

EAST PROSPECT NEWSLETTER

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UPCOMING EVENTS:

- Follow the “East Prospect Playground Association” page on Facebook for Pistons game schedule!
- Follow “East Prospect Community Pride” on Facebook for upcoming events.
- 2nd Annual Community Cleanup Day. Saturday, May 13 from 8 AM- 4 PM at the borough garage.
- Vendor Event & Community Yard Sale- Saturday, May 27 at the borough hall.
- Memorial Day Parade & Fireworks. Sunday, May 28. Food trucks beginning at 1 PM, Parade at 4 PM, fireworks at dusk.
- Morgan Eney won the mural contest. Mural will be painted on the west side of the borough hall this spring.
- 2nd Annual Car Show, Saturday, July 1. More details forthcoming.

IMPORTANT REMINDERS:

- As the weather warms and lawn mowers are dusted off, please remember that grass must be maintained to a height not to exceed 6 inches. Not only is tall grass unsightly, but it can provide a home for unwanted rodents.
- Complaint forms, to report ordinance violations, are available outside the borough office at 28 W. Maple St. or online at epboro.com. Form must be submitted to the borough in order for complaint to be acknowledged.
- “Poultry may only be kept in buildings erected for that purpose and must be at least 50 feet from any property line and 100 feet from any residence on adjacent property.” Zoning Ordinance Section 614
- For parking violations and criminal activity call 911 NOT the borough. For obvious reasons, please do not share on social medial before contacting the police.

MISCELLANEOUS NEWS :

- There have been several recent incidents involving theft of personal property throughout the borough. Keeping your property secure is a simple thing to do. Keeping porch or exterior lights on at night is a good deterrent. Inexpensive doorbell cameras can be purchased at stores like Lowes or Home Depot and can be registered at <https://york.crimewatchpa.com/lowerwindsortwppd/42207/webforms/camera-registry> Registering a camera assists police in solving a crime committed in your neighborhood.
- Landlords are required to notify the borough and tax collector of tenant changes. The borough may be reached at 717 252 0177 or at info.EastProspectboro@gmail.com and the tax collector at 717 347 8389 or at eastprospecttaxcollector@gmail.com

Everyone is entitled to their own opinion, but not to their own facts.

It makes no difference to me whatsoever whether anything or nothing is built on the property sold by the church. When I was told it was for sale, I simply hoped that a reputable builder would obtain the property and that whatever was built upon it would be of good quality. As a point of clarification, the mayor of a borough the size of East Prospect does not have a vote on any matters pertaining to the borough.

In recent weeks, there have been statements made implying that I stand to gain from what is built on that site.

When accusations of wrongdoing are made, the burden of proof lies with the accuser to provide evidence to substantiate their claims. If one is unable to provide such evidence, it becomes clear that what they are peddling is a lie, and they in turn are known as a liar. In the end, such unsupported claims serve to damage the reputation of the accuser more than they ever could of the accused.

I am a man of faith and integrity which means that, while being far from perfect, when I am wrong, I admit my failings and seek restoration of the damaged relationship. But, I am also a father and a husband and will defend my reputation in view of my family against those who seek to damage it. In so doing, teaching them to how to do the same if and when they are wrongly accused.

In all of my communications with borough residents, I have included my phone number and email, making myself available to anyone who has borough related questions or concerns. A small handful of individuals have taken the time to contact me regarding the proposed development for which I am grateful. Some such conversations have lead to the mending of fences, so to speak, and the understanding that there was clearly some misunderstanding.

I love this borough, will continue to do so even if I am unable to persuade everyone in it that this is true, and will continue to serve it and its residents to the best of my ability.

We are a small community, and we are better than the petty antics so often seen on the national stage. We must be better than that!

As always, anyone wanting to engage in a dialogue about this, or any other matter, is welcome to contact me.

If you have any borough related questions or concerns, please reach out to me by email at the address below or by calling 717 332 1117. I will do my best to reply to you within 24 hours. If you have an emergency, please call 911. Should you wish to receive an email copy of the newsletter, please email me at eastprospectmayor@gmail.com

If you do not already do so, please follow my Facebook page "David A. Bubb-Mayor of East Prospect, Pennsylvania". This will be the best way to stay up to date with relevant news and events.



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