



2024 District Election Announcement

An election for council districts 3, 5 and 6 will be held on Tuesday, April 9, 2025.



Nominating petitions are due no later than 5:00 p.m. on Monday, February 5.

Contact 302.366.7000 or
citysecretary@newark.de.us
for more information.



Calling all local leaders! Make a difference where it matters most – in your neighborhood! Consider running for City Council and help shape Newark's future. Visit our website to learn more about the upcoming election for districts 3, 5 and 6.

SPONSORSHIP & VENDOR PACKAGES FOR PARKS & RECREATION SPECIAL EVENTS

Sponsorship & Vendor Packages for the Newark Parks and Recreation 2024 events will be available at www.newarkde.gov/play beginning January 29. Please call (302) 366-7000 or email parksrec@newark.de.us for more information or to be added to the sponsor and vendor mailing list.

SUMMER CAMP GUIDE

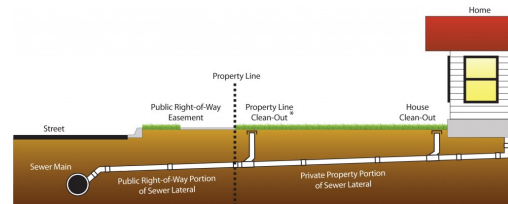
Summer will be here before you know it! A small preview of our most loved camps that are returning this summer is available now at www.newarkde.gov/play in the winter/spring activity guide. Remember – this is just a preview! The full offering of summer camps will be available in March so keep an eye out and your schedules free!

PERFORMERS

Anyone interested in performing at the 2024 Parks and Recreation events, including the Spring Concert Series, Liberty Day, and Winterfest are asked to submit a demo (CD or electronic link) and a letter of interest to:

PRESIDENTS' DAY REFUSE SCHEDULE

Due to the Presidents' Day holiday, refuse normally picked up on Monday, February 19 will be collected on Tuesday, February 20. Refuse normally collected on Tuesday, February 20 will be collected on Wednesday, February 21. Please contact the City of Newark Public Works and Water Resources Department at (302) 366-7000 with questions.

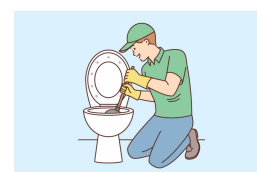


* Not standard on all properties.

IMPORTANT NOTICE - Wipes & Personal Hygiene Products Clog Sewer Lines!

Many household products are labeled and marketed as DISPOSABLE and/or FLUSHABLE; many baby and adult personal hygiene products, along with household wipes and cleaning towelettes are labeled both disposable and flushable. While these products may be marketed as a convenience item in this way, the truth is that these types of items have the ability to clog and stop up not only the sewer line on your property, but also can cause blockage and service problems in the public sewer system and pump stations.

Unlike toilet paper, these products **DO NOT** break down once they are flushed. They can cause blockages in your on-site sewer, especially older pipelines that may have greases, roots, or other obstructions already existing. A repair of the on-site sewer line can leave the home owner or business owner with a very costly sewer repair. On a larger scale, when these products make their way into the public sewer system they collect together, causing very large obstructions and clogs in the main collector lines and get tangled in pump stations requiring repair or replacement of equipment.



Newark Parks and Recreation
Community Events
220 South Main Street
Newark, DE 19711
Email: sbruen@newark.de.us

Please include all contact information, as well as fee structures for performances. Performers will only be contacted if selected for an event or performance.



WELCOME TO THE CITY!

The City of Newark is welcoming new faces to our workforce. Our new employee includes:

- Edward Adams, Part-Time Parking Ambassador, Parking Division, 01/02/2024
- Christopher Zelaya, Part-Time Parking Ambassador, Parking Division, 01/05/2024
- Michael Summerfield, Marketing Specialist & Administrative Support, Parks & Recreation Department, 01/22/2024
- Jerry Clifton, Mayor, Legislative Department, 01/22/2024



What We All Can Do To Help...

The following items should **NEVER** be flushed into the sewer system:

Disinfecting/surface wipes
Mop or "Swiffer" type refills
Baby wipes
Paper towels
Jewelry wipes
Pet care wipes
Cosmetic wipes
First aid wipes
Disposable diapers or diaper liners
Bio-pads (nursing home, home health care, etc.)
Cotton swabs
Feminine hygiene products
Toilet cleaning pads
ANY moist type towelettes

ANY CONSUMER ITEM THAT IS NOT TOILET PAPER!

Every home and business has a sewer connection to the public sewer system. This connection runs from the home or business to the sewer main where it is connected to the public sewer system. This on-site sewer line is the responsibility of the home or business owner to keep clear so there are no back-ups of wastewater into the home or business. Save yourself and your Sewer Utility from costly repairs and/or replacement bills.

Do not flush the listed items; place them in the trash, not the toilet.

FREE WATER FOR A YEAR!

We have an obligation to provide the EPA an inventory of our water service lines and we need your help! All you have to do is complete a quick 5-minute survey and upload a photo of the material of your water line (copper, lead, plastic, etc.). What's in it for you? The chance to win a year's worth of water! Read more about the Lead and Copper Rule on our website and enter the giveaway at newarkde.gov/lead.



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