



Borough of Hamburg Newsletter - Fall 2020

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From Mayor Marino...

It has been a long and very different summer due to the continuing presence of Covid-19 and I want to thank all our residents for doing their part to help limit the spread and prevent future outbreaks.

As of the date of this publication it looks like schools will be back in session, at least part time. Please be mindful of the increase in traffic, both on foot and by car. Drive carefully!

Until the onset of cold weather, we are asking all residents to continue taking proper precautions with outdoor food and garbage to discourage the local bear population.

We also ask that everyone continue following safety protocols per the State's executive orders and directions from the Offices of Emergency Management until it has been officially determined that it is no longer a necessity. They are in place to protect everyone. These include



wearing a mask over your nose and mouth in public spaces, keep six feet between yourself and others whenever possible, avoiding crowded areas and please answer the phone if a contact tracer calls; they are trying to keep you and everyone around you safe.

Please check the Borough website at www.hamburgnj.org and our social media accounts for updated information.



Members of the Recreation Commission will be driving throughout the Borough to cast their votes during the

*Annual Holiday
Decorating Contest*
December 15th - 23rd



Election 2020- Dates to Remember

- Oct 13: Last day to register to vote for the General Election. Forms must be postmarked or received by the Board of Elections on this date
- Tuesday, November 3rd: Polls open 6 am - 8 pm.

For more information including a current list of important dates go to <https://sussexcountyclerk.org/elections/>

Hamburg Park and Recreation Field Open

The park on Gingerbread Castle Road is open for use. Please remember to keep a safe distance of 6 feet or more from others and you must wear a face mask. Wash hands frequently for 20 seconds or more and stay home if you or anyone in your household are sick.



Recreation Commission



Due to the current status of the virus, please continue to check the Recreation page on our website at <http://www.hamburgnj.org/boards-commissions/recreation-commission/> for the most up to date information on events that may be held.



Hamburg School

We are happy to welcome back staff and students for in-person instruction beginning Thursday, September 3rd. The students will operate on a four and a half hour schedule of classes. Lunches will be provided in "to-go bags" to enjoy after dismissal. Staff will remain at school to provide virtual instruction in the afternoon.

Like all New Jersey schools, Hamburg School is offering remote instruction for learners who choose not to access the school building. Students may resume in-person instruction at the conclusion of the first term. Additional details can be found on the school's website at <https://hamburgschool.com/>.



Important Dates

September

- 14 - Land Use Bd. 7pm
- 15 - Recreation Comm 7pm

October

- 5 - Mayor & Council 7pm
- 12 - Land Use Bd. 7pm
- Columbus Day
- 13 - Bd. of Health 6:30pm
- 14 - Bd. of Public Works 7pm
- 20 - Recreation Comm 7pm
- 31 - Halloween

November

- 1 - Daylight Saving Time ends
- 2 - Mayor & Council 7pm
- 3 - Election Day
- 4 - Bd. of Public Works 7pm
- 11 - Veterans Day
- Borough Hall Closed
- 9 - Land Use Bd. 7pm
- 17 - Recreation Comm 7pm
- 23 - Historic Preservation 7pm
- 26 - Thanksgiving Day
- Borough Hall Closed
- 27 - Borough Hall Closed

December

- 7 - Mayor & Council 7pm
- 9 - Bd. of Public Works 7pm
- 14 - Land Use Bd. 7pm
- 15-23 - Annual Holiday
Decorating Contest!

All events are subject to change or cancellation





Brush and Leaf pickup will continue through November. All items must be placed curbside by 7 AM. We will make one trip through town. **CURBSIDE PICKUP ONLY!** Brush must be cut in lengths of no longer than 5 ft. Leaves must be placed in

biodegradable bags.

The following items will **NOT** be picked up:

- Plastic bags. They are not biodegradable!
- Bags that are too heavy.
- Bags that contain metal wire, plastic, rocks or concrete.
- Brush over 5 ft. in length.

If we do not pick up your leaves and brush a notice will be left explaining why.

If you cut down trees or have them taken down we will not be able to pick them up - this is a brush service only.



Michael Schneider
Road Department Supervisor



The Hamburg Police would like to advise everyone during this unprecedented time to continue to wear a mask and social distance when practicable.

Also, a reminder, the following motor vehicle documents: All standard driver licenses (including permits), Standard non-driver IDs, Vehicle registrations, Inspections and Temporary tags, if expiring between Mar 1 and May 31, have been extended to September 30. If expiring between June 1 and August 31, have been extended to December 31.

Lieutenant Jason Tangorra
Officer in Charge



Hamburg OEM would like to remind you to please make sure your home address number is visible from the road so Emergency Services can find your address if you call for help.

We also ask that if your power should go out Call JCP&L at 888-544-4877 to report your outage and be sure to get a confirmation number. Please Do Not Call 911-

Hamburg OEM is on Facebook at Borough of Hamburg Office of Emergency Management please like the page .

Keith Sukennikoff, OEM Coordinator



October is Fire Prevention Month: Remember to

- Have your chimney cleaned.
- Smoke detectors and Carbon Monoxide detectors checked.
- Plan an escape route with your family in case of fire.

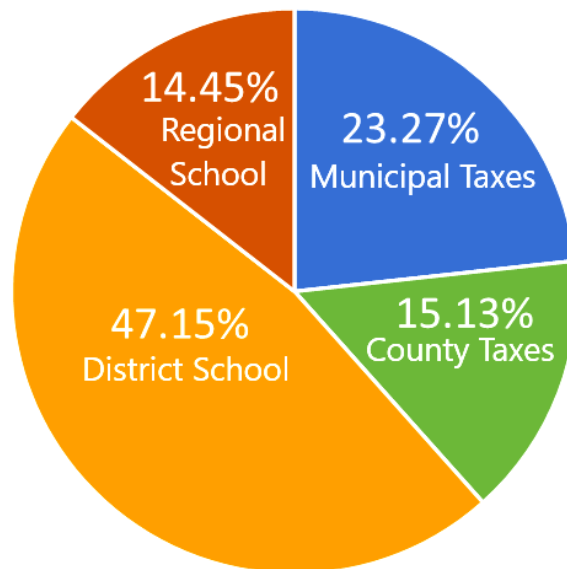
Interested in renting the fire pavilion or hall, please call 973-827-5577.

Looking to join the fire department, new members are always welcome. Please call the number above or stop in the firehouse any Tuesday.

Thanks to everyone who contributes to our fund drives throughout the year and for all donations.

The Members of Hamburg Fire Dept., Incorporated.

2020 REAL ESTATE TAXES



Recycling Schedule: Sept - Dec 2020

Month	4 th Tuesday Glass, Metal, Plastic, Cartons	4 th Wednesday Paper/Cardboard
Sept	22 nd	23 rd
Oct	27 th	28 th
Nov	24 th	25 th
Dec	15 th **	16 th **

** Due to the Holiday - Pickup will be the week before.

Please remember:

- Rinse it out before you recycle it.
- Keep garbage out of your recycling.
- Do not place recyclables in plastic bags

