



Milford

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DELAWARE

City Buildings are Open

All City buildings are open to the public. All public meetings are hybrid, both in person and available on Zoom. Sign up for meeting notifications on the city's website.

March Community Happenings

- **Through March 19:** Mispillion Art League's 19th Annual Judged Show
- **Tuesday, March 1:** Parks & Recreation Spring Sports Registration opens
- **Saturday, March 5, 2pm:** 56th Annual Lions Club Spaghetti Dinner @ Milford High School
- **Saturday, March 5, 3pm:** Auxiliary of Carlisle Fire Company Cheesesteaks & Fry Fundraiser (pre-orders required)
- **Saturday, March 12:** The After Market in the Farmers Market area
- **Monday, March 14, 7pm:** City Council Meeting
- **Saturday, March 19:** Migratory Bird Banding at Goat Island
- **Tuesday, March 22, 10am:** Milford Wellness Village Job Fair
- **Wed., March 23, 6pm:** City Council Workshop
- **Monday, March 28, 7pm:** City Council Meeting
- **Tuesday, March 29, 6pm:** Soccer Tryouts @ Boys & Girls Club (registration required)
- **Thursday, March 31, 5pm:** Soccer Tryouts @ Boys & Girls Club (registration required)
- **Thursday, March 31, 5pm:** Annual Community Expo @ Milford Elks Lodge

Spring Parks & Rec Programs

Registration opens March 1. Don't wait! Program decisions are made about a week before the program start date. Help programs continue by registering early. Check the City of Milford Parks & Recreation website for a complete list of programming with special events for children and adults. Registration and questions can be directed to 302.422.1104.

Community Clean Up

The 2nd Annual Community Clean-Up is scheduled for Saturday, April 9 from 8-10:30am. The event is rain or shine. Sign up to volunteer at cityofmilford.com/537/Community-Clean-Up. T-shirts provided to the first 200 people registered. Children under 18 must be accompanied by an adult. Community service hours and/or volunteer letter provided. Each person must register separately.

MyMilford App

MyMilford is a free app and web tool that will allow citizens to report quality-of-life issues and city service requests or complaints. The MyMilford platform provides city officials with a centralized service request management system to manage issues from creation to resolution — engaging citizens throughout the process. The MyMilford mobile app is available for download on Android and iPhone. More info: cityofmilford.com/535/MyMilford



NE Front St. Construction

The water main construction on NE Front St. is nearing completion. Underground piping should be complete by mid-March. Once the weather warms and the asphalt contractors open again, the entire construction area from Rehoboth Blvd. to Bicentennial Park will be patched for a smoother ride. This summer, DelDOT will begin a Streetscape Project, transforming the entire look of that gateway into the City complete with brick sidewalks, crosswalks, sidewalks on both sides of the street and a protected bike lane.

NCS Open to All Residents

What would you like the City Of Milford to focus on? We value your opinions, and want to know your thoughts for upcoming planning and budget decisions. You're invited to give your feedback! Take the survey at <https://polco.us/milford2022op>

Public Utility Education

It is the time of the year when utility bills can fluctuate greatly due to sudden and intermittent weather changes. A cold day or two - that may have driven up an electric bill due to heating - is very easy to forget by the time the utility bill arrives. During extreme heat in the summer, the same thing may occur, increasing the electric bill while residents try to stay cool. Aging and dysfunctional or inefficient appliances along with unseasonable extreme weather fluctuations can cause an electric bill to vary greatly from month to month and year to year.

To that same effect, a pipe leak, a leaky faucet or toilet or a garden hose left on can easily cause a dramatic increase in a water bill.

In cases of both electric and water consumption, the City's meter system monitors residents' water and electric usage and can validate the bill. Customers can request copies of these reports. This assistance is available to help further investigate what may have caused unusual consumption in a residence. Should a customer have questions regarding water and/or electric consumption, the Milford Code of Ordinances allows five days for residents to contact the City to verify the correctness of the bill. In addition, Milford City Code § 222-16 and Appendix B state that the water and electric meter reading shall be the final determination of consumption and hence, the amount is owed in accordance with the fee structure.

Understanding your own household consumption of utilities is important for both conservation and budgeting household expenses. Please visit cityofmilford.com/126/Customer-ServiceTax-Utility-Billing to review options available and to sign up for Swift911, E-payment and receipt of this monthly newsletter electronically.

Employee Spotlight

Katrina White

Deputy City Clerk

1. How long have you worked for the City of Milford? I came back to work for the city 8 years ago, but previously worked here from 1995-2001 before I moved to Atlanta, GA, so about 14 years.
2. Have you always worked in this role? No, I held the position of Police Dispatcher and was the Records Clerk at the MPD. Upon my return, I held the position of Office Assistant at City Hall and later was the Permit Technician in the Planning Department after which I was promoted to Deputy City Clerk.
3. What is your favorite thing about working for the City? I like that I am helping to build and serve the community I live in. I love our city and am excited about the growth that is taking place here.
4. What do you enjoy doing in your free time? I enjoy reading, decorating, crafting, working outside, planting flowers in the spring and spending time with my family.

“Katrina is a high achiever and an employee with several goals that will not only help her career but will also benefit the City. She is always willing to accept any tasks presented, and that flexibility and willingness makes her a great team member to all our employees.”

- Terri Hudson, City Clerk



Council Spotlight

F. Todd Culotta

Ward 2 Councilmember

1. How long have you been a member of the City Council? I have been on the Milford City Council for 3.5 years and I am enjoying every minute of it.
2. What previous city roles have you held? This is my first experience working with the city and I have learned a great deal in a very short period of time.
3. What is your favorite thing about being a Councilmember? Working with my constituents in Ward 2, to be their voice to the city and be a conduit for communication from city operations. I really enjoy the possibility of growth in Milford through adding opportunities for employment and growth of business both retail and professional.
4. What do you enjoy doing in your free time? I really enjoy spending time with my wife and my son, going to the beach and traveling to various places on the Eastern Shore. I also enjoy spending my free time at the shooting range and am an avid firearms enthusiast.



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