Stay Connected – We’re Here for You!

Now, more than ever, we need to connect with and support each other through this difficult time. Here are a few ways to stay informed about local news, events, and businesses.

VISIT OUR WEBSITE at www.Morrisplainsboro.org for news about how COVID-19 is impacting the Borough of Morris Plains.

SIGN UP FOR WEEKLY EMAIL NEWS:  Send an email with your name, email address and street address to Morrisplainsweb@gmail.com to be added to our weekly email update with important news, events and information from the town.

GET EMERGENCY ALERTS: Sign up to receive text or email alerts about local road closures, crime alerts and other emergencies. Visit www.Morrisplainspolice.org and click on the “Community Services” tab. Then select “Rave Alert.” Once you enter the Morris Plains Alert page, select “sign up now” and enter your registration information.

VISIT THE MORRIS PLAINS POLICE DEPARTMENT ON FACEBOOK: Like the page to receive timely public safety updates or call the non-emergency number at 973-538-2284.

CALL 9-1-1 FOR EMERGENCIES: The quickest way to get help for health, safety and fire emergencies is to dial 9-1-1.

CONTACT THE BOROUGH CLERK: The Borough Hall is closed to the public but our employees are still working! Call the Clerk’s Office at 973-538-2224 or email juhrin@morrisplainsboro.org for assistance.

CALL YOUR MAYOR OR BOROUGH COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES:

- Mayor Jason Karr: 973-538-2224
- Councilman Art Bruhn: 973-714-4729
- Councilman Sal Cortese: 973-714-8781
- Councilwoman Joan Goddard: 973-647-2177
- Councilwoman Cathie Kelly: 973-722-4308
- Councilwoman Nancy Verga: 973-714-8246
- Councilman Dennis Wagner: 973-452-4706

Let us know if we can assist you in any way. The Borough Council meets on the first and third Thursday of each month. Instructions to join the meetings remotely can be found 48 hours prior to the meeting at www.morrisplainsboro.org. Stay healthy and safe!
Helpful Resources
In and around Morris Plains

VOLUNTEERS CAN DELIVER YOUR GROCERY / PHARMACY ITEMS
Community volunteers are available to pick up and deliver groceries for senior citizens and residents who are immunocompromised. Please call the Borough Clerk at 973-538-2224 to request assistance.

FABRIC MASKS
Volunteers from the Community of Caring are sewing fabric masks for Morris Plains residents. The Center for Disease Control recommends that you wear a mask in public. To order a mask, send an email with your name and address to rvergamp@gmail.com.

FRESH FOOD DELIVERED TO YOUR CAR
Visit www.ortfarmstore.com to order boxes of fresh produce or other items from Ort Farms each week. Pick up is Mondays between noon and 3:00PM at Roberts Garden in Morris Plains.

INTERFAITH FOOD PANTRY
This non-profit organization provides emergency or supplemental food to Morris County residents in need. Call 973.538.8049 ext. 210 for immediate assistance in English or Spanish.

SPECIAL SHOPPING HOURS
The following stores open early for senior citizens and those with underlying medical conditions.
Acme: 7AM-9AM M-F; Stop and Shop: 6:00AM - 7:30 am; Shop Rite: 7AM – 8AM.

Health Information

COVID-19 INFORMATION

MENTAL HEALTH DURING COVID-19
NJ Mental Health Cares, the state’s behavioral health information and referral service, will now also offer help to people dealing with anxiety and worry related to the Novel Coronavirus outbreak. Call (866)202-HELP (4357) for free, confidential support. Calls will be answered between 8AM and 8PM seven days a week by a trained specialist.

SUBSTANCE ABUSE
Contact the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Service Administration 24 Hour Hotline 1-800-985-5990.

SUICIDE
Call the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline 1-800-273-8255, or New Jersey Hopeline for 24/7 Peer Support/Suicide Prevention at 1-855-NJ-HOPELINE (654-6735)

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE
New Jersey Coalition to End Domestic Violence at 1-800-572-SAFE (7233)
Deaf Videophone: 1-855-812-1001 or Text LOVEIS to 22522
Jersey Battered Women’s Service, Inc. (JBWS) - Text Line 937-314-4192 or Hotline 937-267-4763