

BOROUGH OF PERKASIE

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Borough Council has approved changes to the way that trash collection is handled in the Borough. A 64-gallon wheeled cart service will soon be available in the Borough for curbside trash collection, along with the current pay-as-you-throw bag program. Both programs will co-exist. The current pay-as-you-throw bag purchase program would remain in place for those who do not opt for the toters.

If you do not respond to this mailing, we will assume that you wish to continue using the existing bag program.

Please detach and return the form below by June 30th, 2016. Please call 215-257-5065 or e-mail admin@perkasioborough.org with any questions.

Sent On Behalf of Borough Council

Name*: _____

Address*: _____

Phone Number: _____

Electric Account Number: _____

*Name and address MUST match your electric account with Perkasio Borough.

I would like a 64-gallon wheeled cart for my trash collection. I understand that I will be billed quarterly, in advance of service, for this option. The rate is set by the Perkasio Borough Council. For 2016, the cost will be \$70 per quarter, plus the \$15 annual trash fee, for this service.

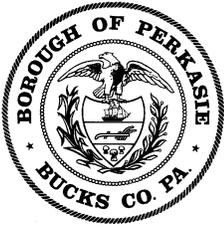
Additional carts will be provided at the same "per cart" rate. If you believe that your household will require more than one cart, please select the number of carts below:

Number of carts requested: _____ billed at \$70 per quarter per cart = \$_____ per quarter.

I wish to continue to use the existing pay-as-you-throw trash bag program for my curbside trash collection. I will continue to receive a bill of \$15 per year for the annual trash fee.

RETURN COMPLETED FORM TO: Perkasio Borough, P.O. Box 96, Perkasio, PA 18944-0096

For Office Use - Cart Serial #: _____



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WHEELED TRASH CART OPTION:

- 64 gallon wheeled cart will be delivered to homes in late Summer or early Fall of 2016.
- Quarterly billing, in advance of service, for trash – \$70/quarter plus \$15 annual fee.
- Borough collects all trash that fits inside the toter, lid must close.
- Additional trash should be placed in Borough trash bag next to the toter.
- Bulk trash collection is unchanged (1 large item per collection; must be set out with the Borough cart or bag).
- Cart should not be stored in a location that is visible to the street.
- The Borough will retain ownership of the cart and it will be collected by the Borough once service is discontinued.



• Cart Specifications:

- 64-gallon Wheeled Cart or “Toter”
- 31-3/4”x24-1/4”x41-3/4”
- Load rating: 224 pounds
- Wheel diameter: 10”
- Color: Green with a green lid
- Manufactured by Toter®
- Toter® carts are manufactured with up to 50% recycled content, with steel components constructed with 80% to 100% recycled steel
- Toter® carts are fully recyclable. In fact, Toter® recycles used carts into new carts.

“PAY-AS-YOU-THROW” TRASH BAG PROGRAM:

- Trash bag pricing remains at \$2.25 for a small bag, \$3.25 for a large bag
- Annual fee for trash and recycling collection - \$15/year
- Borough collects all trash placed in Borough trash bags
- Bulk trash collection is unchanged (1 large item per collection; must be set out with a Borough bag)

RECYCLING IS MANDATED BY THE STATE; COLLECTION & DROP OFF TO REMAIN THE SAME:

- Curbside pickup every Friday for glass, plastics, and aluminum & steel cans.
- Curbside paper pickup is the third Wednesday of every month.
- For drop-off of your recyclables, the Recycling Center is at 311 S. Ninth Street
- Yard waste drop-off is the first Saturday of every month at the Recycling Center.



COMMUNITY EVENTS



MARCH. ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE & CELTIC FESTIVAL

Parade, live Irish music, beer tent, children's games and activities, vendor fair, Irish dancing, Men in Kilts contest. Organized by Penridge Chamber of Commerce, Perkasie and Sellersville Boroughs .



JUNE 4 —OCTOBER 15. FARMERS' MARKET

A popular market held on Saturday mornings in the center of town. Local farmers and crafters bring locally grown and Certified Organic produce, eggs, meat, honey, coffee, preserves, breads, plants, flowers and home-made craft items. Music and kids crafts every week. WINNER 2016 Best in Bucks Farmers' Market!



JUNE 29 —AUGUST 10. SUMMER CONCERT SERIES

Family-friendly, free outdoor concerts Wednesday evenings at Perkasie's Lenape or Menlo Park.



JUNE 18. BARK AND REC

Fun for dog lovers at Perkasie's award winning Dog Park. All proceeds benefit the Dog Park Maintenance Fund.



JUNE 28—JULY 2. CARNIVAL

Old-fashioned carnival thrills, music and food at Lenape Park. Organized by the Perkasie Fire Company.



JULY 10. PENNRIDGE COMMUNITY DAY

Traditional family fun at Perkasie's Lenape Park. Games, contests, baby parade, food, vendors. Huge firework display at dusk. www.pennridgecommunityday.org



AUGUST 20. UNDER THE STARS CAR SHOW

One of the region's largest car shows with 400+ vehicles on display and over 4,000 visitors. Music, food and lots of classic and custom car fun. Organized by Perkasie Borough and Sellersville car club, *The Good Time Motorvators*.



SEPTEMBER 25. EXCELLENCE IN DESIGN TOUR

Tour of Perkasie's historic and architecturally valuable structures. Organized by the Central Bucks Chamber of Commerce.



OCTOBER 2. FALL FESTIVAL

Menlo Park hosts kid fun: inflatables, petting zoo, scarecrow contest and entertainers. A free trolley connects to the town centre where you'll find music, food, vendors, pumpkin decorating, a trackless train, and more.



DECEMBER 3. AMERICA'S OLDEST COMMUNITY TREE LIGHTING

Santa arrives on a Perkasie Electric truck and lights the tree in this traditional ceremony. Free horse and carriage rides, Santa photos . Food. Music. Live displays in store windows.



DECEMBER. SANTA HOUSE

Visit Santa and Mrs Claus in their charming house in the center of Perkasie during visiting hours. Leave letters at the house for Santa and he'll reply personally.

More information about community events can be found at www.perkasieborough.org