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The Board of Supervisors would like to thank all the members of our Police, Public Works and Administration staff, along with the members of Plumsteadville Volunteer Fire Company, Point Pleasant Fire Company, Point Pleasant/Plumsteadville EMS & the Central Bucks EMS-Medic 125 for their continued dedication to the Township especially during the unprecedented COVID pandemic.

They would also like to thank all the residents for the patience in these trying times and for abiding the mask mandate.

We will get through this together.

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 Hours: Monday - Friday 8:00 AM - 4:30 PM

Police Department

Office: 215-766-8741 • Dispatch: 215-766-8740 • Fax: 215-766-8509
 For EMERGENCY Dial 911
 Hours: Monday - Friday 8:00 AM - 4:30 PM or by appointment

Floyd S. Bryan Public Works Center

Office: 215-766-0189 • Fax: 215-766-1439
 Hours: Monday - Friday 7:30 AM - 4:00 PM

Tax Collector

6162 German Road, P.O. Box 433, Plumstead, PA 18949
 Telephone: 215-766-3785 • Hours: Tuesday & Thursday 9:30 AM - 4:00 PM

Water Department

Billing Questions: 215-766-0189 • Repairs & Maintenance: 215-766-0189

For after hours service disruption or non-emergency issues of concern, please contact Police Dispatch at 215-766-8740. Identify yourself as a Plumstead Township Water Department customer. The dispatcher will contact the on-duty officer, who will then contact the on-call Public Works personnel. For Police, Fire, or Medical Emergencies: 911

Administrative Staff

Township Manager: Angela P. Benner
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Assistant to Township Manager: Andrea Susten
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Police Clerk: Sarah Ferri
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Zoning Clerk: Kathleen Power

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Meetings

The **Board of Supervisors'** meet on the second and fourth Tuesday of each month at 7:30 PM. Work sessions are held on the last Thursday of the month, also at 7:30 PM.

The **Planning Commission** meets on the third Thursday of each month at 7:30 PM

The **Zoning Hearing Board** meets at the call of the Chairman

The **Environmental Advisory Council** meets on the second Wednesday of each month at 7:30pm. January - April meetings held at Hanusey Park, May-December meetings held at the Township Building.

All Meetings are at the Township Building

SAVE THE DATE

- Annual Tree Lighting (LIVE STREAM / CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC).....12/5/20
- Santa – PVFC 12/13/20 (rain date 12/20)
- Santa – PVFC (Arbor Estates)..... 12/14/20 (rain date 12/21)
- Santa – PPVFC12/20/20
- Electronics Recycling (Residents Only)4/17/21
- Blood Drive at Hanusey4/21/21
- Blood Drive at Hanusey7/21/21
- Blood Drive at Hanusey9/23/21
- Blood Drive at Hanusey 12/20/21

My mask



Your mask



Committees

HAVE A "TIRED" FLAG?

If you have a flag that need to be retired, Doylestown's Albert R Atkinson, Jr American Legion Post 210 holds Flag Retirement ceremonies twice annually. There is a receptacle behind the Post's building (315 North St, Doylestown) where you may leave flags.

Interested in local Veterans organizations? Posts of the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Disabled American Veterans, Vietnam Veterans of America and Marine Corps League meet at American Legion Post 210 headquarters, 315 North St., Doylestown. Visit the Post's website www.doylestownpost210.org and look at the calendar for meeting dates and times.



Park & Rec Committee has a few openings:

Plumstead Township is looking for volunteers for our Park & Rec Committee. If you are interested in serving on this committee, and working the events, please fill out the Statement of Interest and mail or email it to the Township Manager.

<http://plumstead.org/geninfo/committees.pdf>

When Seconds Count...



Which would you rather have to protect your home?

After a snowfall, remember to clear a three-foot radius around fire hydrants near your home.



Plumstead Township Emergency Management

[Facebook.com/PlumsteadEMA](https://www.facebook.com/PlumsteadEMA)

PLUMSTEAD TOWNSHIP'S

Annual Giving Tree Event

Plumstead Township and BC Children & Youth are collecting NEW items for children in need

Donations Needed

Donations accepted 11/9 - 12/4/20

ALL Donations stay local..

Collecting NEW:
- Hats, Scarves & Mittens
-Homemade or store bought

We are also accepting:
- Pj's & Books

Drop-off: Township Building
5186 Stump Road

Reminder: Due to COVID we are ONLY accepting NEW items.

Departments

Plumstead Township Police

IT'S THE LAW!

Under Section 4524 of the PA Motor Vehicle Code, you can be issued a traffic citation if your windshield, side or rear windows are obstructed by ice or snow.

Under Section 3720 you can be issued a citation between \$200 - \$1000 if ice or snow falls from the roof of your vehicle, causing death or serious bodily injury to another motorist or pedestrian.



Water Department

Plumstead Township Water Customers

Water customers serviced by the systems located in the township are reminded of the following requirements:

- We continue to reinvest in the infrastructure of the township through the replacement of customer water meters. The device that allows us to electronically read your water meter is located on the outside of your home typically at the point where electric and telephone service enters your home. Access to this location must be maintained clear at all times. Please consider this when planting flowers, shrubbery, and trees. New technology has allowed us to invest in "Smart Meters" that are fully self-contained inside the home and do not require the transmitter unit on the outside of the home. The Smart Meters can detect high usage that may indicate a leaky toilet or other maintenance issue. During the summer of 2020, despite the ongoing health concerns, we were able to safely work with 220 customers in Country Greene and Windtree developments to upgrade the meters. Budget proposal for 2021 will include the upgrade of another 200 plus meters.
- In the front yard of your home, there is a 4" metal cap should be visible. The only exception is if you are in a multi-unit home cluster. This cap is threaded onto a pipe. Inside the pipe is a "key" that allows Water Department employees to turn the water supply to your home on and off. Please be sure that this cap remains visible and accessible. In the event of a water line leak or break inside your home, access to this shutoff valve will be critical. Plumstead Township is responsible for the supply line from the water main in the street up to and including this valve. Homeowners are responsible for the water line between this valve and the water meter inside the home.
- The water meter itself is typically located in the basement or a utility closet. The meter is the property of Plumstead Township. All piping, fittings, and valves before and after the meter are the responsibility of the homeowner. Please see the attached photo of our water meter ID tag.. This tag should be in place on your water meter. It contains important information regarding tampering or misuse of the meter. If you are uncertain about anything with your meter, or if you have general questions regarding your water supply, water service, maintenance or billing, please contact Public Works at 215-766-0189

Please note: the address for all water bill payments and correspondence has changed recently, please be sure to send payments to:

**Plumstead Township
5186 Stump Road
Pipersville, PA 18947**

ATTENTION
THIS WATER METER IS THE PROPERTY OF PLUMSTEAD TOWNSHIP
Township ordinance prohibits tampering with, bypass of, or unauthorized removal of the meter. The need for meter removal requires that the homeowner notify Plumstead Township Public Works by calling 215-766-0189 to schedule a service call. Violation of this ordinance subject owner of record to a \$250.00 penalty and incurred costs.
Thank you for your cooperation.

Departments

Public Works Department



Your Local Tax Dollars at Work!

2020 has been a busy year for the Township's Public Works Department. From park improvements, to repairs and reconstruction of local roads; the Township has used its resources to maximize the results in a variety of ways. Below is a list of projects that the Public Works staff has been involved with this year.



Parks:

There were no major upgrades or improvements to the township park system in 2020. Facilities continued to be maintained by Public Works – Par staff personnel and included safety checks and maintenance of play structures, sports/activity fields and walking paths.

Road Projects:

Old Easton Road between Pt. Pleasant Pike and Curly Hill Road:

Road edge stabilization along this heavily travelled section of Old Easton Road was completed in July. All work was completed by Public Works staff labor and the rental of the necessary equipment. Failing areas were milled out and removed with the material being stockpiled for re-use as a new road sub-base on Blueberry Lane. New asphalt was placed to create a sound road structure.

Total Cost: \$68,341.

Valley Park Road between Curly Hill Road and the North Branch stream:

Asphalt overlay of the entire length as noted. Road edge repairs were completed in 2019. All work was completed by Public Works staff labor and the rental of the necessary equipment.

Total Cost: \$54,978.

Portion of Summer Hill Development and Estates of Brookside Development:

The roads in these two residential developments were micro surface paved in July. Prior to the paving work, Public Works labor checked and repaired or replaced storm inlets as needed. Also, rubberized asphalt was placed to seal road cracks and repair minor surface imperfections. Micro surface paving extends the life of the roads and delays the need for more costly milling and paving. All paving work was completed by a contractor.

Total Cost: \$306,272.

Blueberry Lane:

Re-paving of the entire .77-mile length of Blueberry Lane was completed using Public Works staff labor and the rental of necessary equipment. A failed storm sewer pipe was replaced, and drainage corrections were addressed. Previously, the road would experience flooding in the travel lanes during large storm events and due to run-off. This also contributed to severe icing during the winter. The existing road base was milled in place and profiled to grade. Recycled millings from Old Easton Road were added to attain a final sub-base prior to the final paving.

Total Cost: \$70,902.



Departments

Public Works Department



Public Works Yard Waste & Christmas Tree Collection

YARD WASTE COLLECTION

All residents are encouraged to compost yard waste and Christmas trees on site. However, residents who would like to recycle yard waste can register with Public Works for pick-up as noted below. Due to PA DEP recycling regulations for the Township, no permits for burning of leaf and recyclable yard waste will be issued. **Pick up will be BY APPOINTMENT only. Residents are required to call the Public Works office at 215-766-0189 prior to 7:00 AM on the date of collection to schedule pick up.**

YARD WASTE:

Yard waste will be collected on a **monthly** basis during February, March, April, May, September, October and November with pick ups occurring on the **last Monday of the month**. The December and January pickups will be combined and will take place in conjunction with the Christmas tree pick up scheduled for January 4, 2021. For the 2020 holiday season, the Christmas tree pick ups will be on January 4, 2021 and January 11, 2021. Registration is still needed for the yard waste pick up on January 4, 2021.

Collections during the months of October and November may be delayed due to leaf pick ups coinciding with yard waste collection.

IMPORTANT SPECIFICATIONS:

Yard waste consists of tree branches and limbs only.

Yard waste shall be placed in neat piles at the edge of the road, near your driveway. Limb size is restricted to six (6) foot lengths no greater than five (5) inches in diameter. Piles are to be stacked with the cut edge facing the road. Piles must be less than 2' in height and 2' in width. No more than 10 piles will be accepted at one time.

Grass clippings, leaves, trash, rocks, dirt and plants or bushes with dirt/root ball intact **WILL NOT** be accepted. These items should be composted within your property. Grass clippings should be left to lay and decompose. **DO NOT** dispose of grass clippings with household waste.

Yard waste is to be placed curbside by 7:00 AM on the last Monday of the month following your call to schedule the pick up. Pick up will be based on citizen response, weather conditions and scheduling within the Public Works Department.

CHRISTMAS TREE PICK UP:

Christmas tree pick up will occur **beginning** the **first Monday** following January 1. Crews will begin at 7AM that Monday and travel ALL roads within the township. Crews will make a second pick up in the same manner the following week starting on Monday. We will only travel each road once per week, so please have trees curbside by Monday morning.

NO appointment is necessary. Please place trees curbside separate from your solid waste. **PLEASE** remove all lights and decorations or the tree will not be taken.

The Plumstead Township Public Works Department appreciates your cooperation.

DRIVEWAY PIPE CARE AND MAINTENANCE

There are thousands of individual driveway storm pipes in place across the township that serve to provide access to individual homes and businesses. The responsibility for the maintenance and care of these driveway pipes is the sole responsibility of the property owner where they are located. The function of the pipe to provide access to the property and convey storm run-off are equally important.

The pipes vary in size and type – typically they are constructed of concrete, galvanized metal or plastic. It is important to annually inspect the pipes for maintenance or replacement needs. Also, it is an important responsibility of the homeowner to perform routine maintenance, especially when heavy rains are in the forecast and especially during fall leaf and summer grass cutting seasons when the presence of this natural debris is more prevalent.

Making sure that there are no clogs, or clearing a clog during a high storm event will help eliminate flooding of the travelled portion of the road and ponding of water that can cause hazardous road conditions.

Replacement and/or new driveway installations require that a Road Opening permit be obtained through the Public Works office. This permit assures proper sizing of the pipe to current conditions and to assure the installation is accurate.

Thank you for your cooperation. If you have any questions, please contact the Public Works office at 215-766-0189.

Departments

Public Works Department



Have you seen this sign?

Residents along ALL township maintained roads are reminded that parking during a winter storm is limited based on the provisions set forth in Ordinance #2003-03. Parking is prohibited following the accumulation of one inch or more of snow or ice. Vehicles in violation of this ordinance are subject to towing and storage costs.

Each year, the township openly solicits local towing firms for a set cost to remove and store vehicles in violation of the ordinance. This information is posted on the township website for reference.

Residents are reminded to make guests and visitors to their home aware of this ordinance.

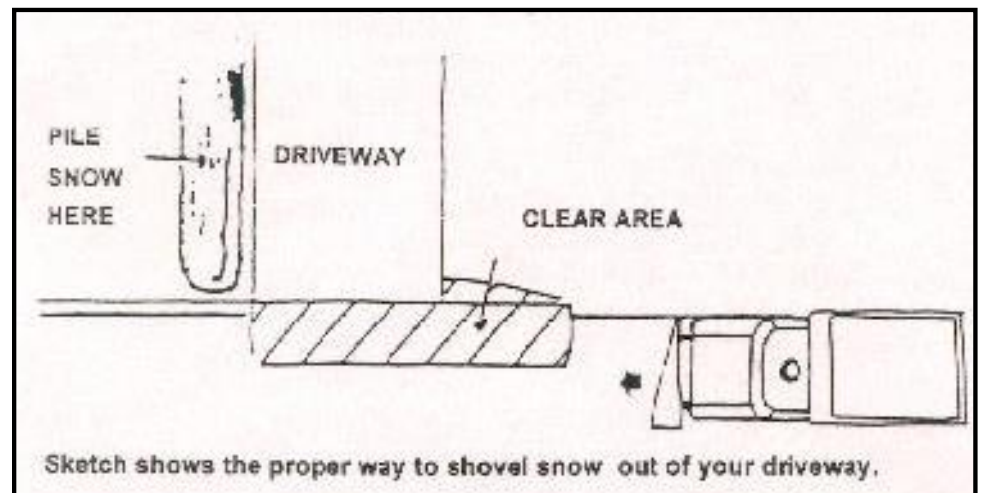
It would also be helpful if you could pass this information along to a new owner when selling a home.

Snow Shoveling Tips

- After a snowstorm, how many times have you shoveled your driveway or sidewalk only to have it plowed in?
- Public Works suggests that you wait until the street is cleared before you shovel the last five feet of your driveway or your sidewalk.
- Always clear an area to the right of your driveway (as seen in the diagram below) to give the snow on the blade of the plow a place to empty before it gets to your driveway. This way you won't have to do the same job twice.
- **Public Works also reminds you that it is illegal to push snow from a parking lot or driveway onto a township roadway.**

Winterizing your mailbox

- Public Works and the U.S. Postal Service are both expected to deliver during the winter season... come rain, sleet, snow, or all of the above. The location of your mailbox along the roadway can affect the efficiency of both mail service and snow plowing operations.
- Where is your mailbox located? Your letter carrier will make every effort to deliver the mail. However, if the mailbox is not accessible to the carrier due to snow buildup, or if it is not properly located along the road, you may have to pick up your mail at the post office.
- **Plumstead Township allows property owners to place mailboxes within the township legal right-of-way, out of respect for the U.S. Postal Service's need to deliver, and mail customers' convenience of delivery; however, mailbox damage is the responsibility of the property owner.**
- Normally, if a mailbox is placed as far from the shoulder of the road as the carrier can reach from a vehicle and the mailbox rests on a firm support, the mailbox should be able to withstand the force of snow from the plowing operation. Be sure your mailbox has a strong support. You also may wish to use reflective tape or other material to make the mailbox easier to see during storms or during dark hours.
- Plowing operations can push snow against or in front of mailboxes, limiting access and perhaps causing damage to supports.
- Check your mailbox and support often, clearing snow from it and depositing the snow properly (never shovel snow onto the road).



Events and Other Information



Save-the-Date: SANTA's coming to Plumstead

Once again, Santa will be coming through the township with a little help from our volunteer fire companies...

Plumsteadville Fire Co (PVFC):

- Sunday, December 13
Rain/snow date Sunday, December 20.
- Monday, December 14 (Arbor Estates)
Rain/snow date Monday, December 21

Point Pleasant Vol Fire Co (PPVFC):

- Sunday, December 20.

Thank you to all the volunteers from both PVFC & PPVFC for helping Santa out.



For the Annual Tree Lighting:

As the COVID-10 pandemic presents perhaps the most serious challenge to holding the Township's Tree Lighting event, Plumstead, like other communities, has come up with a creative solution so that the show can go on. Township Staff and the Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee have created a different kind of tree lighting ceremony for 2020, one that can be enjoyed by families in the comfort of their homes. The Tree Lighting will be streamed on Facebook Live on Saturday December 5th from Hanusey Park where the local Fire Companies and EMS will be assisting Santa with the lighting of the tree, while carolers sing holiday favorites, while saying socially distant. Follow the Township on Facebook and visit our website for details on our upcoming virtual tree lighting.



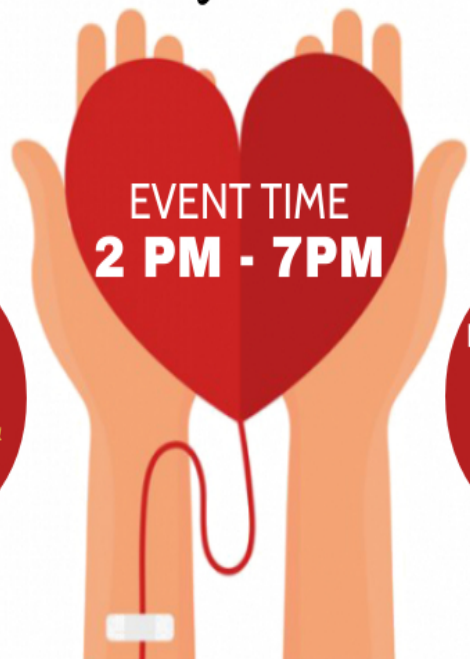
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ROBIN GLENN

2020 FIREFIGHTER OF THE YEAR POINT PLEASANT FIRE CO. #1

This year's 2020 firefighter of the year recipient has dedicated nearly 50 years to the Point Pleasant Fire Co. #1. Joining the Department in 1972, Robin Glenn has volunteered tirelessly for his community and continues to actively do so today.

Robin was one of the very first firefighters to receive the firefighter of the year award in the 1970's. His fellow firemen/women wanted to again acknowledge Robin's countless hours of time and dedication to both the fire company and the community they serve.

Robin has held many leadership positions within the company including Assistant Chief, Vice-President and Trustee. He is also an instrumental member of the dive rescue team as both a diver and boat operator.

Whether it's fighting fires, diving or piloting the boat on river rescues, assisting with high rock rescues or taking on the tedious tasks associated with his current Trustee position, Robin attacks the task at hand with the energy and enthusiasm of a junior firefighter and the grace and professionalism of the true seasoned firefighter that he is. Robin is always willing to lend a hand and get the job done!

The Officers and Members of the Point Pleasant Fire Co. #1 proudly recognize Robin Glenn as their 2020 Firefighter of the Year Recipient. Congratulations Robin AND THANK YOU!!

Events and Other Information

Little Free Library Opening; North Branch Park, Pipersville, PA

Pipersville, PA - [Thursday, August 20, 2020] - Little Free Libraries are a global phenomenon. The small, front-yard book exchanges number more than 100,000 around the world in over 100 countries — from Italy to Brazil to Japan. Now, a new Little Free Library in the North Branch development in Pipersville will join the movement to share books, bring people together and create communities of readers.



Brianna Rott opened her Little Free Library on Saturday, August 15, 2020. The Little Free Library is located at 4980 Ryan Road, Pipersville, PA. Please stop by and take a book, share a book.

“My Little Free Library doesn’t just belong to me, it belongs to the whole community,” said Brianna Rott. “It’s my hope that this Little Free Library will bring a little more joy, a little more connection and a whole lot more books to our community. I’m dedicating this Little Free Library to all of the book lovers in our neighborhood.”

Little Free Library® (LFL) is a nonprofit organization that inspires a love of reading, builds community and improves book access by fostering neighborhood book-exchange boxes around the world. LFL received the 2020 World Literacy Award and has been recognized by the Library of Congress, the National Book Foundation, and the American Library Association, and Reader’s Digest named them one of the “50 Surprising Things We Love about America.” Each year, nearly 10 million books are shared in Little Free Libraries. To learn more, please visit littlefreelibrary.org.



WATCH FOR DEER!

It’s that time of year again – Please watch out for deer on the roadways. Follow some safety tips to help you avoid accidents with a deer.

Stay Alert – Especially at dusk and early evening. Deer are out and about and are hard to see when the sun goes down.

If a deer crosses in front of you, chances are there are more nearby. Take extra time, slow down and look for additional deer that may be just off the side of the roadway.

When safe to do so, use your high beam headlights to help see further down the roadway. You may also be able to spot a deer because their eyes will reflect the car’s headlights.

If you see a deer, brake firmly and calmly, and stay in your lane. Avoid swerving off of the roadway.

What to do if you strike a deer:

If your car is still drivable, drive to the nearest safe area and report the accident to the police. They will respond and take a report (as well as check on you and the deer!). If you cannot drive your car, pull to the side of the roadway and activate your vehicle’s hazard lights. If you have a cell phone, contact the police. The police will arrange for towing of your vehicle and make sure that you get home safely.



We are still getting a lot of mail being sent to the wrong address. We are asking you to please take a minute and update your mailing info for us.

Plumstead Township (Administration & Police) will no longer be using their PO Box. If you need to mail anything to us, please use our physical address:

**Plumstead Township
5186 Stump Road
Pipersville, PA 18947**

Please note the new address is Pipersville NOT Plumsteadville.

Thank you!

Events and Other Information

CARBON MONOXIDE POISONING – WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

By Sahara Mtairi, Doylestown Township Intern



As winter slowly settles in and more people turn on their heating systems to combat the cold, it is vital to keep an eye out for carbon monoxide buildup.

What is Carbon Monoxide?

Carbon Monoxide, or ‘CO’, is often referred to as the “Invisible Killer” because it is a poisonous, clear, colorless and odorless gas that is produced any time a fossil fuel is burned. If left to build up in your homes or vehicles, Carbon Monoxide can lead to serious illness-and possibly death-to any person or animal who breathes it in.

Where Is It Found?

Carbon Monoxide is found in the fumes from anything you use to burn fuel. It can most commonly be found in the fumes from:

Cars	Trucks
Small Engines	Grills
Stoves	Fireplaces
Furnaces	Gas Ranges

Symptoms

According to the CDC, symptoms of Carbon Monoxide poisoning appear to be “flu-like” and include the following:

Headache	Weakness
Dizziness	Upset Stomach
Vomiting	Chest Pain
Confusion	Blurred Vision

Who’s at risk?

Everyone is at a potential risk of Carbon Monoxide poisoning. However, those most likely to be affected by CO poisoning are infants and the elderly. Those with chronic health problems such as heart disease, anemia, or breathing problems-like asthma or COPD-also run a higher risk of being affected.

Prevention

The CDC, (Centers for Disease Control) recommends that the best way to prevent carbon monoxide poisoning from happening to you is to install a Carbon Monoxide detector in your homes. Make sure to check/replace the batteries twice a year (it is recommended that the best time to do this is in the spring and fall when you change the time on your clocks), as well as replacing the detector itself every five years or so.

In order to prevent Carbon Monoxide buildup, the CDC also recommends doing the following:

- Have your water heater, heating system, or any other fuel (gas, oil, or coal) burning appliances serviced every year by a qualified technician.
- Have chimneys checked/cleaned every year. Your chimney could be blocked by debris, which can cause a CO buildup in your living space.
- DO NOT use a gas range or oven to heat your living space.
- DO NOT burn charcoal indoors. CO can be found in any type of burning charcoal.
- Check to make sure your gas appliances are being properly ventilated.
- It is also recommended that, in order to prevent Carbon Monoxide poisoning from your car/truck, you should:
 - Have a qualified mechanic check your car/trucks exhaust system every year.
 - Never run your car/truck inside a garage that is attached to your home, even if the garage door is open.
 - If you have a detached garage, make sure to open the garage door when you run your car/truck to let in fresh air.

For a complete list of ways to prevent Carbon Monoxide poisoning or buildup from occurring in your home, please check out the CDC Website, linked below!

<https://www.cdc.gov/co/faqs.htm>

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