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#### Special Bulletin: COVID-19 UPDATE

Wednesday, April 1, 2020



## **COVID-19 Hillsborough Reported Case Update**

As of April 1, 2020 3 pm	Cases	Deaths
Hillsborough	40	1
Somerset County	446	12
New Jersey	22,255	355
United States	186,101	3,603

Breakdown of Hillsborough Township Cases	
Age Range	# of Positive Cases
0-9	1
10-19	0
20-29	7
30-39	2
40-49	7
50-59	10
60-69	8
70-79	2
80-89	3
90-99	0
100+	0
Total Cases	40
Total Recovered	9
Deceased	1

If you are a Hillsborough resident and have tested positive for Coronavirus / COVID-19, please contact the Health Department at 908-369-5652.

The Hillsborough Township Health Department continues to monitor all cases and is working with the State to identify any potential contacts for follow-up. A representative from the Hillsborough Township Health Department will reach out to all individuals determined to have been in close contact with the positive testing persons within 24-48 hours of each case being confirmed.

## NJ Residents with a Positive COVID-19 Test: Instructions & Next Steps

## Hillsborough Township Mayor Tomson Seeks Potential Extension of Grace Periods for Tax and Special Assessment Payments

Mayor Doug Tomson is exploring the possibility of proposing a resolution at the next Township Committee meeting extending the grace period for the tax payments and certain special assessments.

"Given the circumstances we are facing with COVID-19, as a municipality we are limited by State Statute in what we are able to do, however, given these unprecedented times we believe this is a situation in which we need to seek assistance for all of our residents," stated Mayor Doug Tomson, in Wednesday's Special daily bulletin released by the Township.

The proposed resolution for consideration at the April 14, 2020 Township Committee meeting would result in the following:

- 1. For May 2020 Property Tax Payments the grace period for payment without interest would be extended until June 30, 2020
- 2. For the Special Assessment Payments that are due on June 1, 2020 for both the Claremont Project and the Sanitary Sewer Project, the grace period for payment without interest would be extended until July 31, 2020

"This is what we are proposing for consideration at the April 14th Township Committee meeting, stay tuned for more information," concluded Mayor Tomson.

For more information or questions about COVID 19, please see below for credible public resources:

www.cdc.gov https://covid19.nj.gov/ www.hillsborough-nj.org

State of NJ dial: 211, or 1-800-962-1253

#### Hillsborough is Open for Business

During the COVID-19 pandemic, the Hillsborough Business Association (HBA) has asked its members to create videos to let all of Hillsborough know that they are "Open for Business". New videos will be featured right here in our Special COVID-19 Bulletins, on the Hillsborough Township website and on TV29. Be sure

to watch for new videos and Support Hillsborough's Local Businesses!



#### **COVID-19 Community Resources**



#### **Duke Farms Launches Distance Learning Portal**

Our mission at Duke Farms is "to be a leader in environmental stewardship and inspire visitors to become informed stewards of the land".

During this unusual and unprecedented time, we want to be a source of inspiration and education for our visitors of all types from teachers who need lesson plans and resources, to parents who need activities for their children, to individuals who want to further their learning about stewardship and sustainability.

With that said, we are happy to debut our <u>Distance Learning</u> <u>Portal</u> on the Duke Farms website!



# Adult Day Center of Somerset County is Offering Free Virtual Programs and Resources to Caregivers and Older Adults

In response to the COVID-19 crisis, the Adult Day Center of Somerset County is offering virtual programs and expanded resources for older and vulnerable seniors, adults living with a disability or dementia-related illness, and support and education for their caregiving families.

**Read More** 

# For a full list of COVID-19 Resources, Visit the Hillsborough Township COVID-19 Information Page

- Where and how do I get tested for COVID-19 in New Jersey?
- Mortgage Relief
- SNAP Benefits
- Hillsborough Township's Community Assistance Network (C.A.N.)
- New Jersey COVID-19 Information Hub
- COVID-19 Rumor Control and Disinformation Updates
- Hillsborough Food Establishments Updated Operation Hours and Closures
- GRWDB Provides Unemployment Insurance Information
- Safe & Sound, Somerset

- Comcast WiFi Offers
- Live stream Religious Services:
  - St. Joseph's Parish
  - Mary, Mother of God Church
  - Neshanic Reformed Church
  - Hillsborough Reformed Church at Millstone

#### **Updates, Closures and Cancellations**

A full list of the COVID-19 Updates, Closures and Cancellations is posted on the <u>Hillsborough Township website</u>.

## How Can I Help?

**Donate PPE** 

**Register to Volunteer** 

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