



# TOWNSHIP OF SOUTH HACKENSACK

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Dear South Hackensack Residents,

This letter is to address the current COVID-19 Crisis; thankfully we are unaware of any cases our South Hackensack Community. We are taking numerous precautions to ensure our residents remain safe and healthy. This critical situation is unlike any other emergency and we urge the public to stay home and follow the CDC guidelines.

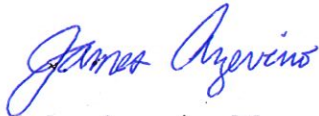
For the most current information please visit Bergen County Health Department's website @ <https://www.co.bergen.nj.us/health-promotion/2019-novel-corona-virus>

Please be assured that the Township has been and will remain in contact with all appropriate federal, state and county agencies for continued guidance and updated information. The Township will continue to use all means necessary to communicate these updates including but not limited to postings on the municipal website, municipal sign, Township Complex and other areas as determined by Township Officials. Effective immediately the Township in consultation with its health and safety officials and directives of federal, state and county agencies have taken the following action:

1. Township of South Hackensack Municipal Complex shall remain closed to the public effective March 16, 2020 until further notice- *Please see attached notice to contact Township Staff*
2. Review County Executive James Tedesco executed County Order 2020-1B along with Governor Murphy's Executive Order 104-2020 dated March 17, 2020 posted on this website and is effective as of 11 p.m. March 17, 2020
3. Memorial School remains closed for all educational and extra-curricular activities. Further updates will be circulated on an ongoing basis from the Township Committee and/or the Superintendent of Schools as needed.
4. The Township Senior Center is closed and shall remain closed until further notice. All Senior Club meetings and activities are suspended until further notice and directive from the Township Committee. *Please remember to check on your senior family member and neighbors.*

5. Residents are encouraged to stay at home, avoid large groups and maintain “social distancing” in accordance with CDC guidelines. Senior Citizens and others that are high risk should only leave the house for food purchase and medical services.
6. All Recreation Commission activities are suspended until further notice. Use of Veteran’s Park is restricted until further notice. Please note County Order 2020-1B which limits gatherings to no more than four people unless they are family members. Please note the closure of the Joseph Baeli playground and the basketball courts.
7. All essential services (police, fire, EMS, trash removal and essential DPW services) will remain un-interrupted. Any emergency matters will receive a rapid response. Emergency services can be accessed by dialing 911 or the South Hackensack Police Department at 201-440-0042.
8. Non-essential and non-emergency travel in New Jersey is strongly discouraged. If you cannot work from home do not go to work sick. Self -isolate and contact your medical provider.

Together with the cooperation of all we will confront this challenge with the least possible impact on our community. Thank you for your support and cooperation. Please give me a call should you have any questions or concerns. (201-906-2469)



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