



HILLSBOROUGH

e-News

COVID-19 Updates



[**Municipal Complex - Including Library - Closed to the Public on Thursday, June 16th - 8 am until Noon due to Active Shooter Response Training Exercise**](#)

Hillsborough Township Introduces 2022 Budget

Hillsborough Township introduced the 2022 municipal budget at Tuesday's Township Committee meeting, with an anticipated tax reduction for the 5th consecutive year.

"This budget is a result of our team's continued fiscal responsibility regarding municipal operations," commented Mayor Shawn Lipani. The Finance team is composed of Mayor Shawn Lipani, Committeeman Frank DelCore, Administrator Anthony Ferrera, and CFO Nancy Costa.

[Read more](#)

Five Police Officers Promoted within the Hillsborough Township Police Department

The Hillsborough Township Committee promoted five police officers from the Department to fill vacancies in the positions of Lieutenant (1) and Sergeant (4) at Tuesday's Township Committee meeting.

"There exist various vacancies within the Department, and as a result of the vast experience base we have within the Police Department, we can promote these officers to fill those vacancies," stated Mayor Shawn Lipani.

[Read more](#)



Lieutenant Cuomo



Sergeant Beverett



Sergeant Howard



Sergeant Wolff

Not pictured: Sergeant Engelhardt

SATURDAY, JUNE 25TH
AUTEN ROAD INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL
5 - 10 PM

**MUSIC, FAMILY FUN, FOOD AND
 FIREWORKS**

INFLATABLE GAMES

&

ATTRACTIONS

5 - 8 PM



LIVE MUSIC

**SOUTHERN STEEL BAND:
 SOUTHERN ROCK TRIBUTE**

7 - 9:30 PM

**FREE SHUTTLE SERVICE PROVIDED FROM HILLSBOROUGH HIGH
 SCHOOL TO THE EVENT BEGINNING AT 5 PM
 RAIN DATE - JUNE 26TH**



**Hillsborough
 Township**

Department Updates & Other News

- Empower Somerset Offers New Program for Veterans
- Hillsborough Needs Your Help to Keep Storm Drains Clear
- 2022 Road Paving Project Update
- Putting in a Pool This Summer? Be sure to Schedule Final Engineering Inspection to Close Out Your Permit
- 5th Annual Restaurant Week to be held September 27-October 2nd
- Farmland Inspections Currently Being Performed
- FREE Screening of Frozen at Ann Van Middlesworth Park on July
- Annual Family Fun Day and Fireworks to be held on June 25th
- Evening Class Added to the Senior Exercise Program

Visit the [News & Media](#) page and individual department pages on the [Township website](#) for all updates



Public Health

Healthy Hillsborough

Updates from the Health Department

Community COVID Vaccine Clinic for Ages 5 thru Adult

Hillsborough Township Health Department & Green Brook Family Medicine will be providing:

- Pediatric Pfizer vaccines and boosters for ages 5-11
Booster is given 5 months after dose #2
- Pfizer vaccines and boosters for ages 12 and up
- Moderna vaccines and boosters for ages 18 and up



Thursday, June 16th, 4:00 PM – 7:00 PM

Location: Hillsborough Municipal Building, 379 S Branch Road

1. Please bring your insurance card to the clinic if you have insurance. The vaccine is free of charge.
2. Please bring in your COVID vaccine card if you are receiving a booster.
3. A parent/guardian is required to be present with children under the age of 18.
4. Dr. Cook will be available at the clinic to address any COVID vaccine-related questions.

Additional COVID Vaccine information is located on the following websites:

[CDC website](#)

[NJ Dept of Health Website](#)

For additional information about our Clinic: please call Hillsborough Township Health Department at 908-369-5652

[Register for June 16th Clinic](#)

EmPoWER Somerset Presents

COVID-19 Vaccine for Teens: Questions Asked and Answered

Although COVID-19 in children and teens is sometimes milder than in adults, some youth infected with the coronavirus can become very sick, experience long lasting symptoms, and require hospitalization.

Join us for a virtual town hall on the importance of the COVID-19 vaccine for youth hosted by EmPoWER Somerset and the EmPoWER Youth Advisory Board featuring Kathleen Felezzola, RN BSN, Director of Nursing of Zufall Health.



Wednesday, June 15, 2022

5:30-6:30 PM

[Click Here to Register](#)

(YOU WILL RECEIVE A ZOOM LINK VIA EMAIL)

*This event is open to middle and high school students and their parents/caregivers.
Youth must be accompanied by an adult.



**DOOR PRIZES AND
GIVEAWAYS!**



Source: The Johns Hopkins University, The Johns Hopkins Hospital, and Johns Hopkins Health System.

[Spanish](#)



Hillsborough Township is currently accepting applications online for the following open positions:

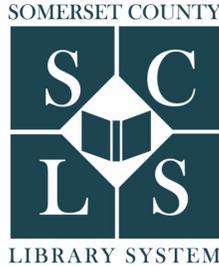
- Part-Time Office Assistant - Business Advocate/Sustainability
- Part-Time Floater
- Plumbing Inspector
- Assessment Clerk/Field Representative
- Building Sub Code Official

The Township of Hillsborough is an equal opportunity employer.

Library Announces Closure and Delayed Opening

Delayed Opening: Thursday, June 16, 2022

The Somerset County Library System of New Jersey's (SCLSNJ)



Hillsborough branch will have a delayed opening of noon (12 p.m.) on Thursday, June 16, 2022. All other branches will be open standard operating hours.

[Read more](#)

Closed: Father's Day, June 19th

The Somerset County Library System of New Jersey's (SCLSNJ) Bridgewater, Hillsborough, and Warren Township branches, which are normally open on Sundays, will be closed on Sunday, June 19, 2022, in observance of Father's Day.

[Read more](#)

Reduce, Reuse, Recycle



Visit the [Recycling page on the Hillsborough Township website](#) for links to all of the Somerset County Recycling program schedules and information.

- [Somerset County Recycling](#)
- [Electronic Waste Recycling](#)
- [Free Document Shredding](#)



Need Help Finding YOUR Calm After the Storm?

RWBH IFPR Hope and Healing Ida Program offers **emotional support services, education, and community based resources** for individuals and families affected by the aftermath of the **Ida Storm**.

The program aims to assist those impacted by the Ida storm to better **navigate new experiences, mitigate stressors, review options and find strategies to adapt to challenges**. We provide connections to agencies, programs, and other resources in the community.

Get reliable timely information from credible sources:

- Emotional Support*
- Housing Referrals*
- Food Bank/Pantry Contacts*
- Tools to Improve Wellness*
- Community Connections*

We are here for you and your families. Please contact us at:

Hopeline # 833-795- HOPE (833-795-4673)
Email: hopeandhealing@rwbh.org
Visit: rwbh.org/hopeandhealing



TOGETHER WITH PRIDE

LGBTQ+ and Allies Pride-Ful connections: a safe space to meet peers and allies

Join us for a connection event on **Thursday, June 16th, from 4pm-6pm** at the **Hillsborough YMCA** in honor of PRIDE month, celebrating our LGBTQ+ community!

- Hear from our Hillsborough High School GSA, learning from Seniors as they graduate.
- Learn more about HMS Cares, a social justice club.
- Participate in small group sessions to discuss topics facing the LGBTQ+ Community.
- Build your network, making connections as a mentee or a mentor.

For more information please contact **Ben Green** at bgreen@gscymca.org

Register Now



HILLSBOROUGH YMCA

A branch of Greater Somerset County YMCA

19 E. Mountain Road, Hillsborough, NJ 08844 | 908 369 0490



Greater Somerset County YMCA is a leading nonprofit committed to strengthening community by connecting all people to their potential, purpose and each other. The Y empowers everyone—no matter who they are or where they live—by ensuring access to resources, relationships and opportunities for athletic, growth and fitness. For information about Greater Somerset County YMCA and financial assistance, visit us at www.gscymca.org.

[View in Spanish](#)

Upcoming Meetings and Events

Visit the [Township Calendar](#) for all Meetings and Events

June 15, 2022

5:30 pm COVID-19 Vaccine for Teens: Questions Asked and Answered

June 16, 2022

8:00 am - 12:00 pm Municipal Building Closed to Public
4:00 pm Community COVID Vaccine Clinic for Ages 5 thru Adult
4:00 pm Together with Pride
7:30 pm Historic Preservation Commission

June 17, 2022

all day Municipal Offices Closed

June 20, 2022

8:00 am Vince Lipani Memorial Golf Outing
11:00 am WISE for Older Veterans
7:00 pm Youth Services Commission

June 21, 2022

6:30 pm Sustainable Hillsborough Steering Commission - Regular Meeting

June 22, 2022

6:00 pm Municipal Utilities Authority Meeting

June 23, 2022

7:30 pm Planning Board Business Meeting

June 25, 2022

5:00 pm - 10:00 pm Family Fun Day & Fireworks

June 27, 2022

11:00 am WISE for Older Veterans
6:30 pm Sign Review Committee
7:00 pm [Cancelled] Environmental Commission



Somerset County Library System **News and Events**



Somerset County Press Releases

Latest News from Somerset County:

Somerset County Park Commission Offers Summer Programs Featuring Rainbows, Walks, and Whitewater Rapids

Registration opens on June 15 at 9 a.m.

Congresswoman Watson Coleman to give Keynote

Join our Juneteenth Celebration on Thursday, June 16, at 6 p.m. on the steps of the historic Somerset County Courthouse in Somerville.

Somerset County Offering \$150K in Arts Grants to Help Agencies Through COVID

The Non-Profit Arts Are One of the Business Sectors Hardest Hit By the Pandemic and the Resulting Economic Downturn

Somerset County to Hold Free Document Shredding Event on June 11

The event will be held from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., rain or shine.

Visit the [Somerset County Website](#) for all news articles

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

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