

Informational COVID-19 Update

Mayor's Message

As part of the national effort to contain the spread of the Coronavirus (COVID-19), the Mayor along with the Office of Emergency Management have elected to close the Township's Municipal Building and Senior Center for a period of two weeks effective 03/16/2020. The situation will be monitored, and the closure may be extended if necessary. As of 03/16/2020 there are no presumptive cases of COVID-19 in New Hanover Township. However, given the fluid situation, the township is taking the following steps to reduce potential exposure to our residents, visitors and employees.

During this closure the Municipal Building, Senior Center and playground equipment will be sanitized as a precaution.

The March 24th municipal court date will be postponed until further or as advised by the Judiciary.

All business with the Township will be handled via email, telephone, US mail or website (www.newhanovertwp.com). Any business that **MUST** be conducted in person, shall be done by appointment only. Please call 609-758-7149 to set up an appointment.

As any additional cancellations, postponements or other service disruptions are decided, we will continue to post those items to our Township website and front door of the Municipal building. We will also keep residents advised of any updates that we receive from the State

Health Department, County Health Department or any COVID-19 related updates. The Township's primary duty is to protect the health and welfare of its residents. We apologize for any inconvenience, but this is an unusual situation that requires strong measures. Should you have any questions please feel free to contact the Township at 609-758-7149.

Respectfully,

Mayor Paul D. Peterla

OEM Director Patrick Murphy