

Excessive Heat Advisory Notice #1
Tuesday, July 16, 2019

Dear Resident,

The National Weather Service has issued an Excessive Heat Advisory for our area beginning Wednesday and lasting into early next week. The heat index values are forecast to be over 100 degrees due to temperatures in the mid-90s and dew points in the mid-70s. The combination of heat and high humidity along with little relief overnight will lead to dangerously hot conditions through the weekend across much of the region. Additionally, heavy rain, isolated severe thunderstorms, damaging winds and flooding are possible Wednesday night into Thursday as the remnants of Storm Barry passes through the area.

We remind you that curbside lawn debris collection is complete until fall and no lawn debris should be in the roadway. Debris in the roadway exacerbates flooding, is a hazard to pedestrians, motorcycles and bicyclists and should be removed immediately. More can be found in the recycling calendar mailed to your home, available on line [HERE](#) and in the letter sent via email from the Department of Public Works and posted on line [HERE](#).

A heat wave also brings with it a higher demand for electricity and a greater chance for a power outage. The strong storms and wind can bring down tree limbs and power lines. In the case of a power outage, reporting outages helps the crew pinpoint damage and restore power more quickly. Call JCP&L at 888-544-4877, or report via text or on-line. For more, please review [‘How to Prepare for Summer Storms’](#).

We remind you to assume that all downed wires are live and dangerous. Do not touch or drive over them and report to Marlboro Police immediately.

Heat safety tips and resources are available from the [National Weather Service](#). Drink plenty of water, limit outdoor exercise, and stay in air conditioned places as much as possible. **Please never leave children, disabled adults or pets in the car, not even for a minute.** Look before you lock!

The Marlboro Police are available 24/7 and can be reached at 732-536-0100. For emergencies always dial 911. Please take a moment to check in on your neighbors, especially those that are older or with disabilities. We will update you as necessary.

Mayor Jon Hornik