



BOROUGH OF HATBORO

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Hello New Resident, and Welcome to the Borough of Hatboro!

On behalf of Borough Council, Mayor Schultz, and the Borough staff, I would like to personally welcome you to our community. We are delighted that you have chosen Hatboro as your new home.

Our mission is to serve our residents, property owners, and taxpayers in a reliable, respectful, and professional manner while delivering efficient, cost-effective municipal services. We take great pride in our community and are committed to providing the highest level of service possible.

To help you become familiar with all that Hatboro has to offer, Borough Hall staff have prepared this New Resident Guide. Within these pages, you will find important information about living in the Borough, including details about Borough Council meetings, elected officials, trash and recycling services, Public Works, Police, Fire Protection, Emergency Medical Services, community programs, and other valuable resources.

Hatboro is a vibrant and welcoming community with a rich history, outstanding public services, beautiful parks, thriving local businesses, and many opportunities to become involved. We hope you find this guide informative and helpful as you settle into your new home and begin exploring everything our Borough has to offer.

We look forward to serving you and encourage you to contact Borough Hall should you ever have questions or need assistance.

Again, welcome to Hatboro. We are glad you're here.

Sincerely,

Diane C. Hegele

Diane C. Hegele, CBO
Borough Manager
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WELCOME TO HATBORO

NEW RESIDENT GUIDE

Visit for the Past. Stay for the Future.



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Welcome Home

A quick introduction to your Borough government and the people serving Hatboro.

Welcome to the Borough of Hatboro! Whether you are buying your first home, renting, moving across town, or joining us from somewhere new, we are glad you are here.

Hatboro is a close-knit, walkable community with a vibrant downtown, parks and recreation facilities, public services, local organizations, historic places, and community events throughout the year. This guide is designed to help you get settled and quickly find the services and information you are most likely to need.



Loller Academy / Borough Hall

When in doubt, Borough Hall is a great place to start. Staff can help connect you with the right department or resource.

BOROUGH HALL

414 S. York Road
Hatboro, PA 19040
215-443-9100
Monday-Friday, 8:00 AM-4:30 PM
myhatboro.org

Mayor & Borough Council

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Borough Staff & Professional Services

Who to contact when you need help with Borough services, permits, public safety, taxes, or property questions.

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Berkheimer & Associates

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Full staff contact information: myhatboro.org/about-1/contact-us/

New to Hatboro? Start Here

The phone numbers and links worth keeping handy.

BOROUGH HALL 215-443-9100 Permits • Public Works • Parking • Taxes • General questions	EMERGENCY 911 Police • Fire • EMS
POLICE - NON-EMERGENCY 215-675-2832 Hatboro Police Department	ENTERPRISE FIRE COMPANY 215-675-4040 Non-emergency information
TRASH & RECYCLING Collection is provided by Hatboro Public Works for eligible properties. Your collection schedule is printed on the Trash & Recycling page in this guide.	BEFORE YOU START A PROJECT Many home projects require Borough permits. Call Borough Hall before work begins.

Useful Borough Links

- Borough website: myhatboro.org
- Trash & recycling: myhatboro.org/public-works/trash-collection/
- Permits & licenses: myhatboro.org/permits-licenses/
- Parking: myhatboro.org/parking-information/

TIP: Keep this page handy

Collection schedules, event dates, parking rules, fees, and elected officials can change. For the latest Borough information, visit myhatboro.org or call Borough Hall at 215-443-9100.

Trash, Recycling & Public Works

Everyday Borough services, in one place.

Online: myhatboro.org/public-works/trash-collection/

YOUR TRASH & RECYCLING COLLECTION SCHEDULE

ZONE 1 Trash & yard waste: Monday & Thursday | Recycling: Monday

ZONE 2 Trash & yard waste: Tuesday & Friday | Recycling: Tuesday

ZONE 3 Trash & yard waste: Monday & Thursday | Recycling: Thursday

ZONE 4 Trash & yard waste: Tuesday & Friday | Recycling: Friday

YORK ROAD Trash: Tuesday & Friday | Recycling varies by parcel

Not sure which zone your address is in? Call Borough Hall at 215-443-9100.

Bulk Trash

Mattresses, box springs, furniture, appliances, and other large household items require a Bulk Trash Permit from Borough Hall. Bulk collection is the first and third Wednesday of each month.

Recycling

Hatboro uses single-stream recycling. Place recyclables loose in a container - not in plastic bags. Accepted items include cans, glass bottles and jars, cartons, paper, flattened cardboard, and plastics #1-7.

Do not put these in regular trash

- Construction debris, concrete, bricks, roofing materials, or tree stumps
- Hazardous waste, gasoline, paint thinner, motor oil, pesticides, or medical waste
- Electronics, propane tanks, or any pressurized cylinders
- Large furniture and appliances - these require bulk collection arrangements

SET-OUT RULES

Put containers at the curb no earlier than 7:00 PM the night before collection and have them out by 6:30 AM. Containers may not exceed 50 gallons; no can, bag, or individual item may exceed 60 pounds.

HOLIDAYS & MISSED PICKUPS

No collection on New Year's Day, Good Friday, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Veterans Day, Thanksgiving, the Friday after Thanksgiving, or Christmas. Holiday collection moves to your next regular collection day. For a missed pickup, call 215-443-9100.



Your Home & Property

A quick guide to permits, licenses, and common property questions.

Forms & permit information: myhatboro.org/permits-licenses/

Before you begin work

Not sure whether your project needs a permit? Call Borough Hall at 215-443-9100 before work begins. It is much easier to confirm first than fix a permit issue later.

Common work requiring a Building Permit

- New construction and additions/alterations
- Roofing and siding
- Above-ground and in-ground pools
- Electrical, plumbing, mechanical, and sewer work
- Heaters, wood stoves, and fireplaces
- Demolition and underground tank removal

Other common Borough permits

- Zoning permits for signs, fences, sheds, driveways, and dumpsters
- Sidewalk and curb permits
- Street opening permits
- Shade tree permits for removal, replacement, or pruning of Borough shade trees

Buying, Selling or Renting

A Use & Occupancy Permit is required for every sale or transfer of property in Hatboro and includes an inspection by the Fire Marshal. Rental units, including apartments and single-family homes, require a Borough Rental License; licenses are valid for three years and require a Fire Marshal inspection.

Parking Permits

Monthly Parking Permits are available for all of the Borough's Municipal Lots. Permits for reserved spots are available on a first come first served basis and available for the following parking lots:

- [Moreland & Orchard Lot](#) (Aka Shopper's Lot. Located at the corner of W. Moreland Avenue & York Rd. with entrances off of W. Moreland and Orchard Ave.)
- [Commuter Lot](#) (Located on E. Moreland Ave. by the railroad tracks)
- [Bank Street Lot](#) (located on Bank St. off of W. Lehman Ave.)

Police, Fire, EMS & Emergency Preparedness

Know who to call - and how to stay informed before an emergency happens.

EMERGENCY: 911

[Hatboro Police Department](#)

120 E. Montgomery Avenue
Non-emergency: 215-675-2832

[Enterprise Fire Company of Hatboro](#)

36 Byberry Avenue
Non-emergency: 215-675-4040



Enterprise Fire Company is part of Hatboro's community traditions as well as its emergency response system.

Borough Fire Marshal / Emergency Management

Contact through Borough Hall: 215-443-9100

Sign up for Borough and Montgomery County alerts so you can receive information about severe weather, road closures, municipal notifications, and other important updates.

A simple preparedness checklist

Keep working smoke and carbon monoxide alarms, know two ways out of your home, keep emergency contacts and medications accessible, and have a plan for children, older adults, pets, and anyone who may need extra assistance.

The Borough of Hatboro Office of Emergency Management is asking all residents with special needs who might need assistance in the event of an emergency to please call Borough Hall, 215-443-9100 to register with the Borough's Special Needs Registry or email the Fire Marshal at kvalesky@myhatboro.org. Residents will be asked to fill out paperwork which is strictly confidential & only shared with Emergency Management & Emergency Services (your local police & fire departments).

The Office of Emergency Management challenges residents to do one thing a month to become better prepared for emergencies.

For more information on emergency preparedness, visit the Office of Emergency Preparedness at www.fema.gov or the Red Cross at www.redcross.org.

Electric & Natural Gas Safety Tips: If you smell a gas odor or have a natural gas emergency, LEAVE THE AREA IMMEDIATELY and call PECO's Emergency Phone Number: 1-800-841-4141. Remember NEVER use matches to look for natural gas leaks and ALWAYS stay away from fallen power lines. Report the location of the downed wires to PECO at 1-800-841-4141. If an overhead line falls on a vehicle, drivers and passengers should STAY INSIDE the vehicle. If you exit the vehicle, jump clear without touching any part of the vehicle & the ground at the same time. Also, NEVER enter a flooded basement.

Parking & Transportation

Downtown parking, commuter options, and getting around Hatboro.

On-Street Metered Parking

Metered parking is in effect Monday through Saturday; meters are not in effect on Sunday. Most downtown metered zones operate 9:00 AM-9:00 PM at \$0.25 per hour, including portions of Byberry Avenue, East Monument Avenue, East Moreland Avenue, Summit Avenue, Williams Lane, and York Road. Jacksonville Road has a separate 6:00 AM-6:00 PM metered zone at \$1.00 per 12 hours.

Municipal Parking Lots

- Bank Street Lot - off W. Lehman Avenue
- Moreland & Orchard Lot - near York Road
- Commuter Lot - E. Moreland Avenue near the railroad tracks

Municipal lots are open 24 hours a day, seven days a week and currently cost \$1.00 per day. Reserved monthly permits are available through Borough Hall on a first-come, first-served basis: \$15 per month for residents and \$30 per month for non-residents.

SEPTA

The Hatboro Train Station is located at 40 S. Penn Street, at South Penn Street and Byberry Avenue. The Borough Commuter Lot also provides convenient access to the station.

Parking information & permits: myhatboro.org/parking-information/

PARKING UPDATES

The Borough is reviewing portions of its on-street parking regulations in 2026. The rates and municipal lot information above reflect the Borough's current published parking information. For the latest restrictions and any adopted changes, visit myhatboro.org/parking-information/ or call 215-443-9100.



Parks, Pool & Recreation

Green space, recreation, and places to gather throughout Hatboro.

Parks: myhatboro.org/parks/ • Pool: myhatboro.org/pool/



Miller Meadow



Hatboro Memorial Pool



James C. Petrik Memorial Traffic Garden

Explore Hatboro

Hatboro's seven public parks range from neighborhood green spaces to larger recreation areas; a bonus, they are all dog friendly (all dogs must be leashed and picked up after).

1. Memorial Park (330 W. Moreland Avenue) includes playgrounds, open space, a baseball field, sand volleyball, and access to the Pennypack Creek.
2. Miller Meadow (S. York Rd across from Borough Hall) offers open space, a managed meadow, sign garden, and monarch butterfly waystation. It is also home to our Gold Star Family Garden, Gazebo, and walking trail.
3. Celano Park (Meadowbrook & Windsor) includes a paved trail and creek access.
4. Eaton Park (321 W. Moreland Ave) has a pedestrian trail with exercise stations, as well as a picnic pavilion, along with basketball courts.
5. Tanner Park (329 Jefferson Ave) includes a play area featuring swings, slide, and jungle gym, as well as basketball courts.
6. Blair Mill Park (2 Blair Mill Road) is home to the Hatboro Little League Complex, which includes 6 baseball fields.

Pennypack Park & Community Center

7. At 130 Spring Avenue, Pennypack Park combines nearly 18 acres of open space with the Pennypack Community Center, the Traffic Garden, an urban garden, and space for community programs and events. This is our newest park, which was purchased in 2022. The building is home to the Tax Collector, HAT packs, Meals on Wheels, Millbrook Society, and Heart 2 Heart Animal Rescue and is now known as a Community Center. In October of 2022, the Borough dedicated the community room in memory of Harriet Ehram, director of the Union Library of Hatboro from 1991 until 2016. This community room hosts Borough events to raise funds for the maintenance and improvements to the building as well as private events. If you are interested in renting the Community room or a classroom and need information on rates and dates, please contact Borough Hall 215-443-9100.

Hatboro Memorial Pool

The Borough-owned pool at 330 W. Moreland Avenue is open seasonally and offers resident and non-resident memberships, day passes, swim programs, and family recreation. The pool is open from Memorial Day weekend until Labor Day weekend and memberships go on sale in April and offer resident and non-resident memberships, as well as day passes.

Schools, Library & Youth

Education and activities for children and families.

Schools: hatboro-horsham.org • Library: hatborolibrary.org

Crooked Billet Elementary School 101 Meadowbrook Avenue • Hatboro	Keith Valley Middle School 227 Meetinghouse Road • Horsham
Hatboro-Horsham High School 899 Horsham Road • Horsham	Eastern Center for Arts & Technology 3075 Terwood Road • Willow Grove

[Union Library of Hatboro](#)

Hatboro is home to one of Pennsylvania's historic community libraries. The Union Library offers books, digital resources, programs, and activities for residents of all ages.

Youth Sports & Activities

Area organizations offer baseball and softball, soccer, football and cheerleading, basketball, lacrosse, swimming, YMCA programs, and other activities. Because registration contacts and seasons change, use the Borough and organization websites for current details.

Youth organization websites: [Hatboro Little League](#) • [HH Soccer Club](#) • [HHoops](#) • [Horsham Hawks](#) • [Willow Grove YMCA](#)

A Hatboro mailing address is not always the same as Hatboro Borough residency

Some programs, taxes, school assignments, and pool rates depend on the municipality where your property is physically located. Borough Hall can help confirm whether an address is within Hatboro Borough.

Horsham Hawks Youth Football & Cheerleading: www.hatborohorshamhawks.com

Hatboro-Horsham Soccer Club: www.facebook.com/HatboroHorshamSoccerClub

HHoops: www.hhoops.com

Horsham Boys Lacrosse: www.horshamlacrosseclub.com

Hatboro Little League Baseball & Girls' Softball: www.hatborolittleleague.com

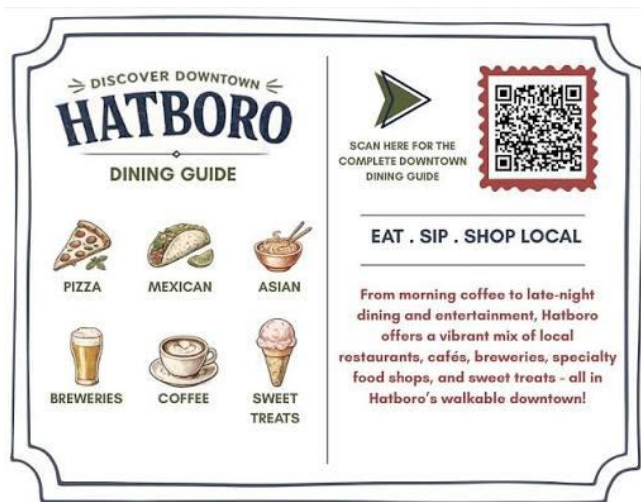
Willow Grove YMCA: <https://www.philaymca.org/locations/willow-grove-ymca>



Shop, Dine & Experience Hatboro

A walkable downtown, local businesses, and community traditions.

Borough events & downtown information: myhatboro.org • Chamber: hatborochamber.org



Discover Downtown Hatboro

From morning coffee to dinner, breweries, specialty food shops, and sweet treats, Hatboro's downtown has a wide mix of locally owned places to explore. The Borough's Dining Guide highlights local options throughout downtown.

Shopping local supports the businesses that help make Hatboro's downtown active and distinctive.

Community Events

Hatboro hosts community events throughout the year. Depending on the season, residents may find:

- Community Day and seasonal family events
- Moonlight Memories Car Show
- National Night Out
- HatOberfest, Halloween events, and Trunk or Treat
- Small Business Saturday and downtown events
- Annual Holiday Parade, Tree Lighting, and winter events



Stay Connected & Get Involved

There are plenty of ways to know what is happening - and become part of it.

Start here: myhatboro.org • Savvy Citizen: savvycitizenapp.com

Borough Website — News, meeting agendas and minutes, forms, permits, calendars, department information, and current notices.

Newsletters — Hatboro publishes electronic updates and the Hatboro Highlights community newsletter.

Public Meetings — Residents are welcome at Borough Council and board/commission meetings. Meeting schedules and agendas are posted online.

Community Alerts — Sign up for Borough notification services and ReadyMontco for municipal, traffic, weather, and emergency information.

Volunteer & Community Organizations — Hatboro is home to civic groups, service organizations, churches, historical groups, youth organizations, and community programs. New residents are encouraged to get involved.

Useful links

[Trash & Recycling](#)

[Permits & Licenses](#)



[Online](#)

[Parking Information](#)

[Parks & Recreation](#)

Sign up for Hatboro



- Alerts
- Events
- News
- Helpful Info



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Hatboro's Story

A small Borough with more than three centuries of history.

1715 John Dawson, an English hatter, settled in the area. His trade helped inspire the community's eventual name.

18th Century The village grew along York Road, an important travel route between Philadelphia and New York. The Crooked Billet became a well-known local landmark.

1778 The Battle of Crooked Billet was fought in the area during the Revolutionary War. The community continues to commemorate the event and those who served.

1871 Hatboro was incorporated as a borough.

Today Hatboro combines historic buildings and traditions with a walkable downtown, public parks, local businesses, and an active community life.



Loller Academy / Borough Hall



Community Resources

Local organizations and services that can help residents connect with support.

H.A.T. Packs

Helping Around Town (H.A.T.) Packs partners with schools, community organizations, congregations, businesses, and residents to help address weekend hunger for local students. The program provides packs of non-perishable food and beverages to participating schoolchildren. <https://www.hatpacks.org/>

Meals on Wheels

Bux-Mont Meals on Wheels delivers meals to older adults and homebound residents in Hatboro and surrounding communities. Contact and service information can change, so Borough Hall can help direct residents to current resources. <https://www.buxmontmow.org/>

Food & Community Assistance

Food pantries, faith communities, county programs, and nonprofit organizations serve Hatboro and the surrounding area. Residents seeking assistance are encouraged to contact Borough Hall or Montgomery County resources for current program information and eligibility.

Mental Health & Crisis Support

- 988 Suicide & Crisis Lifeline - call or text 988
- Crisis Text Line - text HOME to 741741
- Veterans Crisis Line - dial 988, then press 1
- National Sexual Assault Hotline - 800-656-HOPE (4673)

In an immediate emergency

Call 911. For non-emergency municipal questions or help finding a local resource, call Borough Hall at 215-443-9100.



Important Contacts

A quick-reference directory for your new home.

Borough Hall

215-443-9100

Emergency

911

Hatboro Police - Non-Emergency

215-675-2832

Enterprise Fire Company

215-675-4040

Tax Collector

215-675-4010

Union Library

215-672-1420

Hatboro-Horsham School District

215-420-5000

Hatboro-Horsham High School

215-420-5500

Crooked Billet Elementary

215-420-5300

Keith Valley Middle School

215-420-5050

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