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Town Newsletter

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Police Department

As temperatures begin to drop, please keep these winter driving safety tips in mind:

- Clear frost completely from your windshield and side windows before driving.
- Be alert for black ice when the temperature is below freezing.
- Never leave your car running unattended, even on the coldest mornings.

Stay safe and drive carefully this winter!



Water Department

- Powder Activated Carbon systems are now operational at both plants. Staff are working to fine-tune feed rates to achieve the desired reduction in Total Organic Carbon (TOC).
- The new online TOC analyzer is expected to be up and running by November 13th. This tool will help us make real-time plant adjustments to further reduce TOC levels, minimizing HAA5 and TTHM formation.
- Cleaning of the Leslie Plant Raw Water Reservoir will begin this month and is expected to take approximately three months to complete.



Finance Department

Legacy Bricks are on sale again!

Honor a loved one or veteran by purchasing a personalized brick for the Veterans Memorial at North East Park. For more information, please contact dittner@northeastmd.org.



Planning & Zoning Department

If you are planning a construction project — such as adding a deck, fence, or utility building — the Town requires a construction authorization before work begins. Applications and permits are available at www.northeastmd.org under "I'm Looking For \rightarrow Applications, Permits, Fees."



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Maintenance Department

Cecil Cares Day 2025 was a success! Volunteers gave the park picnic tables a fresh coat of paint and a renewed glow.

The 1850 Historic Lock-Up Renovation continues to move forward.

In addition, the Timberbrook Community recently received new parking line markings, and the department plans to re-mark speed bumps throughout Town in the coming weeks.



This Month in History...

- In 2000: A letter was received from the Town of Cecilton congratulating the Town of North East on its 150 anniversary and dedication of the new Town Hall.
- IN 1977: The Town of North East purchased a property to turn it into a portion of the community park we see and enjoy today for the amount of \$154,075.