

# TOWN MANAGER'S WEEKLY REPORT

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## UPCOMING MEETINGS & EVENTS ...

- ✓ **Town Council Meeting:** Monday, January 12, 6:30 PM Public Hearing followed by Regular Meeting, Town Hall
- ✓ **Town Offices Closed:** Monday, January 19, in observation of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day
- ✓ **Planning Commission Meeting:** Wednesday, January 21, 6:00 PM, Town Hall
- ✓ **Delaware League of Local Governments:** Thursday, October 23, 5:30 PM, Cheswold
- ✓ **Town Council Meeting:** Monday, January 26, 7:00 PM, Regular Meeting, Town Hall

## UPDATES FROM DEPARTMENTS

### **Finance**

- As of January 9, the Town has collected:
  - \$2,444,720 (99%) of the Annual Property Tax billing total (\$2,457,824)
  - \$159,845 (14%) of the January utility billing total (\$1,124,937)
    - ✓ Utility Bills Mailed this week
    - ✓ Take Note Newsletter, 2026 Trash Schedule, Recycling Guidelines (copy attached)
    - ✓ H2O Analytics Customer Portal Users (86)
- Processed Payroll, Accounts Payable, Accounts Receivable
  - Processed payroll records (51)
  - Processed Purchase Orders (41)
    - ✓ Accounts Payable Checks generated (36)
  - Miscellaneous Billing Invoices generated (8)
  - Cash Receipt Transactions (182)
- Provided Tax and Utility Information for property settlements and stamped deeds
- ClearGov Training - Personnel & Operating Budget
  - Personnel Program Set-up (Olga Holm)
- Human Resources
  - Completed and distributed 2025 W-2
  - Worked on 1099-NEC
  - Completed Town of Georgetown 2025 Census for ACA Reporting
- Assisted customers with utility bill and parking ticket questions
- Completed November Bank Reconciliations (23)

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## **Wastewater**

- Lagoon depths: Large Lagoon is 10.00 feet, and Small Lagoon is 4.50 feet
- Talked with Synagro to set up meeting for January 13, they manage Laurel's sludge
- Godwin pumps had to come work on 6" pump fuel line had gotten air bound, found bad check valve
- Ventilation fan went bad at Main Station replaced with new one
- Replaced outlet in screen building at Main Station
- Replaced battery in generator at SCHS
- Cleared sewer blockage on Bramhall Street
- Continued work on information for appraisal

## **Water**

- Water leak on Gordy Street, repaired by Chesapeake
- Water leak Ennis Road, repaired by Brett Schrock
- Took water sample from Gordy Street property – sent to state for testing
- Worked with property on Gordy Street to get air out of water lines
- Hydrant flow test for The Oaks at Georgetown
- Weekly PFAS testing complete
- Raised and installed concrete around water valve at North Bedford Extended and Gordy Street

## **Public Works**

- Took delivery of new street sweeper
- Placed new decals on sweeper
- Everybody in Public Works and Water Department trained on new street sweeper
- Serviced town vehicles
- Set up for events and delivered porta potty
- Fixed signs townwide
- Received a load of road salt
- Took down Christmas decorations and moved Santa House back to shop
- Christmas Tree taken down and stored back at Maintenance Shop
- Performed regular maintenance of Town properties and bike trail

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## **Police**

- Weekly Code Enforcement statistics updated (copy attached)
- Weekly CrimeMapping Reports (copy attached)
- Weekly Crime Snapshot (copy attached)
- Department representatives attended funeral services for DSP Corporal Grade One Matthew T. "Ty" Snook
- Departmental Press Releases issued as warranted

## **Construction Coordinator**

- Admirals Landing
  - Water main pressure test
  - Inspected utility connections for Lots 32 & 33
- Village of College Park
  - Inspected sidewalk subgrade for Lot 94
- Oaks of Georgetown
  - Inspected water main and storm sewer pipe installation.
- Certificate of Occupancy
  - 20400 Mizzenmast Lane (Club House)
- Miss Utility Locate Summary (copy attached)

## **Community Development**

- Board of Adjustment 1/7 meeting held:
  - Kingfisher Court - variance for maximum height approved
- Wards 1 + 3 Rental Inspections are ongoing:
  - Properties with successful inspections completed: 232/ 250
  - Properties requiring reinspections: 8
  - Properties with upcoming inspections scheduled: 0
  - Properties with no contact and unscheduled: 10
  - Removed from list (vacant, leaving rental program or already recently inspected): 6
- Wards 2 + 4 Rental Inspections have begun:
  - Properties with successful inspections completed: 58/308
  - Properties requiring reinspections: 6
  - Properties with upcoming inspections scheduled: 71
  - Properties with no contact and unscheduled: N/A

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- Removed from list (vacant, leaving rental program or already recently inspected): 2
- Facilitated Board of Adjustment meeting
- Continue to receive and process Business License Renewals for 2026
- Coordinated with Office of State Planning Coordination on DDD renewal application
- Attended UD IPA's and DSHA's Disaster Housing Preparedness Pilot Program (Session #2) (Brian Olszak, Jamie Donaway)
- Sussex County Superior Court Improvements - January 9: Cat II plan approved pending signatures and stamp from town
- Cheer Gateway East - January 9: Cat II subdivision plan submitted through GOPOST and distributed to reviewers
- Research and responded to FOIA requests
- Predevelopment Meetings:
  - 106 Murrays Lane - cottage community
  - 22549 Little Street - Little Faces site plan amendment
  - 0 Lynch Lane (no-show)

## TOWN MANAGER'S UPDATE

- Facilitated America 250 Committee Meeting
- Met with representatives from Springboard Delaware regarding the Cottage Community Ordinance and requirements (Jamie Donaway, Gene Dvornick, Brian Olszak, Stephanie Roblero, Jeff Ward)
- Attended DDD update meeting with consultant (Gene Dvornick, Brian Olszak)
- Provided local television media information on the Downtown Development District Renewal
- Participated in meeting with local veterans' organizations and the proposal for a Sussex County War Memorial at the Delaware Veterans Memorial Cemetery
- Provided landscape architectural firm information to American Legion Post 8
- Attended Key Decision Makers – Affordable Housing Group virtual meeting – potential ideas for consideration:
  - ✓ 'Ready in Six' initiative for affordable housing projects (state agencies)
  - ✓ Modular off-site construction of housing
  - ✓ Missing Middle as by-right
  - ✓ Education on, and use of, land trusts
- Met with Federal Highway Administration officials to discuss and review our Neighborhood Access and Equity grant (Gene Dvornick, Laura Givens)
- Participated in Supportive Housing Issues Committee Meeting – presentations by:
  - ✓ First State Community Action Agency
  - ✓ Love in the Name of Christ

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- ✓ Impact Life – Georgetown Recovery Hub
- Provided local television media information on the Town Circle Bollard Protection Design and Permitting proposal
- Attended Sussex County Association of Towns Steering Committee Meeting – discussion items:
  - ✓ 2026 SCAT Legislative Breakfast
  - ✓ Potential legislative issues
  - ✓ Speakers for 2026 Steering Meetings
  - ✓ Provide local municipality with information regarding Georgetown efforts around emerging contaminants and actions taken to date
- Monthly Labor Review – November 2025 (copy attached)
- Responded to FOIA requests
- Followed up on code enforcement issues



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***THIS REPORT AND ANY ATTACHMENTS ARE ONLY BEING SENT  
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*To inform the Council, employees, and the public about current Town activities and issues, the Town Manager issues the Town Manager's Weekly Report with highlights from department activities for the current week. This report, published and distributed every Friday, is available online. If you have comments, questions, or suggestions about the Town Manager's Weekly Report, please contact the Town Manager.*



# Town of Georgetown Take Note



## **Important Phone Numbers:**

Administrative Office:

(302) 856-7391

Fax: (302) 856-6348

Community Development:

(302) 853-0104

Public Works:

(302) 253-8630

Sewer Department:

(302) 500-8140

### ***Sewer Emergency***

Cell: (302) 381-5642

Water Department:

(302) 381-2248

### ***Water Emergency:***

Cell: (302) 381-5642

Non-Emergency Police

Dept. (302) 856-6613

Code Enforcement:

(302) 448-5027

Fire, Ambulance, Police:

911

Casella Waste Systems:

Trash Service

(302) 934-1364

Sussex County:

(302) 855-7700

Georgetown State Service

Center: (302) 856-5574

### **Town Office Hours:**

Monday through Friday

8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Visit us on the Town of Georgetown's Website located at [www.georgetowndel.com](http://www.georgetowndel.com)

Welcome 2026!

I hope each of you, and your families, had a wonderful holiday season. It is always amazing how all the holiday lighting transforms our neighborhoods and various public spaces.

Last year ended with the groundbreaking of our new Police and Public Works facility. This is an exciting project and once again, I am thankful for your support in the passing of the bond referendum. Be sure to check out project updates which can be found on the town's website.

On a somber note, the tragic death of Delaware State Police Corporal Grade One Matthew Tyler "Ty" Snook illustrated once again how fragile life really is. I want to thank the Town Staff, organizers, and speakers at the Candlelight Vigil held on The Circle. Once again, through tragedy, our community came together and showed how strong we are when we stand together.

I want to close this with a gentle reminder that it is easier to see the negative side of things, but there is always a positive side as well, sometimes we just need to look harder to find it.

Wishing you all the best in the year ahead – Georgetown. Well Rounded.

Sincerely,

**Bill West**

Mayor Bill West

## **REGISTER FOR CODERED EMERGENCY ALERTS TODAY**

CodeRED by Crisis 24 is an emergency notification system to help keep you and your family safe in the event of an emergency.

Alerts are sent by your local public safety agency by telephone, cell phone, SMS, email, social media and more.

CodeRED will only be used for emergency situations to keep you informed. Examples of the types of alerts you might receive are: Boil Advisory, Criminal Activity, Missing person/Children, Inclement Weather.

Visit our website [www.georgetowndel.com](http://www.georgetowndel.com) and find the CODERED by CRISIS24 icon on our homepage.



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By **CRISIS24**

### **Sign Up for News & Notices**

To sign up for News & Notices, visit the Town of Georgetown's website [www.georgetowndel.com](http://www.georgetowndel.com). Once there, on the menu bar click on Home -> Notify Me. This will take you to the "Email Signup Page". Sign up to receive our email blast and stay informed. You may select your interests - News and Public Notices -> Emergency Notices Only -> Town Meetings.



# Town of Georgetown Take Note

## Meetings

### Town Council Meetings

Second & Fourth Monday of each month at 7:00 p.m.

### Planning Commission Meetings

Third Wednesday of each month at 6:00 p.m.

### Board of Adjustment

First Wednesday of each month at 5:00 p.m.

Looking for information on what is happening in Georgetown?

Follow us on Facebook in order to get current events and notices!



## HOLIDAY CLOSING

### New Year's Day

Thursday, January 1

### Martin Luther King Jr

### Day

Monday, January 19

### Good Friday

Friday, April 3

## Questions or concerns?

**Please feel free to contact the Town Administrative Office, (302) 856-7391 or email your local councilmember.**

Mayor - Bill West  
bwest@georgetowndel.com

Ward 1 - Christina Diaz-Malone  
cdiaz-malone@georgetowndel.com

Ward 2 - Tony Neal  
tneal@georgetowndel.com

Ward 3 - Eric Evans  
eevans@georgetowndel.com

Ward 4 - Penuel Barrett  
pbarrett@georgetowndel.com

## News from the Georgetown Public Library

### The Founding of Lewes

Thursday, January 15 at 5:30pm

Join us and the Lewes Historical Society to learn about the founding of the first town in the first state!

### DE 250 Event for Kids - Congressional Chaos!

Tuesday, January 20 at 2:15pm

Take a seat and become a delegate in our Second Continental Congress. Here, we'll rediscover what it took to create a new country in 1776. What decisions and compromises needed to be made? Grab your gavel, dust off your debate skills, and get ready to explore the important questions that face the delegates to the Second Continental Congress. Registration is recommended but not required.

### Junk Journaling Workshop

Tuesday, February 10 at 2:00pm.

Participants make their very own 4"x6" fully embellished Mini Journal as an introduction to art of "Junk" Journaling. All supplies, hands on and written instruction as well as follow up suggestions which can assist participants in their future junk journaling journey will be provided. Participants leave with a fully embellished journal complete with tags, tuck spots, pockets, specialty paper clips and embellishments. Registration is required and will open on January 13.

### DE 250 Event for Kids - Revolutionary Espionage

Tuesday, February 17 at 2:15pm.

At the outbreak of the American Revolution, the British had the bigger, better, well-organized army. But how would the Americans prevail? Spies! Discover famous spies, including one Delawarean who wreaked havoc on the British. Explore and practice cloak-and-dagger techniques of the Revolutionary Era as students break off into spy groups, write coded messages, and must out spy the other group. Registration is recommended but not required.

## Rental License Notice

Residential rental properties within Wards 2 and 4 are required to have their biennial inspections performed for the 2026 license year. Inspections must be scheduled and/or completed no later than **January 31, 2026**.

The property owner or a representative must be present for the inspection; all inspection and renewal fees will be payable to the Town of Georgetown once invoiced. Please contact First State Inspection Agency at (302) 422-3859 or [inspections@firststateinspection.com](mailto:inspections@firststateinspection.com) to schedule a date for the inspection. Rental/Business License Renewal Forms will be mailed once the property passes all inspections.

To renew a license, applicants must be current on all Town obligations per the Clean Hands Ordinance, Town Code §89-2.

The completed renewal form, fee, and other required documents are due by March 1, 2026.

## Reminders from Code Enforcement...

- \* Holiday Seasonal Lighting is to be removed within 30 days after the holiday with which the holiday seasonal lighting is associated (§ 116-146 Holiday Seasonal Lighting).
- \* Please remove snow or ice from the sidewalks within 24 hours following the ceasing of the precipitation (§ 190.1 Unremoved snow or ice a nuisance).

# TOWN OF GEORGETOWN

## 2026 CURBSIDE

### COLLECTION CALENDAR

- **Trash** is collected every week and **recycling** is collected every other week. See below for **yard waste** collection week.
- If there is a holiday during your collection week, your service will be delayed by one day. See the calendar below for reference.
- Place containers at the curb the night before pickup.
- See back for recycling information.

Recycling pickup
  Trash pickup
  Yard waste pickup
  Holiday

#### JANUARY

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# CALENDARIO DE RECOLECCIÓN DE RESIDUOS DE LA CIUDAD DE GEORGETOWN PARA 2026

- **La basura** se recoge todas las semanas y los **reciclables** se recogen semana por medio. Observe a continuación su semana de recolección de **desechos de jardín**.
- Si hay un feriado durante su semana de recolección, su servicio se retrasará un día. Consulte el calendario a continuación como referencia.
- Coloque los contenedores en la esquina la noche anterior al día de recolección.
- Observe en el reverso la información sobre los reciclables.

 Recolección de reciclables

 Recolección de residuos

 Recolección de desechos de jardín

 Feriado

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## JULIO

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## NOVIEMBRE

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# RECYCLING

Toss **ONLY** the recyclable items listed below into your recycling bin

## CARDBOARD/PAPER



**Cardboard & Boxboard**  
(Clean & dry)



**Junk Mail, Periodicals, & Office Paper**  
(Paper bags, envelopes, & catalogs)

## PLASTIC



**Plastic Bottles, Jugs, Tubs, & Lids**  
(Empty kitchen, laundry, & bath containers & clamshells)

## METAL



**Aluminum & Steel Cans**  
(Foil & empty food & beverage cans)

## GLASS



**Glass Bottles & Jars**  
(Empty food & beverage bottles & jars)

## REMEMBER TO RECYCLE BETTER!

- ✓ No items smaller than 2" in size
- ✓ All containers are empty, rinsed, & dry
- ✓ Cardboard is flattened & broken down
- ✓ There are NO items from the NOT ACCEPTED list in the recycling bin



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For recycling tips and resources, visit [casella.com/RecycleBetter](http://casella.com/RecycleBetter)

## NOT ACCEPTED



DO YOUR PART TO RECYCLE BETTER™  
THE ITEMS LISTED BELOW DON'T BELONG  
IN YOUR RECYCLING BIN



PLASTIC BAGS



BAGGED RECYCLABLES



CLOTHING/TEXTILES



TANGLERS



SCRAP METAL ITEMS



BATTERIES



MEDICAL WASTE



FOOD WASTE/LIQUIDS



ELECTRONICS



HAZARDOUS MATERIALS  
OR EXPLOSIVES



PLASTIC WRAP,  
FILMS, OR TARPS



WOOD, WASTE,  
OR TIRES



DISPOSABLE  
ITEMS



WAXY COATED  
PAPER ITEMS



CERAMICS OR  
BAKING GLASS



# RECICLAJE

Solo deseches los artículos reciclables que se enumeran a continuación en su contenedor de reciclaje

## CARTON/PAPEL



**Cartón**  
(Limpio y seco)



**Correo Basura, Periódicos y Papel de Oficina**  
(Bolsas de papel, sobres, y catálogos)

## PLASTICO



**Botellas Plásticas, Jarras, Tinas y Tapas**  
(Recipientes vacíos de cocina, lavandería, y baño)

## METAL



**Latas de Aluminio y Acero**  
(Papel de aluminio y latas de alimentos y bebidas vacías)

## VIDRIO



**Botellas de Vidrio y Frascos**  
(Botellas y frascos vacíos de alimentos y bebidas)

## RECUERDE RECICLAR MEJOR!

- ✓ Que no hayan artículos de menos de 2" de tamaño
- ✓ Que todos los recipientes estén vacíos, enjuagados y secos
- ✓ Que el cartón sea aplastado y en pedazos
- ✓ ACEPTADOS en la canasta de reciclaje



Para obtener más información y recursos, visite [casella.com/RecycleBetter](http://casella.com/RecycleBetter) • 800-CASELLA

## NO ACEPTADOS



### HAZ TU PARTE PARA RECICLAR MEJOR

LOS ARTICULOS MENCIONADOS ABAJO NO PERTENECEN EN SU CANASTA DE RECICLAJE



LAS BOLSAS DE PLASTICO



LOS RECICLABLES EMBOLSADOS



ROPA/TEXTILES



LOS ENREDADORES



ARTICULOS DE CHAIRARRA



LAS BATERIAS DE CUALQUIER TIPO



DESECHOS MEDICOS



RESIDUOS ALIMENTICIOS/LIQUIDOS



LOS DESECHOS ELECTRONICOS



MATERIALES O EXPLOSIVOS PELIGROSOS



ENVOLTURA PLASTICA, PELICULAS O LONAS



MADERA, BASURA, O NEUMATICOS



ARTICULOS DISPONIBLES



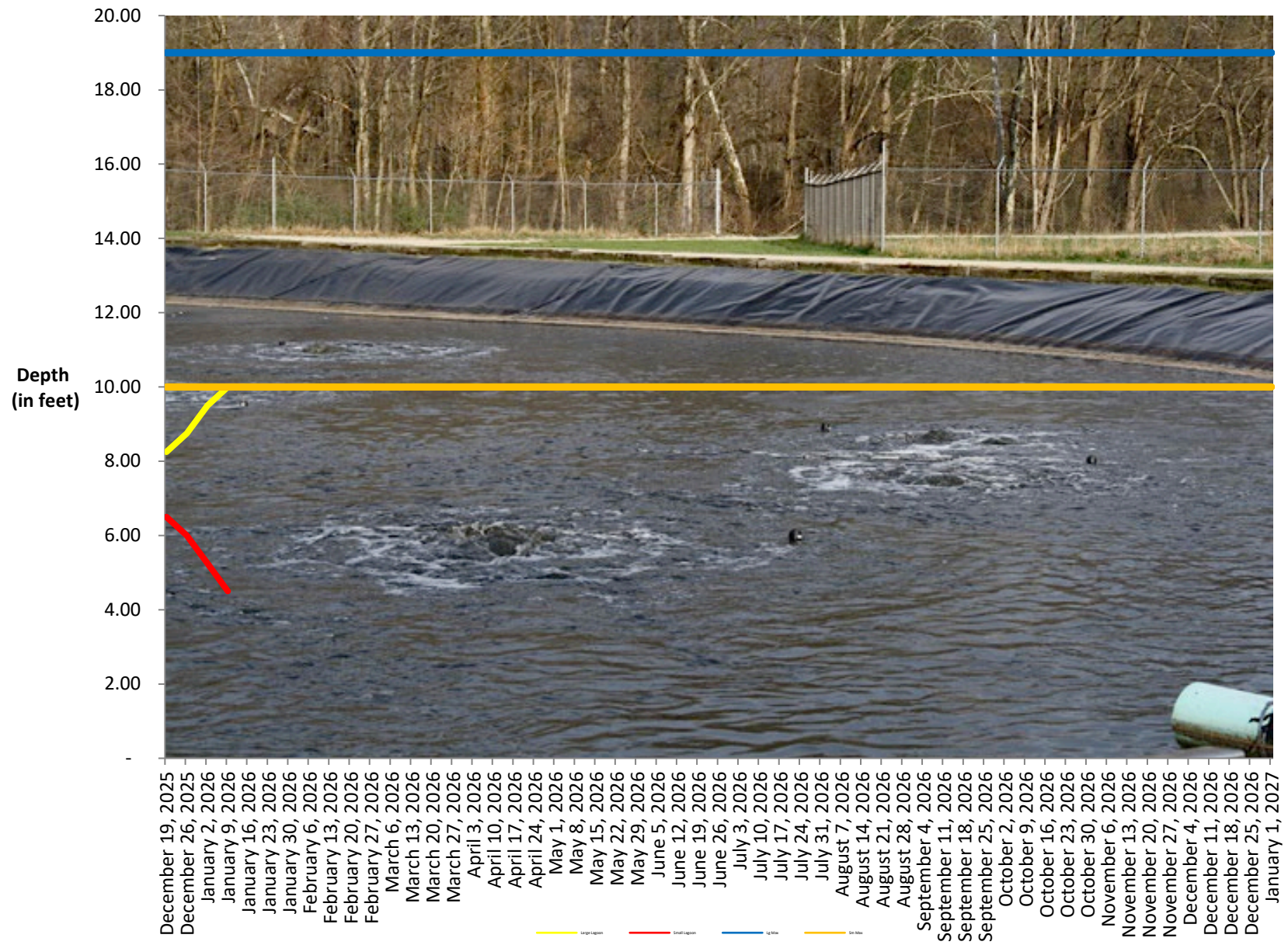
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CERAMICA O VIDRIO DE HORNAR



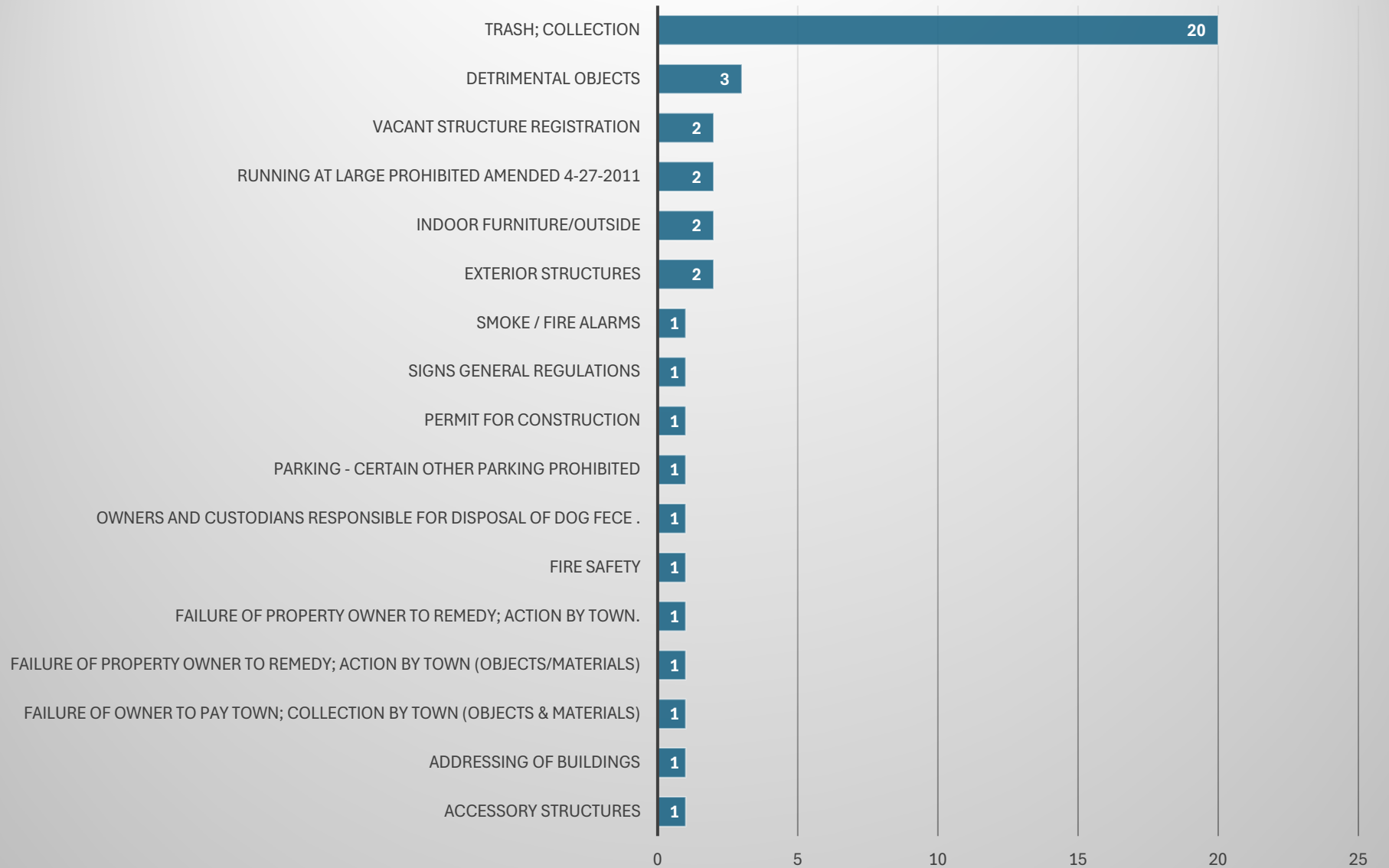
## WWTF Lagoon Depths





## Code Violations

### January 2, 2026 to January 8, 2026

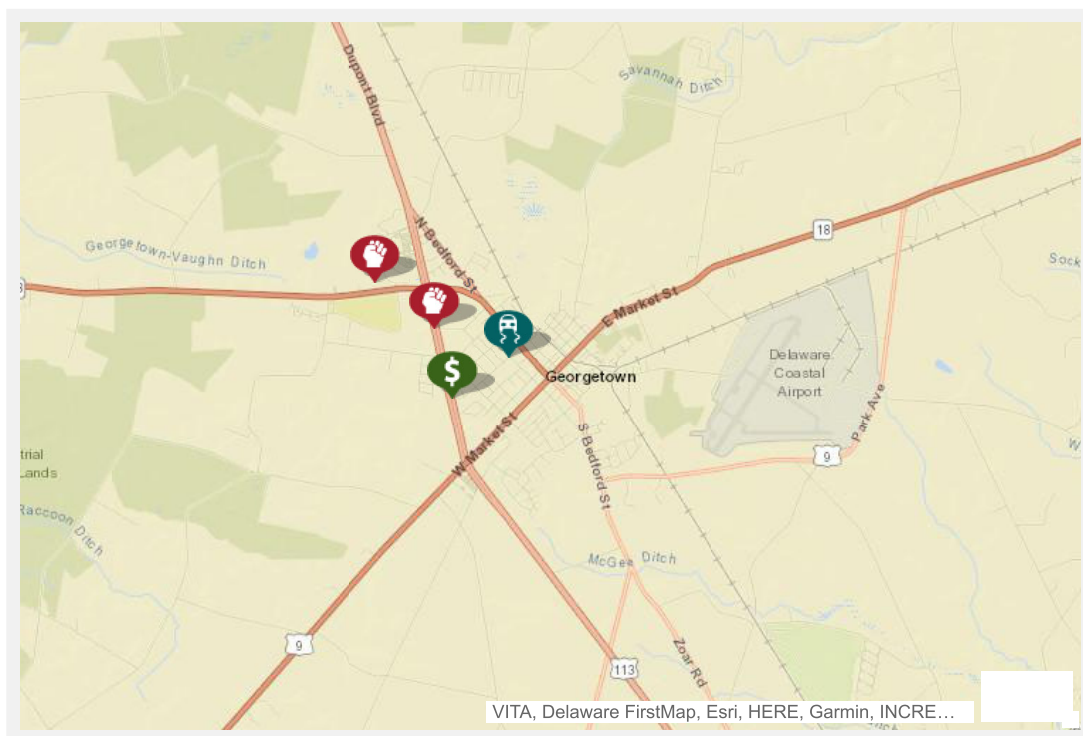


## CrimeMapping.com Map

Friday, January 2, 2026 through Thursday, January 8, 2026

**Showing crime types:** Arson, Assault, Burglary, Disturbing the Peace, Drugs / Alcohol Violations, DUI, Fraud, Homicide, Motor Vehicle Theft, Robbery, Sex Crimes, Theft / Larceny, Vandalism, Vehicle Break-In / Theft, Weapons





☒ Show crime report ☐ Show crime chart



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Crime Report

Type	Description	Incident #	Location	Agency	Date
	OFFENSIVE TOUCHING/OTHER ASSAULTS/NON-AGGRAVATED	8126000093	20700 BLOCK DUPONT BLVD	Georgetown Police	1/5/2026 10:03 PM
	DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE/LIQUOR	8126000096	EDWARD SW ST & FRONT ST	Georgetown Police	1/5/2026 9:57 PM
	SIMPLE ASSAULT/NON-FAMILY/OTHER ASSAULTS/NON-AGGRAVATED	8126000034	21600 BLOCK SW BIDEN AVE	Georgetown Police	1/2/2026 6:24 PM
	LARCENY/SHOPLIFTING	8126000022	20900 BLOCK N DUPONT BLVD	Georgetown Police	1/2/2026 7:26 AM

# Georgetown Police Department

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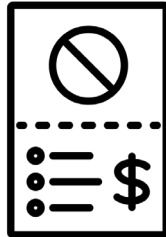
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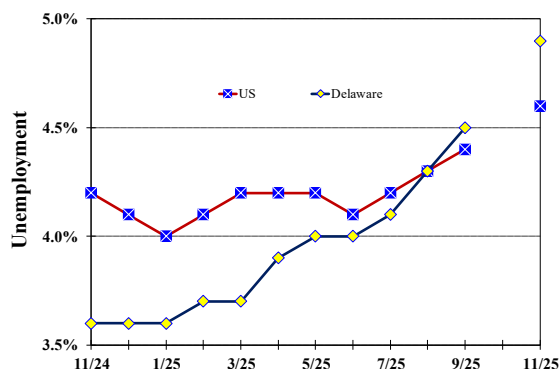
## November 2025

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### Unemployment Rate

Delaware and US

November 2024 – November 2025



### Monthly Commentary

In November, Delaware's year-over-year job growth continues to be driven by the *Private Education and Health Services* industry, which added 2,500 jobs (not-seasonally adjusted), accounting for 75 percent of the state's total nonfarm job increase of 3,300. Sussex County led statewide growth, adding 2,000 jobs, primarily in *Private Education and Health Services, Professional and Business Services*, and *Leisure and Hospitality*. New Castle County added 1,300 jobs, led by gains in *Private Education and Health Services, Professional and Business Services*, and *Trade, Transportation, and Utilities*. Employment in Kent County remained largely flat, as gains in *Private Education and Health Services* were offset by losses in *Leisure and Hospitality, Federal Government*, and *Manufacturing*.

### Delaware Civilian Labor Force

Delaware Residents

	Nov. 2025	Oct. 2025	Nov. 2024
Civilian Labor Force	515,000	-	506,600
Employed	489,600	-	488,400
Unemployed	25,400	-	18,200
Unemployment Rate %	4.9	-	3.6
US Unemployment Rate %	4.6	-	4.2

Source: Delaware Dept. of Labor in cooperation with the US Dept. of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.  
Note: The October 2025 unemployment data is not available due to a lapse in Federal appropriations.

### Area Unemployment Rates (%)

	Nov. 2025	Oct 2025	Nov. 2024
<b>New Castle County</b>	5.2	-	3.1
Wilmington	6.9	-	4.5
Newark	6.2	-	3.4
Middletown	4.7	-	3.0
<b>Kent County</b>	5.8	-	3.4
Dover	6.9	-	4.0
<b>Sussex County</b>	5.4	-	3.1

Note: Area rates are not seasonally adjusted.

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Source: Delaware Dept. of Labor in cooperation with the US Dept. of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

### Hours & Earnings

All Employee (Total Private)

	Nov. 2025	Oct. 2025	Nov. 2024
<b>Weekly Earnings</b>	\$1,113.76	\$1,090.91	\$1,035.18
<b>Weekly Hours</b>	32.7	32.4	32.4
<b>Hourly Earnings</b>	\$34.06	\$33.67	\$31.95

Source: Delaware Dept. of Labor in cooperation with the US Dept. of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

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## Delaware Labor Force Trends

Delaware's seasonally adjusted unemployment rate in November 2025 was 4.9%, up from 4.5% in September 2025. There were 25,400 unemployed Delawareans in November 2025 compared to 18,200 in November 2024. The US unemployment rate was 4.6% in November 2025, up from 4.4% in September 2025. In November 2024, the US unemployment rate was 4.2%, while Delaware's rate was 3.6%.

In November 2025, seasonally adjusted nonfarm employment was 494,000, up from 493,300 in October 2025. Since November 2024, Delaware's total nonfarm jobs have increased by a net gain of 3,300, a rise of 0.7%. Nationally, jobs during that period increased by 0.5%.

### Delaware Nonfarm Employment

*Jobs at Delaware Locations*  
Seasonally Adjusted (in 000s)

INDUSTRY GROUP	Nov. 2025	Oct. 2025	Over the Month Change	Over the Year Change†
TOTAL NONAG. EMP.	494.0	493.3	0.7	3.3
CONSTRUCTION	24.3	24.4	-0.1	-0.2
MANUFACTURING	26.0	26.0	0.0	-0.7
Durable Goods	8.0	8.0	0.0	-0.1
Nondurable Goods	18.0	18.0	0.0	-0.6
TRADE, TRANSP., & UTIL.	90.8	90.8	0.0	0.6
Wholesale Trade	12.7	12.7	0.0	-0.1
Retail Trade	52.0	52.1	-0.1	0.5
Transp. & Utilities	26.1	26.0	0.1	0.2
INFORMATION	3.5	3.6	-0.1	-0.1
FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES	49.5	49.2	0.3	0.4
PROF. & BUS. SERVICES	65.3	65.2	0.1	0.8
PRIV. EDUCATION & HEALTH	90.8	90.7	0.1	2.5
LEISURE & HOSPITALITY	52.7	52.5	0.2	-0.2
OTHER SERVICES	20.4	20.3	0.1	0.5
GOVERNMENT	70.7	70.6	0.1	-0.3
Federal Government	6.3	6.2	0.1	-0.4
State Government	32.8	32.8	0.0	-0.2
Local Government	31.6	31.6	0.0	0.3

† Annual changes are not seasonally adjusted.  
Details may not add up due to rounding and seasonal adjustment.  
Source: US Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

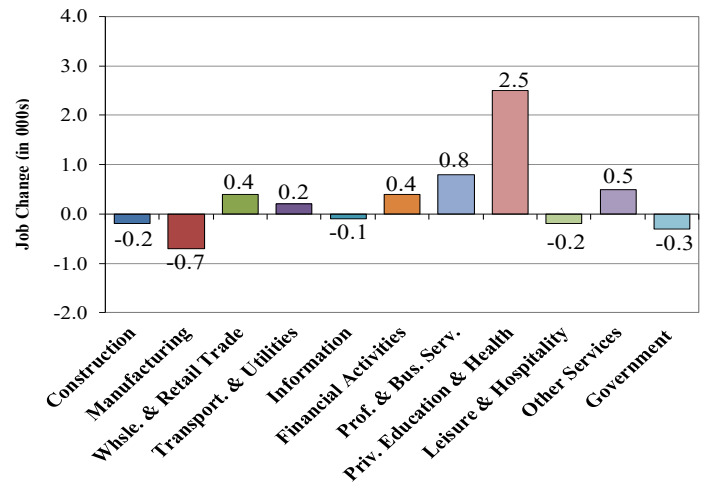
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### Delaware Over-the-Year Job Change

November 2024 — November 2025



### Consumer Price Index

All Urban Consumers

	Percent Change to Nov. 2025 from:		
	Nov. 2024	Sep. 2025	Oct. 2025
US City Average	2.7	-0.2	NA
Phila.-Camden-Wilm.*	NA	NA	NA

\* Data are published on a bi-monthly basis.

### Delaware Annual Net Job Change

Annual Average 2004–2024

