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# *Borough of Chambersburg*

*A full service municipality in Franklin County celebrating over 65 years of consumer owned natural gas service over 120 years of community electric and a regional wastewater, water, storm sewer and municipal solid waste utility*

## CHAMBERSBURG POSTPONES SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING ON SEP-1-2021

### *Breaking News*

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**Chambersburg, Pennsylvania – Please be advised that the Special Meeting of Town Council scheduled for tonight (Wednesday, September 1, 2021) at 7:00 p.m. at The Capitol Theatre at 159 South Main Street in Chambersburg has been postponed and will be rescheduled.**

The Borough is experiencing intermittent power outages downtown due to rainwater in the underground electric network. In consultation with theatre personnel, the Council President and Vice President have decided to reschedule tonight's meeting.

A Special Meeting of Town Council will be rescheduled to review the report of the Exploratory Committee and to consider whether Council wishes to adopt a Local Human Relations Ordinance. Once a date and time is chosen by Council leadership, the meeting will be publicly advertised along with the draft Ordinance for the proposed local law.

The report and the draft Ordinance are available on the Borough website or by contacting the Borough Secretary.

Please submit questions or comments via email to [boroughsecretariesoffice@chambersburgpa.gov](mailto:boroughsecretariesoffice@chambersburgpa.gov). Written correspondence can be mailed to Jamia Wright, Borough Secretary, Borough of Chambersburg, 100 South Second Street, Chambersburg, PA 17201.

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Chambersburg is a unique community. Chambersburg supplies more services than any other municipality in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. In addition to typical town functions, Chambersburg is Pennsylvania's only municipality supplying electric and gas. Chambersburg is 1 of 35 Boroughs to operate a municipal non-profit electric utility. Chambersburg is the largest municipal electric utility in the State, twice as large as the second largest, Ephrata, Lancaster County; and, the only one to operate generation stations. Chambersburg is 1 of 2 municipalities in PA to operate a natural gas utility. The other is Philadelphia, which does not operate an electric utility. Nationally, Chambersburg is 1 of 2,000 communities to have its own electric system and 1 of 800 communities to have a natural gas system but 1 of only about 50 to operate both. Chambersburg manages a regional water system, a regional sanitary sewer system (not through an independent Authority), and a new storm sewer utility; one of the first storm sewer utilities to form under the new Federal mandate to regulate stormwater.

Chambersburg currently has 20,508 residents (2013).