & 26
July	10
August	14
September	11 & 25
October	16
November	13 & 27
December	11

**Boards and Committees
Joint Land Use Board**

Regular meeting 1st Thursday of each month at 6:30pm
Borough Hall Council Chambers

Board of Health

Regular meeting 3rd Tuesday of each month at 6:00pm
Borough Hall Council Chambers

**The following Boards and Committees meet on an
ad hoc basis. Please call Borough Hall for more information.**

Shade Tree Commission
Recreation Committee
Sustainable Manville
Economic Development Committee

Council Members

Councilman Branden Agans
bagans@manvillenj.org

Councilman Joseph A. Lukac
jlukac@manvillenj.org

Councilwoman Barbara Madak
bmadak@manvillenj.org

Councilman Joseph DeVito
jdevito@manvillenj.org

Councilman Ron Skirkanish
RSkirkanish@manvillenj.org

Councilman Steven Szabo
szabo@manvillenj.org

Telephone Directory

Main Phone: (908) 725-9478

Main Fax: (908) 231-8620

Administrator	100
Boro Clerk/Registrar	103
Mayor	116
Admin. Clerk	104
C.F.O./Treasurer	110
Payroll	125
Finance Admin. Asst.	102
Tax Collector	120
Tax Clerk	101
Tax Assessor	109
Zoning Officer	122
Property Manager	129
Fire Marshall	112
Construction	117
Recreation Director	121
Recreation Admin.	106
Section 8 Housing	111

Public Works	908-725-5512
Director	Ext. 202
Admin Asst.	Ext. 200
DPW Fax	908-595-1454
Police Dispatch	908-725-1900
Police Records	908-725-1971
Library	908-458-8425
Fire Station #1	908-707-9877
Fire Station #2	908-526-0439
Fire Station #3	908-526-0403

Office Hours

Borough Hall	Monday -Friday	9:00am to 5:00pm
Public Works	Monday-Friday	7:00am to 3:30pm
Public Works	(Memorial Day -Labor Day)	6:00am to 2:30pm
Library	Monday- Thursday	10:00am to 8:00pm
Library	Friday-Saturday	10:00am to 6:00pm
Tax Assessor	Monday	1:00pm to 5:00pm
Tax Assessor	Wednesday	9:00am to 1:00pm
Section 8 Housing	Tuesday-Thursday	9:00am to 3:00pm



Want to get involved with sustainability in Manville? Join the Manville Green Team! The Green Team actively tries to make Manville greener in a variety of ways. They demonstrate how to install rain barrels, apply for grants to install rain gardens around the community, and work to make Manville Farmers Market the best it can be. You can go to Facebook to see more information.

Facebook: Sustainable Manville

BOROUGH of MANVILLE - CONTACT DIRECTORY



MUNICIPAL COMPLEX
325 North Main Street
908-725-9478

Office Hours:

Monday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Tuesday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Wednesday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Thursday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Friday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

E-mail: boroinfo@manvillenj.org
Website: www.manvillenj.org

DEPARTMENT of PUBLIC WORKS

10 Gladys Avenue 908-725-5512

E-mail: dpw@manvillenj.org

Fax Number 908-595-1454

Website: www.manvillenj.org

Operating & Office Hours:

Monday thru Friday 7 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Summer Hours: Memorial Day thru Labor Day
6 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.



RECREATION DEPARTMENT

325 North Main Street
908-725-9478
Ext 106, 121

POLICE DEPARTMENT

2 North Main Street
908-725-1900
Website: www.manvillepd.org



Emergency Dial 9-1-1
Dispatch 908-725-1900
Records 908-725-1971
TIPS 1-877-MPD-TIPS

FIRE DEPARTMENT

In an Emergency Dial 9-1-1

325 North Main Street
908-725-9478

Fire Marshall's Office Ext .112

Station # 1 908-707-9877
Station # 2 908-526-0439
Station # 3 908-526-0403

Snow Plowing Operation & Emergency Plan

To properly snow plow streets from curb to curb, residents are asked to remove all vehicles from the street. On designated Emergency Streets, residents are required to remove all vehicles as soon as the snow begins to fall. Failure to remove a vehicle from an Emergency Street will result in a traffic summons and vehicle being towed in Accordance with Borough Ordinance #500. Please check the Police Departments website for designated Emergency Streets. Whenever a snow emergency has been declared by the Governor or Borough Office of Emergency Management, NO vehicles shall be parked on any street or roadway in the Borough per Ordinance #2022-1286.

Snow Emergency Plan Depending on the Nature of the Storm

- * Roads are pre-treated as soon as snow begins to accumulate.
 - * Plowing operation does not start until an accumulation of 2-3 inches.
 - * Emergency streets and main arteries are done first.
 - * During the storm, one to two passes are performed on each street.
 - * Only when the storm is over are the streets plowed curb to curb.
 - * Snow plowing guidelines are dependent upon the nature of the storm.
- When curbing the streets, it is unfortunate that snow gets piled up in the end of already cleared driveways. This is unavoidable and it is suggested to residents that cleaning the end of a driveway be done after streets are fully curbed.
- In accordance with Ordinance #2017-1181, residents are to refrain from putting snow into the streets. This is not permissible and creates a safety hazard. In addition, property owners are required to clear their sidewalks of snow, ice or sleet 12 hours after the storm event has ended.

STREET SWEEPING

The street sweeping operation begins mid-April and ends mid-December, weather permitting, and will be performed periodically each month.



Street Light Outage

Is there a street light out on your street?

If you're a PSE&G electric customer, you can report a street light outage through the PSE&G My Account Log In or call PSE&G at 1-800-436-7734. Prior to contacting PSE&G, please obtain the pole number (located on a metal plate on the pole), the street name, nearest cross street, and "in front of address" to help locate and complete the repair.

The Department of Public Works will also assist with any of your street light outages and concerns.

THINGS TO REMEMBER FOR THE YEAR 2023

January

- * Live Christmas trees will be picked up periodically during the month of January thru mid-February. Please remove all ornaments, lights, and tinsel before placing the tree on the curbside.

February

- * Just a reminder that taxes are due February 1st. The grace period ends February 10th. The interest for your taxes will begin on February 11th.

May

- * Just a reminder that there will be no pick up of garbage on Monday, May 29th. pick up for garbage will be on Tuesday, May 30st.
- * Just a reminder that taxes are due May 1st. The grace period ends May 10th. The interest for your taxes will begin on May 11th.

June

- * Manville Public Pools will open in June and pool badges can be purchased from the Recreation Department.

August

- * Just a reminder that taxes are due August 1st. The grace period ends August 10th. The interest for your taxes will begin on August 11th.

October

- * Just a reminder that Fall is quickly approaching and this year residents will be required to use the environmentally friendly process of bagging their own leaves. The service will be completed in each section of town at least once a week depending on volume and weather conditions.

November

- * Just a reminder that taxes are due November 1st. The grace period ends November 10th. The interest for your taxes will begin on November 11th.



January 2023



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 New Year's Day Borough offices Closed DPW Closed	3 Pick-Up Municipal Waste	4	5 Joint Land Use Board Meeting 6:30	6	7 OEM Flood Siren Test 12pm Annual Reorganization Meeting at 11am
8	9 Mayor & Council Meeting 7pm	10	11 	12	13	14
15	16 MLK JR Day Borough Offices Closed DPW is Open	17 Board of Health Meeting 6:00pm	18	19	20	21
22	23 Mayor & Council Meeting 7pm	24	25 	26	27	28
29	30	31				

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To print on the go, visit:
SCLSNJ.org/PrintAtManville

Or, send an email to:
PrintAtManville@sclibnj.org

Download Our Mobile App:



SCLSNJ.org/Android



SCLSNJ.org/iOS

Somerset County Library System of New Jersey MANVILLE LIBRARY BRANCH

100 S. 10th Ave., Manville, NJ 08835
908-458-8425 / manville@sclibnj.org



Branch Hours:

Monday - Thursday: 10 AM - 8 AM
Friday - Saturday: 10 AM - 6 PM
Closed Sundays

Holidays and Closures:

Martin Luther King's Birthday	Monday, January 16
Presidents Day	Monday, February 20
Memorial Day	Monday, May 29
Juneteenth	Monday, June 19
Independence Day	Tuesday, July 4
Labor Day	Monday, September 4
Staff In-Service Training	TBD
Thanksgiving Day	Thursday, November 23
Thanksgiving Friday	Friday, November 24
Christmas Day	Monday, December 25

Library Services:

- Passport Services
- Notary Services
- Tax Assistance
- Book Discussions
- Movies
- Concerts
- Lectures
- Business Kits
- Help with Job Seeking
- Language Instruction
- Citizenship Classes

Library Materials:



- Mobile Hotspots
- Books
- eBooks
- Books on CD
- eAudiobooks
- Playaways
- Magazines
- eMagazines
- Newspapers
- Launchpads
- DVDs
- Graphic Novels





February 2023



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 Taxes Due	2 Joint Land Use Board Meeting 6:30	3	4 OEM Flood Siren Test 12pm
5	6	7	8 	9	10	11
12	13 Mayor & Council Meeting 7pm	14	15	16	17	18
19	20 President's Day Borough offices closed DPW Closed	21 Board of Health Meeting 6:00pm Pick-Up Municipal Waste	22 	23	24	25
26	27 Mayor & Council Meeting 7pm	28				

Municipal Waste Collection Day

Monday	North Side
Wednesday	South Side
Thursday	Claremont Section, Gladys Ave Area, Lost Valley & Little Weston
Friday	Weston



Yard Waste

Yard waste will be collected curbside for the entire Borough on the scheduled days.

Yard waste consisting of branches, twigs, leaves, or plant materials ONLY can be placed curbside for pick -up on the scheduled collection day.

Branches & Brush Items

Branches cut to four (4) feet in length and tied with twine (no wire or tape) and placed neatly on curbside. Please do not block sidewalks. Debris from private contractor tree take downs/trimming will NOT be accepted.

Plant Materials or Garden Debris

Weeds, leaves, or small brush clippings should be placed in biodegradable paper bags or in open barrels or cans, weighing no more than 35 pounds per can or bag. Loose yard waste will not be picked up and plastic bags are not acceptable.

Grass clippings are NOT collected curbside.

Residents who wish to dispose of grass clippings can bring them to the Department of Public Works' yard on Saturdays from 8 a.m. to noon starting April 22nd through October 28th. **No plastic bags.**

As an alternative to disposing of grass clippings and yard waste, consider grass cycling or backyard composting.

A Truth about Grasscycling and Backyard Composting: Composting will improve soil moisture, decrease erosion and recycle nutrients and organic matter FREELY back to the soil. Grasscycling does not cause thatch build-up or spread lawn disease but increases organic matter for a healthier soil and lawn.





***Need to know how to dispose of an item?
Contact the Department of Public Works 908-725-5512***





March 2023



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2 Joint Land Use Board Meeting 6:30	3	4 OEM Flood Siren Test 12pm
5	6	7	8 	9	10	11
12	13 Mayor & Council Meeting 7pm	14 First Bulk Trash Pick-Up	15	16	17	18 Household Hazardous Waste Bernards Township Public Works Garage 9AM -2PM
19	20	21 First Yard Waste Pick-Up Board of Health Meeting 6:00pm	22 	23	24	25
26	27 Mayor & Council Meeting 7pm	28	29	30	31	

BULK Trash Item Collection Policy

Bulk items will be collected on the scheduled days for the entire Borough. Only permitted items with the required number of bulk trash stickers can be placed curbside no earlier than 5 p.m. the evening before and no later than 7 a.m. on the collection day.

Appliances-Small	3	Kitchen Table (disassembled)	5
Bath Tub (fiberglass)	6	Lamp-Table	2
Bath Tub (porcelain)	8	Love Seat/oversized chair	4
Bicycle	3	Mattress twin/crib 5 F/Q/K 6	5/6
Box Spring T (4) F/Q/K (5)	4/5	Pallet –Wood- cut in half	2
Carpet (10x12)	5	Recliner	5
Chair – Folding	2	Sink (porcelain)	5
Chair-upholstered	5	Sink (stainless)	3
Dishwasher	5	Sofa	6
Dresser	6	Sofa Bed	8
Dryer-Clothes	6	Stove	6
Exercise Equipment	4	Table-end, coffee, folding	3
		Toilet	3
File Cabinet	4	Wall or Floor Unit/armoire	7
Gas Grill (no tank)	4	Washer – Clothes	7
Hot Water Heater	7	Misc Item – Maximum 25# This is for 1 bag (preferably contractor bag) of misc. items up to 25# requires 3 stickers	3
In accordance with Borough Ordinance #2019-1217		**ALL MATTRESSES & BOX SPRINGS MUST BE FULLY WRAPPED WITH PLASTIC OR PLACED WITHIN AN APPROPRIATELY SIZED MATTRESS PLASTIC BAG!!	

Bulk Trash Stickers can be purchased for \$3 each at the Borough Municipal Complex @ 325 North Main Street (Cash or Check ONLY)

BOROUGH HALL HOURS

Monday 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
 Tuesday 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
 Wednesday 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
 Thursday 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
 Friday 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

DPW SUMMER HOURS

MEMORIAL DAY- LABOR DAY
 START TIME IS 6:00 a.m.



Need to know how to dispose of an item?



Try RecycleCoach and use the "What Goes Where" feature!

* **Items NOT Accepted by Manville DPW**

- * Microwaves must be brought to the 1st Saturday drop off site.
- * Appliances containing freon such as (but not limited to) refrigerators, freezers, & air conditioners, dehumidifiers.
- * Car parts, tires or batteries .
- * Consumer electronics computers, printers, peripherals, telephones, cell phones, TVs, microwaves.
- * Hazardous waste such as, (but not limited to) motor oil, anti-freeze, propane tanks, fluorescent tubes, oil based paint, or chemicals.
- * Masonry items including concrete, bricks, block, stones, or dirt.
- * Textiles are no longer accepted at 1st Saturday drop off.
- * Medical Waste - contact local hospital for information on "Safe Syringe Program."
- * RX disposal is done by the Sheriff's office.



*Recyclable items - newspaper, plastic/glass bottles, chipboard, cardboard, textiles, etc.

*Renovation/remodeling debris lumber, tile, siding, roofing materials. To check where an item goes, sign up for [Recycle Coach](#) and use the "What Goes Where Feature?" Call [New Jersey's Clean Energy Program](#) to arrange for a FREE pickup through New Jersey's Clean Energy Program and they will pay you \$50 for your old refrigerator (877-270-3520).



April 2023



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 OEM Flood Siren Test 12pm
2	3	4 Yard Waste Pick-Up	5 Passover 	6 Joint Land Use Board Meeting 6:30 Pick-Up Municipal Waste	7 Good Friday Borough offices Closed DPW Closed	8
9 Easter	10 Mayor & Council Meeting 7pm	11 Bulk Trash Pick-Up		13	14	15 Household Hazardous Waste Warren Township Public Works Garage 9AM -2PM
16	17	18 Yard Waste Pick-Up Board of Health Meeting 6:00pm	19 	20	21	22 Grass Clippings Drop Off from 8am-12pm
23	24 Mayor & Council Meeting 7pm	25	26	27	28	29 Grass Clippings Drop Off from 8am-12pm
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Office of Emergency Management

E-mail: manvilleoem@manvillenj.org
Website: www.manvillenj.org

Emergency Borough Sirens & Testing

There are several emergency sirens throughout the Borough. During emergency situations or extreme weather conditions, these sirens will be activated. When sirens are sounding, residents are to tune to Radio Station AM 1690 for additional information.

The sirens are tested on the first Saturday of each month at 12 noon. Please note this is only a test.



During emergency situations or extreme weather conditions, residents are urged to tune into Manville's Office of Emergency Management's radio station AM 1690.

Volunteer Firefighters Needed

To be eligible to become a member, you must be:

- * a resident of the Borough of Manville,
- * at least 18 years of age,
- * pass required health & physical screenings.

The Manville Fire Department will consider applicants for all positions without regard to race, color, religion, creed, gender, national origin, age, disability or veteran status as well as any other legally protected status.

All training and equipment is provided at no cost to members. Stop by or call any of our firehouses to find out more information.

Junior Firefighters

Any young woman or man between the ages of 14 and 17 who is interested in learning about the Fire Department can do so by joining the Junior Firefighters. Please contact Camplain Volunteer Fire Company #2 for more information.

Manville Volunteer Fire Company #1

South 3rd Avenue
Phone - (908) 707-9877

Camplain Volunteer Fire Company #2

South 13th Avenue & Washington Avenue
Phone - (908) 526-0439

North End Volunteer Fire Company #3

North 8th Avenue
Phone - (908) 526-0403





May 2023



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 Taxes Due	2	3 	4 Joint Land Use Board Meeting 6:30	5	6 OEM Flood Siren Test 12pm Grass Clippings Drop Off from 8am-12pm
7	8 Mayor & Council Meeting 7pm	9 Yard Waste Pick-Up	10	11	12	13 Grass Clippings Drop Off from 8am-12pm
14	15	16 Bulk Trash Pick-Up Board of Health Meeting 6:00pm	17 	18	19	20 Grass Clippings Drop Off from 8am-12pm
21	22 Mayor & Council Meeting 7pm	23 Yard Waste Pick-Up	24	25	26	27 Grass Clippings Drop Off from 8am-12pm
28	29 Borough Offices Closed DPW Closed	30 Pick-Up Municipal Waste	31 			


Residential Recycling


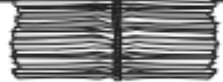



Somerset County manages residential recycling. Pick-up day in Manville is every other Wednesday as indicated on this calendar with the recycling logo. Recyclable materials can be placed curbside after 5pm the evening before the scheduled collection day. For more information on recycling, please refer to Somerset County's Recycling Center's Annual Schedule & How-to Guide, visit their website at www.co.somerset.nj.us or call the Recycling Center at 732-469-3363.

Recycle!


Please keep your recycling buckets clean by rinsing them with hot soapy water. Clean containers keep pests away and reduce odors. Contact the Department of Public Works if you are in need of replacement or second recycling container.

SOMERSET COUNTY RECYCLING HOW-TO GUIDE



How To Prepare		Acceptable Items
	<p>NEWSPAPERS Newspapers must be bundled and tied with string or twine.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Newspaper • Inserts that come w/newspapers, such as comics, glossy coupons, TV/magazine sections & colored food/store ads 
	<p>GLASS BOTTLES, ALL PLASTIC BOTTLES & CONTAINERS (#1 - #7), STEEL, BIMETAL & ALUMINUM CANS These items should be rinsed thoroughly and placed inside your recycling bucket. Only the items listed at right are acceptable. Crush all plastic bottles to save space. Remove caps.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Glass bottles (all colors) • Glass jars (all colors) • Steel cans • Bimetal cans • Aluminum cans • All plastic bottles and containers #1 - #7 <p>NO STYROFOAM®</p> <p>#1 - #7 Examples: Water, soda, milk, juice, soap, detergent, bleach, shampoo and cleaning-agent bottles. You may also include peanut butter, yogurt and diaper-wipe containers, margarine tubs, and clear plastic clamshell containers from restaurant salad bars.</p>
	<p>OTHER PAPER/JUNK MAIL Other paper should be placed in a brown paper bag or cardboard box and placed next to your blue bucket. <i>Shredded paper must be in clear or labeled plastic bags.</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Magazines • Writing/school paper • All envelopes • Copy paper • Paperback books • Hardcover books w/hard covers removed • Catalogs • Phone books • Store fliers w/ mailing labels • Office paper • Non-metallic gift wrap • Greeting cards • Shredded paper
	<p>CORRUGATED CARDBOARD, CHIPBOARD & PIZZA BOXES <i>Corrugated cardboard must be cut into 2 ft. x 2 ft. squares and tied with string or twine.</i> Please include pizza boxes & chipboard with corrugated cardboard. Place tied bundle (pizza boxes, chipboard & cardboard) next to your recycling bucket.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Corrugated cardboard • Pizza boxes (clean!) • Brown bags • Chipboard boxes including: cereal, cookie, pasta, cake, cracker, detergent (remove plastic liners), gift, shoe, shirt and any retail boxes. Poster board & backing from writing pads also accepted. • Tissue boxes • Paper towel rolls

Recyclables are the property of Somerset County when placed at the curb. Please notify your local police department or the Somerset County Recycling Center if anyone other than county employees remove recyclables from your curb. Theft of recyclable materials is illegal.





For more information about curbside collection call the Recycling Center at 732-469-3363



June 2023



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 Joint Land Use Board Meeting 6:30	2	3 OEM Flood Siren Test 12pm Grass Clippings Drop Off from 8am-12pm
4	5	6 Yard Waste Pick-Up	7	8	9	10 Grass Clippings Drop Off from 8am-12pm
11	12 Mayor & Council Meeting 7pm	13 Bulk Trash Pick-Up	14 	15	16	17 Grass Clippings Drop Off from 8am-12pm Household Hazardous Waste South County Public Works Garage 9-2
18	19 Juneteenth Borough offices closed DPW Closed	20 Pick-Up Municipal Waste Board of Health Meeting 6:00pm	21	22	23	24 Grass Clippings Drop Off from 8am-12pm
25	26 Mayor & Council Meeting 7pm	27 Yard Waste Pick-Up	28 	29	30	

SANITARY SEWER COLLECTION SYSTEM INFORMATION

Should a sewer problem be experienced, the resident should first contact the Department of Public Works office. A sewer department representative will be dispatched to check the main sewer line.

The lateral sewer line and the location of the connection from the building to the main sewer is the property owner's responsibility, although we will assist with all available information and records. This information will be useful to you if you need to contact a plumber.

If an outside clean-out is present, we can inspect it and determine if the stoppage is on the service side of the cleanout. An attempt will be made to clear the obstruction if it is on the service side of the system. If there is no outside clean-out, the property owner is responsible for the service line from the building to the main sewer line.

Maintenance

To maintain your sewer line and avoid blockages, certain materials should not be flushed or dropped/inserted into the line, such as baby diapers, toys, personal hygiene products, construction debris, etc.

Prohibited

The discharge of stormwater, surface water, ground water and/or subsurface drains (sump pumps) is not permitted into the sanitary sewer system. The Borough of Manville will perform no work on private property except within the public utility easement.

How to Contact the Sewer Department

For sewer concerns, please contact the Department of Public Works at 908-725-5512 Monday through Friday during the hours of 7:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. After hours or on the weekends, please contact the Manville Police Department at 908-725-1900 for assistance.

Sewer Billing

Direct billing inquiries to 908-725-9478 extension 120.





July 2023



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 OEM Flood Siren Test 12pm Grass Clippings Drop Off from 8am-12pm
2	3	4 Borough Offices Closed DPW Closed	5	6 Joint Land Use Board Meeting 6:30	7	8 Grass Clippings Drop Off from 8am-12pm
9	10 Mayor & Council Meeting 7pm	11 Bulk Trash Pick-Up	12 	13	14	15 Grass Clippings Drop Off from 8am-12pm
16	17	18 Yard Waste Pick-Up Board of Health Meeting 6:00pm	19	20	21	22 Grass Clippings Drop Off from 8am-12pm
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STORMWATER MANAGEMENT

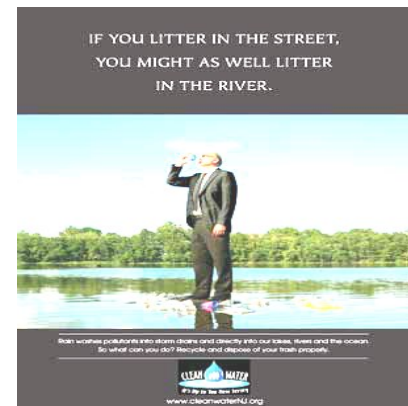
The Department of Public Works is responsible for and maintains the stormwater catch basin system and the sanitary sewer collection system. These are two separate infrastructures. The Stormwater catch basin system collects rainwater and directs it to the waterways through catch basins and outfalls. The sanitary sewer collection system, which consists of two pump stations, manholes, and sewer lines, transfers sewer waste water to the treatment plant. The Borough's stormwater catch basins are identified with markers. Remember, if it goes down there, it will end up in our streams, lakes, and rivers affecting our wildlife and drinking water.

Stormwater pollution is one of New Jersey's greatest threats to clean and plentiful water. In an attempt to reduce the amount of pollutants that enter our water system annually, the Borough of Manville has adopted several ordinances to prevent and control storm water pollution.

Ordinance #2005-1007	Prohibits Illicit Sewer Connections
Ordinance #2005-1008	Prohibits Dumping of Materials
Ordinance #2005-1009	Prohibits Littering
Ordinance #2005-1010	Requires Proper Pet Waste Pickup and Disposal
Ordinance #2005-1011	Prohibits Feeding of Wildlife
Ordinance #2005-1012	Yard Waste Collection & Disposal Program

DUMPING OF ITEMS IS NOT PERMISSIBLE IN THE BOROUGH of MANVILLE

If you witness illegal dumping, please report it to the Manville Police Department at 908-725-1900





August 2023



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 Taxes Due	2	3 Joint Land Use Board Meeting 6:30	4	5 OEM Flood Siren Test 12pm Grass Clippings Drop Off from 8am-12pm
6	7	8	9 	10	11	12 Grass Clippings Drop Off from 8am-12pm
13	14 Mayor & Council Meeting 7pm	15 Bulk Trash Pick-Up Board of Health Meeting 6:00pm	16	17	18	19 Grass Clippings Drop Off from 8am-12pm
20	21	22 Yard Waste Pick-Up	23 	24	25	26 Grass Clippings Drop Off from 8am-12pm
27	28 Mayor & Council Meeting 7pm	29	30	31		

▲CodeRED, Nixle, and OEM Emergency Messaging

Code Red (Reverse 911)

TEXT "MANVILLE1"

to 99411 to enroll in

Manville Borough

emergency alert program

Nixle: Text 08835 to 888-777

SIGN UP TODAY!

Contact ManvilleOEM@manvillenj.org/908-524-6955



OEM

First Saturday of the month flood siren test, 12:00 pm


Non-Emergency Numbers

Police non-emergency number 908-725-1900



September 2023



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1	2 OEM Flood Siren Test 12pm Grass Clippings Drop Off from 8am-12pm
3	4 Borough Offices Closed DPW Closed	5 Pick-Up Municipal Waste	6 	7 Joint Land Use Board Meeting 6:30	8	9 Grass Clippings Drop Off from 8am-12pm
10	11 Mayor & Council Meeting 7pm	12 Yard Waste Pick-Up	13	14	15	16 Grass Clippings Drop Off from 8am-12pm
17	18	19 Bulk Trash Pick-Up Board of Health Meeting 6:00pm	20 	21	22	23 Grass Clippings Drop Off from 8am-12pm Household Hazardous Waste Branchburg Township Public
24	25 Mayor & Council Meeting 7pm	26 Yard Waste Pick-Up	27	28	29	30 Grass Clippings Drop Off from 8am-12pm

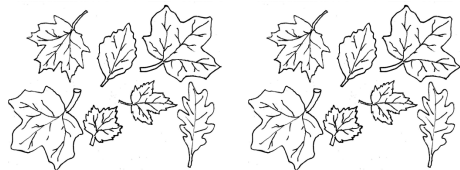


Fall Leaf Collection

The Department of Public Works Provides Two Means of Leaf Collection



- * Bagged leaves can be put in biodegradable paper bags or containers and placed curbside for collection on the scheduled yard waste days or special bagged leaf days. Plastic bags cannot be accepted.
- * Leaf vacuuming should begin mid-to late-October and the start of this service is based on the amount of fallen leaves. Residents can place leaves loose curbside once this service begins; however, leaves must be kept at least ten feet away from any storm water catch basin. Loose leaves must be free of any other yard waste (garden debris, branches, etc.). These types of items should be bundled or bagged for the scheduled yard waste days.
- * Should you have a small amount of leaves, please place them in a container or biodegradable bag for pick-up on yard waste day.
- * The service of leaf vacuuming is done in each section of town at least once per week and is dependent on volume and will continue to about mid-December, weather permitting. If the weather becomes inclement, please contact Department of Public Works for the status of the leaf pick-up service.
- * Be safety wise and never park a vehicle close to or on top of leaf piles.





October 2023



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4 	5 Joint Land Use Board Meeting 6:30	6	7 OEM Flood Siren Test 12pm Grass Clippings Drop Off from 8am-12pm
8	9	10 Yard Waste Pick-Up	11	12	13	14 Grass Clippings Drop Off from 8am-12pm
15	16 Mayor & Council Meeting 7pm	17 Bulk Trash Pick-Up Board of Health Meeting 6:00pm	18 	19	20	21 Grass Clippings Drop Off from 8am-12pm Household Hazardous Waste South County Public Works Garage 9-2
22	23	24 Yard Waste Pick-Up	25	26	27	28 Grass Clippings Drop Off from 8am-12pm Last Day
29	30	31 Halloween				

WREATHS ACROSS AMERICA

Remembering Our Veterans

Who Have Served This Great Nation



SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16, 2023



Wreath sponsorship forms can be found at www.WreathAcrossAmerica.org/NJ1030

LOCATION ID: NJSHCH

FUNDRAISING GROUP ID: NJ0130

Individual Wreaths \$15.00

Family = 4 Wreaths \$60.00

Small Business = 10 wreaths \$150.00

Corporate = 100 Wreaths \$1,500.00

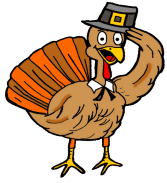
Please make checks payable to:

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PO Box 249

Columbia Falls ME 04623





November 2023



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 Taxes Due 	2 Joint Land Use Board Meeting 6:30	3	4 OEM Flood Siren Test 12pm
5	6	7 Bulk Trash Last Pick-Up	8	9	10	11
12 DIWALI	13 Mayor & Council Meeting 7pm	14 Yard Waste Last Pick-Up	15 	16	17	18
19	20	21 Board of Health Meeting 6:00pm	22 Pick-Up Municipal Waste This is Thursday's Route	23 Borough Offices Closed DPW Closed	24 Borough Offices Closed DPW Closed	25
26	27 Mayor & Council Meeting 7pm Pick-Up Municipal Waste This is Friday's Route	28 Bagged Leaves Pick-Up		30		



Manville's Hometown Hereros



Residents of Manville, NJ honor our past military veterans with Hometown Hero banners lining our Main Street.

Private funds are paying for the banners.





December 2023



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1	2 OEM Flood Siren Test 12pm
3	4	5 Bagged Leaves Pick-Up	6	7 Joint Land Use Board Meeting 6:30	8	9
10	11 Mayor & Council Meeting 7pm	12 Bagged Leaves Pick-Up	13 	14	15	16 Wreaths Across America 12:00pm
17	18	19 Board of Health Meeting 6:00pm	20	21	22 DPW Is Open	23
24	25 Borough Offices Closed DPW Closed	26 Pick-Up Municipal Waste	27 	28	29 DPW Is Open	30
31						

NOTICE TO ALL PROPERTY OWNERS OF THE BOROUGH OF MANVILLE --- REGARDING FLOOD PROTECTION INFORMATION

Manville has the distinction of being the location where the Raritan River (which passes to the north) and the tributary Millstone River (which passes to the east) join together, in the far northeastern corner of the borough. Severe flooding occurs in Manville when these rivers overflow their banks into the northern section (Raritan) and the Lost Valley section (Millstone). The Lost Valley section in eastern Manville is situated on the natural flood plain between the Raritan and Millstone Rivers, and bears the brunt of occasional flooding events which affect the river basins. The southern parts of Main Street also suffer from flooding, due to the presence of a stream that backs up with water from the nearby Millstone River in which it empties, known as the Royce Brook. Floodplains from each of these rivers can combine and isolate a central portion of the Borough of Manville, if flooding conditions become severe enough. Living in community that is over 35-percent 100-year floodplain by area means the risk of damage due to flooding is always present and you should take precautions. Flood levels could affect your property and you should be prepared.

FLOOD INSURANCE RATE MAP ZONE DETERMINATIONS AND BOROUGH FLOOD SERVICES

As a public service, the Borough of Manville Building Department will provide you with the following information upon request:

- Whether your property is in a special flood hazard area as shown on the current flood insurance rate map (FIRM) on file.
- Additional flood insurance data for a site, such as the specific flood zone and the base flood elevation depth if shown on the FIRM.
- Flood depth, also if it is in an area or near that has flooded multiple times in the past.

The Borough has a handout on flood insurance purchase requirements that can help people who may need a mortgage or loan for a property in the special flood hazard area. If you would like to make an inquiry, please note your street address and the lot and block of your property. Additionally materials concerning flooding are contained in the Manville Library.

- The Borough Construction Office can be reached at 908-725-9478 ext. 117 Monday through Friday.

FLOOD INSURANCE

Approximately 12 percent of the buildings located in the Borough are located in a flood hazard area as mapped by the Federal Emergency Management Agency. Flood insurance is available for said properties. If you do not have flood insurance, contact your insurance agent regarding the same. A standard homeowner's insurance policy will not cover certain damage from flooding. However, the Borough participates in the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) which allows homeowners to purchase a separate flood insurance policy. This insurance is backed by the Federal Insurance program and is available to everyone, even to property owners who have previously been flooded. Some people have purchased flood insurance because it was required by a bank or mortgage company. There is a 26% chance of a possible flood during the life of a 30 year mortgage. Usually such policies only cover the building structure and not the contents. During flooding which occurs in the Borough, contents of a property can also be damaged. If you currently have flood insurance, you should make sure that contents are also covered. Flood insurance is also available to renters for personal property within a structure. There can be a 30 day waiting period before flood insurance coverage goes into effect. You should plan accordingly. Also, be mindful that private insurance policies are available, which are not affiliated with the NFIP. It is important to know whether you have NFIP or private insurance.

FLOOD SAFETY

All residents should remember the following in the event of a flood:

- Do not walk through flowing water during a flood. A mere 6 inches of fast moving flood water can knock over an adult. Currents can be deceptive and move faster than anticipated.
- Do not drive through flooded areas. Flood water can lead to vehicle damage, personal injury and even death in severe instances. It takes just 12 inches of rushing water to carry away a small car, while two feet can carry away almost any automobile. Turn around, don't drown.
- Stay away from power lines and electrical wires. The number two killer regarding floods is electrocution. Electrical current can travel through water. Call 9-1-1 immediately to report a fallen or otherwise unsafe power line. If power lines are touching your car, do NOT get out unless your life is in immediate danger.
- Have your utilities turned off. If you know a flood is coming, you should shut off the gas and electricity and move valuable contents upstairs. This includes any such contents which are currently in a garage which also may be subject to flooding. It is wise to keep a detailed check list of things to do which would easily be available during and prior to emergency weather conditions. Some appliances such as television sets, keep electrical charges even after they have been unplugged. Don't use appliances or motors that have gotten wet unless they have been dried and certified as usable. You should also be alert for gas leaks. Use a flashlight to inspect for damage immediately after a flood. Don't smoke or use candles or other open flame unless you know the gas has been turned off in the area in question and said area is vented properly.
- During severe flood events, City Officials may decide that evacuation is necessary. Please follow all advisories and warnings in case of evacuation.
- For more information see ready.gov/plan.

FLOOD MITIGATION

There are several different ways to protect a building from flood damage. One approach is to raise the house above flood levels. A small wood frame house can usually be elevated above flood levels. A few houses subjected to flooding in Manville have been raised in this manner. Commercial structures can be retrofitted with various forms of flood proffing. There are also steps which can be taken to protect against high wind velocity such as installing strong shutters and reinforced garage doors. Financial assistance may be available for certain flood mitigation activities. More information is available at the Manville Public Library. Important Note: Most alterations to your building or land require a permit from the Building Department. Please check with the Construction Official prior to implementing any of the above procedures to determine what permits may be necessary. Additionally, qualified/certified staff members will provide advice and assistance on how to retrofit or modify a building to protect it from flood damage. Please contact the Building Department for information at 908-725-9478 ext. 117.

WHAT YOU CAN DO TO HELP

The Borough always appreciates cooperation and assistance from property owners. Here are some of the ways in which you can help in Manville's efforts to reduce damage due to flooding.

- Do not dump or throw any solid articles into the catch basins, drainage ditches, or streams located throughout the Borough. Throwing solid debris into these features prevents them from operating at peak levels during times of flooding. If you see anyone throwing solid materials into these features within the Borough, please contact the Department of Public Works at 908-725-5512. Borough Ordinance No. 2006 - 1031 E(2)i2 prohibits the dumping of debris in these features. The Ordinance is strictly enforced.

- Before any building is constructed within the Borough, a building permit is necessary. In addition, any development in the floodplain requires a Floodplain Development Application. Always check with the Building Department before you build on, regrade, fill or otherwise have construction activity on your property. A permit may be needed to insure that the project(s) do not cause problems on other properties. If you see any activity being conducted without a permit, you may contact the Construction Official's office at 908-725-9478 ext. 117. A permit will be necessary if substantial improvements are made. The NFIP requires that if the cost of reconstruction, rehabilitation, addition or other improvements to a building equals or exceeds 50% of the building's market value, then the building must meet the same construction requirements as a new building. Substantially damaged buildings must also be brought up to the same standards and must be elevated above base flood elevation.

- In the event of a flood, flood warnings in most instances, will be given by the Emergency Alert System. Please make sure that your television or radio is tuned to a channel carrying the Emergency Alert System well in advance of any anticipated flood event. The Borough has a siren warning system in place that will sound the warning throughout the Borough if flooding is imminent. In addition, AM Station 1690 has been designated as the emergency station that will be activated during emergencies and can be accessed online or by tuning an AM radio to 1690.

NATURAL AND BENEFICIAL FUNCTIONS OF LOCAL FLOOD PLAINS

The Borough has unique and naturally beneficial local floodplains along Dukes Brook, the Raritan River, Royce Brook and the Millstone River. These provide a natural buffer against flooding and must be protected. In addition, please enjoy the Lost Valley National Park, created with assistance from the Nature Conservancy, located in the flood plain of the Millstone River. Please respect these natural areas and help keep them in their natural state. Don't litter upon or destroy these areas.

BOROUGH FLOOD WARNING SYSTEM

Manville's Office of Emergency Management (OEM) is responsible for the Borough's Emergency Operations Plan. The plan outlines how the Borough of Manville will function during emergency or disaster conditions. The office regularly conducts preparedness drills and tests the flood warning sirens the first Saturday of each month, assists organizations with their emergency plans and seeks to educate the public about the value of emergency preparedness. OEM maintains and posts evacuation and flood hazard depth maps online <http://www.manvillenj.org> (select departments, office of Emergency Management, Flood Information. The Raritan and Millstone River gauges may be monitored at waterdata.usgs.gov.

To set an alert on your phone, which tie into river gauges, go to accounts, waterdata.usgs.gov water alert and follow instructions.

ABOUT THE MANDATORY PURCHASE OF FLOOD INSURANCE IN THE BOROUGH OF MANVILLE

The NFIP: The National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) is a federal program enabling property owners in participating communities to purchase flood insurance on eligible buildings and contents, whether they are in or out of a floodplain. This community participates in the NFIP, making federally backed flood insurance available to its property owners.

The NFIP insures most walled and roofed buildings that are principally above ground on a permanent foundation, including mobile homes, and buildings in the course of construction. Property owners can purchase building and content coverage from any local property and casualty insurance agent. To find a local insurance agent that writes flood insurance in your area visit www.floodsmart.gov.

Mandatory Purchase Requirement: Pursuant to the Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973 and the National Flood Insurance Act of 1994, the purchase of flood insurance is mandatory for all federal or federally related financial assistance for the acquisition and/or construction of buildings in Special Flood Hazard Areas (SFHAs). A SFHA is defined as any A or V flood zone on a Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM)

The mandatory purchase requirement also applies to secured loans from such financial institutions as commercial lenders, savings and loan associations, savings banks, and credit unions that are regulated, supervised, or insured by federal agencies such as the Federal Reserve, the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, the Comptroller of Currency, the Farm Credit Administration, the Office of Thrift Supervision, and the National Credit Union Administration. If further applies to all loans purchased by Fannie Mae or Freddie Mac in the secondary mortgage market. Federal financial assistance programs affected by the laws include loans and grants from agencies such as the Department of Veterans Affairs, Farmers Home Administration, the Federal Housing Administration, Small Business Administration, and FEMA disaster assistance.

How it Works: When making, increasing, renewing, or extending any type of federally backed loan, lenders are required to conduct a flood zone determination using the most current FEMA FIRM to determine if any part of the building is located in an SFHA. If the building is in an SFHA, the federal agency or lender is required by law to provide written notification to the borrower that flood insurance is mandatory as a condition of the loan. Even though a portion of real property on which a building is located may lie within an SFHA, the purchase and notification requirements do not apply unless the building itself, or some part of the building, is in the SFHA. However, lenders, on their own initiative, may require the purchase of flood insurance even if a building is located outside and SFHA. Up to 25% of all NFIP flood losses arise from outside SFHAs (B, C, and X Zones). Under federal regulations, the required coverage must equal the amount of the loan (excluding appraised value of the land) or the maximum amount of insurance available from the NFIP, whichever is less. The maximum amount of coverage available for a single-family residence is \$250,000 and for non-residential (commercial) buildings is \$500,000. Federal agencies and regulators, including government-sponsored enterprises, such as Freddie Mac and Fannie Mae, may have stricter requirements.

New Jersey Clean Communities is a statewide program created by the Clean Communities Act. Municipalities implement litter abatement programs for their community like volunteer clean ups, enforcement and education . . .

Tackling the Litter Problem

Litter is solid wastes (like paper, cigarette butts, food packaging, tires, plastics, cans, bottles) that is out of place. Most litter comes from people,. Overflowing trash cans, and litter can be also wind -blown and caught in fences, trees, and parks-lands.

Litter is unpleasant to look at and is unhealthy. It makes our landscaped park-lands unattractive.

Litter is everyone's responsibility and it's a matter of community pride!

Manville A Clean Community

Thinking Globally

Acting Locally



The Borough of Manville & New Jersey Clean Communities sponsors a
"Community Clean Up Day" of various public grounds.
Residents and organizations are welcome and encouraged to participate.
Contact Manville's Clean Community Coordinator at 908-725-5512 X202

For more information on New Jersey Clean Communities visit website: www.njclean.org

Animal Control



- Report all animal bites immediately to the Health Department.
- An Animal Control Officer is available to respond to all animal emergencies: The Somerset Regional Animal Shelter is open to the public 7 days a week from 11AM-4PM and from 11AM-7PM on Wednesdays. They are located at 100 Commons Way, Bridgewater, NJ and can be reached at 908-725-0308. For after hour emergencies, call the Manville Police Department at 908-725-1900.
- All dogs and cats seven months or older must be licensed. New Jersey law requires proof of rabies vaccination for a license to be issued. Dog and cat licenses can be obtained at each Borough Hall, or through the mail.

Helpful Contacts

- **Animal Emergencies:** The Borough of Manville contracts with the Somerset Regional Animal Shelter, they can be contacted at 908-725-0308.
- **General Questions:** For any other questions about animals, you may contact the Somerset County Board of Health Office at 908-231-7155.
- **Licenses:** For licensing information, you may contact the Manville Borough Board of Health Office at 908-725-9478, ext. 114.

Consumer Health Services

- Adult Health Screening is held annually and offers low cost blood tests; free screenings that may include blood pressure, hearing, vision, podiatric and chiropractic screening, colorectal health kits, body mass index (BMI) / percent body fat analysis, and health education.
- Free screening for breast, cervical, colorectal and prostate cancer is available for uninsured residents who meet financial criteria through the New Jersey Cancer Education and Early Detection (NJCEED) Program - call 908-526-2335.
- Quarterly cholesterol (total blood cholesterol) and blood pressure screening.

Environmental Services

- The Health Department conducts investigations of public health nuisances in residential and commercial areas to identify potential problems, and in response to citizen complaints regarding animals, insects and rodents, air and water pollution, and garbage or debris (solid waste).
- Retail food inspections are conducted throughout the year to assure that food retailers meet the State Sanitary Code.
- Investigation of utility (water, gas, and/or electric) shut-offs including referrals and safety information.
- When indicated, the Health Department tests for lead paint and provides abatement information.
- Institutional Inspections (daycare centers, nursing homes, hospitals) and public bathing places are routinely made for safety standards and cleanliness.

Safety, sanitation and heating of rented single or multiple dwellings are monitored in cooperation with local building, housing and safety code officials. Homeowners who remove or abandon a fuel (oil) tank must contact the Health Department.

Board of Health Meeting Dates
Regular meeting 3rd Tuesday of each month at 6:00pm
Borough Hall Council Chambers

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