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# Ross/West View EMSA



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# Ross/West View Emergency Medical Services Authority

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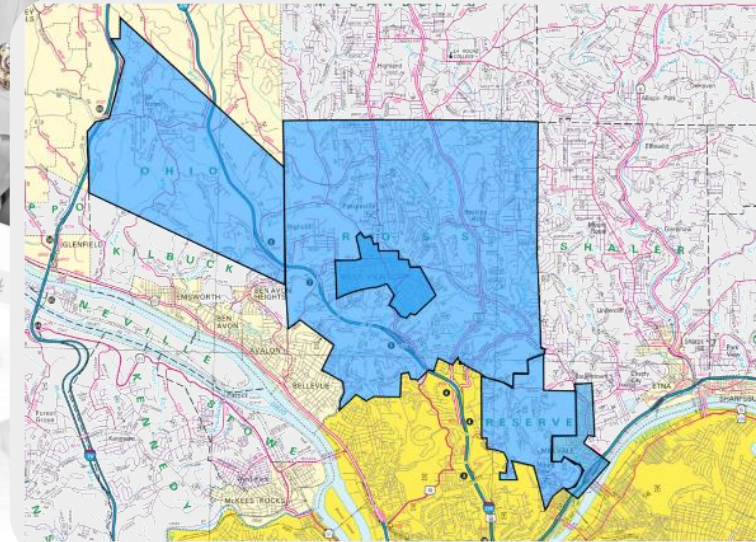


Why Do I Pay a Fee?

As EMS has dramatically increased in the past 20 years, with increased employee costs, fewer volunteers, dramatically increased expenses, and a significant decline in insurance reimbursement, we now operate at a

FI EMS Fundraising 12 20 22  
Ross West View EMSA  
207 subscribers

**GREGORY PORTER**  
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF ROSS/WEST VIEW EMSA



**5 Communities**

- Ross Township
- West View
- Millville
- Reserve
- Ohio Township

Map Source from PA DOT



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# Lehigh County Authority



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Monday- Friday, 8:15a.m.-4:45p.m. \* [www.lehighcountyauthority.org](http://www.lehighcountyauthority.org)

#### LCA Customer Newsletter July - September 2022

### Have You Checked Your Home for Lead Pipes?

LCA is asking all customers to complete an online survey to confirm the type of material used for the water service line pipes in your home. Service line pipes enter your property from the street and connect to your water meter. LCA did not previously track this information because the pipes are owned and serviced by the property owner. Customer input is required for LCA to build a complete inventory of pipe materials that connect to the water distribution system. The inventory will be used to meet updated federal regulations, determine future system improvements and prioritization, develop timely customer communications, and any other action that may be needed in the future.

- Visit LCA's Water Service Line Webpage Today!
- Read up on the federal program to remove lead pipes
  - Learn how to check your home for lead pipes
  - Research your property to see what year your house was built (lead was prevalent prior to 1955)
  - Learn how to reduce lead exposure in your drinking water
  - Submit information to LCA about your water service line using our survey tool

- Complete the Survey online now! Here's how:
- Scan the QR code on the right with a mobile device, or
  - Visit <https://www.lehighcountyauthority.org/water-service-line-customer-survey/>, or
  - Call our Customer Care team to complete the survey over the phone!



LCA will provide updates on this effort on our website and in future customer newsletters. If you have already submitted a survey, we appreciate it! Thank you for your cooperation in this effort!

#### WHAT YOU CAN DO AT HOME TO HELP

- LIMIT - OR ELIMINATE - THE USE OF CHEMICAL FERTILIZERS**  
Use organic materials, like compost for drier weather if you absolutely must use lawn care products.
- PICK UP AFTER YOUR PET**  
If you don't pick up after your pet, the storm waters could wash these pollutants into our waterways.
- KEEP THE FARM CLEAN**  
Large farms must file Nutrient Management Plans to show how they'll deal with animal manure and prevent runoff.
- WASH YOUR CAR AT A CAR WASH**  
Taking your car to a car wash saves water and prevents toxic chemicals from being flushed down your storm drains.
- DO NOT FLUSH EXPIRED OR UNWANTED MEDICATION DOWN THE TOILET OR DUMP THEM DOWN THE DRAIN.**

FOR ADDITIONAL TIPS TO DO AT HOME VISIT: [LEHIGHCOUNTYAUTHORITY.ORG/2022/09/LCA\\_SOURCEWATER](http://LEHIGHCOUNTYAUTHORITY.ORG/2022/09/LCA_SOURCEWATER)



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**The following authorities  
submitted projects for  
consideration**



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# Montgomery Township Municipal Sewer Authority

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Montgomery Township Municipal Sewer Authority

## LOGO CONTEST!

MTMSA WANTS YOUR HELP SELECTING OUR NEW LOGO

The public is encouraged to come out and vote for their favorite logos.

Logos were created by students at **North Montco Technical Career Center.**

**Location:**  
Montgomery Township Community and Recreation Center, 1030 Horsham Road, Montgomeryville

**Voting Dates and Times:**  
February 16, 7pm - 9pm  
February 19, 11am - 1pm  
February 22, 4pm - 6pm

Please come out and vote! One vote per person.



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# Municipal Authority of Westmoreland County

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REGULATIONS ARE CHANGING.  
**YOUR QUALITY WATER IS NOT.**

Due to revisions made by the Environmental Protection Agency, all water systems must comply with the Lead and Copper Rule Revisions requirement by **October, 2024.**

All homes built prior to 1991 must have their service verified.

Check your service line for LEAD

A graphic of a water tap with a blue water drop below it. The background is a grid of blue and white squares with various water-related icons like a faucet, a water drop, and a globe.

# North Penn Water Authority

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**NORTH PENN NOW**  
COMMUNITY NEWS  
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**North Penn Water Authority Hydrant Contest Winner Completes Painting**  
Tue, Aug 16, 2022, 11:15 AM

(The following information was provided by the North Penn Water Authority.)

On Aug. 12, North Penn Water Authority (NPWA) welcomed Ava Kloufetos to their operations center to paint a fire hydrant, for which she submitted her winning design to their hydrant design contest held in May for Drinking Water Week.

Ava painted the hydrant in her winning smoke and fire design, as her family and several NPWA staff looked on. The hydrant will proudly be on display in front of NPWA's Operations Center, located at 300 Forty Foot Road in Towamencin. A sign with her name will also accompany the hydrant, which will remain there until a new winner is announced during next year's contest.

Anthony J. Bellitto, Jr., executive director of NPWA, and Ava Kloufetos with completed hydrant. (Credit: North Penn Water Authority)

**NPWA Hydrant Design Contest Facebook Posts**

North Penn Water Authority  
It's time to design! Our 4th Annual Hydrant Design Contest officially kicks off next week. In honor of #DrinkingWaterWeek...  
Underlines through 4th grade, we can't wait to see your ideas for our hydrant mascot! Early entries being accepted at info@npwa.org.  
More details here: <https://npwa.org/forth-annual-hydrant-design-contest/> See more

North Penn Water Authority  
We welcomed this year's Hydrant Design Contest winner, Ava, to our Operations Center today to paint her winning design on a fire hydrant. Ava brought the hydrant to the water treatment plant and used a sponge to create the smoke effect. The photos speak for themselves! We are thankful for the opportunity to meet Ava and her family today, and for the beautiful hydrant we will get to see outside of our main lobby soon. Congratulations again, Ava!

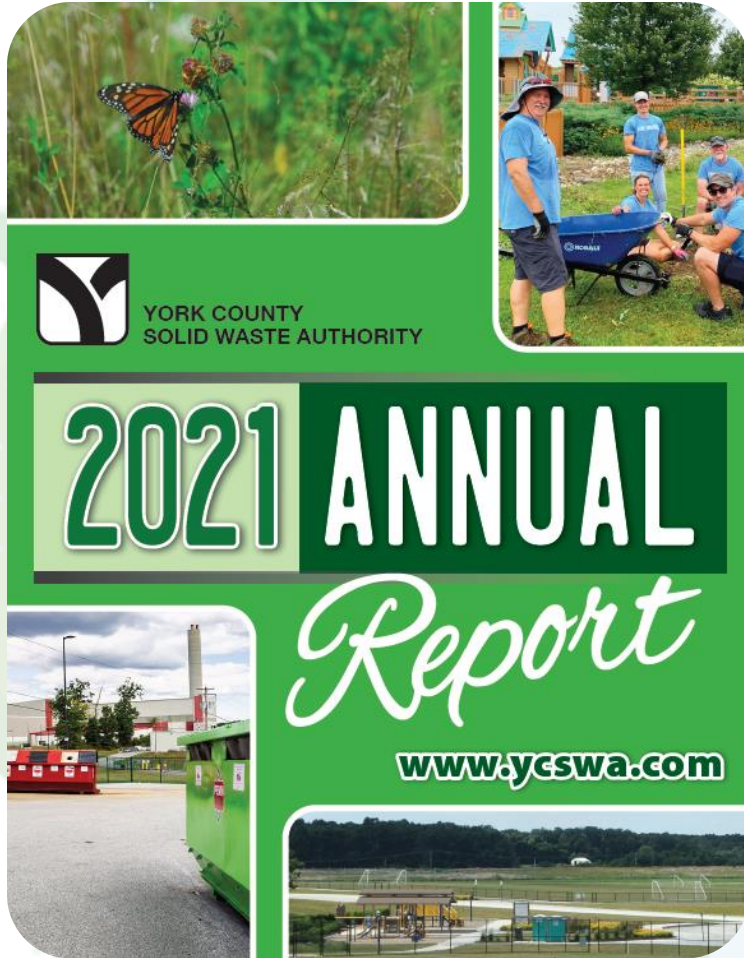
North Penn Now  
Kalahari's winning fire hydrant will be on display at the North Penn Water Authority until next year's contest. - K

Third-Grader Kalissie Loftus Paints Her Winning Design for NPWA's Fire Hydrant





# York County Solid Waste Authority



The cover of the 2021 Annual Report features a green background with several images: a monarch butterfly, a group of people in blue shirts working outdoors, a green recycling bin, and a playground. The York County Solid Waste Authority logo is in the top left. The text reads "2021 ANNUAL Report" and "www.ycswa.com".



A circular graphic with a green and blue border containing icons of a building, wind turbines, and trees. The text inside reads: "Community Engagement TELL YOUR STORY Annual Conference & Trade Show SEPTEMBER 17 - 20 Kalahari Resorts & Convention Center - Poconos".

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A YouTube video player showing a video with the York County Solid Waste Authority logo and the text "GARBAGE IS POWER". The video progress bar shows 0:05 / 2:34. The video title is "Who is York County Solid Waste Authority?".



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Who is York County Solid Waste Authority?