



Harrington Happenings

Summer 2021

City Hall
106 Dorman St.
398-3530

Police Department
10 Mechanic St.
398-4493

Harrington Public Library
110 Center St.
398-4647

Parks & Recreation
114 E. Liberty St.
398-7975

Public Works after Hours On-Call Phone Number 632-8827 City's Website <https://harrington.delaware.gov>



Message from the Mayor

HELLO!! And WOW!!

The last time we spoke, we were being refreshed by the thought of Spring, and just like that, we are beginning Summer!!! While it looks like we are stepping beyond the tall weeds (Pandemic) we still need to be both aware and mindful of others as we continue to move forward. The city elections have come and gone, so welcome with me, New Dist. 2 Council Member Jack Stewart: and Dist. 4 returning Council Member Darrin Simpson! A Salute!! To all our 2021 High School Graduates, who withstood the test of times, and to the Junior grade levels in person but often online you made the most with those devices! So as schools close be aware of the increase of foot, bicycle, and motorcycle traffic! Finally since we were handled different (pandemic) let's do something different- Here are some ideas: read a new book, visit our Library- Wave to the Police as they travel your neighborhoods, Thank a Firefighter or Service person when you see them in uniform, Heritage Day is fast approaching- call HPR for more details, plan a visit to the Greater Historical Society, inquire about the railroad and what it's meant to our City. Take the time to check after our seniors in the coming climate (HSC). Don't know your Council Representative, reach out to City Hall, the staff there are courteous & professional and ready to assist.



Stay Well!!!!

Mayor Duane E. Bivans

Updated Contact Information with City Hall

Please contact City Hall at (302) 398-3530 to add a current phone number to your account.

Services:

- E-billing (see form on website)
- Code Red (emergency notification call, text or email)
- Online bill pay

Public Works

I would like to introduce our Public Works employees, as you may see them driving through your neighborhoods daily:



Director: Alan Moore



Richard Clough



Jeremiah Collins



Kenny Bailey

Not Pictured -Dakota Achenbach

Heritage Day

AUG 28TH



POLICE DEPARTMENT

With the summer months upon us, we at the Harrington Police Department want to help ensure that the City of Harrington is a safe and happy place to live, work, and visit.

With school ending, there are more children out playing and riding their bicycles so please use extra caution when out and about. Adults, please make sure children are always wearing a helmet when on a bicycle. Wearing bright clothing and using reflectors will also help keep them visible and safe.

It's getting close to that time of the year again when we welcome the 2021 Delaware State Fair to Harrington! We hope that everyone has a great time attending and wish for everyone to stay safe. Please remember to take extra time when traveling around Harrington; pay close attention to the roads as they will be very busy with traffic and pedestrians.

Summer also brings heavier traffic, so please remember to slow down and watch out for pedestrians and other motorists.

Please keep any valuables locked up and out of view in your vehicles and remember to always keep your vehicle doors locked.

The City of Harrington is a great place to live, work, and visit. We have a wonderful community that works together and looks out for one another. If we continue to work together, our City will continue to be one of the best.

Have a wonderful summer and be safe!

Library Events

Visit our website and Facebook page or call for info

Virtual Storytime every Wednesday @ 10:00 am (on Facebook Live)

In-Person Storytime every Wednesday @ 10:45 am. *Note: You must sign up to attend this program, we can only allow minimum of 10 participants to ensure safe social distancing. * Please call at (302) 398-4647 to sign up. All ages.

Grab & Go Free Snacks available on Monday, Wednesday, and Fridays! We are partnering with Lake Forest School District to provide FREE tasty and healthy snacks to children in our community. Snack packs are picked up directly from the library. Children & Teens 18 & under.

We have lots more fun and free programs for all ages, call us @ (302) 398-4647 for more information! All of our events are also listed on our website <https://harrington.delaware.gov/public-library/> and on our Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/HarringtonPublicLibrary> . Follow us today!



Utility Disconnects for Non-Payment

Effective July 1, 2021 any delinquent utility account not paid by the end of business on the day prior to disconnect day will be assessed a \$50 service fee. In order to have services restored a \$50 service fee will be assessed during normal business hours and a \$100 service fee will be assessed for after hours. Please visit the City of Harrington's Facebook page and website for more information.

August Disconnect Date: August 25, 2021

Greater Harrington Historical Society

Heritage Day 2021 is happening! The Greater Harrington Historical Society is thrilled to be a part of the 43rd Annual Harrington Heritage Day on Saturday Aug 28, 2021. All three museums will be open beginning at 9am. Don't forget to come buy your old-fashioned fountain soda from the Burtons Soda Fountain! We have several new artifacts on display so be sure to stop in and visit. And if that weren't enough excitement, on Friday September 24, 2021 starting at 1pm we will be hosting the Wreaths Across America Mobile Education Exhibit. This stirring tribute to our veterans tells the story behind the wreaths we place each December in our local cemeteries. We will have food trucks and after the trailer closes at 8pm we will have entertainment in Freedom Park. Be sure to check us out on Facebook and at www.ghsociety.org for all the details.



City of Harrington Closings

July 5 Independence Day
September 6 Labor Day

**Utility Bills Due:
August 10**

... REMINDER....

Please keep your Meter Pit lids, and Sewer clean out trimmed / mowed. Which will help locate the utility in case of Emergency.

**IMPORTANT
NOTICE**

City Hall

All garbage, trash, or rubbish containers shall be removed from the collection area and returned to a point to the side or rear of the structure by 11:59 p.m. the day the container has been emptied by the collector and in such a manner as to prevent the creation of a nuisance or a health hazard. The garbage, trash, or rubbish containers must not be visible from the street and may be placed to the rear of the structure or to the side of the structure if hidden from view by screening consisting of fencing or landscaping that conforms to the zoning requirements of the property. The height of the screening may not be less than that of the garbage, trash, or rubbish containers. Any exceptions to this section must be approved by the City Manager.



City Council Meetings

July 6	6:30 pm	Meeting
July 19	6:30 pm	Meeting
Aug 2	6:30 pm	Meeting
Aug 16	6:30 pm	Meeting
Sept 7	6:30 pm	Meeting
Sept 20	6:30 pm	Meeting

Who's Who in the City?

Duane E. Bivans, Mayor

City Council:

Micah Parker (Vice Mayor), District 3
Joe Gannon, District 1
Jack Stewart, District 2
Darrin Simpson, District 4
Ervin E. White, District 5
Michael Kimmey, District 6
Daniel Tartt, City Manager
Norman Barlow, Chief of Police
Alan Moore, Public Works Supervisor
Marleena Scott, Library Director
Bill Falasco, Parks & Rec Director