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Birdsboro the only municipality to have three types of Keystone Markers



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There are three types of Keystone Markers and Birdsboro is the only municipality known to have one of each.

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Town marker - These markers are mounted on the front of a specially designed post. They typically include the name of the town, the founder's name, establishment date and the distance to a nearby community. Birdsboro has two of this type, one with the distance to Reading and another indicating the distance to Phoenixville.

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Keystone variant marker - These are the rarest of the Keystone markers and the most simple. They are typically used to mark boroughs, trails, points of interest, directions and local roads. They use the same post as town markers, but the sign's shape is slightly different. Birdsboro's marker was imprinted with "Birdsboro Borough Line."

Stream marker - These markers are two-sided and mounted on a specially-designed post that is different from posts used for town markers. They mark streams, creeks and rivers. Birdsboro will be the first municipality in more than 70 years to get a newly refurbished stream marker.

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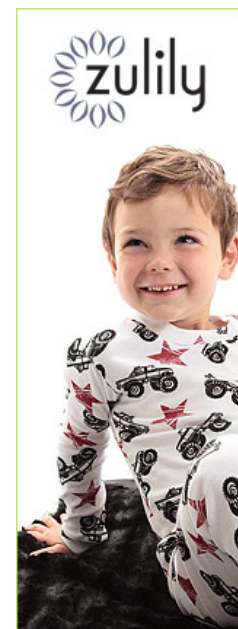
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