

WORD FROM WYOMING

	<h2>Note from Delmarva Power</h2>	<h2>Board of Elections And Poll Workers</h2>
<p><i>Special points of interest:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Town Council Meeting scheduled for January 9th @ 7:30 PM @ the Annex • Sewer & Water Meeting scheduled for December 13th @ 7:00 PM @ CWSWA • Planning & Zoning Meeting scheduled for December 13th @ 7:30 PM @ the Annex • Tuesday Night Bingo at C-W Fire Company @ 7:30 PM. • Camden Wyoming Fire Company All You Can Eat Breakfast—first Sunday of each month from 8:00 to 11:00 a.m. • Recycling Pickup is every Tuesday; Trash Pickup is every Friday. Due to Christmas and New Year's Days falling on Sundays, there will be NO change in schedule those weeks. Upcoming Yard Waste Pickups are, Tuesday, December 20th and Tuesday, January 3rd. Upcoming Bulk Pickups will be on Fridays, December 23rd and January 13th. 	<p>Delmarva Power is making good progress on Phase I of our service upgrade in town. The work has moved along without too many concerns and those that have arisen have been worked through. You may notice old poles still awaiting removal and that is because we are waiting for Comcast and Verizon to move their facilities to our new poles. Phase I of the project is about 60% to 65% complete.</p> <p>As a reminder, with any project safety is a priority at Delmarva Power. For the safety of both you and our crews, we ask you to be aware of our work zones and avoid entering them. We appreciate your patience during this project as we strive to improve the electric service reliability for you.</p>	<p>With elections coming up in February, The Town of Wyoming is in need of several residents to volunteer to be members of the Board of Elections and work as Poll Workers. If interested, please send a letter of interest to Wyoming Town Hall, 1 N. Railroad Avenue, Wyoming, DE 19934. Board of Election members need to be able to meet at Town Hall at a given time on Saturday morning, February 25th to open absentee ballots and again after the polls close to report the election results. Other than that, they only need to be nearby and available by phone in case any issues come up. The poll workers need to be at the polls all day from opening to close. Training is available for anyone who wishes to have it prior to the election by a Kent County Election Department representative. Please get your letters in early. Thank you.</p>
	<h2>Elections</h2>	
	<p>Elections are once again coming up on Saturday, February 25, 2012. We will have two seats up for election, Ms. Georgette William's seat and Mr. Terry Witt's seat. If you are interested in running for one of these seats, please contact Town Hall to pick up an election packet. Letters of intent to run and the results of a criminal background check must be delivered to Town Hall no later than 4:30 p.m. on Friday, January 27, 2012. The requirements for running will be in the packets.</p>	<h2>Town Hall Holiday Closings</h2> <p>Town Hall Office will be closed for the Christmas Holiday on Friday, December 23rd and Monday, December 26th. For the New Year we will be closed on Monday, January 2, 2012. As this is considered a holiday and it is the first Monday of January, the January Wyoming Town Council Meeting will be held the following week on Monday, January 9th.</p>

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William M. Chambers, Jr.

Our deepest condolences go out to the Chambers family for the passing of Bill Chambers, owner of Chambers Dodge Truck Center in Felton. Mr. Chambers was a real gentleman; never having a bad word to say about anyone. He never went back on his word and would do whatever was asked of him without hesitation. The Wyoming Police Department is proud to have known him not only as a businessman but as a true friend to the department. Our hearts and prayers are with his wife, Betty, as well as his children and grandchildren. He will be greatly missed by all.



Chief Martin Willey being sworn in (above) as Wyoming Police Chief by Judge Pam Darling on Monday, December 5, 2011. Wife Amy is holding the Bible for our new Chief.

Wyoming Police Department

I would like to wish everyone a MERRY CHRISTMAS and a HAPPY NEW YEAR. I would also like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for their support for the Chief's position for the Wyoming Police Department. The Wyoming Town Council offered me the position during November's town council meeting and I accepted. My door will always be open to anyone and everyone.

During the Holiday season we see an increase in criminal activity. If at any time you see anything that is unusual, please contact the police (911) and we will come out and check on it. Our goal is for everyone to have a safe and enjoyable Holiday. If you are planning to leave your residence for an extended period of time, stop by and let us know. We will check on your residence while you are away. If you would like, you can contact me or another officer ahead of time and we will come out to check your residence to make sure it is secured and give you suggestions of things you can do to increase the security of your residence and/or property.

Remember we are here to serve and protect the residents of Wyoming. I would like to leave you with this quote from Oren Arnold "Christmas gift suggestion; to your enemy, forgiveness. To an opponent, tolerance. To a friend, your heart. To a customer, service. To all, charity. To every child, a good example. To yourself, respect."

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Holiday Decorations

Please find time to ride by the train platform next to Town Hall some evening to enjoy our holiday display. Thanks to Lew Denham for his hard work decorating and special thanks to Lawns Plus for donating the beautiful white pine tree that will later be planted at the park.



**WYOMING TOWN COUNCIL,
WYOMING POLICE DEPARTMENT
AND TOWN STAFF
WISH EVERYONE A SAFE
AND HAPPY HOLIDAY !!**

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Message from the Mayor

December 2011, what a year this has been! It is a busy time in the Town of Wyoming, with so much happening. The Town has been working on many projects; I will update you on our progress over the last 7 months:

1. The Town of Wyoming 2011 Comprehensive Plan has been signed into law by Governor Jack Markell.
2. The Ordinance Review and Updating Project is coming close to being completed. We have updated over 90% of all the ordinances in the Town of Wyoming and you will soon be able to check out the most recent ones on the website.
3. We have completed the annual audit and everything looks great in our town.
4. We had a great success with the Halloween party with over 550 people attending.
5. The NEW Chief of Police for the Town of Wyoming was sworn in Dec, 5th 2011. Congratulations Chief Martin Willey.
6. We have given out over 15 Good News Awards to citizens in our town for their community involvement.
7. There was NO tax increase this year.
8. We were successful in giving our employees a 2% raise this year, while still staying within our budget.
9. We were successful in getting the Yard Waste pick-up every other week without raising taxes.
10. The Town of Wyoming is in the Black and all is looking well.
11. We were able to fund the Remus Lane Project at no cost to the Town of Wyoming with the help of Senator Bushweller and Representative Blakey. This project will be completed before the end of the year.
12. The Roof on the freight platform was replaced. This completes a five year project to replace all the municipal roofs.
13. We have received a grant to do major work at the Wyoming Park starting in the spring, at no cost to the Town of Wyoming. Plans are in the Annex Building; please stop by and check them out.

14. The Delmarva Power Company is updating all the power lines in our town and removing the electrical sub-station on Southern Boulevard. This project is in Four Phases; they are close to completing Phase 1 now and will soon start Phase 2.

15. The Camden Wyoming Little League Park pond is being corrected at no cost to the Town of Wyoming thanks to Senator Bushweller and Representative Blakey.

We could not have accomplished all of this without the help of Pam: Town Clerk, Nicole: Finance Clerk, Lew: our Maintenance Man, and Georgette Williams: Treasure watching our spending, the Wyoming Town Council, and last but not least The Wyoming Police Department. Thank you, for all you do everyday.

These are just a few things we are working on in the Town of Wyoming. I hope you are pleased with the progress we are making for you and our Town.

December is a magnificent time of year with Christmas, Hanukah, and Kwanza, just around the corner. Take time to enjoy all the wonderful parties, and getting together with friends and families. Remember all the wonderful holidays we have been blessed with over our lifetime and give thanks for all the people in our lives.

From my home to yours I want to wish you and your family a:

Merry Christmas and Happy Holidays

As always, without all of you this town would not be "The Best Little Town in Delaware".

If I can help anyone, please call, e-mail, or contact the Town Hall for an appointment with me.

Thank You

Dale Rife, Mayor

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