

Township Employees Give Back To The Community

Continuing our yearly tradition, twenty-eight Fairview Township families were the recipients of a complete ready-to-cook Christmas dinner basket that contained a turkey and all the trimmings, compliments of Township employees who donated all the food items. The Township worked in partnership with the Red Land Community Action Program (REDCAP) who distributed the baskets.

This project is our way of giving back to our community that supports us throughout the year. Everyone in our Fairview Township family hopes that all of you had a very happy Holiday Season!

You Can Now Pay Your Bill Online at www.twp.fairview.pa.us

Fairview Township now offers an online bill pay service for our residents to pay their Quarterly Refuse and/or Sewer Bills. Visit our website at www.twp.fairview.pa.us to register your account today!! By registering, you will be able to manage your account(s), set up payments (either a onetime payment or recurring payments), sign up for E-bills and more.

Online payment options are by check or credit card (Visa, MasterCard, and American Express only). Please have your billing invoice handy as you will need the CN (Acct#) and the LN (address/service location) to register your account.

Recycling Grant

Fairview Township was recently awarded a recycling grant through the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) in the amount of \$40,217.00. This grant money is used to offset the expenses of the Recycling Center and purchase needed equipment and supplies. Thank you to all Township residents for their commitment to the recycling program.

Yard Waste & Electronics Recycling Center

Winter hours for the Recycling Center are as follows:
Weekdays (except holidays) – 9:00 a.m. to noon
Saturdays (except holidays) – 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

In addition to televisions and computer equipment, the list of acceptable items for the Electronics Program has been expanded to include most household electric appliances, such as clocks, radios, hair dryers, vacuum cleaners, toaster ovens, calculators, and many more. If you have any questions, you may call the Recycling Dept., at 717-901-5230.

See the back of your bill for other information including Christmas Tree Collection.

Fairview Township Volunteer Fire Dept Celebrates 60th Anniversary With The Addition Of New Fire Fighting Apparatus

The Fairview Township Volunteer Fire Department, founded in October 1954, just celebrated their 60th anniversary of serving the residents of Fairview Township and the surrounding area.

Fairview Township recently took ownership of two new Pierce Arrow XT fire engines. A committee of the volunteer firemen spent nearly 1 year to spec out and prepare for the construction of the new apparatus. The two engines each carry 750 gallons of water, have 2,000 gallon per minute pumps, foam and rescue systems. The two engines have a combined cost of nearly \$1,400,000.00 which was financed over a three year period by the Township. The new engines replace 2 Darley Spartan engines acquired in 1994, which will be sold.

The new engines have the latest in safety equipment for the volunteers and fuel efficiency built in. New lighting and warning systems will enhance the Department's ability to respond to all locations in the Township. One engine will be stationed at the 340 Lewisberry Road Station and the other at the 520 Locust Road Station.

Township residents are reminded that the Fairview Township Volunteer Fire Dept. is always seeking new members to fight fires, work as Fire Police and other activities in the Township. For more information, go to www.fairviewfire.net.

HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

All Township offices will be closed on the following dates:

Jan 1 New Year's Day
Feb 16 Presidents Day

Only New Year's Day is a holiday for refuse collection. All collections falling on or after Jan. 1 will be one day late that week.



TELEPHONE GUIDE

ALL EMERGENCIES 911

Administration Office	901-5200
Highway Department	901-5249
Zoning/Building Permits	901-5220
Trash/Sewer Billing	901-5230
Police Dept. Office	901-5267
Tax Collector	938-0459
West Shore School Dist.	938-9577
Red Land Senior Center	938-4649
District Judge	938-2523
Fire Department	774-3080
Fire Dept. Hall Rental	901-5286
Emerg. Medical Services	932-2260
Penn Waste	767-4456
West Shore Recreation	920-9515
York County Solid Waste	845-1066
PennDOT	848-6230

www.twp.fairview.pa.us
www.fairviewpolice.org
www.fairviewfire.net
www.fairviewems.org

MONTHLY PUBLIC MEETINGS

Board of Supervisors
The last Monday, 7:00 pm

Exceptions:
May rescheduled to May 18 and
November rescheduled to
December 7
December 29th cancelled

Planning Commission
1st Tuesday, 7:00 pm

Recreation Board
3rd Monday, 6:30 pm

Zoning Hearing Board
3rd Thursday, 7:00 pm

All public meetings are held in the Municipal Building, 599 Lewisberry Road, New Cumberland PA 17070

York County Seedling Sale

Did you know that the presence of trees in our lives has been proven to improve the quality of our lives? Trees clean our air and beautify our communities. They reduce soil erosion and enhance the water quality of our local waterways. Trees can reduce heating and cooling costs and improve human health.

For over 40 years, the York County Conservation District has hosted an annual tree seedling sale. Each year, the Conservation District sells over 20,000 seedlings that are planted in York County and surrounding areas. The varieties available at the spring 2015 sale include native tree seedlings as well as numerous fruit-bearing trees and shrubs.

Go to <http://www.yorkccd.org/TreeSale> to see the complete order form and the description of each plant being offered. Orders will be accepted now through March 25, 2015. Return completed order form, including a check payable to YCCD or your credit card information, to York County Conservation District 118 Pleasant Acres Road York, PA 17402. Orders will be available for pickup at Rocky Ridge County Park between 10 AM and 6 PM on Thursday, April 16, 2015. Proceeds from the sale are used for the Conservation District's education programs including the annual Envirothon county-wide school event.

For additional information, call the Conservation District Office at 717-840-7430 during normal business hours or access the tree sale information on the website at www.yorkccd.org.

Elimination Of The Per Capita Tax

As a part of the approval of the 2015 budget at the December 1, 2014 Fairview Township public meeting, the Board of Supervisors voted to eliminate the \$5.00 per capita tax beginning in 2015.

Fairview Township E.M.S.: **"Help Us Find You** **in an Emergency"**

Fairview Township E.M.S. has been providing Emergency Medical Services 24-hours a day to the residents of the Township and surrounding communities for the past 20 years.

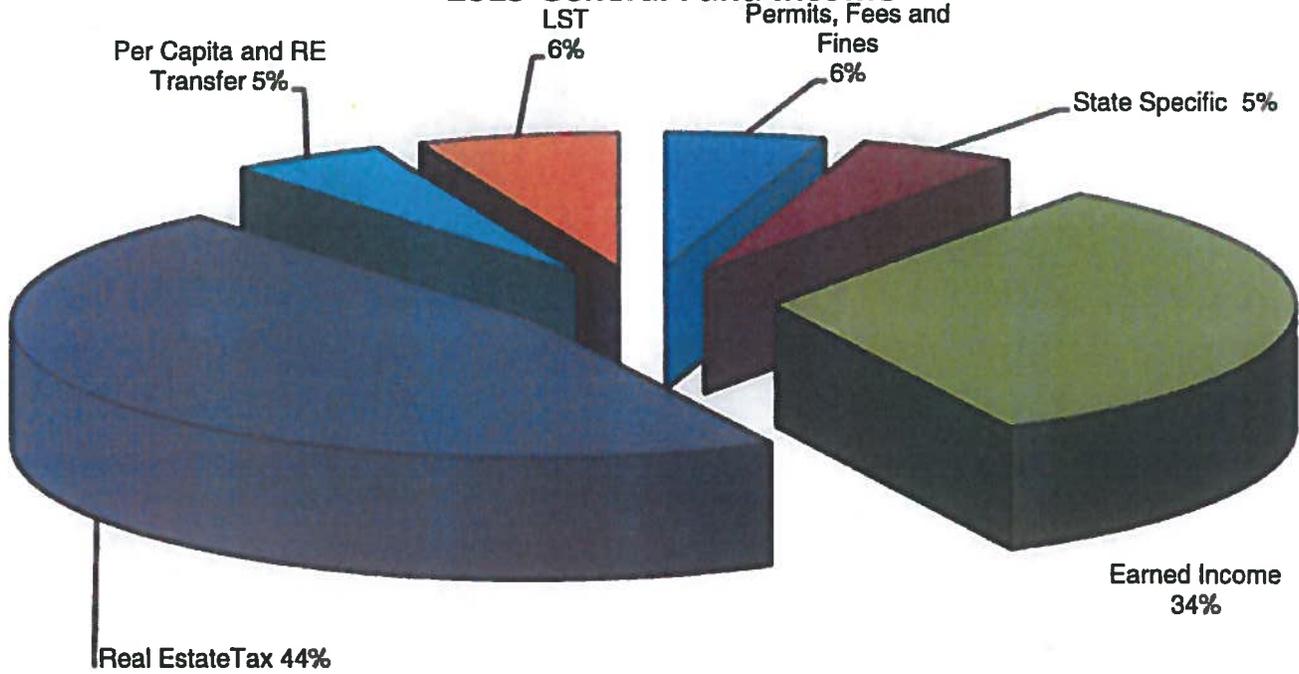
With the purchase of one of our reflective address signs, you will not only ensure that E.M.S., Fire and Police are able to find your home in your time of need, but you will also support an organization that has been part of your community for more than two decades.

The sign can easily be attached to your mailbox post or on a post in your front yard. The reflective sign measures 6 inches in width by 18 inches in length. Both the numbers and backing are made of reflective materials in your choice of blue or green background,

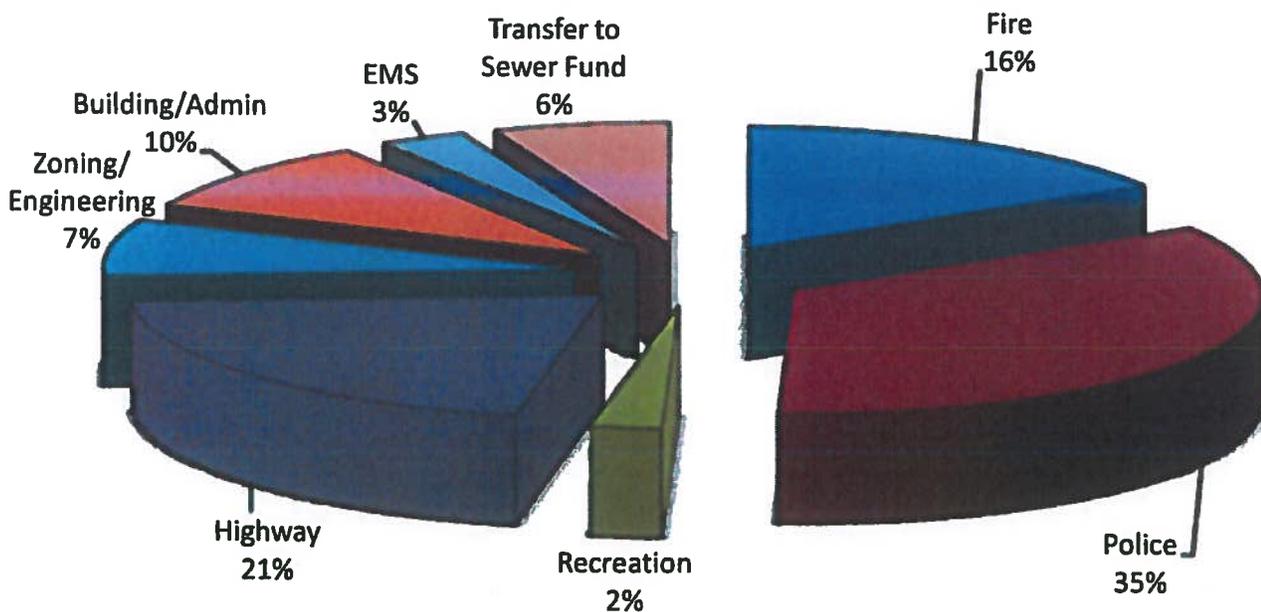
For more information on how to order one of these reflective signs, call the Fairview Township Emergency Medical Services office at 717-932-2260.

The Township Supervisors adopted the 2015 budget without a tax increase. The approved budget for the general fund calls for the spending of \$7,018,774. An estimated \$6,845,600 is expected from revenue sources. The graphs below show the allocation of revenues and expenditures. In addition, capital purchases to replace two police cars and a dump truck with snow plow have been approved. See our website for a detailed budget that includes all the funds of the Township.

2015 General Fund Income



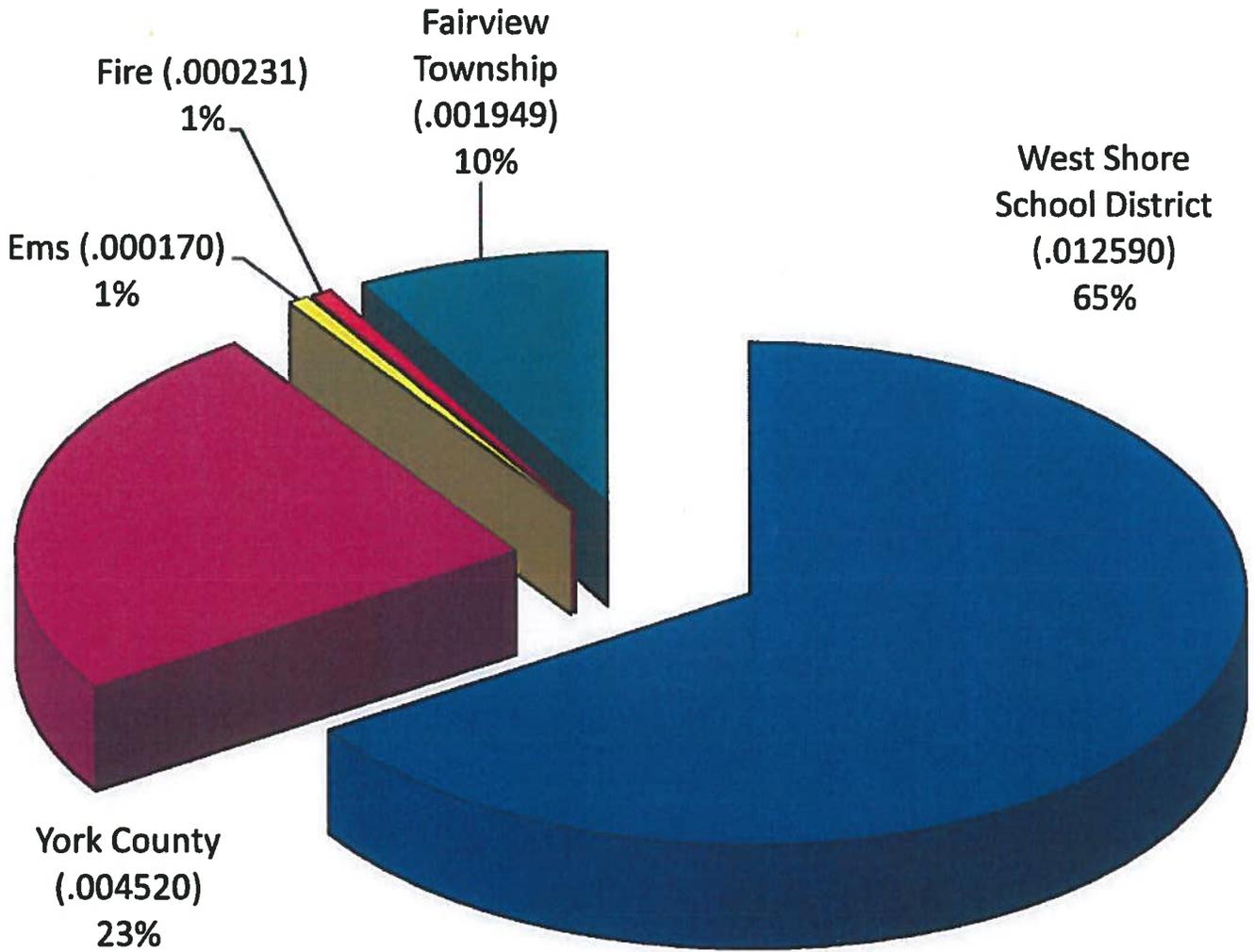
2015 General Fund Expense excluding Capital Purchases



2015 FAIRVIEW TOWNSHIP BUDGET

WHERE DOES YOUR PROPERTY TAX DOLLAR GO?

For every dollar paid for property taxes, 65 cents goes to the School District, 23 cents to the county, 10 cents to the Township, 1 cent each to the Fire and EMS departments.



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CHRISTMAS TREE DISPOSAL

Christmas trees will be collected curbside January 17th, 2015.

Please make sure Christmas trees are free of any lights and decorations (ie: tinsel, ornaments, etc.) to ensure collection. If these items are left on your Christmas tree, it will not be collected. You are also welcome to take your Christmas tree to the Yard Waste Facility during the hours of operation (*hours are listed below*).

YARD WASTE AND ELECTRONIC RECYCLING DROP-OFF

*****Next curbside yard waste collection will be Saturday, April 4th 2015*****

Address: 55 Fairview Road, New Cumberland, PA 17070
Hours: Monday – Friday: 9am - 12noon (except holidays)
Every Saturday: 8:00am – 4:30pm (except holidays)

WOOD/COAL ASH DISPOSAL

Ash must be cool to the touch!

Place ash in plastic garbage bag and set out with your regular trash.