



Department Head Report – Public Works

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1. Met with representatives of Brandywine Red Clay Alliance to discuss locations of impaired streams within the Township and evaluate possible restoration projects that could provide MS4 credits to the Township in conjunction with overall improvement to water quality in our streams.
2. Received the new 1-ton dump truck chassis. The truck will now go to the fabrication shop for upfitting including installation of dump body, snowplowing apparatus and safety lighting.
3. Public Works staff performed tree trimming operations around the Township to maintain vertical clearance above the roadway as well as provide adequate sight distance within the rights-of-way and at intersections.
4. Public Works staff cut down and removed the dead tress in the rear and side yards of the Township building.
5. Public Works staff excavated the drainage ditch from the Township building's stormwater detention basin to restore normal flow as well as exposed the buried underdrain pipe which should facilitated underground drainage from under and around the Township building.
6. Bid documents for the demolition of structures at Spar Hill Farm were advertised to solicit bids from interested contractors. A pre-bid meeting was held November 15. Bids will be opened on November 29.
7. Coordinated with PennDOT representatives on:
 - Concerns at the Rt 1/Rt 52 signalized intersection
 - Requests for additional STOP signs at intersection with state roads
 - Signage requirements