

Steady Progress: A Mid-Year Report



The newly restored Pine Street completed in Summer 2016.

It has been a very busy year in the Borough of Steelton. From construction projects to welcoming new members of Council and staff, the Borough is quickly moving forward in a new and positive direction. Here's a list of some of the accomplishments made so far in 2016:

- A new borough website is up and running, providing a new level of information and transparency for residents.
- Authority and Council minutes are completed and up-to-date. They are available on the new website.
- The Pine Street Paving and Utility Improvements Project is complete.
- The North Front Street Demolition project is nearing completion, creating an open green space ready for future development. Additional demolition work continues into the Fall.
- Harrisburg Street utility improvements and paving near completion.
- A new Codes Officer, Amrinder Singh, has taken over the Codes Office with a focus on efficiency and bringing the office into the 21st century.
- An Adopt-a-Block Program is now in effect (see page 2 for more details).
- A new Police Chief, Anthony Minium, is successfully leading a community-oriented police department that has built bridges with the community.
- The Water Plant and Distribution System continue to receive significant upgrades, including the construction of a chlorine contact tank to minimize disinfection byproducts and a comprehensive distribution system upgrade.
- Renovation of the Midget Baseball Field is slated to kick off in the Fall.

Starting in September COFFEE WITH THE CREW

First Friday of Every
Month @ 7am

Council Chambers

Grab a cup of coffee and chat with the Borough Manager and staff. Share issues, concerns, and ideas and get to know the staff working for you.



Meet Chief Minium

Anthony Minium was sworn in as Steelton Borough Police Chief on June 20, 2016. Chief Minium is a thirteen year veteran of the Steelton Police Department. A veteran of the United States Army, Chief Minium has implemented a community policing strategy in Steelton that focuses on building relationships with the community and being involved with youth, businesses, and residents alike. If you see Tony in the streets, send him a congratulations.

Steelton Borough Welcomes Officer Michael Smith

Steelton Borough is proud to welcome its newest officer, Michael Smith, to the Police Department.

Officer Smith is a military veterans who proudly served our country.

He is now continuing to serve the Steelton Community as its newest officer.



Please join us in welcoming Officer Smith to the Steelton family.

STEELTON FIRE DEPARTMENT IS LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS Help Needed!!

Motivated individuals needed to volunteer within the Steelton Volunteer Fire Department

Ages 15 and Older Welcome. Yes 15!

For information call the Firehouse at **717.939.2478** or like us on Facebook at 'Steelton Pa Fire Department' and send us a message.

Help us, help you, and help the community.



Engine 50 is one of many apparatus that are driven by qualified Steelton Volunteer Firefighters. The newly renovated fire house is a perfect place to make friends, become a trained emergency responder, and serve your community.



Members of the Steelton Junior Police Academy pose for a picture with Steelton Officers, Detectives, and Summit Search and Rescue staff. The academy is an eight week program that gives Steelton youth the opportunity to experience life as a police officer.

Water/ Sewer Bill Reminders:

- Payments can now be made online at the Steelton Web-site.
- Any online payment returned for any reason will be charged a \$50 NSF fee.
- Regularly check your property for any leaks including running toilets and dripping faucets. Usage can spike due to leaks.
- Payments can be made any-time during the billing cycle until you get a shut-off notice. Then the bill must be paid in full.



PENNVEST Approves Financing for Chlorine Contact Tank Project

At its July meeting, the Board of the Pennsylvania Infrastructure Investment Authority (PENNVEST) approved a \$3 million low-interest loan that will finance construction of the chlorine contact tank at the Steelton Water Plant.

This project is the most important part of a comprehensive upgrade to the Steelton Water Filtration Plant and Distribution System that will take place in 2017.

Candidate Sought to Fill Water Authority Vacancy

Steelton Borough is searching for a qualified individuals to fill a vacancy on the Steelton Borough (Water) Authority Board. The term expires December 31, 2016 with the opportunity to be reappointed.

Interested applicants should submit a letter of interested and resume to Doug Brown at dbrown@steeltonpa.com

Resumes will be accepted until September 5th, 2016.

Brownfields Demolition Project Complete: Additional Work Scheduled for Late Summer

The grant funded Brownfields Demolition Project was successfully completed in July. Funded by a DEP grant, the project included the demolition and environmental cleanup of two former gas stations at 140 and 154 North Front Street. Extra demolition will take place in late August with 180 N. Front Street (Lawson's old bar) and 230 N. Front Street (the Old Bookbag) slated to be torn down.

The area will be utilized as a green space as additional site improvements take place before fully redeveloping the site.



140 and 154 N. Front Street before demolition.



140 and 154 N. Front Street after demolition.



**Steelton Borough
Adopt-A-Block Program**

Applicants Wanted

ADOPTING A BLOCK IS EASY.

**FILL OUT AN APPLICATION AT BOR-
OUGH HALL OR DOWNLOAD ONE FROM**

WWW.STEELTONPA.COM

**STEELTON BOROUGH PROVIDES THE
TRASH BAGS, GLOVES, AND VESTS .**

**YOU OR YOUR ORGANIZATION CLEAN
UP YOUR BLOCK.**

**AFTER TWO SUCCESSFUL CLEANUPS,
INDIVIDUALS/ORGANIZATIONS WILL BE
RECOGNIZED BY NAME ON SPECIAL
STREET SIGNS INSTALLED ON THEIR
BLOCK**

Steelton Borough Council:

Jeffery L. Wright—President
Maria Marcinko—Vice President
Brian Proctor—Pro Tem
Keontay Hodge—Councilperson
Mike Albert—Councilperson
Michael Segina—Councilperson
Kelly Kratzer—Council Person

Mayor: Thomas F. Acri

Upcoming Meetings:

Council:

- 1st and Third Monday of Every Month @ 6:30 pm

Water Authority

- October 10 @ 5pm
- December 12 @ 5pm

Upcoming Events:

1st Annual Steelton Fishing Classic

- September 17 @ 6am (Boat Dock)

Free Flu Shots at Borough Hall

- October 15th, 11am to 3pm

2nd Annual Halloween Event

- October 22 @ 6pm (Firehouse)



Sidewalks are YOUR Responsibility.

Maintaining weeds in the sidewalk is your responsibility.

You must pull the weeds in your sidewalk or face a fine.

YOUR RESPONSIBILITY



Borough Codes WILL ticket and cite violators.

Fines can be up to \$500.

Take pride. Avoid fines.

Take care of your sidewalk.

