

Update to Trash Collection Schedule for Several Areas



The City of Salisbury Department of Field Operations will be adjusting the trash pickup schedule for some areas of Salisbury beginning Nov. 13, 2023. After unexpected and ongoing maintenance issues with our trucks, the department has been endeavoring to find the best solutions to serve residents in a timely manner.

As we work to resolve the situation and get our full fleet back on the road as

soon as possible, it is with that in mind that we will be collecting from the following areas on Mondays starting on Nov. 13:

- Tony Tank
- Summer's Gate
- Ellington
- Stone Gate
- Peridot
- Spring Chase

- Glen Ave
- Viewfield
- N. Park Drive to Long Ave.
- Schumaker Manor
- Mallard Landing

As a reminder, In light of this situation, we kindly request that residents still understand the following:

1. If your trash is not collected at the scheduled date and time, please leave it out for our crew to collect when they can.
2. Residents are encouraged to keep an eye on updates from the Department of Field Operations through our official communication channels, including our website and social media, for the latest information on trash collection.

Election Day is Nov. 7th!

[Click here to for information about the elections, who is running, important dates and more on the City's website](#)

Housing & Community Development Dept. Recognizes Community Members



The Code Enforcement Division of HCDD has started a new initiative to recognize City residents for consistently complying with property maintenance code. So often the focus tends to be on the citations that are sent or the ways residents are not following code that the team wanted bring some awareness to the positive side of their job. Each month the Code Enforcement team will select a new property and recognize the resident's efforts. The first award was presented for the month of September to Holly W. of S. Clairmont Dr.

Holly received this well-deserved recognition for her dedication to keeping her property up to the City's property maintenance code. Congratulations, Holly!



Another new initiative from HCDD is to have some fun with Holiday decorating! We want to see your decorating skills and creativity in action. Starting with Halloween, HCDD selected 4 houses from around the City to compete in a "Best Decorated" contest. Residents voted on their favorite via the City's Facebook page and the winner was announced on Halloween. Congratulations to the skilled decorators of house #2, located on Druid Hill Ave. Great job!

The next decorating contest will be announced soon! Thank you to all who participated!



**SKIP THE BAG,
SAVE THE RIVER.**

Bag Ban Update

The City of Salisbury has amended the Comprehensive Plastic Bag Reduction Ordinance (No. 2827), or the Shop Green SBY Initiative, to exclude some purchases from the mandatory \$0.10 fee charged for each alternative bag, such as a paper bag, distributed at check out.

We've listened to our local businesses — some of which already provided paper bags to customers at no cost — which were affected by the all-inclusive nature of the ordinance language. The Mayor's Office and City Council have worked together to alleviate the requirement that some businesses charge for paper bags.

The following language has been added to the ordinance via amendment:

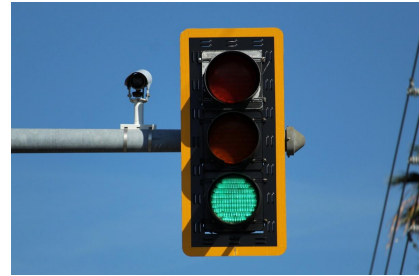
"Exclusions. A retail establishment shall not collect a charge required under 5.69.020(B), for any paper bag (i) a food service facility gives a customer or third party delivery service to take food sliced or prepared to order from the food service facility; (ii) a pharmacy gives to a patient or customer that contains a prescription drug; or (iii) which constitutes an essential part of the packaging of the product, the product itself, or which was packaged in such manner at the time of manufacture."

For more information on Shop Green SBY, please visit the [Green SBY page on](#)

We Need Your Input!

The City is studying the removal of the traffic signal at Church St and Priscilla St.

Community feedback is being solicited regarding this change. Click the link below to take the survey and let us know what you think!



[Take the Survey](#)



Update from Sustainability/ SBY Green Team

On October 31, the City submitted an updated plan to MDE for the restoration of our impervious surface to reduce pollutants going into the bay. On October 28, Sustainability Specialist, Dylan Laconich, Wicomico Environmental Trust's Susan Parker, and Salisbury University's Jennifer Nyland held the Watershed Report at City Park about the implications of the creekwatchers data. In the month of October alone, the Green Team distributed 1000+ bags to different community organizations, and by getting out to low-income serving grocery stores and neighborhoods.

For more information on the City's Sustainability efforts visit the [Infrastructure and Development webpage](#)

Salisbury University has a full calendar of events this fall!

[Click here to view](#)



FULL-TIME POSITIONS

Water Works

Utilities Tech
Wastewater Plant Biosolids Operator I
Wastewater Plant Operator I
Wastewater Plant Mechanic
Pretreatment Tech I

Infrastructure & Development

Senior Project Engineer
Construction Inspector

Fire Department

Fire Chief
Firefighter/EMT
Firefighter/Paramedic

Police Department

Entry Level Police Officer
Police Communications Officer
Maryland Certified Lateral Police Officer
Police Records Management Technician

PART-TIME POSITIONS

Arts, Business & Culture Dept.

Educator- Zoo
Event Support Associate
Evening Downtown Ambassador

View these positions and job descriptions: <https://salisbury.md/departments/human-resources/careers>

Calendar of Events

Nov 11 **Open Gym at Truitt Community Center**
319 Truitt St.
Open gym days start again on November 11th (11am-2pm), 18th (5pm-8pm), and 25th (5pm-8pm). Free and open to all. Children under 10 yrs old must be accompanied by an adult.

Nov 17 **3rd Friday**
5-8pm Downtown Salisbury,
Theme: Harvest Festival. Shop from artists and crafters in the streets, go pumpkin bowling, enjoy live music from AMP Studios and enjoy other harvest fun. As always, it's free to attend.
www.3rdfridaysby.com

Nov 25 **Salisbury Holiday Hunt & Small Business Saturday**
Nov 25-Dec 31
The Salisbury Holiday Hunt kicks off on Small Business Saturday. Make your way around Downtown and Salisbury's most decked-out attractions during the holiday season and complete challenges for points. Preregister at bit.ly/ScavrSalisburyHunt. Up to 500 participants can register. Registration is free; no purchase necessary.

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Holiday Lights
4-6:30pm; Downtown Salisbury

Celebrate the winter holidays in Downtown Salisbury at this year's Holiday Lights celebration. This event will feature the tree lighting, live music, performances, activities, vendors and more


[Check here for more info](#)



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