

February 2026

# Upper Makefield *Township*

## Washington Crossing Bridge

The DRJTB is reaching out to the community regarding their alternatives analysis. We encourage residents to visit their [website](#) to learn more about the process. There is also a Public Scoping Open House on Tuesday, February 10, 2026, 5:30 pm – 8:00 pm at The Crossing Church at 1895 Wrightstown Road. Crossing Church at 1895 Wrightstown Road.



## Upper Makefield Now On YouTube

Upper Makefield has established a [YouTube channel](#) for the broadcast and storage of Board of Supervisor meetings and other relevant content. Below is the video of the 1/20/26 Board of Supervisors meeting.

Subscribe to the channel to get notified of new content!



# ECYCLING

Televisions, along with computers and some other electronics (covered devices), can no longer be disposed of with municipal waste under the Covered Devices Recycling Act of 2010. Many of these electronics contain mercury, lead, arsenic, chromium and other potentially hazardous substances. In addition to keeping these toxic substances from contaminating groundwater when landfilled, it is less expensive to recycle than to mine rare earth minerals used in the manufacturing. Listed are locations to drop off your television, and companies that will come to pick up your television for recycling. Some retailers offer a haul-away service with a purchase of a replacement tv.

Before dropping off electronics, please contact the listed locations to confirm program availability, potential fees, and any applicable conditions.

Drop –Off Locations	
<b>611 Metals</b> Central Bucks 267-221-6924 6776 Easton Road, Pipersville, PA 18947 <a href="#">Website</a>	<b>Goodwill</b> Bensalem 215-638-1540 2637 Street Road, Bensalem, PA 19020 <a href="#">Website</a>
<b>611 Metals</b> Montgomery County 267-221-6924 2509 Wyandotte Road, Willow Grove, PA 19090 <a href="#">Website</a>	<b>Goodwill</b> Langhorne 267-364-6038 2365 Lincoln Highway, Langhorne, PA 19047 <a href="#">Website</a>
<b>Clean Earth</b> Lehigh County 610-433-4011-866-447-5177 2330 Southwest 26th Street. Allentown, PA 18103 <a href="#">Website</a>	<b>Goodwill</b> Warminster 215-441-9185 1487 West Street Road, Warminster, PA 18974 <a href="#">Website</a>
<b>Perkasie PC Repair &amp; Recycling</b> Upper Bucks 215-257-7727 1133 N. 5th Street, Perkasie, PA 18944 <a href="#">Website</a>	
Pick Up	
<b>Best Buy</b> Contact your local Best Buy, Restrictions apply <a href="#">Website</a>	<b>1-800-Got Junk</b> 1-800-468-5865

Some Bucks County municipalities have TV and E-waste collection programs for their residents. Visit your town's website or give them a call.

Contact the Department of Environmental Protection at 1-800-346-4242 for a list of events not sponsored by Bucks County.



**BCPC**  
 Bucks County Planning Commission  
 1260 Almshouse Road • Doylestown, PA 18901  
 Phone: 215-345-3400 Fax: 215-345-3886  
 Email: [planningcommission@buckscounty.org](mailto:planningcommission@buckscounty.org) Website: [www.buckscounty.gov/recycling](http://www.buckscounty.gov/recycling)

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS:  
 Robert J. Harvie Jr., *Chair*  
 Diane M. Ellis-Marseglia, *lcsw, Vice Chair*  
 Gene DiGirolamo, *Secretary*



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## HOA Updates

If you live in a neighborhood with a Homeowners Association, please update your board's contact information with the Township by calling 215-968-3340 or emailing [codeoffice@uppermakefield.org](mailto:codeoffice@uppermakefield.org).

## How To License Your Dog

# WITHOUT IDENTIFICATION, A LOST DOG MAY NEVER MAKE IT HOME.

Your best friend's best chance  
to make it home safely is to be  
properly licensed.

All dogs must be licensed when you buy or adopt  
them (earliest is 8 weeks old) or 3 months of age,  
whichever comes first, by Jan. 1 of each year.



*Failure to have your dog licensed may result in a fine of up to \$500 plus court costs.*

### How to apply for a Dog License

**Bucks County Treasurer**  
55 E Court Street, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor  
Doylestown, PA 18901  
215-348-6244



Scan to apply online or find a location to  
purchase in person!

### How much does a license cost?

Annual Licenses ..... \$10.80  
Lifetime Licenses ..... \$52.80

#### Senior Citizens or Residents with Disabilities:

Annual Licenses ..... \$8.80  
Lifetime Licenses ..... \$36.80

*Licenses can be obtained through  
your County Treasurer.*

For a list of County Treasurers, visit  
[www.licenseyourdogpa.com](http://www.licenseyourdogpa.com)



For more information, contact the  
PA Department of Agriculture at:

717.787.3062



Pennsylvania  
Department of Agriculture

## From the Fire Marshal - Home Winter Safety

### OFFICE OF THE FIRE MARSHAL HOME WINTER HEATING SAFETY

Winter is upon us and staying warm in our homes, especially during this current arctic cold-spell, is a priority. Below are highlighted important guidelines necessary to keep you and your family fire-safe.

- Smoke alarms are not only vital, but required by code in all residential dwellings. One on each level of the home, in hallways adjacent to sleeping areas and bedrooms.
- Keep all heating equipment a minimum of 3 feet from flammable materials.
- Always plug electric space heaters directly into a wall outlet, never an extension cord.
- Never leave portable heaters unattended and turn them off when sleeping.
- Have your heating system serviced annually by a professional, including fireplaces and chimneys.
- Make sure your fireplace has a sturdy screen to block embers.
- Ashes should be cool before putting them in a metal container and the container needs to be at a safe distance away from your home.
- Never use your oven as a heat source.
- Always use the proper type of fuel in your portable heaters.
- Fill and service your portable heaters only when they are cool and do this a safe distance outside your home.
- Test your smoke alarms once a month.
- Take the time to sit as a family to discuss home fire safety and what to do should your smoke alarm activates.

The Fire Marshal is available anytime to answer your questions by dialing the Township at 215-968-3340.

John C. Kernan, Chief FM-272

## Calendar

### February

- February 9, 2026 7:00 PM - Park and Recreation Board Meeting
- February 10, 2026 7:00 PM - Environmental Advisory Council Meeting
- February 16, 2026 - Presidents Day - Township Offices Closed
- February 17, 2026 7:30 PM - Board of Supervisors Meeting
- February 18, 2026 7:00 PM - Planning Commission Meeting
- February 19, 2026 12:00 PM - Historical Advisory Commission Meeting
- February 19, 2026 3:30 PM - Investment Committee Meeting

### March

- March 5, 2026 7:00 PM - Jointure (Wrightstown)
- March 9, 2026 7:00 PM - Park and Recreation Board Meeting
- March 10, 2026 7:00 PM - Environmental Advisory Council Meeting
- March 17, 2026 7:30 PM - Board of Supervisors Meeting
- March 18, 2026 7:00 PM - Planning Commission Meeting

**\*\*\* Always check the Township website as meeting dates can change\*\*\***

## Community Links

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Fire  
Company](#)

[Washington  
Crossing  
Historic Park](#)

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County  
Recycling  
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