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Special Bulletin: COVID-19 UPDATE
Thursday, April 16, 2020
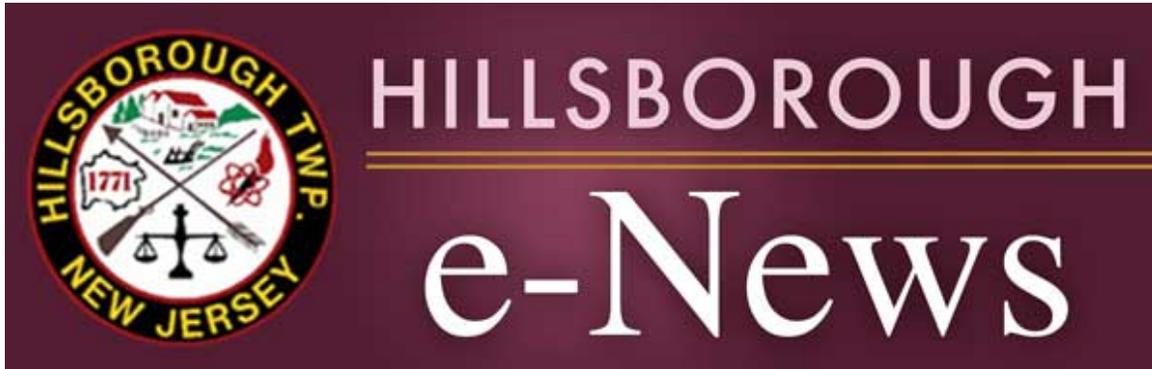
COVID-19 Hillsborough Reported Case Update

As of 4/16/2020 3 pm	Cases	Deaths
Hillsborough	133	6
Somerset County	1,921	123
New Jersey	75,317	3,518
United States	632,548	27,012

Breakdown of Hillsborough Township Cases

Age Range	# of Positive Cases
0-9	2
10-19	1
20-29	15
30-39	10
40-49	20
50-59	30
60-69	29
70-79	9
80-89	15
90-99	2
100+	0
Total Cases	133
Official Recovered	51
Deceased	6

Disclaimer:

Please be advised that the numbers posted on the Township website are those that are reported through the Somerset County Department of Health based on reports from the NJ Department of Health surveillance system. Somerset County completes their count at a specific time during each day. The numbers reported are from that point in time. Also, 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.

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

Somerset County COVID-19 Testing Site

Somerset County and Hunterdon County, in collaboration with Raritan Valley Community College, opening a COVID-19 drive-thru testing site on Thursday, April 16th
Testing will be by appointment only and a valid doctor's prescription is required.

SOMERSET & HUNTERDON TESTING SITE for COVID-19

Location: Raritan Valley Community College, 118 Lamington Rd, Branchburg, NJ 08876

Time: 10 am to 1 pm

APR Dates: April 16, 17 & 20

WHO CAN BE TESTED?

Must be a resident of Hunterdon or Somerset County age 5 & above.

Must show proof of residency at the test site, such as a valid driver's license or state-issued identification.

Must be exhibiting symptoms: FEVER, COUGH, SHORTNESS OF BREATH

Must have a valid prescription or written order from a physician.

Patients must arrive by car and have an appointment.

Residents can make an appointment and complete a registration form by visiting: https://somerset-hunterdon.adlabscovidtest.com

Residents without access to a computer can call: (908) 237-7150

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For more information, contact coronavirus@co.somerset.nj.us

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Hillsborough Township Municipal Services Open to Residents and Businesses
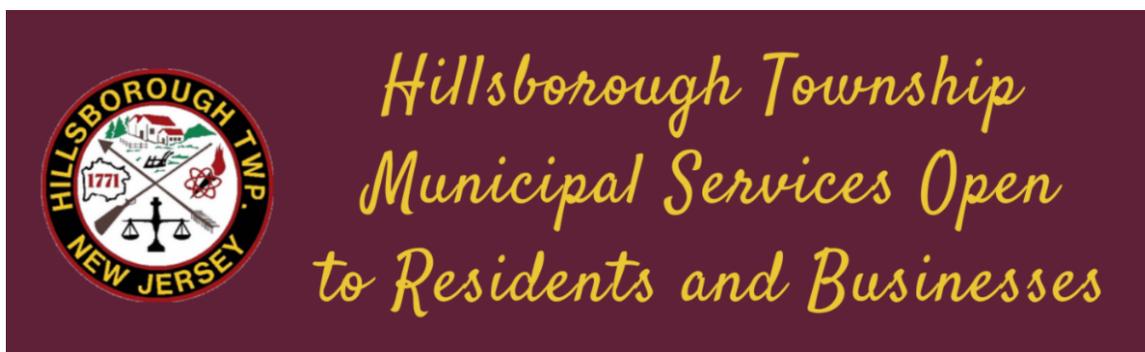
Hillsborough Municipal Services are open to serve both our residents and business community, despite the Municipal Building being closed. Hillsborough Township

employees have conducted business continuity training exercises for many years for emergencies such as this, which allow Municipal Offices to be fully operational during COVID-19. The Township Departments will continue to deliver services through new and innovative ways, while keeping social distancing, health and safety first and foremost. We appreciate everyone's patience and understanding through these ever changing times. Below are photos of Hillsborough Township Departments delivering the services that you have come to expect from Hillsborough Township, along with a brief listing of some of the available services. Additional information and services will be included in future bulletins. See full list of services

Building
- Remote plan review
- Photo documentation of inspections
- Video inspections coming soon
- New applications can be submitted through the mail
- Large construction plans can be dropped off, please call to make arrangements
- For more information visit the Building Department's website

IT Support
- Providing internal technical support to help departments service residents and businesses
- Providing technical support to help set up remote access for Township employees working virtually
- Providing technical support to establish live-stream Township Committee and Boards and Commission meetings

Planning & Zoning
- Processing applications for zoning permits
- Processing applications for certified lists
- Processing applications for Planning Board and Zoning Board of Adjustment reviews
- Responding to OPRA requests and general zoning questions

Public Works
- Public Works releases a Guide to Operations During COVID-19
- For more information on Public Works programs visit their website
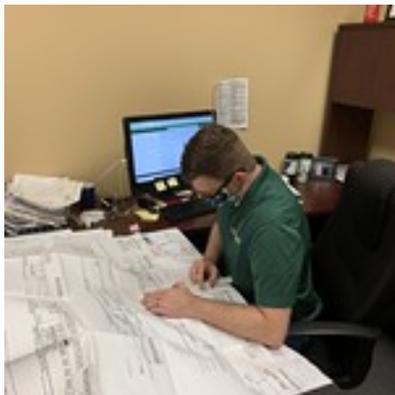
Planning and Zoning:
Zoning Official/Assistant Planner Patrick Gorman reviewing a site plan

Finance and Municipal Court: CFO Nancy Costa and Municipal Court Administrator Susan Keeth showing signage for recently installed court and tax payment drop boxes

Building:
Building Inspector Harrison Wright conducting an inspection
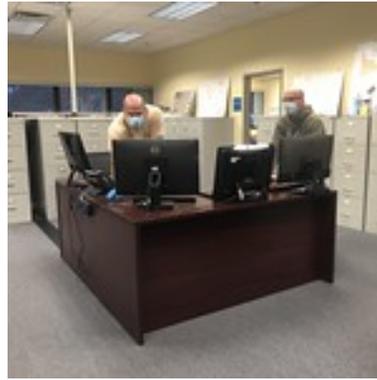
Information Technology: Technology Director Jim Haurey and Technology Support Fred Kinzler setting up employee computer to accommodate remote working

Updates, Closures and Cancellations

A full list of the COVID-19 Updates, Closures and Cancellations is posted on the [Hillsborough Township website.](#)

- **[Be Safe at Home: Connect With SCLSNJ Expert Librarians Virtually](#)**

COVID-19 Community Resources

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

- **[Hillsborough YMCA - Information For Essential Personnel Child Care](#)**

- **Safe+Sound Somerset: [COVID-19 website,](#) [Ask Ava Podcasts,](#) [Safety Plan During COVID-19](#)**

How Can I Help?

Business Owners Helping Each Other

Johnny Lombardi of Gemini Entertainment created and provided "Safe Social Distancing" kits to Victor's Pizzeria and La Costeñita to help them practice social distancing at their establishments.

[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 [website.](#)

Rotary Club of Hillsborough's Grocery Drive for Township Food Pantry Starting April 16th

The Rotary Club of Hillsborough's Grocery Drive to help replenish vital supplies made available by Hillsborough C.A.N. will take place Thursday, April 16th, through Sunday, April 19th.   To find the location nearest you and learn what items are needed.

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. See list of needed items.

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!

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