

# CITIZEN NEWS

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Presidents' Day

Weekly



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## Public Hearing on Redistricting is March 1

The 2020 Census results indicated a disparity in population growth among the County's five districts. Because of this, the County has proposed a redistricting. The proposal, available to view on the [Board of Supervisors website](#), affects the least number of people and is in keeping with the government's guidance of "compact and contiguous." The Board of Supervisors is holding a Special Public Hearing on this item at 6 p.m. on March 1 in the Board Room of York Hall, 301 Main Street (pictured). Citizens are invited to attend and provide their input on the redistricting proposal. Once finalized, any affected voters will be mailed a new voter card with the location of their new polling place.



## Look for *Citizen News* Quarterly Edition Online Next Week

Our 12-page online newsletter is scheduled to be published early next week. Among the items in this issue: ways in which you can get involved with your County government and how to best receive accurate and timely information, a calendar of upcoming events, Library news, and a message from the County Administrator. Look for the latest edition next week on the [County's website](#). If you are signed up for *Citizen News*, you will be emailed as soon as it's posted.

## Valentine's Market a HUGE Success

The weather was gorgeous, the vendors were set up, and when the market closed at 2 p.m., items were sold out and an estimated 2,000 people had shopped the Valentine's Market! While we can't guarantee the same weather for the next market on February 26, we can state with certainty that we will have a variety of great items for you to pick up. The Yorktown Trolley is running its route during the Winter Markets, beginning at 10 a.m. Several stops are located at parking areas throughout town, with the Trolley dropping you off at Riverwalk Landing – just a few steps from the Market location. We hope to see you February 26! Complete details are available on the [Visit Yorktown website](#).



## Don't Miss These March 1 Tax Filing Deadlines

Are you a business owner? If so, don't forget to renew your *business license* by March 1. Also due March 1, *Tax Return of Business Tangible Personal Property and Machinery and Tools*, and the *Tax Return of Tangible Personal Property for Manufactured (Mobile) Homes*. The [Commissioner of the Revenue's website](#) has resources to help you renew and pay for your business license and to file other forms.

## Open Gym Basketball for 18 & Up Begins February 27

Not interested in league play but like to get out and shoot some hoops? York County Parks and Recreation is launching open gym adult basketball every Sunday at Coventry Elementary School gym starting this month. This free opportunity for fitness and fun is from 1 to 6 p.m. on Sundays, February 27 through April 10. For more information, please send an [email to Parks and Recreation](#). Picture ID required.

**Additional Notes for the Week.....**Register by February 28 for **Adult Softball**. Games will be held at Chisman Creek Park and/or the McReynolds Athletic Complex (MAC). Registration is available on the [Parks and Recreation website](#). The deadline to nominate a high school-aged teen for one of our **Outstanding Youth Awards** has been extended to **March 3!** Four \$1,000 educational scholarships will be awarded for Courage, Compassion, Community Service and Overall Achievement. Application materials are available [online](#).



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