

Department of Public Works

Report for September, 2024



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## Public Works activities for September, 2024:

During the month of July and September, Public Works worked on the following activities:

1. Public Works assisted Council member Blunt, with transporting Items to Bladensburg Water Front Park for their Seniors gathering.
2. Working with several roofing contractor in refence roof repairs at the Town Hall and Police Annex.
3. Public Works repainted blue reserved Handicap parking curbs in the 5300 block of Upshur Street.
4. Mr. Hall attended the America in Bloom Symposium & Award Celebration in Columbus and Logan, Ohio. It was very helpful information to implement in the Town for stronger beautification.
5. Assisted officer Tanksley with transporting furniture to the CAT office.
6. Assisted with researching all Pepco lights in Town to ensure the Town is getting billed properly . Pepco has awarded the Town a reimbursement of \$25,973.73.
7. I personally want to thank the guys from Public Works for going a little outside of the Towns area to make sure litter is picked up.
8. Public Works installed new lock on the basement door at the Boswick House.
9. All Public Work trucks that enter Brown station facility has successfully passed the inspection.
10. The 57<sup>th</sup> Avenue light project is about to brake ground to install 10 pedestrian light poles. Just waiting on the dig ticket to clear.
11. Bridge repairs still awaiting on a few forms to get approved to start the work.
12. Due to all the rain. Public Works made sure all catch basin/ drains were clear of any debris, so water can flow properly.
13. Assisted Mr. Jeffries with hanging up Hispanic Heritage month banner on the exterior of the Town Hall.
14. Public Works picked up rain barrels from Edmonston Town Hall and deliver them to Bladensburg Town Hall for the event.



- Public Works assisted with putting together two new podiums at the Town Hall.



Measured in tons

Brush	
Building material	2.96
Condominium bulk pick up	3.57

Ground Maintenance:

The Public Works crew is committed to keeping the Town clean and beautiful and as a result we have picked up litter in the following areas of the Town.

- Annapolis Road Pedestrian Tunnel
- The Industrial Area
- The alley-way in between 55<sup>th</sup> Ave. and 56<sup>th</sup> Ave.

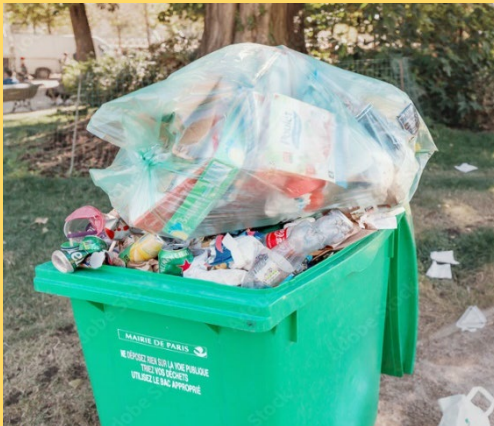
Meetings:

- Department Head meeting

## **Please Help Keep Bladensburg Clean we CARE!**

- In order for the Department of Public Works to keep the Town clean and litter free, we need a little help from our residents as well.

1. Pick up litter in front of your property. (Curb line as well)
2. Please put trash/recycling in the proper container with the lid closed. It helps keep the Town neat and clean.



**If you have leaves for pick up, please place them in paper yard waste bags or trash cans marked with and X for pick up on MONDAYS.**



**Resident's Please Don't Litter in your community.....**

**Notice: Styrofoam is not recyclable. Please put Styrofoam out on the trash collection day. (Tuesday and Friday)**

**Reminder: Recycling is collected on Mondays with Yard Waste.**



Different styles of pole mounting flower pots



Pot liners help keep water in the pot.



400 or 500-year-old White Oak tree in Logan Ohio.

