SUMP PUMP LOAN POLICY

Purpose

The Borough of Patton provides sump pumps on a temporary loan basis to assist residents during flooding or emergency water situations.

Deposit Requirement

A refundable deposit of $100.00 is required at the time of borrowing. The deposit will be returned upon timely return of the sump pump in proper working condition.

Loan Period

The standard loan period is one (1) week from the date of sign-out. A one-time extension of up to one (1) additional week may be granted with prior approval, provided the request is made before the original due date.

Sign-Out Procedure

A Sump Pump Loan Sign-Out Sheet must be completed and signed by both the resident and an authorized Borough representative at the time of pickup. The form will include the date of issue, expected return date, and condition of the unit.

Return Requirements

The sump pump must be returned on or before the due date. At the time of return, the unit must be plugged in and demonstrated to be in working order in the presence of a Borough representative. The unit must be returned clean and in the same condition as when issued, reasonable wear and tear excepted.

Failure to Return / Damage

Failure to return the sump pump within the approved loan period will result in forfeiture of the $100.00 deposit, and the borrower shall be held responsible for the full replacement cost of a new unit of similar make and model if the sump pump is not returned. If the sump pump is returned damaged or not in working condition, the $100.00 deposit will not be refunded.

General Conditions

Sump pumps are loaned on a first-come, first-served basis and are subject to availability. The Borough reserves the right to refuse future loans to individuals who fail to comply with this policy.

Please Contact the Borough Office for More Information or to borrow a Sump Pump. Sump Pumps utilized directly from the Patton Fire Company #1 do not fall under this Policy.