

December 10, 2021



TOWN OF

Berwyn Heights
MARYLAND

"ALL ARE WELCOME"

UPCOMING EVENTS

DECEMBER 15, 2021 BHHC
MEETING 7:30PM VIRTUAL

DECEMBER 24, 27, 28 AND 31
TOWN OFFICES CLOSED FOR
HOLIDAY OBSERVANCES



Holiday Trash Schedules

The week prior to the Christmas Holiday (December 20-23), there are no changes to the trash schedule.

Monday, December 20 – North side trash/bulk/yard waste

Tuesday, December 21 – South side trash/bulk/yard waste

Wednesday, December 22 – Town-wide recycling only

Thursday, December 23 - Town-wide trash

Wednesday, December 29 – Town-wide recycling only

Thursday, December 30 – Town-wide trash



TUESDAY, MAY 3, 7AM - 7PM

BECOME AN ELECTION JUDGE

THE TOWN OF BERWYN HEIGHTS IS ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR POSITIONS ON BOARD OF ELECTION SUPERVISORS FOR THE NEXT TOWN COUNCIL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON MAY 3, 2020. THE TERM OF AN ELECTION JUDGE IS FOR TWO YEARS, STARTING FROM THE DATE OF SWEARING-IN AT THE FEBRUARY 9TH TOWN MEETING.

QUALIFICATIONS:

RESIDENT OF THE TOWN, REGISTERED VOTER IN PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY OR THE TOWN OF BERWYN HEIGHTS.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

PARTICIPATING IN A COURSE OF TRAINING TO BECOME FAMILIAR WITH THE TOWN'S ELECTION PROCESS AND LEGAL FRAMEWORK

STAFFING POLLING STATION (BH SENIOR CENTER) ON ELECTION DAY, INCLUDING:

SETTING UP POLLING STATION;

CHECKING IN VOTERS AND VERIFYING REGISTRATION;

ASSISTING VOTERS AS NEEDED, COUNTING BALLOTS, CERTIFYING ELECTION RESULTS, AND ADVISING ON ELECTION MATTERS AS NEEDED.

APPLICATION: PLEASE SUBMIT A STATEMENT OF INTEREST AND APPLICATION FORM (AVAILABLE ON TOWN WEBSITE) TO MELANIE FRIESEN, TOWN CLERK AT: MFRIESEN@BERWYNHEIGHTSMD.GOV OR DROP OFF AT TOWN OFFICE AT 5700 BERWYN ROAD. COMPLETED APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY JANUARY 31, 5:00 P.M.



The Holiday
Craft Sale was a
success!

Thanks to Michael
Stewart for the photos.





**A Welcome
Return to In-
Person Tree
Lighting!
Many Thanks
to All Who
Came Out to
Celebrate!**



Ethical Governmental Gifting

This is the time of year when residents may want to show extra appreciation for the people who serve the Town of Berwyn Heights. But as public officials and employees, we have to abide by certain rules. So here are some suggestions for giving (if you are so inclined):

1. Employees and officials may accept meals and beverages eaten in the presence of the gifter; for example, Seniors Club luncheons.
2. Miscellaneous unsolicited gifts (like coffee mugs, baseball caps, or masks) that do not cost more than \$20 may be accepted by employees or officials. This includes commercially prepared meals and snacks (like delivered pizza or doughnuts and coffee).
3. Gifts may be given to the Town, or to a specific Town Department, to share with all their employees. However, the amount is limited to an equivalent of a "nominal value" per employee; for example, if there are 10 employees in the department, it is okay to give a \$190 appliance, as the total cost is less than \$20/employee. We would ask that you please contact the respective Manager or Director first to confirm acceptance of the item and then to schedule a drop-off time.
4. No gift cards or cash can be accepted by any individual employee; this is State law. When you see them around town, please feel free to say "Hello" and have a conversation, but understand they are working and need to avoid distraction.
5. Cash is okay to give to non-profit organizations associated with the Town: Boys & Girls Club, BHVFD, BHES PTA. You can make a donation to these organizations on behalf of the Town or a specific Town Department.
6. Lastly, be aware that employees and officials have been instructed through our Ethics training that refusing a gift is always appropriate. Do not feel insulted or offended if we tell you this. We ALWAYS appreciate the thought, even if we cannot accept the gift.
7. Have a safe and happy Holiday season!