Newton Township

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BUSINESS HOURS:	M-F, 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM
2020 POPULATION:	2,816
SQUARE MILES:	23.1
SCHOOL DISTRICT:	Abington Heights
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CONTACT:	Francine Fawcett, Twp. Secretary
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS:	Douglas Pallman, Chair
	Kevin Carr
	Robert Naegle
ZONING OFFICER:	D. Scot Haan
BUILDING INSPECTOR:	Building Inspection Underwriters
	Northeast Inspection Consultants
POLICE:	South Abington Twp. Police
FIRE:	Newton-Ransom Vol. Fire Company
AMBULANCE:	Chinchilla Vol. Ambulance
	Dalton Vol. Ambulance

HISTORY:

Newton Township was organized in 1844 and is the ninth oldest township in Lackawanna County. The community was formed out of that portion of Falls Township which remained in Luzerne County after the creation of Wyoming County.

The name bestowed upon the Township was done so in the recognition of the many pioneer settlers who migrated from Newton, Sussex County, New Jersey.

Richard Gardner was the township's pioneer settler.

SUPERVISOR MEETINGS: Held on the 2nd Monday of every month, at 6:30 PM, in the Newton Twp. Municipal Building

PLANNING COMMISSION MEETINGS:
Held on the last Wednesday of every month, at 7:30 PM, in the Newton Twp. Municipal Building