

December 2016

# Word from Wyoming

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## Town Elections



With elections taking place on February 25<sup>th</sup>, we need three volunteers to work the polls and three volunteers to be on the Election Board. The poll workers need to be at Town Hall by Noon as the polls open at 1 p.m. and close at 8 p.m. The Board of Election members need to meet at Town Hall at 10 a.m. to open and tally the absentee votes. Then they need to be available by phone for the rest of the day in case there are any issues at the polls. They will then meet at the polls at 8 p.m. to announce the results of the election. If you're interested in either of these positions, please contact Town Hall and send a letter of interest to Wyoming Town Hall, 1 N. Railroad Avenue, Wyoming, DE 19934 as soon as possible as these people need to be appointed at the December 5<sup>th</sup> Council Meeting. This is a great way to support your town without having to put out a lot of time. Thank you in advance to all volunteers.

Reminder to anyone interested in running for Mayor or one of the two available council seats: you must pick up your election packet from Town Hall and submit all of your paperwork, INCLUDING the RESULTS of your criminal background check, to Town Hall no later than 4:30 p.m. on Friday, January 27, 2017.

## Reminder for Residents

Anyone doing major repairs, replacements or additions to their homes or properties must apply for a building permit before beginning the work. Building permits take approximately 48-72 hours. If you're uncertain if you need a permit, please call and ask. Please do not apply for a permit the day the work is to begin. Also, any contractor you hire to do your work must have a Town of Wyoming Contractor's License. To apply for a license, they must supply us with a completed application

## Calendar of Events:

-  Town Council Public Hearing—CDB Grant, Monday, Dec. 5<sup>th</sup> @ 6:30 p.m.
-  Town Council Public Hearing—Comp. Plan Amendment, Monday, Dec. 5<sup>th</sup> @ 7 p.m.
-  Town Council Meeting—Monday, Dec. 5<sup>th</sup> @ 7:15 p.m.
-  Planning & Zoning Meeting—Tuesday, Dec. 13<sup>th</sup> @ 7:30 p.m. (Joint Mtg. of Council and P&Z)
-  Camden-Wyoming Sewer & Water—Tuesday, Dec. 13<sup>th</sup> @ 7 p.m. @ CWSWA Building
-  Trash pickup is every Friday. Recycling pickup is every Tuesday. Bulk pickup is every Wednesday, and Yard Waste pickup is Tuesday, Dec. 13<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup>

*(All meetings are held at the Wyoming Municipal Building, 1 N. Railroad Ave.)*

(available on our website), a copy of a valid State of Delaware license, a copy of their liability insurance certificate, and the fee of \$100.

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## Message from Mayor Rife



December is the month of Christmas which has always been my favorite holiday. I feel like a little girl again, only now I see this magnificent season through my grandson's eyes. If only all people could see this wonderful world through a child's eyes.

I love riding around the area and seeing all the nicely decorated houses in our wonderful town. Thank you for taking the time to decorate every year and make this a joyful season.

This time of year is about family and friends. Sometimes we get so caught up in all the shopping, wrapping, and decorating that we forget the true meaning of this wonderful holiday. So take time to reflect on days gone by. Take a minute and call that long lost relative or friend just to say hello and catch up. After all, it is the season of giving and your time is the most valuable gift of all.

Remember all the military men and women who are away defending our freedom, the police and emergency personnel who give their time and sometimes their lives, all the families who are left alone this holiday season, and also our elderly residents who could use a visit from a friend, old or new. Be their bright and shining star this holiday season.

I would like to take this time to honor our employees and thank each and every one of them for what they do all year. GREAT JOB!

- ★ Office Staff: Laura Conner, Pam Haddick, and Susan Savage
- ★ Newsletter Editor: Patricia Van Wieren (a volunteer)
- ★ Maintenance: Jim Brown, Jr. and Lew Denham
- ★ Police Dept: PFC Dan Creech, Lt. Charles Gross, Cpl. Mike Petyo, and Chief Martin Willey
- ★ Council: Doug Denison, Kyle Dixon, Georgette Williams, and Terry Witt

Best wishes to you all for a very Merry Christmas and a Happy and Healthy New Year!

Thank You,  
Dale Rife, Mayor  
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