

HANOVER BOROUGH, YORK COUNTY PA CODE RED MESSAGE 3-20-20 In order to help protect the health and safety of our residents and borough staff, Hanover Borough Public Works department has implemented the following precautions which are effective immediately: 1. Trash collection will continue on the regular schedule. All curbside trash must be placed in bags that are tied or securely sealed. Trash placed in cans must also be bagged. No loose trash or items not in sealed bags will be collected. 2. Temporary suspension of all curbside large item collection. No large items will be collected curbside until further notice and may not be placed outside. 3. The recycling center at 139 North St will be open this Saturday, March 21st from 7AM until 2PM. The recycling center will then be closed through April 5th and reopen on April 6th at 7AM. Because of the highly contagious nature of the COVID-19 virus the borough is also closing all of its borough playgrounds effective immediately, until further notice. All field rentals and organized sporting events scheduled to be held on borough property have been postponed or cancelled through April 5th. All of this information can be found on the borough's website. www.hanoverboroughpa.gov You may also call 717-637-3877 during regular business hours for assistance or email to info@hanoverboroughpa.gov Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

UPDATE 3-21-20

Clarifications to the CODE RED MESSAGE of 3-20-20

- All trash related service announcements pertain only to Hanover Borough residents and businesses. This does not affect Penn Twp, West Manheim, McSherrystown or Conewago.
- All curbside trash must be placed in bags that are tied or securely sealed. You may continue to use your current can but your trash must still be secured in a trash bag. Eliminating loose trash helps protect our sanitation workers and the overall cleanliness of our borough.
- Temporary suspension of large item collection. Currently the York County Solid Waste incinerator is working on reduced hours with a smaller staff. Reducing the amount of waste that is delivered to the incinerator will help to keep the operation open and lessen the chance of interruptions to our trash service.
- Recycling center closing at 2PM on 3-21-20. Currently most of our recycled materials outlets are temporarily closed. We will continue to monitor this situation as it develops and will reopen as soon as possible. Please continue to check this page for future updates
- PARKS- In accordance with both PA state and York County parks, Borough parks restroom facilities are closed, field rentals are cancelled or postponed, park events and recreation programs are postponed. Open space and trails are accessible and usable. *PA state parks and the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources recommend the following: To help avoid exposure to COVID-19 and still enjoy the outdoors: Adhere to the social spacing guide (minimum 6 feet) between people and don't recreate in groups. Take hand sanitizer with you and use it regularly. Avoid touching your face, eyes, and nose. Cover your nose and mouth when coughing and sneezing with a tissue or flexed elbow. If you are sick, stay home*

We ask that visitors to our parks please note that currently only essential limited emergency response staff are working. This means very limited maintenance and sanitation of play equipment and grounds. If you bring or create trash in the parks, please take it with you.

Please continue to monitor this page as it will be updated as information becomes available.

