

Public Works

Our Mission. . .

- To provide the residents of Radnor Township with municipal services that they expect and deserve, and to enhance their quality of life

Our Goal. . .

- To provide these services in a knowledgeable, dedicated, and courteous fashion, as efficiently as possible

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Services

The Public Works Department provides services through the following divisions:

- Solid Waste
- Highway
- Parks Maintenance
- Sanitary Sewer
- Vehicle Maintenance
- Facilities Maintenance

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Public Works Employees

- The Public Works Department employees come into contact with most all of the residents of Radnor Township.
- The dedicated and knowledgeable employees of the Public Works Department, along with other Township departments, provides quality of life services to our residents.

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Team Work



The divisions of Public Works are not stand alone groups; all divisions interact and assist each other as needed. This is quite evident in snow plowing operations, leaf collection efforts, trash collection, sewer repairs, and the care of our Township Parks and facilities.

Solid Waste Division

The Solid Waste division has 19 hardworking employees and provides the following services to over 7,000 residences each week:



- Trash – over 360,000 pickups per year totaling over 7,012 tons of trash in 2016.
- Recycling – over 360,000 pickups per year, totaling over 2,740 tons of recycling in 2016.
- Brush Pickup – over 940 tons of curbside yardwaste collected and recycling in 2016
- 305 Rear Yard weekly pick ups in 2016

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Solid Waste Division

- Bulk Item Collection of larger items and appliances – 1,205 in 2016
- Roadside Debris and Trash Cleanup
- Empty trash cans in the Wayne Business District and along Lancaster Pike



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Highway Division

The Highway and Streets Division has 11 hardworking employees and provides the following services:

- Pothole repair and patching on Township owned roads and properties



- Snow plowing – 119 miles of streets...all Township and State owned roads in Radnor

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Highway Division

Leaf collection – composting

- Curbside leaf collection for Township residents – 2,800 tons in 2016
- Sweep streets after leaf collection
- Composting operations at Skunk Hollow
- Provide leaf compost at 7 EAC locations
- Collected over 2,000 Christmas trees which are then recycled



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Highway Division



- Storm Sewer Maintenance
1,800 inlets, 57 miles of storm sewer
- Storm sewer inlet repair
- Storm sewer pipe repair
- Inlet grate cleaning prior to and after storm. 1,150 inlets cleaned in 2016 with 160 tons of debris removed
- Curb repair/installation

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Highway Division



- Maintain all regulatory (speed limit, stop signs, speed humps, etc.) in the Township, clear foliage when required – 8,000 signs
- Clean All 44 traffic islands
- Paint all intersection pavement markings
- Oversee the maintenance of 46 traffic signals
- Oversee the maintenance of 1,600 street lights
- Sweep all streets in the Township 3x's each year

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Highway Division

- Cleans the Wayne Business District 11 times per year
- Assists other divisions as necessary
- Cleans and Maintains the Radnor Activity Center at Sulpizio Gymnasium
- Supports Community, Recreation Department, and Police Events



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Parks Maintenance Division

The Parks Maintenance division has 12 hardworking employees and performs the following tasks:



- Cut, aerate, seed, fertilize, and trim all athletic fields, 2x/week – 18 acres
- Cut and trim all grass areas in the parks – 350 acres
- Leaf cleanup, spring cleanup, all parks
- Edge, mulch and weed landscape beds
- Maintain all Gateway enhancement installations (landscape beds, griffin, cairn)
- Clean gutters for all Township owned facilities

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Parks Maintenance Division

- Removes trash from all parks & the Radnor Trail
- Cleans and maintains all of the parks comfort stations
- Clears and Repairs fence lines
- Maintains all park amenities (benches, picnic tables, bleachers, grills)
- Maintains all play structures including the playground surfacing
- Trims shrubbery & hedges, 3x's/year at all Township parks & facilities
- Trims grasses on bridges and other facilities
- Maintains the skate park
- Prune trees in all parks
- Maintain the Radnor Trail
- Maintain the 17 Township landscape islands

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Parks Maintenance Division

Groom 12 ball fields 3x per week during the playing season which begins in early spring through late fall



- Groom Fields
- Grade Infields
- Edge Base Paths
- Adjust Pitchers Mound
- Manage the maintenance of the irrigation system at Dittmar Park.

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Parks Maintenance Division

- Roadside Mowing
- Respond to calls for roads blocked by trees
- Integral part of snow plowing, solid waste, & leaf collection operations



- Clears sidewalks on Township properties during snow storms
- Assists the Community and Recreation Programming Department at Community Events

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Sanitary Sewer Division

The Sanitary Sewer Division has 3 knowledgeable, helpful, hardworking employees who perform the following tasks:



- Maintains 126 miles of sanitary sewer lines and 1.5 miles of forced mains
- Performs PA One Call Mark Outs – 3,295 in 2016
- Maintains 4 sewage pumping stations
- On-Call 24 hours a day to respond to after hour sewer emergencies
- Integral part of leaf collection solid waste, and snow and plowing operations
- Assists other Public Work Divisions, Radnor Police, and the Recreation and Community Programming Department

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Vehicle Maintenance Division

Vehicle (Fleet) Maintenance Division consists of 3 heavy duty, diesel, motorcycle, and automotive technicians responsible for the following duties:

- Maintenance and Repairs to all of the 130 + Township vehicles, mowers, motorcycles, and equipment
- Integral part of snow plowing, solid waste, & leaf collection operations



- Monitors and orders all fuels and solvents for all Township vehicle requirements including the Radnor Fire Dept
- Provides valuable input in Capital Budget Planning

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Facilities Maintenance Division

All of the Public Works Divisions share in the responsibility for the upkeep and routine maintenance of the Radnor Township Municipal Building, the Radnor Township Public Works Facility, the Radnor Activity Center at Sulpizio Gymnasium, the Wayne Senior Center, the Radnor Memorial Library, and the Willows Mansion and Cottage



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Emergency Response

Our Radnor Township Public Works Crews are on call 24 hours a day for all types of emergencies, including:

- Snow and Ice Storms
- Sanitary Sewer Blockages
- Severe Rain and Wind Storms

The Public Works Employees respond to remove downed trees and limbs, clear inlets, supply generators to traffic signals, barricade roadways and provide emergency signage, and support the needs of the Radnor Township Police Department. 24/7, 365 days per year

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