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**WILKES-BARRE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
ANNOUNCES NEW STREET CLEANING SCHEDULE**

WILKES-BARRE – On Monday, April 20, the City of Wilkes-Barre’s Department of Public Works will begin their annual street cleaning program, which will follow a new schedule. Streets in the City of Wilkes-Barre will be cleaned more thoroughly on a less frequent basis to ensure that this service is provided in an efficient, cost-saving manner.

As a part of this program, streets and alleys throughout the city will be cleaned by equipment, as well as by hand, approximately four times from April through October. This type of schedule, which has proven effective in other cities such as Scranton and Easton, will allow DPW to clean small side streets and alleyways that were often missed by equipment in previous seasons.

“Our Public Works Department has spent a lot of time researching and planning for this new street cleaning program. Essentially, our crews will spend more time on more city streets this season. Although the runs will be less frequent in each area, they will be much more thorough. We believe that residents will be pleased with the results,” said Mayor Thomas M. Leighton.

In order to for the street sweeper and DPW crews to effectively clean the streets, it is imperative that residents move their vehicles from city streets by 8:00 a.m. on their designated street cleaning day. If sweeper crews cannot access streets because of parked cars, these streets will not be cleaned until the next scheduled cleaning day.

Please note that posted street cleaning signage will no longer apply. The City of Wilkes-Barre is currently taking down existing street cleaning signage and will continue to do so until all signs are removed.

As in past years, Wilkes-Barre Parking Enforcement will sound an air horn as a courtesy notice for residents to move their vehicles. Tickets will be issued to unmoved vehicles beginning on the first day of the new street cleaning program – Monday, April 20.

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Below, please find the City of Wilkes-Barre’s new street sweeping schedule. This information, as well as corresponding maps, will be available on the city’s official website (www.wilkes-barre.pa.us), at Wilkes-Barre Fire Stations, at the Department of Public Works Offices, in Wilkes-Barre Police Headquarters and in the following offices in City Hall: Code Enforcement, Tax Office and Mayor’s Office.

DATE	SECTION of the CITY (colors refer to maps)	STREETS – BOTH SIDES (unless indicated otherwise)
Monday, April 20 Monday, June 1 Monday, July 13 Monday, August 24	Heights (green)	Logan Street
		Custer Street
		Reno Lane
		North Empire Street from Coal to New Market Street
		Wilkes Lane
		J. Campbell Collins Road
		Dock Lane
		Dixey Lane
		New Market Street
		Meade Street from Coal to Rose Lane
		Coal Street from Campbell Collins Road to Meade Street
Tuesday, April 21 Tuesday, June 2 Tuesday, July 14 Tuesday, August 25	Heights (red)	North Fulton Street
		North Sherman Street from Coal to Rose
		Carson Lane
		North Grant Street
		Hayes Lane
		Hancock Street from Coal to Rose
		Dougher Street
		Welles Street from Coal to Rose
		Rose Lane
		Amber Lane
		Coal from Meade Street to Wilkes-Barre Boulevard
Wednesday, April 22 Wednesday, June 3	Heights (blue)	McFarlane Street
		Worth Street

Wednesday, July 15 Wednesday, August 26		Hillside Street
		Taft Street
		Cross Lane
		Oakwood Lane
		Factory Lane
		Opal Lane
		Freeman Street
		North Empire Street from New Market Street to Northampton Street
Thursday, April 23 Thursday, June 4 Thursday, July 16 Thursday, August 27	Heights (purple)	Wilkes-Barre Boulevard from Northampton to Market
		Welles Street from Rose Lane to East Northampton Street
		Lanning Lane
		Hancock Street from Rose Lane to East Northampton Street
		Garnet Lane
		Grant Street from Rose Lane to East Northampton Street
		Winter Lane
		Sherman Street from Rose Lane to East Northampton Street
		South Fulton Street
		East Northampton Street from Meade Street to Wilkes-Barre Boulevard
		Armstrong Lane
		Puritan Lane
		Friday, April 24 Friday, June 5 Friday, July 17 Friday, August 28
Park Avenue from South to East Northampton Street		
Hancock Street from South Street to East Northampton Street		

		Wayne Street
		Grant Street from East Northampton Street to South Street
		Bethel Lane
		Pershing Street
		Meade Street from East Northampton Street to South Street
		Sylvanus Street
		Joseph's Lane
		Elgin Lane
		Reese Street
		Myrtle Lane
Monday, April 27 Monday, June 8 Monday, July 20 Monday, August 31	Mayflower (green)	Sherman Street from Stanton Street to East South Street
		Almond Lane
		South Meade Street from Moyallen Street to East South Street
		Kent Lane
		Sheridan Street
		Joseph's Lane
		Empire Street from Stanton Street to East South Street
		Howard Street from South Meade Street to Sherman Street
		Dana Street from Empire Street to Sherman Street
		Moyallen from Empire to Sherman
		East South from Empire to Park
		Lehigh from Sheridan to Park
		Stanton from Empire to Sherman
Tuesday, April 28 Tuesday, June 9 Tuesday, July 21 Tuesday, September 1	Mayflower (red)	Hancock from Moyallen to East South
		Grant from Stanton to East South
		Noble Lane

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		Huber Street
		Larch Lane
		York Lane
		Howard from Sherman to Hancock
		Hill from Hancock to Park
		Lehigh from Sherman to Park
		Moyallen from Sherman to Park
		Stanton from Sherman to Park
		Lynch Lane
		Dana from Sherman to Hancock
Wednesday, April 29 Wednesday, June 10 Wednesday, July 22 Wednesday, September 2	Mayflower (blue)	Hazle from Solomon to Stanton
		Murray Street
		Seneca Street
		Smith Street
		Anthracite Street
		Frederick Street
		Caffery Street
		Cummisky Street
		Forrest Street
		Parrish Street
		McLean Street
		Nichelson Street
		Soloman Street
		Jones Street
		Blackman Street from Frederick to Hazle
Thursday, April 30 Thursday, June 11 Thursday, July 23 Thursday, September 3	Iron Triangle (purple)	Hazle from Stanton to Hill
		Park from Stanton to East South
		Hutson Street
		Hickory Street
		Welles Street from Hill to South Street
		South Baltimore
		Ivy Lane
		Lehigh from Park to Wilkes-Barre Boulevard
		Columbus Street

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		Dana from Park to Hazle
		Crown Lane
		South Street from Park Avenue to Welles Street
		Hill from Park to Hazle
Monday, May 4 Tuesday, June 16 Monday, July 27 Tuesday, September 8	Rolling Mill Hill (green)	Prospect Street
		Moyallen from Hazle to High
		McCarragher Street
		Shiber Lane
		Fogel Lane
		Bell Lane
		Abbott Street
		Cork Lane
		Grove from Stanton to High
		Farley Street
		Loomis from Stanton to Moyallen
		High from Hazle to Stanton
		Dana Street from Hazle to South Main
Tuesday, May 5 Wednesday, June 17 Tuesday, July 28 Wednesday, September 9	Rolling Mill Hill (red)	Parrish from Hazle to South Main
		Filbert Lane
		Dobson Lane
		Jones Street
		Glen Street
		Harkins Lane
		Stanton from Hazle to High
		Essex Lane
		Loomis from Parrish to Stanton
		Lloyds Lane
		Airy Street
		Cedar Lane
		Griffith's Lane
		Brown from Stanton to Parrish
		Otto Lane
		Green Lane
		High from Stanton to Parrish
Wednesday, May 6 Thursday, June 18 Wednesday, July 29	Rolling Mill Hill (blue)	McLean from Hazle to Arch
		Bradford Street
		Blackman from Hazle to

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Thursday, September 10		South Main
		Holland Street
		Wall Street
		Hughes Street
		Bruce Lane
		Spruce from McLean to Blackman
		Mayer Street
		Phoenix Street
		Collins Street
		Brown from Parrish to McLean
		High from Blackman to Parrish
		Gould Lane
		Loomis from Blackman to Parrish
Thursday, May 7 Friday, June 19 Thursday, July 30 Friday, September 11	Rolling Mill Hill (purple)	Arch Street
		Brown from McLean to Gilligan
		New Grove Street
		Spruce from McLean to Gilligan
		Monehan Court
		Gilligan Street
		Andover Street from Hazle to Arch Street
		Luzerne Street
Poplar Street from McLean to Arch		
Friday, May 8 Friday, June 19 Friday, July 31 Friday, September 11	Goose Island (black)	South Main Street from East Division to Blackman
		Beech Street
		Vine Street
		Cherry Street
		Covell Street
		Andover from Covell to South Main
		McLean from Covell to Beech
		Poplar from Covell to Beech
		Schuler Street
		Monan Street
Strauss Street		

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		Ashley Lane
		East Division Street
Monday, May 11 Monday, June 22 Monday, August 3 Monday, September 14	South Wilkes-Barre 1 (green)	Gordon Avenue
		Plymouth Avenue
		Firwood Avenue
		Tyler Lane
		Buttonwood Lane Street
		Donald Court
		Marjorie Avenue
		Diebel Lane
		Gladstone Lane
		Simpson Street
		Congo lane
		Willow Street
		Oak Street
		Lawrence Street
		Horton Street
		Dagobert Street
		Grebe Street
		Kropp Street
		Mercedes Drive
		Nicole Drive
		Reliance Drive
		Crescent Avenue
Tuesday, May 12 Tuesday, June 23 Tuesday, August 4 Tuesday, September 15	South Wilkes-Barre 1 (red)	Old River Road from Riverside Drive to Dagobert
		West Academy Street
		Birch Street
		Miner Street
		Maffett Street
		Amherst Avenue
		Locust Street
		Marlborough Avenue
		Melrose Avenue
		Pickering Street
		Leonard Street
		Thayer Street
		Catlin Avenue
		Richmont Avenue
		Carey Avenue from Hanover to Academy
		Tenbrook Street
		Charles Street
		East Lafayette Place

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		Edison Street
		Cardiff Lane
		Orchard Street
		Peach Street
		Maple Lane
		Magnolia Lane
		Corlear Street
		Beekman Street
		Conwell Street
		New Elizabeth Street
		New Alexander Street
		Eleanor Street
		Haldeman Avenue
		Rita Street
		Hazle Lane
		Susquehanna Street
		Kirkendall Avenue
		Elder Street
		Academy from Carey to Old River Road
		T Lane
		Dauphin Lane
		Riverside Drive from Old River Road to Pickering
Wednesday, May 13 Wednesday, June 24 Wednesday, August 5 Wednesday, September 16	South Wilkes-Barre 1 (blue)	Carey from Hanover to Division
		Stark Street
		Sturdevant Street
		Huston Street
		Cedar Street
		Carlisle Street
		Brook Street
		Warren Street
		Vulcan Street
		Waller Street
		Barney Street from Division to Hanover
		Regent Street
		Ingham Street
		South Franklin Street from Division to Hanover
		Gregory Street
		Reinhimer Lane
		Rowland Street

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		Westminister from Thomas to Hanover
		Richard Street
		Thomas Street
		Bertels Lane
		Gold Lane
		Church Street
		Roosevelt Terrace
		Sterling Avenue
		Gates Street
		Horton from South Main to Carey Avenue
		Pennsylvania from South Main to
		Hanover from South Main Old River Road
Thursday, May 14 Thursday, June 25 Thursday, August 6 Thursday, September 17	South Wilkes-Barre (purple)	East side of Carey from Hanover to Academy
		Alexander Street
		Zinns Court
		Barney from Hanover to Wood
		Oregon Street
		Monroe Street
		South River from Academy to South Franklin
		Garfield Street
		Sambourne Street
		Elizabeth Street
		Wood Street
		Lockhart Street
		Sullivan Street
		Oliver Lane
		Walnut Street
		South side of Academy from South Main to Carey
		South Main from Hanover to Academy
		South Franklin from Wood to Academy
Friday, May 15 Friday, June 26 Friday, August 7 Friday, September 18	South Wilkes-Barre (black)	Old River Road from Academy to Riverside Drive
		Irving Street
		Charles Street

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		Stanley Street
		Sheldon Street
		West River Street
		Windsor Lane
		River Street from Academy to South
		Davis Place
		Wright Street
		Diver Lane
		Barnum Place
		South Main from Academy to South
		Gildersleeve Street
		Washington from Ross to South
		Ross from Washington to Riverside Drive
		Terrace Street
		New Mallery Place
		Mallery Place
		North side of Academy from Main to Old River Road
		Riverside Drive to Old River Road
		South Franklin from Academy to South
Monday, May 18 Monday, June 29 Monday, August 10 Monday, September 21	North End (green)	Water Street
		North Street from Main to Water
		North River from city line to North Street
		Darling Street
		Court Street
		North Franklin Street from city line to Kulp Avenue
		West side of North Main Street from city line to North Street
		Tannary Street
		Priestly Street
		Brick Street
		Foster Lane
		Courtright Street
		West Hollenback Avenue

		O'Neill Avenue
		Kulp Avenue
		West Maple Street
		West Linden
		West Elm Street
		West Chestnut Street
		Cypress Street
		Juniper Street
		Hawthorne Street
		Sycamore Street
		Auburn Street
		Reichard Street
Tuesday, May 19 Tuesday, June 30 Tuesday, August 11 Tuesday, September 22	North End (red)	East side of Main from city line to North Street
		Carpenter Lane
		Madison from North Street to Chestnut
		Washington from North to city line
		Wyoming from North Street to Olin
		Pennsylvania from North Street to Washington
		East Chestnut from Pennsylvania to Main
		Brookside Street
		Johnson Street
		Elk Lane
		Lock Street
		Weir Street
		Sunrise Drive
		Clyde Lane
		Highland Drive
		East Elm Street
		East Linden Street
		East Maple Street
		East Hollenback Street
		Butler Street
		Beaumont Street
		North Street from Pennsylvania to Main
		Thompson Street
		John Street
		Chester Street

		Ralph Street
		Harry Street
		Conyngam Avenue from Wilkes-Barre Boulevard to Pennsylvania
		Oakley Lane
		Chase Lane
Wednesday, May 20 Wednesday, July 1 Wednesday, August 12 Wednesday, September 23	Central City (blue)	River from South Street to North Street
		Franklin from South Street to North Street
		Main from South Street to North Street
		Washington from South Street to North Street
		Pennsylvania from South Street to North Street
		Northampton from River to Wilkes-Barre Boulevard
		Market from River to Wilkes-Barre Boulevard
		Union from river to Pennsylvania
		Bennett Street
		Jackson Street
		North from River to Wilkes-Barre Boulevard
		South from West River to Park
		Livingston Lane
		Nesbitt Lane
		St. Mary's Lane
		Fairbairn Lane
		Dyer Lane
		Jefferson Lane
		Butler Street
		Clubhouse Lane
		Frazer Lane
		Anheiser Lane
		Chahoon Lane
		North State Street
		Meyers Court
		Spenser Lane
		Harrison Street

		Behee Street
		Bennett Lane
Thursday, May 21 Wednesday, July 1 Thursday, August 13 Thursday, September 24	East End (purple)	East side of Scott Street from Wilkes-Barre Boulevard to Rt. 309
		Wilkes-Barre Boulevard from Coal to Scott
		Sherman from Coal to Pine
		Diamond Street
		Stevens Road
		New Hancock Street
		Westson Lane
		New Grant Street
		Pitt Lane
		Penn Street
		Ashton Street
		Hillard Street
		Raeder Lane
		Worral Street
		Quay Lane
		Chapel Street
		Pine from Sherman to Scott
		Boyle Lane
		Maxwell Street
		Corbett Lane
		Spring Street
		Mundy Street
		Schoolhouse Lane
Friday, May 22 Thursday, July 2 Friday, August 14 Friday, September 25	East End (black)	Wilkes-Barre Boulevard from Scott to Conyngham
		Kidder Street
		Jasper Lane
		Hortense Street
		Pearl Street
		Boman Street
		Jordan Street
		Jenks Lane
		Laurel Street
		Fuller Street
		Conyngham Street from Wilkes-Barre Boulevard to Scott
		West side of Scott from Wilkes-Barre Boulevard to

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		Rt. 309
Tuesday, May 26 Monday, July 6 Monday, August 17 Monday, September 28	Parsons (green)	South side of George Avenue
		Parkin Street
		Espy Street
		Gore Street
		Chissler Lane
		Scott Street from Cross Valley to George Avenue
		Mill Street from Laurel Run Creek to George Avenue
		Railroad Street from Laurel Run Creek to George Avenue
		Govier Street
		Oliver Street
		Trethaway Avenue from Mineral Street to George Avenue
		Kresge Street
		Mineral Street
		Mitchell Street
		Harriet Street
		Kado Street
		Peters Lane
		Lidden Street
		Flick Street
		Factory Street
Jay Street		
Sedgewick Street		
Calvin Street		
Wednesday, May 27 Tuesday, July 7 Tuesday, August 18 Tuesday, September 29	Parsons (red)	Stucker Avenue from Mill to Scott
		Gardner Avenue
		Gills Lane
		4 th Alley
		Austin Avenue
		3 rd Alley from Railroad to dead end
		Matson Avenue from dead end to Scott
		Maiden Lane
		North side of George Avenue

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		Twist Alley
		Mill Street from George to Stucker
		Maple Lane
		Woodward from George to Stucker
		Trethaway from George to Gardner
		5 th Lane
		Scott from George to Laird
Wednesday, May 27 Tuesday, July 8 Wednesday, August 19 Wednesday, September 30	Parsons (blue)	Gravel Alley
		Everrett Street
		Flood Drive
		Yale Street
		Wilcox Drive
		O'Brien Drive
		Wilson Drive
		Caroline Drive
		Wilson Street
		Virginia Drive
		Slattery Drive
		Laird Street from Scott to city line
		Gatti Street
		Matson Avenue from Scott to Flood Drive
Thursday, May 28 Thursday, July 9 Thursday, August 20 Thursday, October 1	Upper Miners Mills	Mayock Street from Mill Creek to Laird Street
		Laird Street to Scott
		Waddell Place
		Mechanic's Alley
		East Main Street from Mayock to township line
		Central Lane from Mayock to Scott
		East Thomas from Mayock to Scott
		Thomas from Scott to city line
		Brazil Street
		Knight Street
		Wynnwood Drive
		Pebbles Lane
		Kelly Avenue

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		Dewey Lane
		McHale Street
		Scott from Laird to township line
		Hurley Street
		Huff Street
		Finn Street
		Athey Street
		Burt Street
		Pine Ridge Drive
		Morgan Drive
		Samantha Drive
		Taylor Lane
Friday, May 29 Friday, July 10 Friday, August 21 Friday, October 2	Lower Miners Mills (black)	Abbott Street
		Pelza Street
		Dillon Street
		Cleveland Street
		Brogan Street
		Lewis Street
		Main Street from Washington to Mayock
		Chandler Street
		St. Clair Street
		Adams Street
		Hillman Street
		Burrier Street
		Buck Lane
		Miller Street
		Coon Street
		Chilwick Street
		Beatty Street
		Stucker from North Washington to dead end
		Grist Street
		Sidney Street
		Thomas Street
EQUIPMENT MAINTENANCE DAYS	NO STREET SWEEPING	Friday, May 1
		Friday, June 12
		Friday, July 24
		Friday, September 4

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CITY HOLIDAYS	NO STREET SWEEPING	Monday, May 25 (Memorial Day)
		Monday, June 15 (Flag Day)
		Friday, July 3 (4 th of July)
		Monday, September 7 (Labor Day)