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Special Bulletin: COVID-19 UPDATE Friday, April 24, 2020



COVID-19 Hillsborough Reported Case Update

As of 4/24/2020 - 3pm	Cases	Deaths
Somerset County	2,663	203
New Jersey	102,196	5,617
United States	865,585	48,816

Breakdown of Hillsborough Township Cases As Reported by Hillsborough Township Health Department

Revised Disclaimer :

Please be advised that the numbers posted below and on the Township website are those that are reported by Hillsborough Township Health Department based on reports from the NJ Department of Health surveillance system. The reported numbers are only from those individuals who have been tested for COVID-19 and are confirmed positive through an FDA approved laboratory for COVID-19 testing purpose. It does not include those contacts of the positive individuals or any individuals, who are sick and have not been tested.

Age Range	# of Positive Cases	
0-9	2	
10-19	8	
20-29	18	
30-39	15	
40-49	35	
50-59	39	
60-69	37	
70-79	17	
80-89	25	
90-99	8	
100+	1	
Total Cases	205	
Official Recovered	82	
Deceased	12	
Long Term Care / Assisted Living Facilities *		
Confirmed Cases	85	
Confirmed Deceased	19	

* Confirmed cases and confirmed deceased from Long Term Care and Assisted Living Facilities may not also be included in the total number of cases above.

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

Traffic Advisory

Overnight utility work at Route 206 and Mountain View Road, Sunday, April 26th at 10:00 pm until Monday, April 27th 6:00 am. (Weather permitting)

Please exercise caution while traveling through the area.

Somerset County COVID-19 Testing Site

Somerset County and Hunterdon County, in collaboration with Raritan Valley Community College - <u>New Dates Announced</u>

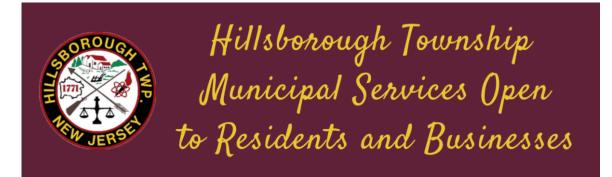
T he new dates are Monday, April 27th, Wednesday, April 29th, and Friday, May 1st. The testing site will be open from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. T esting will be by appointment only and a valid doctor's prescription is required.

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Reminder: the April 28th Township Committee Meeting will be Live-streamed on YouTube

On Tuesday, April 28, 2020, the Hillsborough Township Committee will hold its regularly scheduled meeting. Due to the Governor's Executive Order No. 104, limiting public gatherings, the public may participate virtually. The meeting will be live streamed on the Township's YouTube channel and a conference call has been set up to allow the public to participate via telephone.



Hillsborough Municipal Services are open to serve both our residents and business community, despite the Municipal Building being closed. <u>See the full list of services.</u>

Below are photos of Hillsborough Township Departments delivering the services that you have come to expect from Hillsborough Township.



Administration: Administrator Anthony Ferrera providing Salad Works their social-distancing decals



Health: Health Officer Siobhan Spano and IT Director Jim Haurey joining the virtual Board of Health meeting



Building: Plumbing Subcode Official Frank Lukacs working remotely on plan review



Engineering: Engineering Secretary, Caitlin Vaz, remotely working on reports

Updates, Closures and Cancellations

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

5/7/2020 - Planning Board Meeting has been cancelled

Parks and Recreation Presents Online Programs for Everyone!

Virtual programs are being offered for adults and children. For registration and more information call Hillsborough Parks and Recreation department at 908-369-4832 or visit their <u>website</u>.



COVID-19 State Updates & Community Resources

<u>MVC Agency, Inspection Station Closures Extended Until May 11th</u> Headquarters and <u>Online Services</u> to Continue Operations. Customers should check NJMVC.gov f or the latest information and updates.

For a full list of COVID-19 Resources, Visit the Hillsborough Township <u>COVID-19 Information Page</u>

<u>Hillsborough YMCA - Information For Essential Personnel Child Care</u>

Hillsborough C.A.N. Donations

Rotary Club of Hillsborough Holds Fundraiser for Hillsborough C.A.N.

The Rotary Club of Hillsborough held a fundraiser from April 16th to April 19th to collect food and supplies to replenish the Hillsborough C.A.N. pantry. There were seven drop-off sites throughout Hillsborough Township. Thank you to all those residents who donated to the Rotary Club of Hillsborough's Food Drive!



Pictured: Social Services Director Bob Wagner accepting food and supply donations for Hillsborough C.A.N. from Rotary Club of Hillsborough President Tricia Marciano and President-Elect Richard Salem

How Can I Help?

Hillsborough Township Now Accepts Online Donations for the Community Assistance Network

Effective immediately, online donations for Hillsborough Community Assistance Network (C.A.N.) can now be made via the Township <u>website</u>.

Somerset County Office of Emergency Management Continues to Accept Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) Donations

The Somerset County Office of Emergency Management continues to accept donations of personal protective equipment. A collection box has been set up in front of the Emergency Services Training Academy, located at 402 Roycefield Road, Hillsborough, NJ 08844. <u>See list of needed items.</u>

Donate PPE

Register to Volunteer

Hillsborough is Open for Business

Which of your favorite Hillsborough locations are "Open for Business" ? Support Hillsborough's Local Businesses!



Other News

Mayor Doug Tomson Reads "My Teacher for President"



<u>Hillsborough Public Works Department</u> <u>Shares a "Then and Now" Look at Wertsville</u> <u>Road</u>

Wertsville Road, between Long Hill and Montgomery Roads, was repayed this month. The <u>Public Works</u> <u>Department</u> shared this photo of what the same section of road looked like in 1978.



Sustainable Tip: Composting is a great way to turn what would otherwise go to the landfill as garbage in a beneficial product to use in your garden. <u>See the Sustainable Hillsborough Composting Guide for more information</u>.

Earth Day was April 22nd-Kaptain Cleanup Wanted to Know How You Celebrated

Send your photos of how you are celebrating Earth Day to dpw@hillsborough-nj.org.

See April's issue of "*Trash Talk With The Litter Hero*" on our <u>website</u>.







Composting Guide for Residents of Hillsborough



Federally mandated, national phone number, 811, helps prevent you from unintentionally hitting underground utility lines. Before you begin projects that involve digging, call 811 to locate underground electric, gas or other utility lines. For more information, visit <u>www.call811.com</u>



The federally mandated, national phone number, \$11, helps prevent you from unintentionally hitting underground utility lines. Before you begin projects that involve digging, dial 81 to locate underground electric, gas or other utility lines. Digging without this information can cause power outages, and it's extremely dangerous.

Cause power outages, and its extremely angerous. Simply tell the 8to operator where you're planning to dig and what type of work you will be doing, and your local utility companies will be notified. Within a few days, they will mark the location of underground lines. Please call at least three days in davance to avoid unnecessary delays to your project. Know what's below - Call before you dig! For more information, visit www.callisi.com.

CENSUS 2020

Hillsborough Residents: Don't Forget to Respond to the Census!

The 2020 Census is happening now! You can complete your questionnaire \underline{online} , by phone, or by mail.

This Newsletter is brought to you by the Hillsborough Township Committee:

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