

**SPEED**

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the radar issue, Squiteri said.

In other business:

• The borough is planning to reintroduce curbside recycling next year, and council members opened bids for trash and recycling services. No action will be taken until the bids are reviewed, but council President Betty Jane West said the goal is to start the program in January.

The borough now contracts with Waste Management Inc. at a yearly cost of about \$120,000 for trash collection only. The

borough also operates a voluntary recycling center in cooperation with Exeter Borough.

In order to reestablish its "performance rights" for recycling, the borough will need to contract with an outside firm for at least several months, and in that time prove that it meets state guidelines. Once the rights are regained, grant money would be available that could be used to buy a borough truck and storage area, said councilwoman Diane Dwyer.



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French Revolution-style house on Carverton Road.

**HOUSES**

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knew this was a 'Washington plank-sided house.' It's a form of wood rustication."

Mount Vernon was restored after the Civil War and this style of planking was used there. "People paid a lot of attention to it and I think it was copied here at these homes in Lehman," says Handman. "Somehow, someone in Lehman said, 'I like that too.'"

Handman guesses that the style came from Newport, Rhode Island, where it is seen on many buildings and that George Washington had admired it there and then used it for his home. Handman also points out a French Empire style house with a decorative slate roof on Old Carverton Road in Trucksville. "This house is notable for its 'Mansard roof' named after Monsart, a French architect who used the style around the French Revolution."

Handman suggests people scout out an octagonal house in Pikes Creek, at the foot of Red Rock Mountain, because it is an example of the work of John Hurlinger, a local architect. Other notable local historic architects whose work he thinks are noteworthy are: Misoura B.

**LEARN MORE**

The Back Mountain Historical Association will hold its fall meeting on Wed., Oct. 27 at 7 p.m. in the Kennedy Lounge in The Banks Student Life Center on the College Misericordia campus, Dallas. Carl J. Handman, A.I.A. of Eyerman, Csala, Hapeman and Handman Architects, will speak about the historical significance of Homes of the Back Mountain, 1875-1920. Reservations are encouraged. Call Marion Rogers at 674-3341.

Haupt, who designed "The Cottage," a family residence of the Conyngham family off Hillside Road in Shavertown; Thomas Todmore, who designed the mansion on top of Friendship Hill on West Center Hill Road in Dallas, and Frank Sahm, who designed a residence on the corner of Overbrook Road and Warren Street in Shavertown.

The Wilkes-Barre architect is presenting a lecture on Back Mountain architecture and local architect-designed houses in the Back Mountain at College Misericordia, October 27 at 7 p.m. in the Banks Student Center.

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**Hoping for a happy Halloween**

Troy Chackan, Angelena, Christopher, and mother Rebecca Allen had fun getting Halloween decorations ready in their Dallas front yard. Take a drive around the Back Mountain and you'll see all manner of things in front yards and around doorways. If you think one is particularly noteworthy, send in a photo (thepost@leader.net) or give us a call at 675-5211.

**COG meeting at Kingston Township**

The Back Mountain Area Council of Governments will meet Tuesday Oct. 26, at 7 p.m. in the Kingston Township Board of Supervisors meeting room at the Kingston Township Municipal Building, 180 East Center St., Shavertown. The meeting is open to the public. Any questions pertaining to this notice may be referred to Eddie O'Neill, Kingston Township Manager at 696-3809, or Joe Moskovitz, Back Mountain Council of Governments Administrator at 675-1389.

**DEVELOPMENT**

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and the other part is zoned residential. Halbing has asked to change the agricultural part to residential, which will allow him to divide the land into smaller lots. The minimum lot size in an agricultural zone is 1-acre. Halbing's smallest lots will be 1/3-acre.

Halbing fielded questions from residents about the size of the lots and his desire for the zoning change. He said that the lot size would be comparable to the ones in Ondish Hills and Sleepy Hollow. "The minimum lot would be 1/3-acre, and where the topography is steeper, we'll have to do larger lots," he said.

"The problem with all of this is, if you're paying more for the land, the infrastructure costs more, and you build on a 1-acre or larger lot, now the lots are \$90,000. I've already got a development like that. I think the Back Mountain needs more lots that are reasonably priced for the average worker too."

In other business:

• Leaf pickup for township residents will be November 15-19, weather permitting. Residents are asked to have their leaves bagged and placed at the curbside.

• Because the next meeting date falls on Election Day, the November meeting was rescheduled for Monday, November 1.

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**RECYCLING**

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to offset the program's cost, Spaciano said. The present rate of \$28 per quarter has changed little in the dozen years since the program began.

Spaciano applauded the residents of the three municipalities for their support in the recycling program.

"I think the people are doing a fantastic job," he said. "It works great."

Any municipality that has a recycling program is eligible for the grant, Spaciano said, but DEP officials have told him the DAMA program is one of the best in the state.

**Public swimming schedule**

Evening Public Swim is offered at the Dallas Middle School pool on Wednesdays and Fridays, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. and on Sunday afternoons from 2 to 5 p.m. The pool is open to the public for lap and recreational swimming. No one under 18 will be admitted without a parent or guardian. Proof of residence and a \$2 daily fee apply.

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