



**Mount Olive Township
Council Public Meeting
July 7, 2026**

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE AND MOMENT OF SILENCE

OPEN PUBLIC MEETINGS ACT ANNOUNCEMENT

ROLL CALL

PRESENTATIONS

1. Employee Recognition

Matthew Carlson - Police Department Sergeant - 15 Years of Service

Gregory Boyd - Senior Transportation Driver - 5 Years of Service

Lauren Mariano - Public Health Nurse - 5 Years of Service

Conor Nolan - DPW Buildings & Grounds - 5 Years of Service

DISCUSSION ITEMS

1. Towing Updates
2. Corey Road
3. Wolfe Road

APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETINGS - J. Ferrante

1. June 23, 2026 WS & PM Minutes (all present)

ROLL CALL

CORRESPONDENCE - has been presented to Council

1. Correspondence packet attached to agenda

BUDGET REPORT

1. June 2026 Budget Report

DISCUSSION OF ACTION ITEMS (as listed below)

1. Ordinances for Public Hearing
2. Ordinances for First Reading
3. Resolutions

PUBLIC PORTION

ORDINANCE FOR PUBLIC HEARING: (1)

- Ord 18-2026** **Bond Ordinance providing for water improvements to the South Hillside area of the Township of Mount Olive, in the County of Morris, New Jersey for the Water/Sewer Utility, for the inclusion of three additional properties located at 24, 25, and 26 South Hillside Drive, appropriating \$100,000 therefor and authorizing the issuance of \$100,000 bonds or notes of the Township to finance the cost thereof and directing the special assessment of the cost thereof - C. Labow**
The Township would like to extend a water line on South Hillside Drive to address contaminated private wells. The estimated cost of the project is \$100,000. A special assessment bond can be authorized with the expectation that the three new service connections will contribute 55% of the cost of improvement.

ORDINANCES FOR FIRST READING: (2) second reading July 21, 2026

- Ord. 19-2026** **An Ordinance of the Township of Mount Olive, County of Morris, State of New Jersey, amending chapter 550, Land Use, and chapter 169, Dogs and Other Animals, of the Township Code to establish regulations for Deer Fencing - M. Lalama**
The Township would like to make amendments, in response to a resident's request, to the Township code related to the installation of "deer fencing". Deer fencing shall be allowed in rear yards only to protect gardens from deer or other wildlife, shall be no more than eight (8) feet tall with the issuance of a zoning permit.
- Ord. 20-2026** **An Ordinance of the Township of Mount Olive, County of Morris, State of New Jersey, amending chapter 550, Land Use, of the Township Code to revise home occupation definitions in accordance with the Township's 2024 periodic reexamination report of the master plan and development regulations - R. Ruggiero**
As recommended in the Periodic Reexamination Report of the Master Plan and Development Regulations, the report recommends reviewing the list of permitted home occupations and to consider more up-to-date classifications. A cottage food operator and telemarketer will be added to the list of occupations.

CONSENT RESOLUTIONS AGENDA: (19) Reso's 251-2026 through 269-2026 - C. Aaron

- 251-2026** **Resolution of the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive waiving construction permit fees to Natural Green Lawn Care related to the bleacher project at Soccer Field #3**
The Township has awarded a contract to Natural Green Lawn Care related to the ADA and spectator bleacher project at soccer field #3 and wishes to waive the permit fees associated with the project.

- 252-2026** **Resolution of the Township of Mount Olive, County of Morris, State of New Jersey, authorizing the sale of certain lands and properties no longer needed for public use by the Township**
The Township owns block 6900, lot 26, commonly known as 5 Pondview, and has determined that the property is no longer needed for public use and wishes to auction the property off to the highest bidder. Minimum bid is \$775,000 and the auction will be held on September 1, 2026 at 11 am.
- 253-2026** **Resolution of the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive authorizing the township to abate a nuisance property located at Block 3205, Lot 8 (20 Stonewald Road)**
The property owner at 20 Stonewald Road was issued a notice of violation and order of abatement to correct the nuisance with no action taken. The Township wishes to abate the nuisance and lien the property.
- 254-2026** **Resolution of the Township of Mount Olive, in the County of Morris and State of New Jersey, authorizing an agreement between the Township and Green Brook Family Medicine to participate in the annual influenza vaccine clinic**
The Mount Olive Health Department offers a free influenza vaccine clinic to the residents and recommends authorizing an agreement with Green Brook Family Medicine at no cost to the residents.
- 255-2026** **Resolution of the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive authorizing Change Order No.1 for Bid #2113C Exterior Restoration of the Seward House (Paragon Restoration Corp.)**
The Township previously awarded a contract to Paragon Restoration in the amount of \$1,450,985 for the exterior restoration of the Seward House. Due to a concealed condition discovered during construction, a change order in the amount of \$9,800 needs to be approved.
- 256-2026** **Resolution of the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive authorizing the award of a contract for the purchase of bleachers off Bergen County Co-op (Ben Shaffer Recreation)**
The Township desires to purchase bleachers at Turkey Brook Park soccer field #3 from Ben Shaffer Recreation in the amount of \$30,162.65 off a Bergen County Co-op. This purchase will be reimbursed by the Mount Olive Soccer Club.
- 257-2026** **Resolution of the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive authorizing the award of a contract for the purchase of audiovisual equipment, supplies, and service off The Interlocal Purchasing System (TIPS) (BIS Digital)**
The Township is permitted to join national cooperative purchasing agreements and has advertised its Notice of Intent to award a contract to BIS Digital in the amount of \$11,821 for audiovisual equipment and supplies. There were no alternative approaches and/or rejections and it is recommended to award the contract.

- 258-2026** **Resolution of the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive authorizing the award of a contract for the purchase of four (4) 2026 Chevrolet Tahoe PPV 4WD vehicles off Bergen County Co-op (BCCPS) (Pellegrino Chevrolet)**
The Police Department desires to purchase four (4) police vehicles off the Bergen County Co-op from Pellegrino Chevrolet in the amount of \$240,163.35.
- 259-2026** **Resolution of the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive authorizing the award of a professional service agreement for Geographical Information Systems Services (Van Cleef Engineering Associates) *REVISED - Contract extension**
The Township previously awarded a contract to Van Cleef Engineering for GIS Services not to exceed \$23,000 which expired and needs to be extended through May 14, 2027.
- 260-2026** **Resolution of the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive authorizing the award of a non-fair and open contract for a Rehabilitation Program Administrator (Morris Habitat for Humanity, Inc.)**
The Township previously awarded a contract to Morris Habitat for Humanity, Inc., a rehabilitation program designed to assist low-and moderate income homeowners to correct interior and exterior code violations in their homes to ensure the safe and continued occupancy of their property. The contract expires on June 19, 2026 and wishes to extend through June 19, 2027. The Affordable Housing Trust Fund will be used for any rehabilitation in accordance with the contract.
- 261-2026** **Resolution of the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive authorizing the award of a non-fair and open professional services agreement for appraisal services to Newmark Valuation & Advisory (January 1, 2026 - December 31, 2026) *REVISED - Decreasing contract amount**
The Township previously awarded a contract to Newmark Valuation & Advisory for appraisal services for \$15,000 and wishes to reduce the contract amount to \$7,500.
- 262-2026** **Resolution of the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive authorizing the award of a non-fair and open professional services agreement for appraisal services to Appraisal Systems, Inc. (July 1, 2026 - December 31, 2026)**
The Tax Assessor recommends adding Appraisal Systems, Inc. for appraising services as a professional service not to exceed \$7,500.
- 263-2026** **Resolution of the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive authorizing the award of a non-fair and open vendor service contract for refurbishing Ladder 58 for Budd Lake Fire Department pursuant to New Jersey Local Unit Pay-to-Play Law (Spectrum Communications)**

The Budd Lake Fire Department desires to refurbish the emergency lighting and emergency equipment on Ladder 58. Spectrum Communications submitted a quote not to exceed \$21,206.90.

- 264-2026 Resolution of the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive authorizing the award of a non-fair and open professional services agreement for Bond Counsel Services to McManimon, Scotland & Baumann (January 1, 2026 - December 31, 2026) *REVISED - Increasing contract amount**
The Township previously approved a contract for Bond Counsel services to McManimon, Scotland & Baumann which needs additional funding to reflect the work needed not to exceed \$49,000.
- 265-2026 Resolution of the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive authorizing redemption of a third-party tax lien Block 103, Lot 2.01**
The Tax Collector recommends authorizing the redemption of a third-party tax lien for Block 103, Lot 2.01.
- 266-2026 Resolution of the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive authorizing redemption of a third-party tax lien Block 3305, Lot 19**
The Tax Collector recommends authorizing the redemption of a third-party tax lien for Block 3305, Lot 219.
- 267-2026 Resolution of the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive requesting approval from the Director of the Division of Local Government Services for insertion of a specific item of revenue into the 2026 Municipal Budget (\$78,687.05 Clean Communities Grant)**
The Township received a grant from the Clean Communities program in the amount of \$78,687.05 which needs to be inserted into the budget and approved by the Director of the Division of Local Government Services.
- 268-2026 Resolution of the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive requesting approval from the Director of the Division of Local Government Services for insertion of a specific item of revenue into the 2026 Municipal Budget (\$35,838.51 Recycling Tonnage Grant)**
The Township received a grant from the Recycling Tonnage program in the amount of \$35,838.51 which needs to be inserted into the budget and approved by the Director of the Division of Local Government Services.
- 269-2026 Resolution of the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive requesting approval from the Director of the Division of Local Government Services for insertion of a specific item of revenue into the 2026 Municipal Budget (\$5,495.70 National Opioids Settlement Fund)**
The Township received a settlement from the National Opioids Settlement Fund in the amount of \$5,495.70 which needs to be inserted into the budget and approved by the Director of the Division of Local Government Services.

COUNCIL COMMENTS ON CONSENT RESOLUTIONS

ROLL CALL

RESOLUTIONS NON-CONSENT

COUNCIL COMMENTS ON INDIVIDUAL RESOLUTIONS

ROLL CALL (NON-CONSENT)

MOTIONS - J. Mania

1. Bill List

ROLL CALL

ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS

OLD BUSINESS

NEW BUSINESS

LEGAL MATTERS

COUNCIL REPORTS

1. Board of Education Liaison - **C. Aaron**
2. Library Board Liaison - **J. Ferrante**
3. Recreation Liaison - **J. Ferrante**
4. Environmental Committee - **C. Labow**
5. Lake Issues - **C. Labow**
6. Open Space Committee - **C. Labow**
7. Board of Health - **M. Lalama**
8. Legislative Committee - **J. Mania**
9. Senior Citizen Liaison - **J. Mania**
10. Planning Board - **R. Ruggiero**

PUBLIC PORTION

COUNCIL COMMENTS

EXECUTIVE SESSION (1) - J. Ferrante

270-2026 Resolution authorizing a closed executive session of the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive, County of Morris, State of New Jersey

ROLL CALL

ADJOURNMENT



MOUNT OLIVE TOWNSHIP POLICE DEPARTMENT

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To: Chief Cordileone 078
From: Cpl. Andrew Spotts 112
Date: March 13, 2026
Re: MOT L/O 367 "Towing" Amendment

Chief,

The Traffic Unit recently reviewed Mount Olive Township's Local Ordinance for Towing (L/O 367). During this review, the rates for services were found to have not been updated since 2022. The rates established by this code were found to be significantly lower than the rates established and used by the New Jersey State Police and Garden State Towing Association. These rates are guided by a fee schedule approved by the New Jersey Attorney General. As such, changes have been made to this ordinance. Specifically, any mention of exact rates has been removed from the ordinance. This was replaced with language that states the rates used by towers in Mount Olive Township will be the same as those established and approved by the New Jersey Attorney General.

This change is multifaceted. First, it ensures that any tow companies providing services in Mount Olive Township are fairly compensated. Second, it allows for fewer amendments to the ordinance since there will not be a need to update it every time the rates change in the state. I have attached to this memo a copy of L/O 367 with the proposed language changes. I have also attached a copy of the current rates used by NJSP and Garden State Towing Association.

Let me know if you have any questions.

Submitting Officer [Signature] 112

Recommended [☒] / Not Recommended [☐]

Supervising Officer [Signature] #108

Recommended [☒] / Not Recommended [☐]

Division Commander [Signature] 094

Recommended [☒] / Not Recommended [☐]

Section Commander [Signature] 088

Recommended [☒] / Not Recommended [☐]

Chief of Police [Signature] 078

Approved [☒] / Denied [☐]

Chapter 367

TOWING

§ 367-1.	Purpose.	§ 367-6.	Use of list by Police Department.
§ 367-2.	Qualifications for rotation list.		
§ 367-3.	Additions to and deletions from list.	§ 367-7.	Semiannual report.
§ 367-4.	Establishment of rates.	§ 367-78.	Disposition of towed vehicles.
§ 367-5.	Duties of towing operators.	§ 367-89.	Predatory towing practices.
		§ 367-910.	Rates.

[HISTORY: Adopted by the Mayor and Council of the Township of Mount Olive 2-14-1989 by Ord. No. 5-1989; amended in its entirety 1-25-2022 by Ord. No. 2-2022. Subsequent amendments noted where applicable.]

§ 367-1. Purpose.

The purpose of this chapter is to establish rules and regulations, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40:48-2.49 et seq., and the Predatory Towing Prevention Act (N.J.S.A. 56:13-1 et seq.), to regulate towing operations within the Township of Mount Olive, including to provide the quickest, most efficient response time, thereby minimizing waiting time both for police officers on scene and the removal of motor vehicles from the roadway as a result of an accident.

§ 367-2. Qualifications for rotation list.

The Administrator of the Township of Mount Olive is hereby authorized to compile a list of all towers and to amend and supplement the list from time to time. A towing operator shall be required to meet the following minimum qualifications to be included on the list:

- A. All towing operators shall own or lease and have available at least one conventional tow truck and two flatbed tow trucks, in addition to other equipment that is necessary to provide safe and efficient towing. Each tow vehicle shall have the name of the towing operator and their phone number on the side of the vehicle.
- B. All towing operators' trucks shall be equipped with cell phones, enabling them to maintain contact with their places of business.
- C. All towing operators' trucks shall be equipped with brooms and shovels for the purpose of clearing debris off roadways. All towing operators' trucks shall be equipped with 25 pounds of absorbent material for minor spills/leaks of fuel, oil, and similar substances, as well as an approved container for the storage of contaminated absorbent material.
- D. All towing operators shall have telephone equipment at their place of business that is able to handle more than one incoming call.
- E. All towing operations shall submit a certificate of insurance to the Township naming the Township as an additional insured. The certificate shall provide evidence that the towing operator carries bodily injury liability, property damage liability, employer's liability, motor vehicle liability, and garage

keepers' liability coverage with combined policy limits of \$1,000,000. Each approved operator must also have statutorily required workers' compensation coverage.

- F. Indemnification. Towing operators shall, to the fullest extent permitted by law, defend, indemnify and hold harmless the Township from and against any and all claims, suits, judgments and demands whatsoever, including without limitation cost, litigation expenses, counsel fees and liabilities with respect to injury to or death of any person or persons whatsoever or damage to property of any kind by whomever owned arising out of or caused or claimed to have been caused, in whole or in part, by the negligent acts or omissions of the towing operators or any other person directly or indirectly employed by the towing operators while in the performance of rendering any services pursuant to the scope of this chapter.
- G. The applicant shall have a vehicle storage area. This area shall be lighted, fenced, secured, monitored by a surveillance video recording system, and within five driving miles of the Township's Municipal Building. Each storage facility shall post, in a clearly visible manner, contact information and hours of operation for vehicle release.
- H. The applicant shall maintain business hours that allow property to be returned Monday through Friday (9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.) and Saturday (9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon), excluding legal holidays.
- I. All applicants and/or agents shall submit to a criminal history check. The applicant or agent shall not have received a criminal conviction within the last seven years for any indictable offense or any offense involving stolen or embezzled vehicles, fraud relating to the towing business, stolen property, or any other offense of similar nature.
- J. The applicant shall represent that its trucks and equipment are safe, properly equipped, mechanically sound, and suitable for intended use (N.J.S.A. 39:3-1 et seq. and 49 CFR 393). The applicant may be subject to an annual FMCSA Level I or V inspection by a trained and certified FMCSA Inspector.
- K. Applicants shall be familiar with the current "State of New Jersey Highway Incident Guidelines for Emergency" and are encouraged to attend incident management meetings held by NJDOT and NJSP to remain current on updated response procedures.
- L. Applicants approved to tow for the Township shall not subcontract to other towers. The approval will be applicable only to the individual or corporation whose name appears on the submitted application.
- M. Applicants' equipment and storage facilities are subject to inspection by Mount Olive Township Police Department members prior to approval, and subject to periodic inspection thereafter.

§ 367-3. Additions to and deletions from list.

After the initial list is prepared, the Administrator may add names to the approved list when additional towing operators meet the appropriate qualifications. The Administrator may also delete names from the list when an operator fails to perform properly or to continue to meet the basic requirements, but no deletion shall occur without notice to the towing operator involved and the opportunity for a hearing before the Administrator. The decision of the Administrator may be appealed to the Township Council.

§ 367-4. Establishment of rates.

The Township has the authority to and will establish tower rates, consistent with the prevailing rates for the area (ten-mile radius). No fees, other than established by the Township, are authorized to be charged. Towing/storage fees are to be reviewed every three years by the Police Department.

§ 367-5. Duties of towing operators.

- A. Approved towing operators shall respond to a vehicle within 20 minutes after being notified by the desk officer of the Police Department of a necessary service call.
- B. A towing operator shall immediately dispatch tow trucks when requested by the desk officer to respond to an emergency situation.
- C. A towing operator shall not permit a vehicle to be removed without proper authorization.
- D. A towing operator's drivers shall request police assistance during the course of servicing when they find it necessary to turn around, back up, tow in the opposite direction, cross the median, etc.
- E. Towing operators shall remove all debris from the roadway and scene from which the vehicle will be towed.
- F. All tow company personnel shall wear Class II traffic safety vests while on scene.
- G. At the time of the tow, the towing operator shall provide their business information to the driver and/or passenger(s) of all vehicles towed.

§ 367-6. Use of list by Police Department.

- A. The Administrator shall submit to the Police Department from time to time a list of towing operators to be utilized.
- B. The list shall be utilized by the Police Department to provide towing services when necessary. The Police Department shall call for towing services when necessary. The Police Department shall call the towing operators in a sequential rotation of seven days on so that every towing operator is given an equal opportunity to provide towing services. The Police Department shall give each towing operator at least seven days' notice of his turn in the sequential rotation of seven days on.

~~§ 367-7. Semiannual report.~~

~~The Police Department shall, on a semiannual basis, provide the Administrator with a report as to the quality of towing services provided by those towing operators on the list.~~

~~§ 367-8. Disposition of towed vehicles.~~

All vehicles will be removed to the towing operator's secured lot, unless otherwise directed by the Police Department. Vehicles may be towed to a designated location by the customer if approved by the Police Department and at an additional cost to the customer.

~~§ 367-9. Predatory towing practices.~~

Applicants shall be familiar with the rules and regulations of the Predatory Towing Prevention Act (N.J.S.A. 56:13-1 et seq.) and be aware that any violations of these requirements shall result in an immediate suspension from the towing list.

~~§ 367-10. Rates and Fees.~~

All bills will be itemized and will be available for inspection upon any complaint or investigation. A copy of the itemized bill will be given to all motorists whose motor vehicle is towed.

The rates specified below represent the maximum rates allowable. It shall be unlawful for any towing operator to charge a rate in excess of the rates prescribed.

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TOWING

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Any additional specialized equipment needed will be charged at the prevailing rates.

The rates for all towing and towing-related services shall be as outlined in the New Jersey State Police Schedule of Services approved by the Attorney General and implemented by the New Jersey State Police, as shall be amended. A current listing of rates is attached hereto. It shall be maintained, as amended, by the Chief of Police, or his designee, and towing companies operating with the Township of Mount Olive. The following fees are the maximum amounts that may be charged by any towing company operating within the Township of Mount Olive [business hours: Monday through Friday 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and Saturday 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon, excluding legal holidays; after hours: all hours other than business hours

~~listed above (including legal holidays)]:~~

~~A. Basic towing for light duty (vehicles up to 10,000 pounds GVWR):~~

~~(1) Business hours:~~

~~(a) Hookup: \$120.~~

~~(b) Each mile after hookup: \$6 (loaded miles).~~

~~(2) After hours:~~

~~(a) Hookup: \$135.~~

~~(b) Each mile after hookup: \$6 (loaded miles).~~

~~B. Basic towing for motorcycles:~~

~~(1) Business hours:~~

~~(a) Hookup: \$135.~~

~~(b) Each mile after hookup: \$6 (loaded miles).~~

~~(2) After hours:~~

~~(a) Hookup: \$150.~~

~~(b) Each mile after hookup: \$6 (loaded miles).~~

~~C. Basic towing for medium duty trucks (vehicles 10,001 pounds GVWR to 16,000 pounds GVWR):~~
~~{Amended 2-22-2022 by Ord. No. 4-2022}~~

~~(1) Business hours:~~

~~(a) Hookup: \$220.~~

~~(b) Each mile after hookup: \$10 (loaded miles).~~

~~(2) After hours:~~

~~(a) Hookup: \$240.~~

~~(b) Each mile after hookup: \$10 (loaded miles).~~

~~D. Basic towing for heavy duty trucks (vehicles 16,001 pounds and greater GVWR):~~
~~{Amended 2-22-2022 by Ord. No. 4-2022}~~

~~(1) Business hours:~~

~~(a) Hookup: \$475 per hour, minimum one hour.~~

~~(b) Each mile after hookup: \$15 (loaded miles).~~

~~(2) After hours:~~

~~(a) Hookup: \$500 per hour, minimum one hour.~~

~~(b) Each mile after hookup: \$15 (loaded miles).~~

~~E. Special services:~~

- ~~(1) For recovery/winching and/or preparation prior to towing light/medium duty: \$250 per one hour (to be billed in half hour increments) per tow truck.~~
- ~~(2) For recovery/winching and/or preparation prior to towing for heavy duty: \$600 per one hour (to be billed in half hour increments) per tow truck.~~
- ~~(3) For additional labor except tow truck driver, to be billed in half hour increments: \$100 per hour.~~
- ~~(4) Road service. Charge for basic road service:
 - ~~(a) Business hours: \$85, plus cost of fuel provided, if applicable.~~
 - ~~(b) After hours: \$95, plus cost of fuel provided, if applicable.~~~~
- ~~(5) Inclement weather: The towing company may, at their discretion, charge an extra 20% of the total standard towing fee during times of inclement weather.~~
- ~~(6) Administrative charge: The towing company may, at its discretion, charge for post-accident services, including but not limited to services such as physical inspections, telephone and/or fax calls, removal of personal items, or paperwork. An itemized list of additional services must be provided. Administrative time shall be billed at a rate of \$10 per fifteen minute interval, excluding the first 15 minutes.~~
- ~~(7) (Reserved)¹~~
- ~~(8) Yard tow: \$25.~~

~~F. Outside secured storage:~~

- ~~(1) Automobiles: \$40 per day, if not claimed within 12 hours, then based on each overnight period after the initial twelve hour period.~~
- ~~(2) Medium duty/heavy duty trucks (dual rear wheel): \$85 per day, if not claimed within 12 hours, then based on each overnight period after the initial twelve hour period.~~
- ~~(3) Tractor/dump truck/tractor trailer combo/buses: \$125 per day, if not claimed within 12 hours, then based on each overnight period after the initial twelve hour period.~~

~~G. Outside unsecured storage:~~

- ~~(1) Medium duty/heavy duty trucks (dual rear wheel): \$60 per day, if not claimed within 12 hours, then based on each overnight period after the initial twelve hour period.~~
- ~~(2) Tractor/dump truck/tractor trailer combo/buses: \$105 per day, if not claimed within 12 hours, then based on each overnight period after the initial twelve hour period.~~

H.A. This fee schedule is in effect for any tow service called for by the Police Department.

1. Editor's Note: Former Subsection E(7), providing for the fee schedule to be reviewed and amended by resolution, of the 2015 Code, was repealed at time of adoption of Code (see Ch. 1, General Provisions, Art. I); see now § 367-4.



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MAXIMUM N.J. STATE POLICE RATES

For calendar year 2025

Towers engaged in towing for the NJSP shall not charge a fee in excess of the following enumerated rates. These tariffs are annually recalculated based upon a random sampling of reasonable fees utilized by commercial and municipal towers. The NJSP has determined that the average rate per category based upon the Association's census is reasonable and is acceptable for use by each Troop.

Please regularly review these rates. Changes may be made throughout the year.

ROAD SERVICE

CARS (LIGHT)	\$150.00 PER HOUR PLUS PARTS
TRUCKS (MEDIUM/ HEAVY)	\$200.00 PER HOUR PLUS PARTS

TOWING – Basic

LIGHT DUTY- up to 10,000 lbs.	HOOK-UP \$155
MEDIUM DUTY- 10,001-16,000 lbs.	\$300.00 PER HOUR
HEAVY DUTY- 16,001 and above	\$500.00 PER HOUR
DECOUPLING FEE (IF TOW IS NOT PERFORMED)	½ OF BASIC RATE

ON-HOOK MILEAGE

LIGHT DUTY	\$7.00/ PER LOADED MILES
MEDIUM DUTY	N/A
HEAVY DUTY	N/A

RECOVERY/ WINCHING (In Addition to Towing)

LIGHT/ MEDIUM DUTY 10,001-16,000 lbs.	\$350.00 PER HOUR CHARGED IN ½ HOUR INCREMENTS OF \$175.00 PER ½ HOUR
HEAVY DUTY 16,001 and above	\$650.00 PER HOUR

SPECIALIZED RECOVERY EQUIPMENT

ROTATOR/ CRANE RECOVERY UNIT	\$1200.00 PER HOUR
TRACTOR WITH LANDOLL TRAILER OR DETACH TRAILER	\$500.00 PER HOUR
TRACTOR/ TRANSPORT HAULER ONLY	\$350.00 PER HOUR
REFRIGERATED TRAILER W/ TRACTOR	\$550.00 PER HOUR
BOX TRAILER W/ TRACTOR	\$500.00 PER HOUR
AIR CUSHION UNIT	\$1000.00 PER HOUR
LIGHT TOWER	\$250.00 PER HOUR
PALLET JACK	\$200.00 FLAT RATE
ROLLERS	\$200.00 FLAT RATE
ANY OTHER SPECIALIZED EQUIPMENT	\$300.00 PER HOUR
LOADER/ BACKHOE/ TELESCOPIC HANDLER/ BULLDOZER/ ETC	\$400.00 PER HOUR EACH
FORKLIFT/ SKID STEER/BOBCAT/ETC	\$400.00 PER HOUR
DUMP TRUCK/ DUMP TRAILER W/ TRACTOR	\$400.00 PER HOUR
ROLL-OFF WITH CONTAINER	\$400.00 PER HOUR PLUS DISPOSAL
RECOVERY SUPERVISOR VEHICLE	\$150.00 PER HOUR
SCENE SAFETY EQUIPMENT, COMMUNICATION EQUIPMENT, TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT EQUIPMENT, ETC.	\$250.00 PER HOUR EACH TYPE USED

RECOVERY SUPPORT VEHICLE/ TRAILER ADDITIONAL RECOVERY EQUIPMENT	\$350.00 PER HOUR
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LABOR- ALL LABOR MIN OF 1 HOUR

ACCIDENT MINOR CLEAN-UP AND DISPOSAL OF DEBRIS	\$75.00 PER HOUR ONE HOUR MINIMUM PLUS ABSORBENT MATERIALS USED
RECOVERY SUPERVISOR AND/ OR LEVEL III RECOVERY SPECIALIST	\$250.00 PER HOUR *Charges limited to one per incident
CERTIFIED TOWING OPERATOR	\$150.00 HOUR PER PERSON
MANUAL LABORERS	\$125.00 PER HOUR PER PERSON

STORAGE – PER CALENDAR DAY (INSIDE RATES TWO TIMES OUTSIDE RATE)

CARS/ LIGHT TRUCKS -10' X 20' SPACE	\$50.00 PER DAY
TRUCKS (DUAL WHEELS)/ SINGLE AXLE	\$125.00 PER DAY
TRACTOR/ DUMP TRUCK/ TRACTOR AND TRAILER COMBO/ TRAILERS	\$125.00 PER UNIT PER DAY
BUSES	\$150.00 PER DAY
ROLL-OFF	\$125.00 PER DAY FOR EACH *Plus applicable rental fee
CARGO/ACCIDENT DEBRIS/ LOAD STORAGE/ VEHICLE COMPONENTS 10' x 20' SPACE	\$50.00 PER SPACE USED PER DAY
RENTAL OF ANY TOW COMPANY SUPPLIED TRAILER POST INCIDENT	\$500.00 PER DAY

**** STORAGE BILLED PER CALENDAR DAY****

ADDITIONAL SERVICES/ NOTES

FUEL/ HAZ-MAT/ CARGO SPILLS CLEAN-UP AND DISPOSAL	TIME AND MATERIAL
HAZMAT AND TRASH RECOVERY	SURCHARGED 10%
SUBCONTRACTOR MARK-UP	20%
ADMINISTRATIVE CHARGE ONLY AFTER 3RD VISIT TO VEHICLE	CARS ONLY - \$50.00
ADMINISTRATION CHARGE	MEDIUM/ HEAVY TRUCK - \$200.00
AFTER HOURS RELEASE	\$85.00
NOTIFICATION DOCUMENTATION FEE	\$75.00
TARPING/ WRAPPING VEHICLE	\$90.00 PER CAR \$250.00 PER TRUCK
FUEL SURCHARGE	SEE CHART BELOW

FUEL SURCHARGE CHART - TOW AND MILEAGE COST ONLY

FUEL COST	FUEL SURCHARGE PERCENTAGE
\$2.50	0%
\$3.00	1%
\$3.50	2%
\$4.00	3%
\$4.50	4%
\$5.00	5%
\$5.50	6%
\$6.00	7%
\$6.50	8%
\$7.00	9%
\$7.50	10%

\$8.00	11%
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***** PLEASE USE THE FOLLOWING LINK TO DETERMINE FUEL COST FOR FUEL SURCHARGE % IN YOUR AREA*****

**<https://www.eia.gov/petroleum/gasdiesel/>
(<https://www.eia.gov/petroleum/gasdiesel/>)**

NOTES: *AFTER THE FIRST HOUR, ALL HOURLY BILLABLE RATES WILL BE CHARGED IN HALF HOUR INCREMENTS. **CHARGES FOR ALL BASIC TOWS ARE INCLUSIVE OF THE OPERATOR. YOU MAY NOT SEPARATELY CHARGE FOR AN OPERATOR THAT DRIVES/OPERATES THE TOWING EQUIPMENT.

***** Waiting time: means any time a towing company spends at the site from which a motor vehicle will be towed, during which the towing company is prevented from performing any work by another individual, beyond the time involved as part of a basic tow.**

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To: Chief Michael Cordileone
From: Cpl. Andrew Spotts
Date: June 18, 2026
Re: Corey Rd improvements

Over the past year, the Traffic Unit has identified several measures to improve safety on Corey Rd for both motorists and pedestrians. With the Township planning to repave Corey Rd this year, we would like to implement these improvements concurrently.

- Installation of LED solar-powered pedestrian crossing signs at the crosswalk near the high school entrance (across from Patlyn Rd). These signs have already been purchased and approved for installation. In previous discussions, MOT DPW indicated that this work should be completed during roadway resurfacing, as electrical work for the signs may be required.
- Modification of the lane configuration on Corey Rd. Currently, the roadway consists of two 12-foot travel lanes with approximately 4-foot shoulders on each side, for a total curb-to-curb width of 30 feet. We propose reducing the lane widths to 10 feet each, eliminating the shoulder on the south side (the high school side), and adding a shoulder on the north side. In conjunction with these changes, we recommend amending MOT Local Ordinance 375-21 to prohibit parking along the entire south side of Corey Rd. These improvements are expected to reduce traffic speeds and eliminate the need for school buses to enter oncoming traffic to maneuver around parked vehicles, as they currently must do.

Please let me know if you have any questions or comments.

Submitting Officer	<u>[Signature]</u>	Recommended ☒ / Not Recommended ☐
Supervising Officer	<u>[Signature] #108</u>	Recommended ☒ / Not Recommended ☐
Division Commander	<u>[Signature] 094</u>	Recommended ☒ / Not Recommended ☐
Section Commander	<u>[Signature]</u>	Recommended ☒ / Not Recommended ☐
Chief of Police	_____	Approved ☐ / Denied ☐

§ 375-21 Parking prohibited at all times.

[Amended 9-5-2023 by Ord. No. 23-2023; 9-3-2024 by Ord. No. 28-2024; 8-5-2025 by Ord. No. 19-2025]

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Cassidy Road	Both	From Wolfe Road to a point 1,000 feet east thereof
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Corey Road	North <u>South</u>	From #26 Corey Road for a distance of 200 feet, or where Corey Road intersects with Victoria Drive <u>Victoria Drive to Flanders Netcong Road</u>
Cove Street	East	Entire length
Deerfield Place	Both	Within 20 feet of each side of the Sutton Park Mall entry/exit onto Deerfield Place, directly in front of the Prudential Building
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Flanders-Drakestown Road	Both	From River Road to Stephens Mill Road
Flanders-Netcong Road	South	From Flanders Road to a point 450 feet south of Corey Road
Flanders-Netcong Road	South	From Ramar Street to U.S. Route 206
Flanders-Netcong Road	North	From U.S. Route 206 to the developed shoulder near #241 Flanders-Netcong Road
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Hatakawanna Terrace		30 feet from intersection with intersection of Hillcrest
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Pinetree Lane right-of-way	Both	Entire length of paved right-of-way (Block 2212, Lot 3)
Sandshore Road	Both	From the north curbline of Netcong Road to a point 2,000 feet north thereof

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Sandshore Road	West	From Lakeview Terrace to U.S. Route 46
Shore Road	East	From U.S. Route 46 to Netcong Road
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MICHAEL T. SPITZER

Chief of Police



To: Chief Michael Spitzer

From: Cpl. Andrew Spotts

Date: April 3, 2024

Re: Traffic Congestion on Wolfe Rd in front of Mount Olive Middle School

Narrative

Chief Spitzer,

During the month of March 2024, the Traffic Unit has begun investigating the ongoing traffic congestion issues on Wolfe Rd in front of the Mount Olive Middle School and coming up with possible solutions to this issue. Sergeant Galop and I have been on scene during pick-up times at the Middle School, and have observed that the traffic congestion presents a significant safety and traffic issue.

This is not a new issue. The traffic unit attempted to address this issue during the 2021-2022 school year, with mixed results. During this time, we tried to change the drop-off and pick-up procedures with the school, but were met with resistance by the principal at the time. One of his concerns was for teachers being affected and potentially violating their

Submitting Officer/Employee Cpl. Andrew Spotts

Date April 3, 2024

Supervising Officer [Signature] #100

Recommended ☒ / Not Recommended ☐

Division Commander [Signature] 0921

Recommended ☒ / Not Recommended ☐

Notes

Section Commander Capt LAX 098

Recommended ☒ / Not Recommended ☐

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Chief of Police Chief Michael Spitzer

Approved ☒ / Denied ☐ Date 4/4/24

Notes

* SCHEDULE A MEETING WITH BA TATARENKO TO ANSWER ANY QUESTIONS.



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contract. We presented additional options to him during our meeting, and he told us he agreed with them and knew a change needed to be made. However, we never received a response from them in subsequent follow up meetings. After meeting with the Middle School administration and not receiving a helpful response, the Traffic Unit had a meeting with Dr. Bangia, who at the time was the acting Superintendent for Mount Olive Township School District. She told us that she wanted to receive approval for the proposals from the school board, and we never heard back from the Board of Education or Dr. Bangia. Finally, we presented our proposals to retired Chief Beecher, and he informed us that he wanted buy-in from the Board of Education school board before amending the stopping and standing ordinance (Local Ordinance § 375-27) or making any other changes.

Since 2021, there have been two (2) significant incidents which I feel highlight the need for permanent changes to be made to the current drop-off and pick-up procedures at the Mount Olive Middle School. First, on March 24, 2022, a Mount Olive Middle School student was struck by a vehicle as he was improperly crossing Wolfe Rd (MOPD case # 2022-018605). The resulting crash investigation found that the "pedestrian was obscured by a vehicle parked on the northbound shoulder of Wolfe Road until suddenly entering V1's lane of travel". This student had crossed Wolfe Road at the appropriate crosswalk, but then reentered the road and ran between vehicles parked on the northbound shoulder of the road in order to get into his parent's car, which was stopped on the shoulder.

The next incident occurred on March 8, 2024. During this incident, a vehicle drove over a student's leg as he was exiting the vehicle to enter school (MOPD case # 2024-019269). The resulting emergency response was hampered and delayed due to the gridlock on Flanders Drakestown Rd and Wolfe Rd. Thankfully, the student's injuries were not significant. In addition to this incident delaying the response from emergency vehicles, Wolfe Road is a common thoroughfare used by Mount Olive Police vehicles to access the Route 46 corridor, as well as residences and businesses in the Budd Lake section of the Township. Any delay to an emergency response is a major concern to the safety of all residents and visitors to the Township, and we feel it must be addressed.

With this historical perspective, Sgt. Galop and I were present during pick-up times at the Middle School. During this time, we noticed that one of the security guards assigned to the school was stopping traffic on Wolfe Rd in order to let all of the buses exit the school. As a result, traffic was backing up on the northbound side of Wolfe Rd all the way to the intersection with Flanders Drakestown Rd, and even onto Flanders Drakestown Road in both directions. Additionally, there was not enough room on Wolfe Rd for all of the school buses to exit, so Wolfe Rd was becoming backed up on the southbound side from Flanders Drakestown Road past the Middle School. As a result, we told the security guard to stop directing traffic, as he does not have authority to stop traffic on a Township Road. We also allowed some of the buses to exit, and then stopped the buses to allow traffic to flow again. This seemed to have a positive impact on the congestion, as there was less build up and the traffic emptied out faster than before. It is worth noting, however, that the Middle School security told us they receive significant push back from Mount Olive Transportation if any of the buses are stopped, as they have a very strict schedule to keep. Sgt. Galop and I also noticed the bus drivers being noticeably upset when we stopped the buses. However, our main concern is the efficient and safe passage of vehicles on Wolfe Rd and the surrounding roads.



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Moving forward, the Traffic Unit proposes the following recommendations to begin alleviating the traffic congestion, which I have broken into immediate and long-term plans:

IMMEDIATE

-Amend Mount Olive Township Local Ordinance § 375-27 "No Stopping or Standing Certain Hours" to include the shoulder on the northbound side of Wolfe Road (across from Middle School) from Flanders Drakestown Road to Kings Arrow Road during School Zone Hours. This would enable through traffic to pass vehicles that are queued on Wolfe Road waiting to make a left into the Middle School. It would also prevent vehicles from parking on the shoulder and picking up students, which was one of the direct causes for the student that was struck by a vehicle in 2022.

This proposal would require an amendment by the Mount Olive Township Town Council to a current Local Ordinance. I have prepared a draft resolution reflecting this change and attached it to this memo, along with a copy of the current L/O § 375-27 along with the proposed change highlighted.

LONG-TERM

-Delineate a permanent left turn lane for vehicles to turn from the northbound lane of Wolfe Road into the Mount Olive Middle School. For this to occur, the shoulder on the northbound side of Wolfe Road would become a travel lane. Also, we would like to dedicate the shoulder on the southbound side of Wolfe Road as a queuing area so parents can wait to turn into the Middle School parking lot without blocking Wolfe Road. These two changes to the roadway would require road re-striping and possibly some road widening or narrowing. However, both of the shoulder on Wolfe Road currently appear wide enough for a vehicle to travel on. Sgt. Galop has already spoken to Tim Quinn about this, and a meeting to measure the road and lane width with the Road Department and the Traffic Unit is being planned. After this meeting, any changes would be forwarded to the township engineer for recommendations. Tim Quinn also informed us that Wolfe Road is slated to be repaved in 2025, which would be an ideal time to make any changes to the lanes or shoulders of the roadway.

Both of these proposals would not require approval or "buy-in" from the Mount Olive Middle School or Mount Olive Township Board of Education, which was an issue for the Traffic Unit in the past, as the proposed changes would be changes to the roadway only. We feel strongly that these changes would have a significant impact on allowing the efficient and safe passage of all vehicles, as well as students and pedestrians, on Wolfe Road and the surrounding roads, and would allow for emergency vehicles to access the area in the event of an emergency incident.

Please let me know if you have any thoughts or questions regarding this. Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Respectfully Submitted,

Corporal Andrew Spotts 112



Township of Mount Olive, NJ
Friday, March 25, 2022

Chapter 375. Vehicles and Traffic

Article III. Parking, Standing and Stopping

§ 375-27. No stopping or standing certain hours.

- A. No person shall stop or stand a vehicle during the times specified herein of any day (except Sundays and public holidays), unless otherwise indicated, upon any of the streets or parts of streets described herein and made a part of this chapter.
- B. For locations where parking is prohibited for school hours, herein referred to as "School Zone Hours," there shall be no stopping or standing permitted from one hour prior to the school opening, to one hour after school closing, only on school days when school is in session. At any point when school is not in session, or closed, these specific "School Zone Hours" shall not be enforced and they shall not be enforced upon any vehicles belonging to a resident of such roadway, as long as the vehicle is parked in front of their residence, or as close as reasonably possible.

Name of Street	Side	Hours/Days	Location
Cloverhill Drive	East	School zone hours	In front of the indented area
Corey Road	Both	7:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m./Monday through Friday	Entire length
Glendale Road	East	8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m./Friday, Saturday, and Sunday	From Hillary Drive to Tulane Road
Hillary Drive	South	8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m./Friday, Saturday, and Sunday	From Route 206 to Devonshire Terrace 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Joycnda Road	Both	School zone hours	Entire length
Linwood Avenue		School zone hours	In front of Mountain View North School in the indented area
Linwood Avenue	South	School zone hours	Within the indented area
Patlyn Road	Both	School zone hours	Entire length
Theresa Drive	Both	School zone hours	Entire length
Wolfe Road	East	School zone hours	From Flanders Drakestown Road to Kings Arrow Road

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE
TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE
AUTHORIZING THE AMENDMENT OF MOUNT OLIVE TOWNSHIP
LOCAL ORDINANCE § 375-27 “NO STOPPING OR STANDING
CERTAIN HOURS”**

WHEREAS, the Township’s Police Department advises the traffic congestion on Wolfe Road in the area of the Mount Olive Middle School during School Zone Hours presents a significant safety and traffic issue, and

WHEREAS, the Township’s Police Department wishes to amend Mount Olive Township Local Ordinance § 375-27 entitled “No Stopping or Standing Certain Hours” to include the east shoulder of Wolfe Road during School Zone Hours from Flanders Drakestown Road to Kings Arrow Road to ease the congestion during these hours,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive that it does hereby authorize the amendment of Mount Olive Township Local Ordinance § 375-27 entitled “No Stopping or Standing Certain Hours” as proposed.

Alex Roman
Mount Olive Township Council President

I, Michelle Masser, Township Clerk of the Township of Mount Olive do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution is a true and correct copy of the resolution adopted at a legally convened meeting of the Mount Olive Township Council duly held on the 16th day of April 2024.

Michelle Masser
Mount Olive Township Clerk

§ 375-211 Parking prohibited at all times.

[Amended 9-5-2023 by Ord. No. 23-2023; 9-3-2024 by Ord. No. 28-2024; 8-5-2025 by Ord. No. 19-2025]

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Sandshore Road	West	From Lakeview Terrace to U.S. Route 46
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MICHAEL T. SPITZER

Chief of Police

To: Chief Michael Spitzer

From: Sergeant Galop

Date: 07/03/2024

Re: Wolfe Rd Stopping Standing Restrictions

Narrative

Chief,

As you know at the recommendation of the Traffic Unit, Mount Olive Twp Council passed a temporary prohibition of stopping or standing on Wolfe Rd, specifically on the east side between Flanders Drakestown Rd and Kings Arrow Rd. during school hours. Recently BA Tatarenko indicated the desire by Township Council to make it permanent. During the trial period the Traffic Unit monitored traffic queuing and congestion in the area. The parking restriction improved the congestion in the area and also made the area safer for pedestrian and vehicular traffic. I recommend amending Twp Code 375-27 by adding the above described location thereby making it a permanent restriction. Attached is the township resolution prepared by Township Administration. With your approval I will notify BA Tatarenko of our support.

Submitting Officer/Employee Sergeant Galop

Date 07/03/2024

Supervising Officer

[Signature] #108
(Initials)

Recommended ☒ /Not Recommended ☐

Division Commander

[Signature] 0941
(Initials)

Recommended ☒ /Not Recommended ☐

Notes

Section Commander

Car YAI 088
(Initials)

Recommended ☒ /Not Recommended ☐

Notes Permanent signs need to be made & installed along roadway.

Chief of Police Chief Michael Spitzer

[Signature]
(Signature)

Approved ☒ /Denied ☐ Date 7/8/24

Notes

**ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE, IN THE
COUNTY OF MORRIS AND STATE OF NEW JERSEY, AMENDING
SECTION 375-27, NO STOPPING OR STANDING CERTAIN HOURS, OF
THE TOWNSHIP CODE**

WHEREAS, the Township is aware of ongoing traffic congestion on Wolfe Road in front of Mount Olive Middle School between Flanders-Drakestown and Kings Arrow Road during school hours; and

WHEREAS, the Mount Olive Police Department investigated the congestions and recommended adopting regulations prohibiting vehicles from stopping and standing in this location during school zone hours; and

WHEREAS, on April 16, 2024, the Township Council adopted resolution 166-2024 authorizing a trial program prohibited vehicles from stopping and standing on Wolfe Road between Flanders-Drakestown Road and Kings Arrow Road during school zone hours; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council of the Township of Mount Olive have determined that it is in the best interest of the Township to permanently make this change.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Council of the Township of Mount Olive, in the County of Morris and State of New Jersey, as follows:

SECTION 1. Part II, General Legislation, Chapter 375, Vehicles and Traffic, Article III, Parking, Standing and Stopping, § 375-27 No stopping or standing certain hours, of the Code of the Township of Mount Olive is hereby amended to include the following intersection and **added** to the existing intersections already listed in the code:

Name of Street	Side	Hours/Days	Location
Wolfe Road	East	School zone hours	From Flanders-Drakestown Road to Kings Arrow Road

SECTION 2. If any section, subsection, clause, or phrase of this Ordinance is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the remaining portions of this Ordinance.

SECTION 3. This Ordinance may be renumbered for purposes of codification.

SECTION 4. This Ordinance shall take effect twenty (20) days following final passage, approval, and publication as required by law.

Introduced:

Adopted:

Effective Date:

TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE

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Erin Meixsell

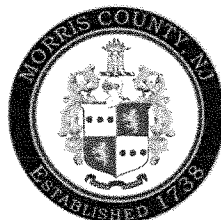
From: Gouveia, Susan
Sent: Monday, June 22, 2026 8:58 AM
To: Mount Olive Township Council
Cc: Erin Meixsell
Subject: FW: RSVP: Declaration of Independence Reading at the Historic Morris County Courthouse on July 8

Correspondence.

Susan Gouveia

Susan Gouveia, Township Clerk
Township of Mount Olive
(973) 691-0900, ext. 7291

From: Vitale, Vincent <vvitale@co.morris.nj.us>
Sent: Thursday, June 18, 2026 6:04 PM
To: Vitale, Vincent <vvitale@co.morris.nj.us>
Subject: RSVP: Declaration of Independence Reading at the Historic Morris County Courthouse on July 8





Hear Ye! Hear Ye!

Join Morris County and millions of fellow Americans **July 8, 2026**, in a nationwide, synchronized reading of the **Declaration of Independence** called "**Sharing the Spirit of America.**"

Come celebrate America's 250th anniversary by observing **July 8, 1776**, the day the document that proclaimed our nation's freedom was first read in public in Philadelphia.

Gather outside the historic **Morris County Courthouse** by **5:45 p.m.** as our courthouse bell rings with the Spirit of 1776 and we read **6 p.m. EST** sharp to coincide with simultaneous readings across our nation.

Municipal & Community Leaders: Please let us know if you can join us or plan to hold your own local readings. Morris County will promote all local readings.

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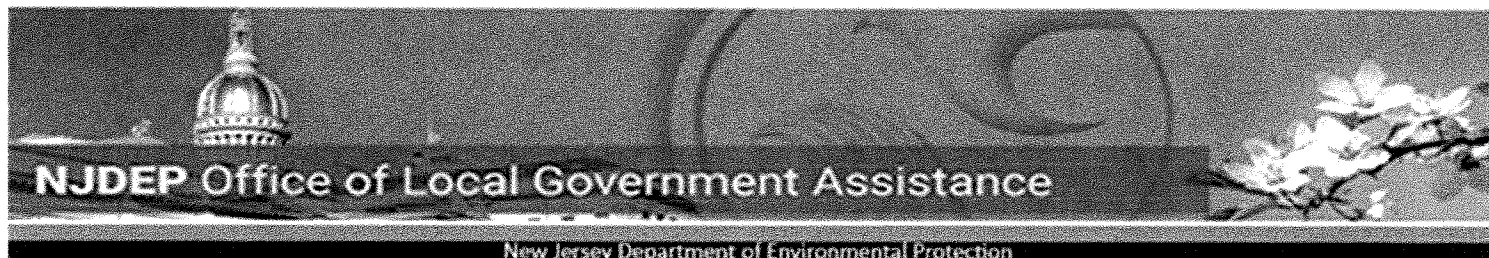
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June 18, 2026

Good afternoon, Mayors and Municipal Officials,

As we head into the summer months, the Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) is pleased to announce federal funding available to municipalities and counties through the National Park Service (NPS) Outdoor Recreation Legacy Partnership (ORLP) program for acquiring land to create new parks or to conduct major park renovations in urban communities lacking walkable outdoor recreation. Also in this week's update: the launch of a public vote to name New Jersey's newest state park as first-phase tree planting begins, the formal adoption of site remediation standards for PFAS compounds including PFNA, PFOA, PFOS, and GenX, and the announcement of \$16 million in grant awards to support community recycling programs. Additionally, the Sherrill Administration invites you to the Battle of Monmouth Reenactment this weekend in commemoration of the Nation's 250th Anniversary. Finally, a critical reminder that vehicle decal renewals for public entities that transport waste expire on June 30— just two weeks away. Read on...

Highlights

NJDEP Formally Adopts Site Remediation Standards for PFAS Compounds Including PFNA, PFOA, PFOS and GenX- [*Read the full news release here.*](#)

Affirming the Sherrill Administration's commitment to protecting public health and the environment from PFAS contamination, the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection today formally adopted regulations that set site remediation standards for four PFAS compounds – PFNA, PFOA, PFOS, and GenX. The adoption formalizes interim standards that have been in place since 2022 and 2023.

These chemicals have been used in a wide variety of industrial and commercial applications and are known to have serious health effects, which, depending on the specific PFAS compound, can include decreased birth weight, decreased immune response, increased serum cholesterol, increased serum levels of liver enzymes indicative of liver damage, and increased cancer risk.

“With the formal adoption of these site remediation standards, the Sherrill Administration is delivering on its mission to protect public health, provide clean drinking water to the public, and restore the environment from decades of PFAS pollution across the state,” Department of Environmental Protection Acting Commissioner Ed Potosnak said. “Even as we see wavering at the federal level, New Jersey remains firm in its commitment to strong science, policies and regulations to address the legacy of PFAS pollution.”

The adopted rule requires those responsible for conducting remediation in New Jersey to ensure that these contaminants are cleaned up to prevent future impacts to public health and the environment, including potential impacts to drinking water.

The standards are developed in consideration of the most recent toxicological information to ensure adequate protection of human health along with analytical capability (the level at which individual contaminants can be reliably detected and reported).

For detailed guidance visit: <https://dep.nj.gov/srp/guidance/rs/>

NJDEP| News Releases | Sherrill Administration Awards \$16 Million in Annual Grants to Support Community Recycling Programs- [*Read the full news release here.*](#)

The Sherrill Administration is awarding \$16.2 million in annual grants to help community recycling programs improve their waste reduction and recycling practices, Department of Environmental Protection Acting Commissioner Ed Potosnak announced today.

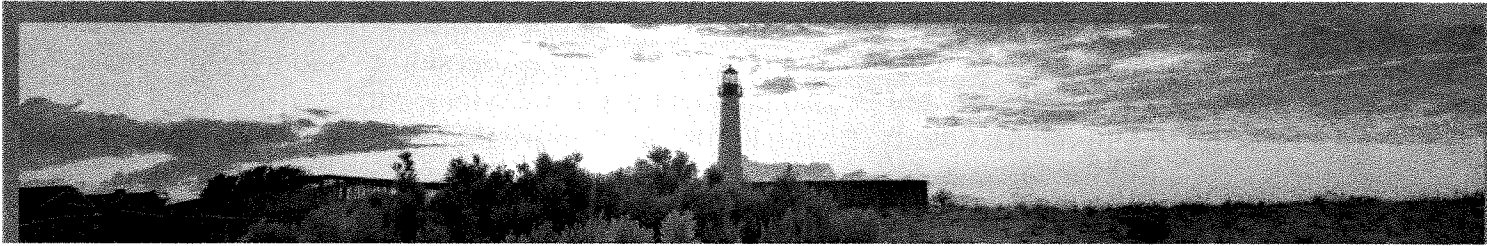
The award amounts are based on the amount of recycling each community reported during 2023, the most recent year for which data is available. Local recycling programs use grant funds to make improvements to recycling centers, set up household hazardous waste collection events, deploy more public recycling receptacles, maintain leaf composting operations and run recycling education programs. The grants are funded through a \$3 per-ton surcharge on trash disposed statewide at solid waste facilities, per the state's [Recycling Enhancement Act](#).

Recycling Performance – By the Numbers

In 2023, New Jersey generated 21,715,349 tons of solid waste, which includes municipal solid waste and non-municipal waste such as construction debris. Of this, 11,469,020 tons were recycled for a 53 percent overall recycling rate, a one-percent decrease from the previous year.

More specifically, New Jersey recycled 3,442,632 tons and disposed of 6,077,402 tons of municipal solid waste for a 36 percent municipal solid waste recycling rate. This represents a two-percent decrease from 2022. To illustrate this data, each resident on average disposed of 3.5 pounds and recycled 2.1 pounds of waste each day.

Read the [full news release](#) to see the list of local governments receiving grants of more than \$100,000.



DEP Office Closure Notice

On Friday, June 19, 2026, New Jersey state government offices will be closed in observation of Juneteenth, a federal holiday.

DEP Service Available 24/7

- **To report an environmental emergency**, call the DEP Hotline:
Phone: 1-877-WARN-DEP (1-877-927-6337)
- **For non-emergency reporting** you may use our Non-Emergency Reporting App
App Name: WARN NJDEP



Sherrill Administration Invites Public to Battle of Monmouth Reenactment this Weekend in Commemoration of the Nation's 250th Anniversary – [Read the full news release here.](#)

In celebration of the nation's 250th anniversary, the Sherrill Administration welcomes residents and visitors to attend the annual reenactment of the pivotal Battle of Monmouth at Monmouth Battlefield State Park in Monmouth County. The two-day living history event will take place from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, June 20, and from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday, June 21.

Family-friendly activities throughout the weekend will include military encampments, cannon and musket-firing demonstrations, children's musket drills, Colonial-era music, a program about Molly Pitcher and a memorial service hosted by the Sons of the American Revolution. The weekend's featured event, the [Battle of Monmouth](#) reenactment, will take place on both days, recreating one of the largest and longest battles of the Revolutionary War. A full schedule of events is available on the [New Jersey State Parks website](#).

A donation of \$15 per vehicle is suggested. The annual reenactment is made possible through a partnership with the [Friends of Monmouth Battlefield State Park](#), a New Jersey State Parks Officially Recognized Friends Organization.

About the Battle of Monmouth

Fought on June 28, 1778, the Battle of Monmouth marked a turning point for the Continental Army following its winter encampment at Valley Forge. Under the leadership of General George Washington, American forces withstood repeated British attacks during a daylong battle across fields, orchards and wooded terrain in Monmouth County. By the battle's end, more than 600 British and Continental Army soldiers had been killed, wounded or reported missing, and the Continental Army held the field. This year's event commemorates the 248th anniversary of the battle.

[Read the full news release here.](#)

Sherrill Administration Launches Public Vote to Name New State Park as First-Phase Tree-Planting Begins - [Read the full news release here.](#)

The Sherrill Administration today invited the public to vote on the name of New Jersey's newest state

park, informally known as the greenway, and commenced the next major milestone in the park's development with the ceremonial planting of trees by Department of Environmental Protection Acting Commissioner Ed Potosnak, Senate Majority Leader M. Teresa Ruiz and other dignitaries.

Voters may choose from among four names for the park, Acting Commissioner Potosnak said during a press event at the under-construction Newark segment of the project, which will eventually transform a former rail corridor into a destination nine-mile greenway spanning eight municipalities in Essex and Hudson counties.

Over the next several months, more than 170,000 native trees, shrubs, grasses and other perennials will be planted within the nearly one-mile Newark segment of the project, the next step in transforming the former rail corridor into urban green space.

"Over the past several years the DEP has been working very closely with local and legislative leaders as well as the public and other stakeholders to develop a park in one of the most densely populated regions of the country that will serve the people of our state and beyond," said Acting Commissioner Potosnak. "I am thrilled to join with Senator Ruiz and our local leaders to move New Jersey's newest state park one step closer to reality – and I am equally excited that the public will have a big hand in giving the park a name that will stand the test of time."

Development of New Jersey's newest state park will take place in phases over time and will require sustained investments to implement the full vision of a nine-mile linear park. The park will provide outdoor recreation and alternative transportation opportunities to more than 1.5 million residents in the surrounding area, representing 16% of New Jersey's population.

Beyond expanding access to urban green space, the project is designed to improve stormwater management and air quality in two of the state's most densely populated counties.

Learn more about the project at dep.nj.gov/greenway

Understanding the Likelihood of the 1-in-100 Flood Event

The United Nations Office for Disaster Risk Reduction (UNDRR) commissioned a study to understand the actual likelihood of a 1-in-100 flood event. There are two key takeaways from this in-depth review of traditional risk-modeling methods; both underline the importance of New Jersey's science-based policy development efforts. First, historic data alone is not enough to predict the likelihood of future disasters. Second, a 1-in-100 event is not simply a "once a century" occurrence.

Blue Acres, FEMA, and other flood mitigation agencies often use terms like "100-year flood" or "1% Annual Chance Flood Hazard Area" to indicate where there is a 1% chance of having a severe flood during any given calendar year.

As UNDRR puts it: *"A 1-in-100 flood does NOT mean once a century. It means a flood with a 1% chance of being exceeded in any given year. That same flood can happen this year, next year, or several times in a lifetime."* See UNDRR graphic above for likelihood on different time horizons.

Visit [NJDEP| Office of Climate Resilience](#) for more information on climate change.

Final Reminder: Municipal Waste Transport Decals Expire June 30th

Public entities that transport waste in New Jersey must renew their vehicle decals before they expire on June 30, 2026. This requirement applies to municipalities, municipal authorities, contracted waste haulers, and other public entities.

Who Needs to Renew?

Your municipality may have multiple entities that require decal renewal:

- Municipal public works departments
- Local solid waste or utility authorities
- Contracted waste transporters working under municipal agreements
- Other public entities operating in your jurisdiction

How to Renew Online

DEP's online renewal system allows entities to renew existing equipment, update information, and register additional vehicles:

- Click [HERE](#) if you have 30 or less vehicles and do not wish to create an NJDEP online account.
- Click [HERE](#) if you have 31 or more vehicles or wish to use an NJDEP online account.
- Click [HERE](#) to create an NJDEP online account.

Share This Information

Please forward this renewal reminder to your Department of Public Works, waste management coordinator, contracted haulers, or other staff who may need to take action. Renewals are processed in order received—submitting early ensures decals arrive before the deadline.

Funding Opportunities

National Park Service's Outdoor Recreation Legacy Partnership Program



The National Park Service (NPS) will be accepting applications for their Outdoor Recreation Legacy Partnership (ORLP) program. The funds will go towards acquiring land to create new parks or to conduct major park renovations in urban communities lacking walkable outdoor recreation. Priority will be given to nature-based parks in economically disadvantaged communities. Municipalities with a population over 25,000 are eligible. In addition, recreation areas that will serve multiple urban municipalities that have a combined population of over 25,000 are eligible. Counties also are eligible for projects that meet the service area requirement. This program is a dollar-for-dollar matching grant program, with a minimum award of \$300,000 and maximum award of \$15M. The Green Acres Program is the authorized state lead agency for New Jersey to submit ORLP applications to NPS.

Proposals are due to Green Acres by July 27, 2026. We strongly recommend reaching out to Green Acres as soon as possible.

For more information, see the [Green Acres ORLP page](#).



Resilient NJ Regional Assistance Program

Through the Resilient NJ: Regional Assistance Program, the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (DEP) will fund Regional Teams interested in developing a comprehensive, community-led regional resilience action plan with assistance from DEP-procured Consultant Teams and the implementation of selected planning-level actions from each plan. Descriptions for these teams can be found in the [Notice of Funding Availability](#).

Through this opportunity, Resilient NJ brings together collaborative Regional Teams comprised of local governmental entities, community-based organizations (CBOs), and local stakeholders with dynamic DEP-procured multi-disciplinary Consultant Teams of planners, engineers, ecologists, designers, and other experts to address climate-related hazards at a regional scale in both inland and coastal communities. This program structure has been established with the capacity of local governments in mind. DEP procures Consultant Teams on behalf of the Regional Teams to alleviate the capacity limitations and administrative burdens that accompany complying with state contract and federal funding requirements.

Project funding is supplied through two federal sources – the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) as part of the Building a Climate Ready NJ initiative (<https://climateready.nj.gov/>) and the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). Up to four (4) Regional Teams will be funded under this grant program. It is estimated that grants may be awarded between \$200,000 and \$350,000 for each region, including at least \$150,000 of that award being set aside for CBOs.

Upcoming Application Deadlines

Grant Name	Deadline
Resilient NJ: Regional Assistance Program – Regional Planning Grants	July 7, 2026 at 12PM
Freshwater Wetland Mitigation Council RFP	October 15, 2026 at 5PM

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Have a great weekend!

Regards,

Keiona Miller

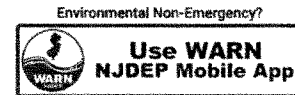
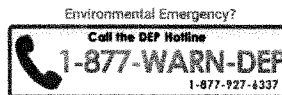
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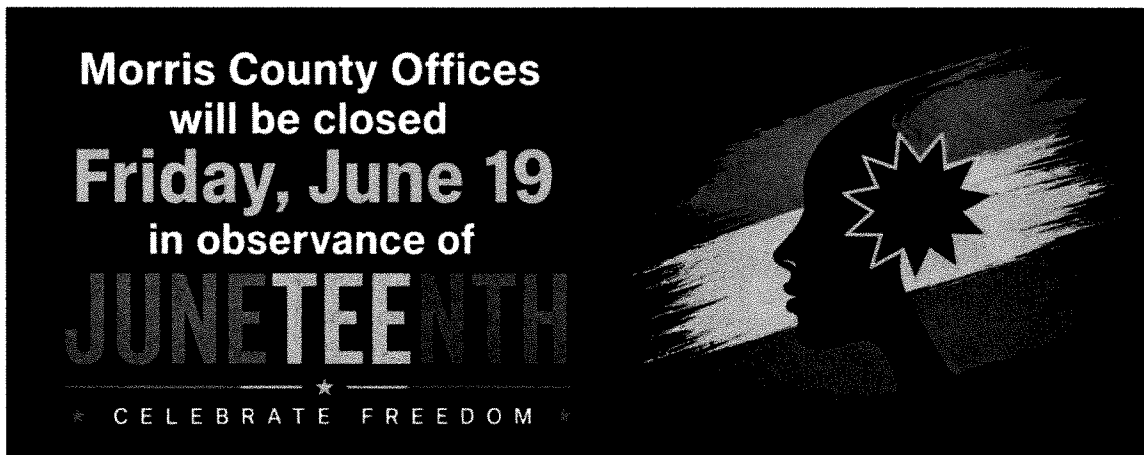
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This Week in Morris County

Thursday, June 18, 2026



Celebrate America's Founding Moments July 2 Through July 8

Morris County invites everyone to participate in events organized to commemorate a week of milestones that unfolded in July 1776 and gave birth to the United States of America. The key dates include July 2, the day in 1776 the Second Continental Congress voted to separate the 13 colonies from Great Britain, through July 8, the exact date 250 years ago of the very first public reading of the Declaration of Independence in Philadelphia.

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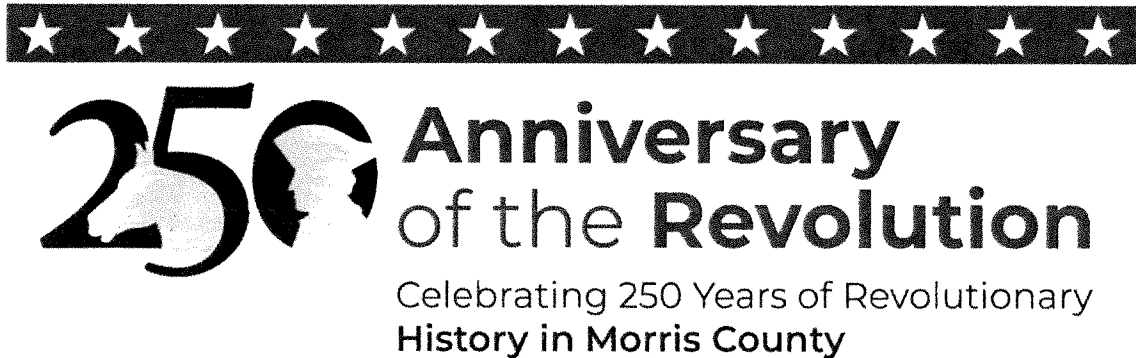
Congratulations Morris County Vocational School District Grads!

Morris County Commissioner Deputy Director John Krickus attended the Morris County Vocational School District's 2026 Commencement on behalf of the Morris County Board of County Commissioners this week at William G. Mennen Sports Arena in Morris Township. The Morris County Vocational School District is one of New Jersey's top-performing school districts consistently ranking among the top five percent statewide. The district also boasts a 99 percent graduation rate and outstanding proficiency in reading and math.



Denville Fire Fighters Recognized for Longevity of Service

Morris County Commissioner Deborah Smith attended the Denville Volunteer Fire Department's Years of Service celebration recently, to honor six members for their dedication to the department and the community. Honorees included James Crothers, 50 years of service; Herbert Trillich, more than 40 years of service; and Richard Yobs, Christina Kovacs, Kevin Andreano and Rich Andes, each recognized for 20 years of service.



America's 250th Celebrations are Underway

Visit the day-to-day listing of events to celebrate America's 250th. Here are a few of the many upcoming events:

Mine Hill Celebrates America 250 Carnival continues through June 21 from 4 p.m. to 10 p.m. at 12 Baker St. June 20 is designated as Mine Hill Day with bands and a fireworks display.

America's 250th Birthday Parade in Wharton is tomorrow, June 20, stepping off at 2 p.m. from Wharton Public School at 137 East Central Avenue. The parade route will travel west to Union Street, then north on South Main Street to West Central Avenue and conclude at 180 West Central Avenue. A celebration will take place at Betty Poyer Field featuring a live band, food and beverages until 7 p.m.

Planting of a Cherry Tree in Rockaway Borough with music and food truck will begin at 9:30 a.m., June 27 on Lakeside Drive. It is one of many events planned in the borough.

Independence Tree Dedication at Randolph's Veterans Community Park, will begin at noon on June 29.

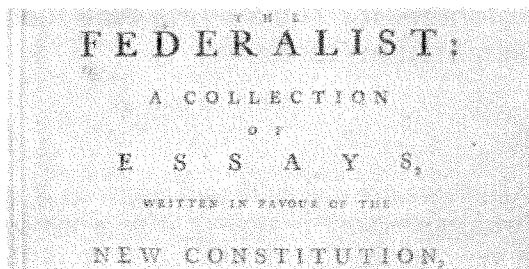
The Commanding Presence of George Washington at Mendham Township Library on June 30, invites visitors to listen to historian Michael Jesberger as he explores the commanding presence that George Washington had on his army and those around him through his character, skill and leadership. Register to attend.



Lincoln Spoke of Nation's Revolutionary Heritage to Save the Union

In honor of the 250th anniversary of American independence, author and historian Richard Schwartz will talk about how Lincoln made use of the nation's revolutionary heritage to strengthen support for the Union during one of the nation's most divided moments. Speeches he gave as president-elect, including two in New Jersey, evoked the spirit of George Washington, the battle with the Hessians and hardships endured by the patriots.

The North Jersey Civil War Roundtable will present talk, the Abraham Lincoln Annual Lecture, which will be online at 7 p.m., Thursday, June 25. The event is free. Register for the link.



Lecture: Federalist Papers Reveal Intentions of Founding Fathers

The Morris County Revolutionary Lecture Series continues Wednesday, June 24 with Before the Constitution: The Federalist Papers. The Federalist



Toast the Revolution Like It's 1776

The Morris County Library's final talk in the free American Revolution Lecture Series is

Papers are a collection of 85 essays written by several founding fathers to persuade New York voters to ratify the U.S. Constitution. Today, they are widely recognized as foundational in the development of American political thought. Join Jude Pfister, constitutional historian and former chief of cultural resources at Morristown National Historical Park, to learn how the Federalist Papers offer insight into the intentions and principles of our government. This program is free and presented via Zoom. Register for the link.

Tuesday, June 23 with "Remembering the American Revolution: Separating Fact from Lore."

Colonial Drinking Songs and Toasts are performed by musicians and historians Anne and Ridley Enslow on June 30 at Morris County Library. Learn about the role of rum in the American Revolution, the origin of the national anthem's melody, the Battle of the Kegs and witticisms from Ben Franklin. Feel free to boo a toast or two to England's King George III. The program is free. Seating is limited.



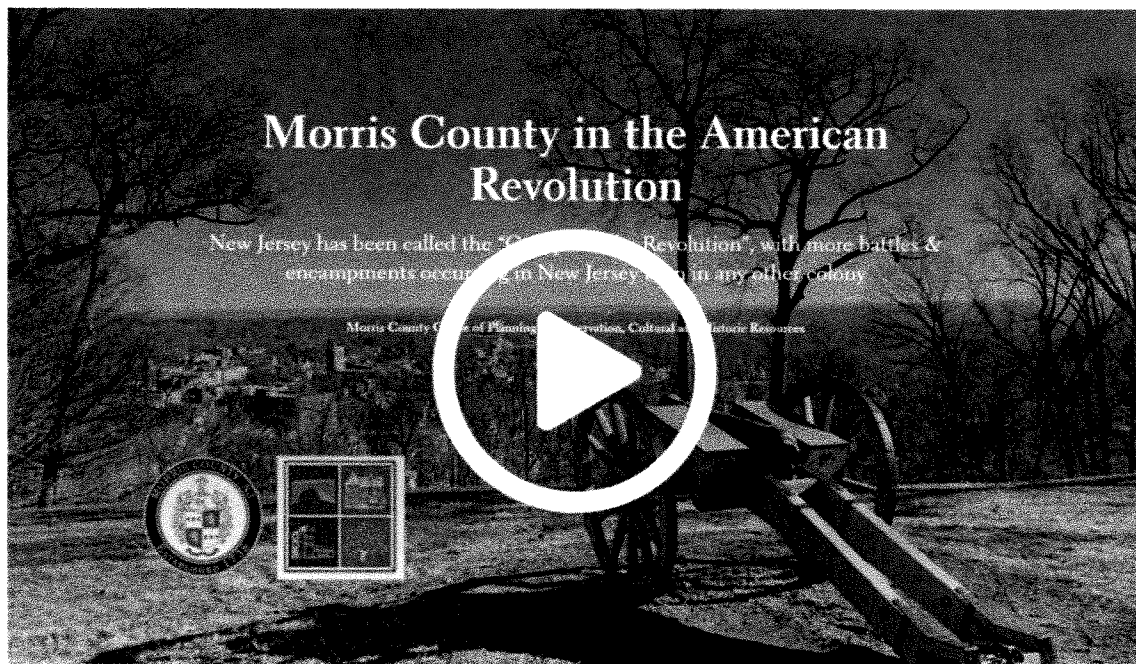
Public History of Slavery in Morristown is Walking Tour Topic

Two sessions of Rocks in the Garden: A Public History of Slavery in Morristown are set for tomorrow, June 20. Participants will walk to the Morristown Green and the Presbyterian Church Burial Ground to learn about Morristown's early history including several enslavers, and to visit the graves of enslaved and freed people. Stops are planned at the Church of the Redeemer, the Presbyterian Parish House, St. Peter's Episcopal Church and Macculloch Hall to explore each site's connection to slavery and examine how the issue contributed to divisions within the community.



Volunteer for The Moving Wall Vietnam Memorial in Rockaway

Volunteers are invited to participate as Rockaway Township hosts The Moving Wall, a half-size replica of the Vietnam Veterans Memorial, from July 1 to July 6. The Moving Wall will arrive at Rockaway Township Town Hall on July 1 for an official reception. Construction of the Wall will begin July 2 at Peterson Field on Fleetwood Drive with an opening ceremony at 7 p.m.



Visit Morris County 250th Anniversary YouTube Channel

Check out all the latest videos about exhibits, sites and history regarding Morris County's role in the American Revolution at the [Morris County 250 YouTube channel](#). For more history, visit the [Morris County Historical Society's YouTube channel](#).

Explore America's 250th Through History, Heritage and Hands-On Events

- Read the [RevolutionNJ](#) Facebook page for a list of nearby events
- [From Field to Flour: N.J. Grain Tour](#), self-guided driving tour through five towns to visit historic grain mills and learn the remarkable story of flour in the state, June 20.
- [Lock, Stock and Barrel: 250 Years of Muskets and Firearms](#), Jefferson Township, June 20
- [Battle of Monmouth](#) reenactment is a two-day living history event, June 20 and June 21.
- [Whippany Railway Museum's Father's Day train rides](#), June 21
- [Cooking Demonstration: Revolutionary Desserts with Chef Cynthia Triolo](#), Frelinghuysen Arboretum, June 28

— Macculloch Hall Historical Museum Revolutionary History in America 250 Tour with the Curator, Morristown, June 28

— The Now and Then Photo Challenge concludes June 30. Send in those photos!

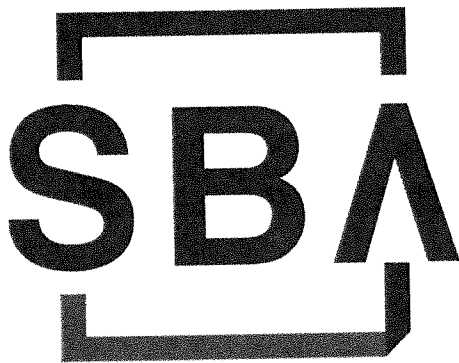
— The Complete American Revolution with Joel Farakas, Mendham Township Library, Mondays, July 13 to July 27

— Visit Morris County 250th for a list of local events.

— Morris County 250th gear is going fast. Order while it's still available.

— New Jersey state parks, forests and historic sites celebrate the nation's 250th.

— Sail4th 250 tall ships



U.S. Small Business
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SBA Disaster Loans Open to Morris County Businesses, Nonprofits

Small businesses and private nonprofits in Morris County may be eligible for low-interest federal disaster loans from the U.S. Small Business Administration following the 12-alarm warehouse fire in Essex County in May. Loans of up to \$2 million are available with interest rates as low as 4%. An SBA Business Recovery Center is open at Belleville Public Library through June 27. [Learn more or apply online](#)



Household Hazardous Waste Drop-off Event Tomorrow

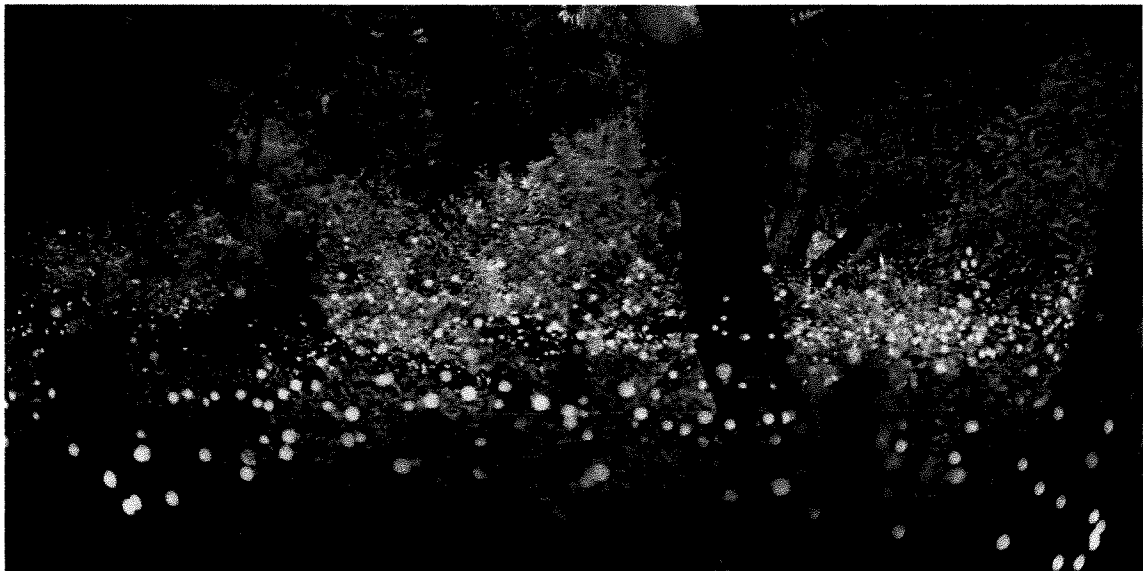
The Morris County Municipal Utilities Authority will host a Household Hazardous Waste Drop-off Event tomorrow, June 20 at Chatham High School. Residents can drop off items from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.; no appointment is required. The event allows safe disposal of chemical waste, including motor oil, gasoline, pool chemicals, fertilizers and more. [Read the guidelines.](#)

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Giralda Symphony Concert Reimagined for Inside Venue

Join Morris Arts for "Giralda: An Evening of Pure Imagination," a midsummer celebration of the arts at Saint Elizabeth University tomorrow, June 20. The evening will feature an art exhibition and silent auction, live music, cocktail reception, a performance by the New Jersey Symphony and a live painting experience by Serena Bocchino.

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Morris Parks Plans Summer Adventures

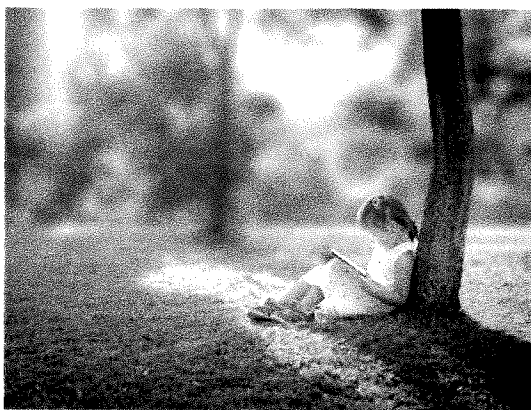
Read the [Morris County Park Commission's weekly newsletter](#). Summer adventures await through the Morris County Park Commission including Forest Bathing, June 20 and June 21; Father's Day Sunset Solstice Hike, June 21; Garden Sprouts: What's a-flutter, June 24; Fairy Day, June 27; Flickering Flies Night Hike, July 6 and Berry Basket Soap, July 9. Registration is required for all programs.

Tomorrow, June 20, the beach at Sunrise Lake Beach Club will open at 10:30 a.m. There is an event taking place on trails throughout Lewis Morris Park so it's expected to be a little busier than usual.

Upcoming Events

Visit [Morris Tourism](#) for a day-by-day list of events.

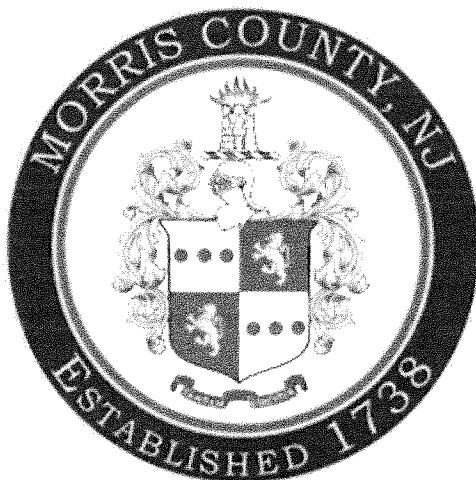
- [Tri-County Fair](#), Rockaway Township, through June 21
- [Roxbury Town-Wide Garage Sale](#), June 27 and June 28
- [VisitNJ](#) is the state tourism website.
- [Morris County Arts and Culture Guide](#)



Kick Off a Summer of Reading

Morris County Library's [Children's Summer Reading Program Kickoff Party](#) is set for June 25 with a petting zoo, Little Rockers concert and face painting. It's free.

[Many public libraries in Morris County](#) sponsor summer reading programs for children and adults.



Morris County Public Meetings

June 18

- [Youth Services Advisory Committee](#)
- [Planning Board](#)

June 23

- [Human Services Advisory Council](#)

June 24

- [County Commissioner Work Session](#)

— [County Commissioner Public Meeting](#)

— [Soil Conservation District](#)

June 25

— [Construction Board of Appeals](#)

In Case You Missed It:

— [MNHP Reveals the Mystery Behind Washington's Inaugural 'Golden' Suit](#)

— [Heritage Review newsletter: Benedict Arnold's Morristown Tavern Trial](#)

— [Morris County Office on Aging, Disabilities, and Community Programming seeks input from the public needs assessment survey for older adults and their caregivers.](#)

[Morris County Visitors Guide](#)

— [Rutgers Extension fact sheets](#) cover topics on home, energy, agriculture, lawns, gardens, food, nutrition and more.

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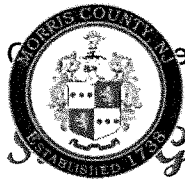
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Morris County Showcases Revolutionary History at State Conference State's Premier History and Preservation Conference

Statewide Gathering Held in Florham Park During the 250th Anniversary



Hundreds of historians, preservation professionals, educators, museum leaders, planners and volunteers from across New Jersey gathered in Morris County last week as the **2026 New Jersey History and Historic Preservation Conference** was held at **Saint Elizabeth University** during the nation's Semiquincentennial celebration.

Approximately 400 delegates attended each day of the two-day event held June 17-18. Commissioner Director Stephen Shaw welcomed attendees to Morris County, highlighting the significance of hosting New Jersey's premier annual history and historic preservation conference in a county that played a pivotal role in the American Revolution.

"As America celebrates its 250th anniversary, we find ourselves reflecting on the people and places that helped forge a new nation. Few places played a greater role in that story than Morris County," said **Director Shaw**. "This is where General George Washington headquartered not once, but twice, during some of the most critical moments of the Revolutionary War, and where the Continental Army endured the Hard Winter at Jockey Hollow while the cause of independence hung in the balance."

[View More Photos of the 2026 New Jersey Historic Preservation Conference in Morris County](#)

Hosted by the **Friends of New Jersey Heritage** and the **New Jersey Historic Trust**, the annual conference brings together professionals and volunteers dedicated to preserving, interpreting and sharing New Jersey's history. The event featured educational sessions, workshops, tours and networking opportunities focused on historic preservation, archaeology, museum management, heritage tourism, public history and related fields.

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NEW JERSEY HISTORY & HISTORIC PRESERVATION CONFERENCE

Saint Elizabeth University







COUNTY OF MORRIS

Office of Communications & Digital Media

PRESS RELEASE:

June 22, 2026

For Immediate Release

Morris County Showcases Revolutionary History at State Conference State's Premier History and Preservation Conference

Statewide Gathering Held in Florham Park During the 250th Anniversary

250 Anniversary of the Revolution

Celebrating 250 Years of Revolutionary
History in Morris County

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Approximately 400 delegates attended each day of the two-day event held June 17-18. Commissioner Director Stephen Shaw welcomed attendees to Morris County, highlighting the significance of hosting New Jersey's premier annual history and historic preservation conference in a county that played a pivotal role in the American Revolution.

"As America celebrates its 250th anniversary, we find ourselves reflecting on the people and places that helped forge a new nation. Few places played a greater role in that story than Morris County," said **Director Shaw**. "This is where General George Washington headquartered not once, but twice, during some of the most critical moments of the Revolutionary War, and where the Continental Army endured the Hard Winter at Jockey Hollow while the cause of independence hung in the balance."

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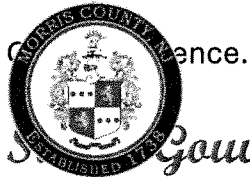
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Sent: Tuesday, June 23, 2026 8:42 AM
To: Mount Olive Township Council
Cc: Erin Meixsell
Subject: FW: Veterans, Community Partners Gather to Strengthen Support Network in Morris County
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From: Vitale, Vincent <vvitale@co.morris.nj.us>
Sent: Tuesday, June 23, 2026 8:08 AM
To: Vitale, Vincent <vvitale@co.morris.nj.us>
Subject: Veterans, Community Partners Gather to Strengthen Support Network in Morris County

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Office of Communications & Digital Media

PRESS RELEASE:
June 23, 2026
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Veterans, Community Partners Gather to Strengthen Support Network in Morris County

Successful Veterans Stakeholders Meeting Held at County Veterans Services Office

More than 60 veterans, service providers and community organization representatives gathered last week at the **Morris County Veterans Services Office in Morris Township** for another successful **New Jersey SOS Veterans Stakeholders meeting**, focused on strengthening collaboration and support for the diverse needs of the veteran community.

Morris County Commissioner Deputy Director John Krickus welcomed attendees and highlighted the importance of maintaining a strong network of resources for veterans throughout the year.

"These meetings strengthen our network of services and ensure we remain focused on veterans' evolving needs year-round -- not just on holidays," said **Deputy Director Krickus, a Marine Corps**

veteran. “Years ago, a similar roundtable helped launch the CCM Veterans Resource Center. This kind of information sharing is invaluable.”

[View More Photos from the Veterans Stakeholders Meeting](#)

The meeting brought together representatives from the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs, the New Jersey Department of Military and Veterans Affairs, the VA New Jersey Health Care System, the County College of Morris Veterans Resource Center and numerous veteran-focused organizations, including Atlantic Health System’s True North Program, American Red Cross, Catholic Charities Diocese of Paterson, Community Hope, Fairleigh Dickinson University and Morris Habitat for Humanity. Local veterans’ organizations, including Morris Plains VFW Post 3401, Randolph VFW Post 7333 and Welcome Home Vets of New Jersey, also participated.

NJ SOS Veterans Stakeholders Co-founder Ariel "AJ" Luna, a U.S. Army veteran of Operation Iraqi Freedom, announced that the “Remembering Our Fallen Moving Wall” exhibit will be to the County College of Morris Sept. 24-27, 2026. The exhibit, being displayed during the **25th anniversary of the start of the Global War on Terror**, honors those who made the ultimate sacrifice while offering support to servicemembers suffering from the physical and emotional traumas brought about by the war.

The stakeholders meeting also featured updates from **Christine Hellyer, director of the Morris County Office of Aging, Disabilities, and Community Programming**, and **Jessica Tomalo, program coordinator for the Office of Veterans Services**, who highlighted ongoing efforts to expand outreach and awareness of available veteran services.

Assemblywoman Aura Dunn attended, thanking veterans for their service and recognizing the organizations that continue to support them. Representatives from the offices of U.S. Reps. Tom Kean, Jr., Analilia Mejia, and Sen. Andy Kim also participated.

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Photo 1: VFW Montville Memorial Post 5481 Veterans Jim Baut and Ken Hanzl, Commissioner John Krickus and Montville Memorial Post 5481 Veteran Tom Mazzaccaro.

Photo 2: Commissioner John Krickus addressing attendees at the NJ SOS Veterans Stakeholders Meeting on June 16, 2026 at the Morris County Veterans Services Office.

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Erin Meixsell



From: Gouveia, Susan
Sent: Wednesday, June 24, 2026 9:03 AM
To: Mount Olive Township Council; Sara Murphy; Elizabeth Leheny; Tatarenko, Andrew
Cc: Erin Meixsell; Susan Grebe
Subject: FW: May 2026 Minutes of the Morris County Planning Board
Attachments: 5-21-2026 MCPB Minutes Signed.pdf

Correspondence.

Susan Gouveia

Susan Gouveia, Township Clerk
Township of Mount Olive
(973) 691-0900, ext. 7291

From: Ercan, Alyssa <aercan@co.morris.nj.us>
Sent: Wednesday, June 24, 2026 8:30 AM
Subject: May 2026 Minutes of the Morris County Planning Board

Dear Municipal Clerks,

Attached please find the minutes of the Morris County Planning Board Meeting for May 21, 2026, approved at the meeting of June 18, 2026.

Thank you.

Alyssa Ercan
Senior Planning Aide
Morris County Office of Planning & Preservation
O (973) 829-8120
W <https://morriscountynj.gov/planning>

**MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING
MORRIS COUNTY PLANNING BOARD**

30 Schuyler Place
May 21, 2026

Morristown
New Jersey

Meeting Held Via WebEx

Chairman Rattner called the Regular Meeting to order at 6:02 p.m.

OPEN PUBLIC MEETINGS LAW

Chairman Rattner stated that the Secretary of the Board provided public notice of this meeting in a legal notice in accordance with the Open Public Meetings Act and invited members to join in for the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

ROLL CALL

Those present were:

Steve Rattner, Chairman	Virginia Michelin, Assistant Director, Planning and Preservation
Isobel Olcott, Vice-Chair	Staci L. Santucci, Esq., County Counsel
Everton Scott	Tony Soriano, Supervising Planner
Gregory Johnsen	Kevin Sitlick, Senior Planner
Joseph Falco	Mike DiGiulio, Senior Planner
Christopher Vitz, County Engineer	Barbara Murray, Program Coordinator OSTF
Joseph Barilla, Director, Planning and Preservation	Alyssa Ercan, Recording Secretary

STATEMENT REGARDING COMPLIANCE WITH OPEN PUBLIC MEETINGS LAW

Ms. Ercan read the Statement Regarding Compliance with the Open Public Meetings Law.

REVIEW OF MINUTES

Vice-Chairman Olcott moved the Planning Board Meeting Minutes of April 16, 2026. Mr. Vitz seconded the motion. The motion was approved by roll call vote.

ROLL CALL

VOTE	Aye	Nay	Abstain
Stephen Shaw, Commissioner Director			
Thomas Mastrangelo, Commissioner			
John Krickus, Commissioner Alt.			
Steve Rattner, Chairman	X		
Isobel Olcott, Vice Chair	X		
Nita Galate, Secretary			
Everton Scott			
Gregory Johnsen	X		
Joseph Falco	X		
Michael Cortese, Alt. 1			
VACANT, Alt. 2			
Christopher Vitz, County Engineer	X		
Roslyn Khurdan, (County Engineer Alt)			

DIRECTOR'S REPORT

The Director's Report for April 2026 was reviewed and accepted by the Board and will be placed on file.

REPORT OF FUNDS RECEIVED

Funds received for April 2026 were \$1,320.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Environmental and Watershed

County Wastewater Management Plan – Mr. Barilla reported that there are edits being made to the Long Hill Township Wastewater Management Plan. He also added that high-ranking members of the Department of Environmental Protection were present at the last New Jersey County Planners Association meeting and expressed their desire to forge a positive working relationship with NJCPA.

County Watershed Activities – Mr. Barilla had nothing to report.

Land Subdivision and Zoning

Developments Reviewed – Vice-Chairman Olcott highlighted the following item from the Land Development Review Committee meeting held on May 20, 2026.

Morris Twp, 300 Madison Avenue Redevelopment, 2026-22-1-SP-0 (Madison Avenue)

This site plan is for the redevelopment of the existing JCP&L office building into a 118-unit townhome and stacked townhome development on 8.05 acres. All existing site improvements will be removed, including the existing access to Madison Avenue. Twenty-four units will be designated as affordable housing. Additional improvements include a pool with a pool house and outdoor recreation area. Site access will be from a full-access driveway connection to Punch Bowl Road and two full-access driveway connections to Old Turnpike Road. County Engineering will review stormwater management for compliance with County Land Development Standards.

Ms. Olcott noted that the roads adjacent to the redevelopment are state and municipally owned, therefore the Land Development Review Committee can only provide comments regarding the traffic. Mr. Vitz explained that the county engineering department will look at a traffic report if it is provided to see what impact, if any, the development will have at the intersection of Punch Bowl Road and Park Avenue.

Mr. Vitz made a motion to approve the Report of Actions Taken on Development Plans for April 2026. Mr. Rattner seconded the motion, and it was approved by roll call vote.

ROLL CALL

VOTE	Aye	Nay	Abstain
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Legislative and Municipal

Recent Legislation – Addressing newly introduced bills, Mr. Soriano reported on Assembly Bill A4945 which would require the BPU to conduct a study and submit a report to the governor and the legislature concerning the environmental, infrastructural, and financial impacts of data center development in the State. He noted that Morris County currently has three data centers. Next, he reported on Assembly Bill A4970 which would direct the BPU and the DEP to review and inventory all areas of New Jersey which have been previously cited for nuclear reactor

development and operation. Within three months of completing the inventory, the BPU and the DEP would be required to solicit private contracts to develop nuclear reactors at those locations. The Bill would also require all state agencies and local government units to expedite any permits required to develop and operate a nuclear reactor facility.

Mr. Soriano reported on Assembly Bill A4938 which would authorize a municipal governing body to enter into an agreement with school districts, public institutions of higher education, a public transportation authority, public housing authority, or redevelopment agency located within the municipality, to develop affordable housing on property that is owned by the public entity. Finally, Mr. Soriano reported on Assembly Bill A4993 which would deem farming a permitted and inherently beneficial use in all municipal zoning districts. He explained that the bill only contains two sentences and that details regarding implementation are limited.

Mr. Falco asked Mr. Soriano where the three data centers are in Morris County and he responded that one is in Cedar Knolls and two are in Parsippany-Troy Hills. Chairman Rattner asked if Assembly Bill A4933 would pertain to the keeping of animals, such as chickens. Mr. Soriano stated that the two sentences in the bill do not address this issue. Mr. Scott reported that JCP&L has offered up a pre-licensed site in Salem County for a full-sized nuclear plant as part of a public-private partnership.

Master Plan & Land Use Ordinance Monthly Reports – Mr. Soriano reported that there was no Master Plan Report.

Mr. Sitlick reported on the April Land Use Ordinance Monthly Report, stating that the Office of Planning and Preservation processed nine proposed and 13 adopted ordinances. He highlighted Madison ordinance 21-2026 which amends the 1 Giralda Farms Redevelopment Plan. The location is a 24.4-acre site that is part of the larger Giralda Farms campus. Changes in available financing required revisions to the mix of affordable family units and affordable supportive housing units. Therefore, Madison will be replacing the requirement for 40 supportive housing units with a requirement for 41 100% affordable housing units. They will also be reducing the minimal open space requirement from nine acres to 7.5 acres.

Long Range Planning

State Plan Update – Mr. Soriano reported that State Planning Commission (SPC) staff are continuing to work on the methodology to move forward on the 1,500 map changes that were requested during the State Plan Cross-Acceptance process. No timeline has been set as they are still reviewing whether they can make map changes to the adopted State Plan under the current rules. If a rule change is required, the SPC will have to get a rule passed before any changes can be made to the State Plan map.

When the matter is resolved, the SPC stated that they will be providing towns with an opportunity to provide additional evidence for any requested map changes and/or amend their requests. Mr. Soriano explained that amendments may be requested because the adopted State Plan included new planning areas and criteria not previously available for review; towns may want to amend their request to coincide with these changes. He also reported that SPC staff is working on a methodology for recognizing Special Resource Areas (SRA), specifically

addressing the application process and questions such as who can apply, what type of materials must be provided, justifications for the SRA, and how the SRA meets State Plan criteria.

Morris County Major Employers Update – Mr. Sitlick reported on the yearly survey of Morris County’s major employers that is conducted with assistance from the Morris County Economic Development Corporation. He noted that the information is provided to the Treasurer’s Office for use in determining Morris County’s credit rating. He reported that the top three employers based on full-time employment were Atlantic Health System with 11,092 employees, Novartis with 6,015 employees and Picatinny Arsenal with 6,000 employees. Two new additions to the list were Sanofi with 2,031 employees and Valley National Bank with 732 employees. Additionally, Honeywell created a new company, Solstice Advanced Materials, with 546 employees.

LIASION REPORTS

Lake Hopatcong Commission

Mr. Barilla reported that the Commission will be vigilant for signs of Harmful Algal Blooms (HABs) and that the aeration project has been tabled.

Lake Musconetcong Regional Planning Board / Musconetcong River Management Council and Musconetcong Watershed Association

Chairman Rattner reported that the Musconetcong River Management Council will be holding its environmental day camp from July 6 to August 7th and that anyone interested can find all the necessary information on the MRMC website. He also reported that representatives of the Morris Division of Mosquito Control gave a presentation to the Musconetcong Watershed Association on methods to increase mosquito control and reduce local mosquito activity. One example he gave was the necessity to clean gutters to prevent trapped water from becoming a mosquito breeding location.

Morris County Open Space Trust Fund

Mr. Scott reported that 2026 open space funding round applications are due by June 12, 2026

Trail Construction Trust Fund Committee

Mr. Barilla reported that the committee is waiting to see how many applications will be received by the June 19th deadline.

CORRESPONDENCE AND REPORTS RECEIVED

There was no business to discuss.

REPORT OF MEETINGS

Mr. Barilla had nothing further to report.

OTHER BUSINESS

There was no business to discuss.

GENERAL COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC

There were no comments from the public

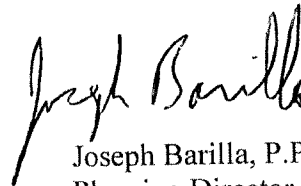
NEXT MEETING

The next meeting will be hybrid on June 18, 2026.

ADJOURNMENT

At 6:53 pm, Mr. Vitz moved to adjourn the meeting and Mr. Falco seconded the motion. All approved by voice vote.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Joseph Barilla". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Joseph" and last name "Barilla" clearly distinguishable.

Joseph Barilla, P.P./AICP
Planning Director

Original was signed and is on file at the office of the Morris County Planning Board.

Erin Meixsell

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Sent: Wednesday, June 24, 2026 12:50 PM
To: Mount Olive Township Council; Sara Murphy; Tatarenko, Andrew
Cc: Erin Meixsell
Subject: FW: Stanhope Chapter 100 Ordinance 2026-15 Affordable Housing Overlay Zone
Attachments: Stanhope Ordinance 2026-15 Revising Afforadable Housing Overlay Zone.pdf

Correspondence.

Susan Gouveia

Susan Gouveia, Township Clerk
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From: Linda Chirip <lchirip@stanhopenj.gov>
Sent: Wednesday, June 24, 2026 11:57 AM
To: Clerk <clerk@mtolivetwp.org>
Subject: Stanhope Chapter 100 Ordinance 2026-15 Affordable Housing Overlay Zone

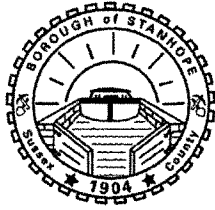
Good Morning,

Attached please find a copy of Stanhope Borough's Chapter 100 Ordinance 2026-15 Revising Ordinance 2026-03/Section 100-102 of the Borough Code Regarding the Affordable Housing Overlay Zone, which was introduced on June 23, 2026. The public hearing is scheduled for July 28, 2026.

I would appreciate it if you would ***please send a return receipt***. Thank you.

Sincerely,
Linda

Linda Chirip
Deputy Clerk &
Deputy Registrar
Stanhope Borough
973-347-0159 x-15



Borough of Stanhope

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June 24, 2026

VIA E-MAIL

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FROM: Ellen Horak, RMC, Borough Clerk

RE: Chapter 100 Ordinance

Pursuant to NJSA 40-55D-15, enclosed please find a copy of the following proposed ordinance.

Ordinance 2026-15: AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF STANHOPE, SUSSEX COUNTY, NEW JERSEY REVISING ORDINANCE 2026-03/SECTION 100-102 OF THE BOROUGH CODE REGARDING THE AFFORDABLE HOUSING OVERLAY ZONE

NOTICE is hereby given that the foregoing Ordinance was introduced to pass on first reading at a regular meeting of the Borough Council of the Borough of Stanhope held on June 23, 2026, and ordered published in accordance with the law. Said Ordinance will be considered for final reading and adoption at a regular meeting of the Borough Council of the Borough of Stanhope to be held on July 28, 2026 at 7:00 p.m. or as soon thereafter as the Borough Council may hear this Ordinance at the Stanhope Borough Municipal Building, at which time all persons interested may appear for or against the passage of said Ordinance.

Passage of this Ordinance will revise Ordinance 2026-03 and remove Block 11701, Lot 9.01 from the Affordable Housing Overlay Zone. Copies of this Ordinance are available at no cost in the Clerk's Office during business hours.

Attached: Ordinance 2026-15

Borough of Stanhope

Sussex County, New Jersey

~Ordinance 2026-15~

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOROUGH OF STANHOPE, SUSSEX COUNTY, NEW JERSEY REVISING ORDINANCE 2026-03/SECTION 100-102 OF THE BOROUGH CODE REGARDING THE AFFORDABLE HOUSING OVERLAY ZONE

WHEREAS, Stanhope Borough adopted Ordinance 2026-03 on March 10, 2026, adopting a new Code Section 100-102, regarding the Affordable Housing Overlay Zone; and

WHEREAS, per Ordinance 2026-03, the Affordable Housing Overlay Zone 2 (AHO-2) incorrectly listed Lot 9.01, as such lot was not reflected in the lot size description or maps reviewed as part of the Borough Housing Element and Fair Share Plan dated February 27, 2026; and

WHEREAS, Stanhope Borough now desires to revise Ordinance 2026-03 and adopt a new Code Section 100-102.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Stanhope, Sussex County, New Jersey, as follows:

SECTION 1.

Chapter 57, "Land Development," Article XVIB, section 100-102A.(2), "Affordable Housing Overlay Zone" is hereby amended to read as follows:

Article XVIB Affordable Housing Overlay Zone (AHO)

(2) Block 11701, Lots 1 to 10 plus 7.01 and 9.02 AHO-2

SECTION 2 - SEVERABILITY

If any provision of this Ordinance or the application of this Ordinance to any person or circumstances is held invalid, the remainder of this Ordinance shall not be affected and shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 3 – NOTICE

The Municipal Clerk is directed to give notice at least ten days prior to the hearing on the adoption of this Ordinance to the County Planning Board and to all others entitled pursuant to the provisions of N.J.S.A. 40:55D-15 and N.J.S.A. 40:55D-62.1.

After introduction, the Clerk is hereby directed to submit a copy of the within Ordinance to the Stanhope Borough Land Use Board for its review in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40:55D-26 and N.J.S.A. 40:55D-64.

Upon the adoption of this Ordinance, after public hearing, the Municipal Clerk is further directed to publish notice of the passage and to file a copy of this Ordinance, as finally adopted, with the Sussex County Planning Board, as required by N.J.S.A. 40:55D-16.

SECTION 4 - REPEALER

All ordinances or parts of ordinances or resolutions that are inconsistent or in opposition to the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed in their entirety.

SECTION 4: EFFECTIVE DATE

This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon adoption and publication in accordance with law.

ATTEST: _____
Ellen Horak, Borough Clerk
Borough of Stanhope

SIGNED: _____
Gene Wronko, Mayor
Borough of Stanhope

Dated:

Erin Meixsell

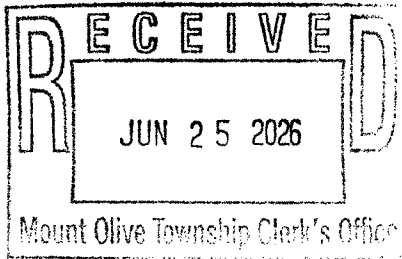
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From: Sosa, Jessica
Sent: Thursday, June 25, 2026 12:59 PM
To: Mount Olive Township Council; Tatarenko, Andrew; Quinn, Claudia; Quinn, Tim; Lata, Mike
Cc: Erin Meixsell
Subject: In the Matter of New Jersey American Water Company, Inc.
Attachments: doc06496020260625123635.pdf

Good afternoon,

Please see attached correspondence.

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Agenda Date: 6/10/26
Agenda Item: IIA

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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
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REVENUE AND RATES

IN THE MATTER OF THE PETITION OF NEW JERSEY-AMERICAN WATER COMPANY, INC. FOR APPROVAL OF INCREASED TARIFF RATES AND CHARGES FOR WATER AND WASTEWATER SERVICE AND OTHER TARIFF MODIFICATIONS)
) ORDER FURTHER SUSPENDING
) INCREASES, CHANGES OR
) ALTERATIONS IN RATES FOR
) WATER SERVICE
)
) BPU DOCKET NO. WR26010010
) OAL DOCKET NO. PUC 03132-26S

Parties of Record:

Brian O. Lipman, Esq., Director, New Jersey Division of Rate Counsel
Christine Soares, Esq., Polsinelli PC, on behalf of New Jersey-American Water Company, Inc.
Jay Kooper, Esq., Middlesex Water Company
Martin C. Rothfelder, Esq., on behalf of Rothfelder Stern, LLC, on behalf of Johanna Foods, Inc., Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey, Cogen Technologies Linden Venture, L.P., Phillips 66 Company and the Trustees of Princeton University
Anthony R. Francioso, Esq., Fornaro Francioso LLC, on behalf of Mount Laurel Township Municipal Utilities Authority
Kaitlin Morrison, Esq., Eastern Environmental Law Center on behalf of Natural Resources Defense Council

BY THE BOARD:

On January 16, 2026, New Jersey-American Water Company, Inc. ("NJAWC" or "Company") filed a petition with the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities ("Board") seeking approval of an increase in its base rates for water and wastewater service of approximately \$146.4 million for services rendered on and after February 16, 2026 ("Petition").¹

BACKGROUND AND PROCEDURAL HISTORY

NJAWC is engaged in the production, treatment, and distribution of water and collection of wastewater within its defined service territory within the State of New Jersey. The Company's service territory includes portions of: Atlantic, Bergen, Burlington, Camden, Cape May, Essex,

¹ By letter dated January 20, 2026, the Company notified the Board that it would not implement the proposed rate increase, on an interim basis, prior to the effective date of the Board's Initial Suspension Order for this matter.

Gloucester, Hunterdon, Mercer, Middlesex, Monmouth, Morris, Ocean, Passaic, Salem, Somerset, Union, and Warren counties. As of December 31, 2025, the Company provides service to approximately 680,000 water and fire service customers and 70,000 wastewater service customers.

According to the Petition, the primary driver of the proposed rate increase is the Company's capital investment since its last base rate case to maintain and improve the Company's infrastructure to continue to provide safe, reliable, and adequate service to its customers. Among other requests, by the Petition, NJAWC sought authorization to:

- a. Increase rates to produce additional revenues of approximately \$146.4 million above the annual level of present rate revenues for the test year period ending June 30, 2026, utilizing a return on equity of 10.75%;
- b. Recover an acquisition adjustment related to the Company's purchase of the South Orange Village water system as well as the original cost of Gordon's Corner Water Company's acquired assets less accumulated depreciation;
- c. Continue regulatory accounting deferral treatment for several items, including pension and other post-employment benefits;
- d. Continue and expand its Universal Affordability Discount Tariff;
- e. Incorporate the roll-in of the Company's current Distribution System Improvement Charge, Resiliency and Environmental System Investment Charge, and Wastewater System Improvement Charge into current rates; and
- f. Revise the Company's tariffs to reflect the requests in the Petition.

By Order dated February 18, 2026, the Board suspended the proposed rates until June 16, 2026.² This matter was subsequently transmitted to the Office of Administrative Law ("OAL") for hearings as a contested case and assigned to Administrative Law Judge Jacob Gertsman.

On April 24, 2026, NJAWC updated the Petition to include nine (9) months of actual information and three (3) months of estimated information ("9+3 Update"). By the 9+3 Update, NJAWC modified its requested revenue requirement increase to \$139.2 million.

Because the proposed revisions, if approved, will likely increase existing rates and change or alter existing classifications in NJAWC's tariff, and because review of this matter will not be complete prior to June 16, 2026, it is **HEREBY ORDERED** as follows:

(1) Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 48:2-21(d), and consistent with N.J.A.C. 14:1-5.12, the proposed revisions are suspended until October 16, 2026, unless prior to that date the Board makes a determination disposing of the Petition or enters an Order further suspending the proposed revisions;

(2) NJAWC shall, at least ten (10) days prior to the date set for hearing on the Petition by the OAL, file with this Board, and with the OAL, proof of compliance with the notice provisions of N.J.S.A. 48:2-32.2 and N.J.A.C. 14:1-5.12(b) and (c), which notice shall include a statement that any relief found by the Board to be just and reasonable may be

² In re the Petition of New Jersey-American Water Company, Inc. for Approval of Increased Tariff Rates and Charges for Water and Wastewater Service and Other Tariff Modifications, BPU Docket No. WR26010010, Order dated February 18, 2026.

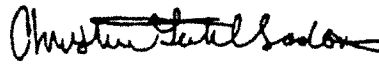
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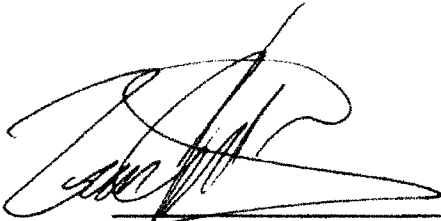
(3) NJAWC shall serve copies of this Order upon the OAL, the New Jersey Division of Rate Counsel (140 East Front Street, 4th Floor, Post Office Box 003, Trenton, N.J. 08625), the clerk of each affected municipality, the clerk of the Boards of County Commissioners of each affected county, and, where appropriate, the executive officer of the affected county within its service area. Proof of service of this Order shall be filed with the Board.

This Order shall be effective on June 10, 2026.

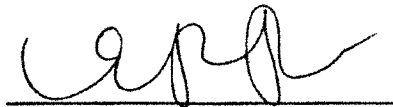
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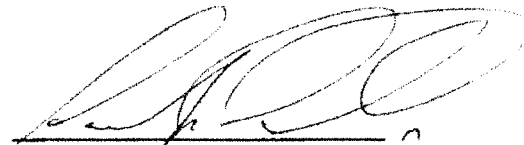
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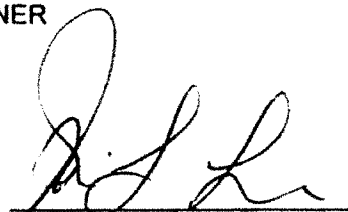

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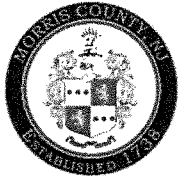
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"A group of dedicated 4-H club members, along with their rabbit, chickens and guinea pigs, joined us at our work session to invite us to their fair at the end of July. Yet their visit turned out to be both inspiring and impressive as they described healthy living, shared stories about their animals, discussed what they've learned and explained how they're contributing to their community," said Morris County Commissioner Director Stephen H. Shaw. "Meeting these motivated young people striving to make a positive impact was truly uplifting, especially in challenging times. Both the children and the 4-H program are exceptional."

[View a photo gallery of 4-H members and their animals.](#)

The annual Morris County 4-H Fair showcases the work, knowledge and skills developed by the county's 4-H youth members. The 2026 fair will be held at High View Farms and will feature animal displays, hands-on activities, entertainment and other traditional country fair attractions.

During the 2025-26 program year, more than 240 youth participated in 25 Morris County 4-H clubs, supported by more than 80 volunteers. In addition to clubs, the 4-H program offers multi-session events and stand-alone workshops that are open to all. Youth in kindergarten through one year out of high school are eligible to attend.

"Many people are familiar with 4-H's animal science and agriculture background but we also participate in many project areas such as STEM, creative arts, hobbies and more," said club member Raima Bera. "Through these clubs, members develop important life skills such as communication, leadership, teamwork and care for their communities."

The 4-H members recommended several fair highlights, including the watermelon-eating contest, pickup basketball at the Teen Council booth, the art show and the small animal tent, where guinea pigs Brownie and Nugget will be on display among many others.

High View Farms is located at 416 Sand Shore Rd. in Mount Olive. Admission to the fair is free. A donation of \$5 per car is requested which supports program activities. A free hayride shuttle will be offered from the parking lot up the hill to the fair. Fair sponsorships are still available. Learn more about the 4-H Fair at <https://www.morris4h.org/4-h-fair>.

4-H Clubs are free and open to youth in kindergarten through one year out of high school. The program is part of Rutgers Cooperative Extension, the university's outreach arm to the community and a collaboration with the New Jersey Department of Agriculture. The organization's goal is to help distinct populations statewide to adapt to a rapidly changing society, improve lives and nourish communities through educational programs that are based in science. Learn more about Morris County 4-H at <https://www.morris4h.org/home>.

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Photo 1: (l-r) Morris County 4-H members Gwennevierre Maury (cq) with a Bantam chicken; Samantha >>Name TK<< with her guinea pigs Brownie and Nugget; and Khloe Terrazas with her lionhead bunny Luna. Back row, left to right, are Morris County Commissioners Tayfun Selen, Commissioner Deputy Director John Krickus and Commissioner Director Stephen H. Shaw.

Photo 2: Khloe Terrazas talks about her lionhead bunny Luna as Commissioners Douglas Cabana, left, and Tayfun Selen, right.

Photo 3: Khloe Terrazas takes her lionhead bunny Luna for a walk around the meeting room.









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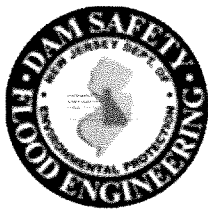
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NJ REAL Rules Adopted

On January 20, 2026, NJDEP adopted the REAL Rules, which provide a six-month grace period (“legacy period”) for applications for general permits, individual permits, and verifications. On June 1st, 2026, the NJDEP proposed to extend the legacy period for one year to July 20, 2027. NJDEP intends to take action on this proposal, subject to consideration of public comments, in late summer 2026. The Department will continue to provide updates on rule adoption timeline on the [REAL webpage](#). Please consult NJDEP’s [Guide for Determining Which Rule Version Applies to Your Project](#), which considers this update.

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BRIC Funding Alert: \$1 Billion NOFO Now Open

[FEMA](#) has announced the return of the Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities (BRIC) program, after it was originally cancelled in April 2025. FEMA is offering \$1 billion in federal funding to empower them to take proactive steps to protect their communities from potential disasters, such as floods and hurricanes. The deadline for applications is July 23, 2026. More information can be found on FEMA’s page [here](#).

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Pre-Disaster Mitigation Grant Program Open Application

FEMA has announced open applications for its [Pre-Disaster Mitigation grant program](#). This program is designed to fund state, local, and tribal governments to implement mitigation efforts to reduce risk to individuals and property from future natural hazard. Applications are open from June 22, 2026 through July 22, 2026. More information about the grant and its application process can be found [here](#).

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Virtual Training Opportunities

FEMA's Grant Programs Directorate is offering a series of training this summer on federal procurement rules applicable to recipients and subrecipients' purchasing under a FEMA grant award or declarations. These 1 to 3 hour trainings will cover a variety of Procurement Under Grants concepts, including compliance issues, FEMA resources and emergency situations.

To view the training descriptions, schedule and registration links, please view the [flyer](#).

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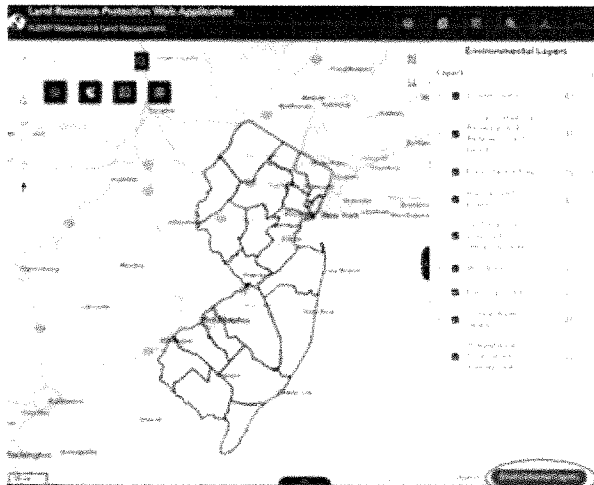
Model Code Coordinated Ordinance Updates and New Products

NJDEP has updated their Model Code Coordinated Ordinance's (both [Riverine](#) and [Coastal](#)) to reflect the updates from the Flood Hazard Area Control Act, amended by the REAL rules. To reflect the new standards set in NJAC 7:13 by the REAL rules, NJDEP has also updated their [Model Floodplain Development Permit](#), which is a requirement of compliant Flood Damage Prevention Ordinances.

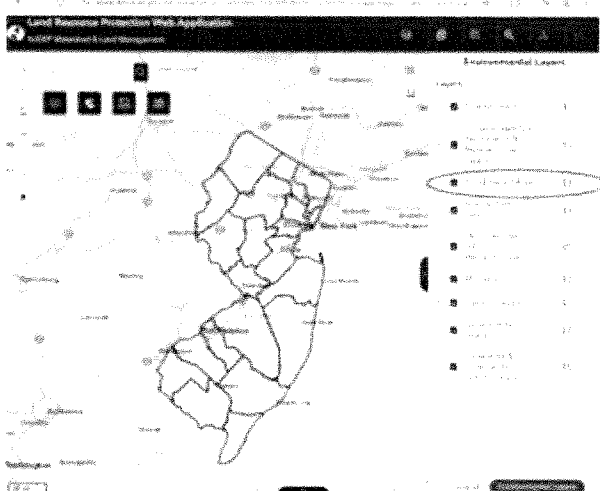
Watershed Land Management (WLM) Land Resource Protection Map with new CAFE Layer

NJDEP's [Land Resource Protection Web Application](#) has been updated with a new layer to reflect the expanded flood hazard area as adopted under the REAL Rules. The Tidal Climate Adjusted Flood Elevation (CAFE SLR 4ft) for New Jersey is a layer that can be viewed on the Land Resource Protection Web Application allowing flood professionals and residents alike to visualize the updates to the floodplain. Please find a quick guide on viewing the layer below.

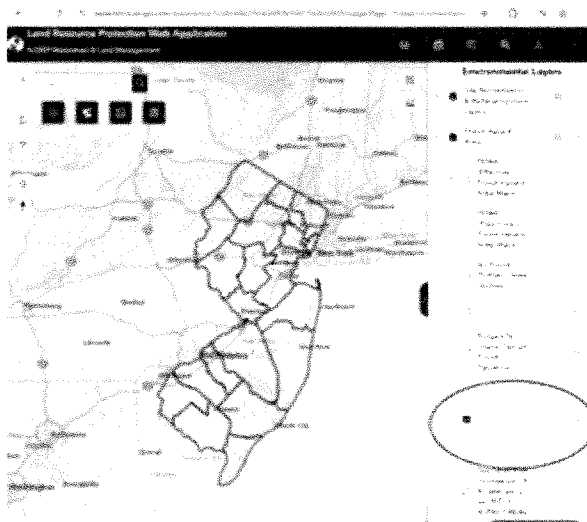
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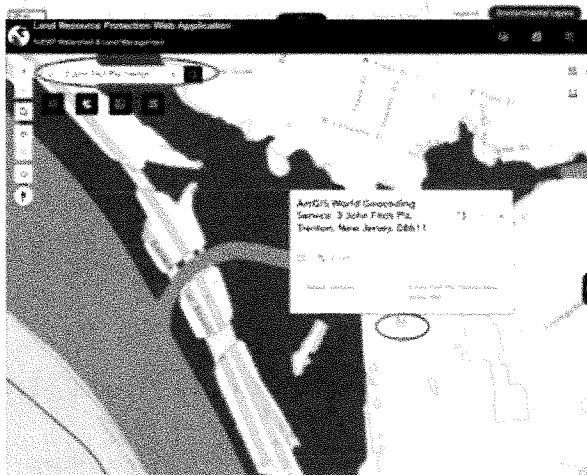
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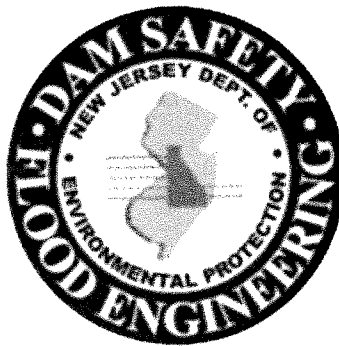
Search the address of an area of interest and view the resulting floodplain



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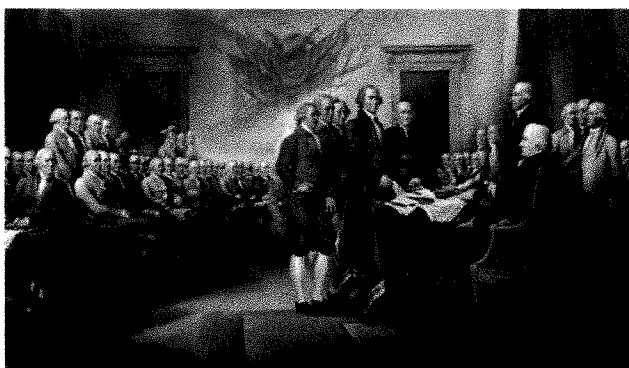
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This Week in Morris County NJ



250 Anniversary of the Revolution

Celebrating 250 Years of Revolutionary
History in Morris County



Join the Light to Unite Campaign and Declaration Reading

Morris County invites everyone to participate in a week of milestones that unfolded in July 1776 and gave birth to the America. The key dates include July 2, the day in 1776 the Second Continental Congress voted to separate the 13 colonies from Britain, through July 8, the exact date 250 years ago of the very first public reading of the Declaration of Independence.

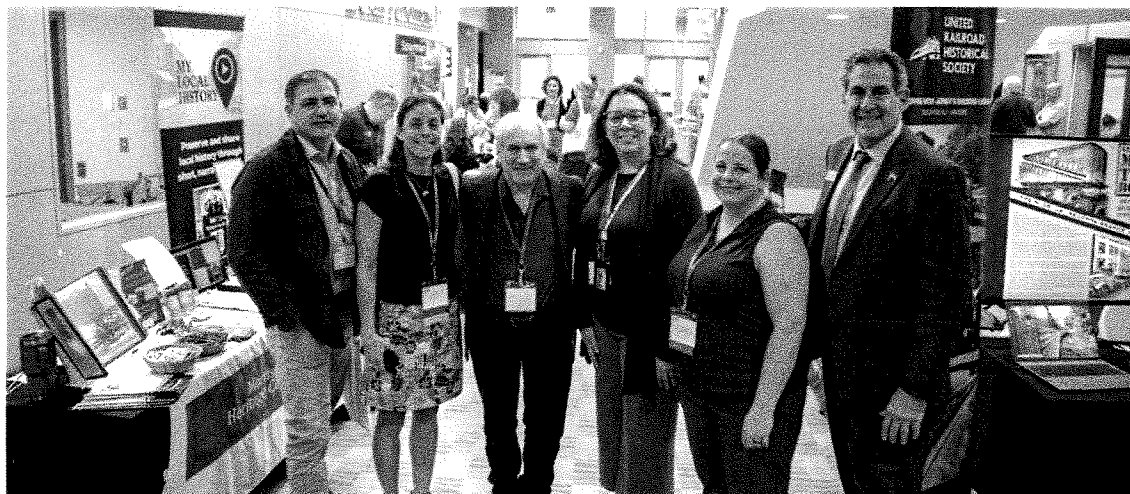
Fly your flag and light up your home or office in red, white and blue from July 2 through July 8 as part of the "[Light to](#)

On Wednesday, July 8, Morris County will participate in "[Sharing the Spirit of America](#)," a nationwide synchronized reading of the Declaration of Independence that will take place at exactly 6 p.m. EST. Join us on the lawn of the historic Morris County Courthouse.

Washington St., Morristown, where Morris County leaders including the Morris County Board of County Commissioners will read the Declaration of Independence at the exact same time that millions of other Americans will be reading it aloud.

[Read a transcript of the Declaration of Independence.](#)

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Morris County Highlights Revolutionary History at State Conference

Hundreds of historians, preservation professionals, educators, museum leaders, planners and volunteers from across the state gathered in Morris County last week as the 2026 New Jersey History and Historic Preservation Conference was held at Saint Elizabeth's University during the nation's Semiquincentennial celebration.

Approximately 400 delegates attended each day of the two-day event held June 17 and June 18. Commissioner Dirksen welcomed attendees to Morris County, highlighting the significance of hosting New Jersey's premier annual history conference in a county that played a pivotal role in the American Revolution.

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Rockaway Township to Host The Moving Wall Vietnam Memorial

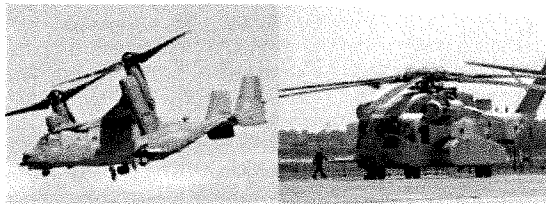
Volunteers are invited to participate as Rockaway Township hosts The Moving Wall, a half-size replica of the Vietnam Veterans Memorial, from July 1 to July 6. The Moving Wall will arrive at Rockaway Township Town Hall on July 1 for an official reception. Construction of the Wall will begin July 2 at Peterson Field on Fleetwood Drive with an opening ceremony at 7 p.m.



Veterans, Partners Gather to Strengthen Morris County

More than 60 veterans, service providers and community organizations gathered last week at the Morris County Veterans Services Office in another successful New Jersey SOS Veterans Stakeholders meeting strengthening collaboration and support for the diverse needs of the

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U.S. Marine Corps Celebration in Madison, America's 250th

Residents and visitors are invited to a special celebration on Thursday, July 2, from 9:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Madison hosts a United States Marine Corps celebration for the 250th anniversary of the United States. The agenda includes remarks from dignitaries including Commissioner John Krickus, performances by the United States Marine Corps Silent Drill Platoon and Division Band, Two aircraft, a CH-53K King of the Sky Osprey, will arrive around 11 a.m. All are welcome.

Anniversary of the Revolution

Celebrating 250 Years of Revolutionary
History in Morris County

Morris County Municipalities Sponsor 250th Celebrations

Tonight, June 26:

Lake Hopatcong fireworks are tonight, June 26.

Montville Township 4th of July Carnival concludes tonight, June 26, with a fireworks show.

Pequannock Township concert and fireworks are tonight, June 26.

Chester's Fireman's Carnival will hold fireworks tonight, June 26. The carnival is open through tomorrow, June 27.

Upcoming Events:

Rockaway Borough: Planting of a Cherry Tree ceremony is tomorrow, June 27 at 9:30 a.m. on Lakeside Drive. Mus planned.

Morris Plains Family Day and Fireworks at Chubb Park is tomorrow, June 27.

Randolph Independence Tree Dedication ceremony at Randolph's Veterans Community Park, begins at noon on M

Mendham Township (Brookside) kicks off festivities on July 1 with music, food trucks and children's activities and a

Parsippany Troy Hills America Week events begin June 29 with ceremonies, bring-your-own-picnic, art show and concludes with a community barbecue and fireworks show on July 4.

Hanover Township celebrates America's 250th and Hanover Township's 350th with a Patriotic Celebration on July procession of colonial reenactors and fireworks.

Dover celebrates with music and a fireworks show on July 2. Gates open at 6 p.m.

Denville Days events run July 3 through July 5 at Gardner Field including a concert and fireworks show on July 4.

July 4 Reading of the Declaration of Independence at the Ford Mansion, Morristown National Historical Park in Mor with "Warm-Up for the Declaration" with a park ranger in period clothing entertaining the crowd and giving a "kids le Declaration. At 1 p.m., the "Public Reading of the Declaration of Independence" will commence.

Mendham Township (Brookside) will hold its annual parade on July 4.

Florham Park is hosting "America's Birthday Bash" on July 4. The parade kicks off at 9:30 a.m. from the center of to Borough Hall for a family picnic from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. with rides, music, barbecue, food trucks. Sing Happy Birthda fireworks festivities begin at 7 p.m.

July 7 through July 12:

Boonton Township Chapel Concert, July 7 and fireworks on July 25 at RVA Field.

Randolph Freedom Festival runs July 9 - July 11. Celebrate 50 years of community spirit with live entertainment, for patriotic flair. Fireworks are planned for July 11.

Lake Hopatcong celebrates America's 250th Birthday on July 11 with three sailing vessel events: Boat Parade from Sail from Bertrand Island to Halsey Island and the Paddler Flotilla for kayaks, canoes and similar vessels.

Mount Arlington Celebrates America's 250th on July 11 with a history walk through Memorial Park, historically accurate and a piece of the original Bertrand Island Amusement Park. A concert on the beach wraps up the festivities.

History and Americana Events:

Union Hill Walking Tour, tomorrow, June 27, will take visitors through Dutch, Quakers and Native settlements and other religious institutions, the pre-Civil War one-room schoolhouse and 19th-century Union Chapel among other historic sites. Free. Register to attend.

Colonial Crafts: Yarn Dolls and More, tomorrow, June 27, offers youngsters the chance to create a colonial era toy at the Visitors Center, Morristown National Historical Park.

Greater Byram and Morris Canal History Day at Waterloo Village, tomorrow, June 27, brings the restored canal village to life. The village sits at the half-way point of the Morris Canal's 102-mile journey across the state. Reenactors, boat rides, food and more are planned.

Country Line Dancing, Sunday, June 28, at Pioneer Plaza is presented by Morristown's MPAC. The free honky-tonk dancing features DJ and dance instructor. Novice and experts are welcome.

American Design is explored through a weekly lectures series that considers the Arts and Crafts movement to contemporary design, technology and AI. The talks are presented by the Stickley Museum at Craftsman Farms on Saturdays through August.

Colonial Drinking Songs and Toasts led by musicians and historians Anne and Ridley Enslow on June 30 at Morris County Park. Early. Seating is limited.

The Commanding Presence of George Washington, June 30 at Mendham Township Library features historian Michael Perman on the effect that Washington had on his army and those around him through his character, skill and leadership. Register to attend.

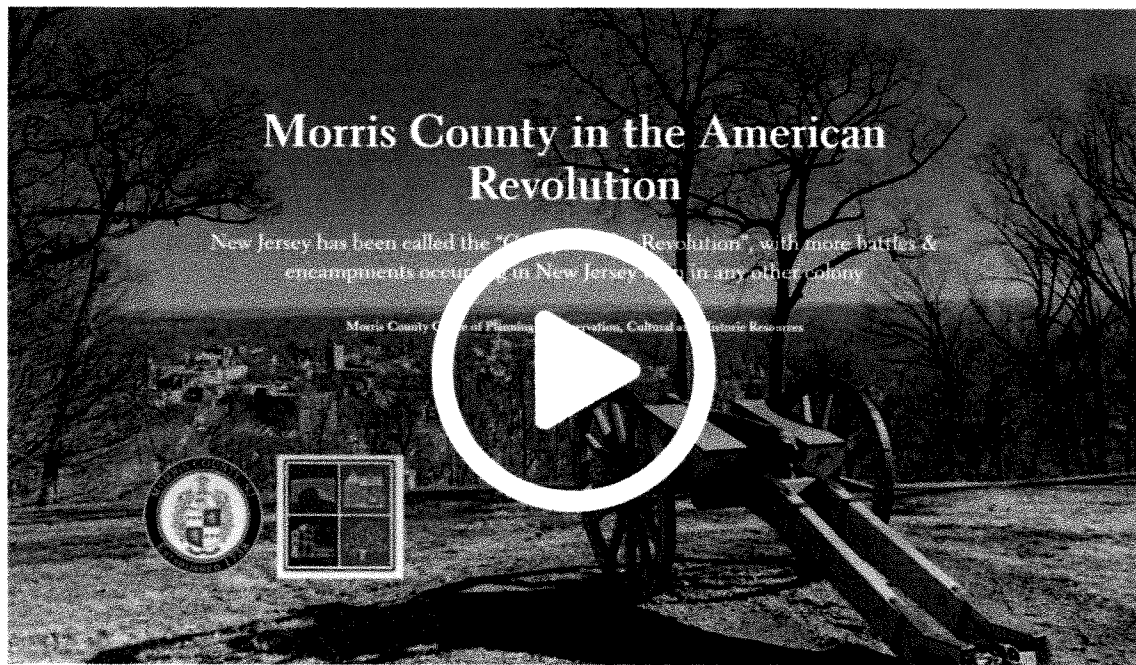
Whippany Burying Yard Fourth of July guided tour is July 4. Tour Morris County's first colonial graveyard, founded in 1682, which is significant to the area. Notable community members are buried there, including soldiers from the French and Indian War, American Revolution, and Civil War. Register to attend.

[Market Street Mission 5K Race for Recovery](#) is July 4 at Central Park of Morris County.

[List of fireworks events for aficionados and pet owners.](#)

Explore America's 250th Through Tours, Talks and Children's Crafts

- [Visit Morris County 250th](#) for a list of local events.
- [RevolutionNJ](#) lists events statewide.
- [Colonial Reenactor Talk](#), Whippany, July 1
- [Sail4th 250](#) tall ships
- [Morris County Traveling Mural Project](#) visits Morris County Library, July 7
- [A People Harassed and Exhausted: The NJ Militia in the Revolution](#), July 8 at the Morris County Library and online
- [Declaration of Independence Story Hour and Children's Craft](#), July 9 at Florham Park's Little Red School House.
- ["What the Constitution Means to Me,"](#) Chatham, July 11 and July 12
- [Ford Mansion and Powder Mill Colonial Walking Tour](#), July 19
- [The Complete American Revolution with Joel Farkas](#), Mendham Township Library, Mondays, July 13 to July 27
- [New Jersey state parks, forests and historic sites](#) celebrate the nation's 250th.
- Visit [Morris Tourism](#) for a day-by-day list of events.



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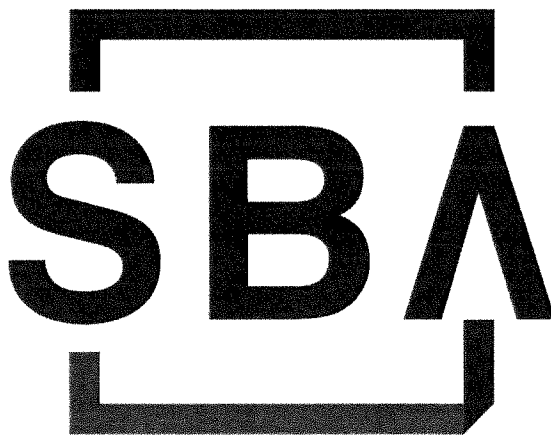
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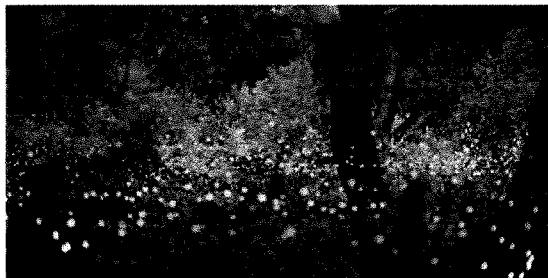
Commissioners Invited to 4-H Fair by Youth

A speckled white rabbit, a pair of chickens and two guinea pigs accompanied a half-dozen Morris County 4-H Club County Commissioners Work Session this week, where the youth shared their experiences in the 4-H program and commissioners to attend the annual Morris County 4-H Fair, scheduled for July 24-26 in Mount Olive.

[Read More](#)



U.S. Small Business
Administration



Overnight Lane Closures: I-287 in Hanover Township

Motorists should be aware of overnight lane closures this weekend as a bridge replacement project on the Hanover Avenue Bridge in Hanover Township. Two lanes on both the northbound and southbound will be closed from 8 p.m. Friday, June 26 to 8 a.m. Saturday, June 27. At least two lanes will be maintained in each direction overnight.

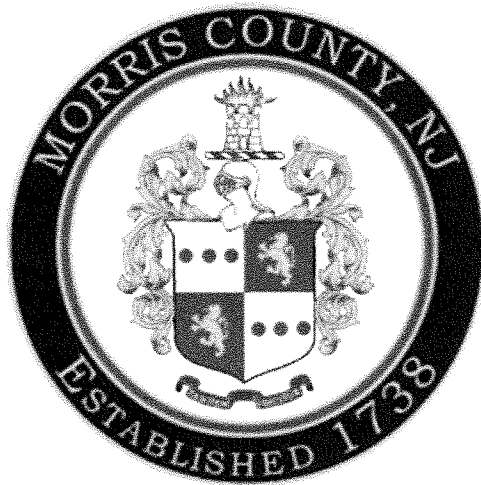
Warehouse Fire Prompts SBA Disaster Loan Assistance in Essex County

Small businesses and private nonprofits in Morris County are eligible for low-interest federal disaster loans from the Small Business Administration following the 12-alarm warehouse fire in May. Loans of up to \$2 million with interest rates as low as 4%. An SBA Business Development Center is open at Belleville Public Library through noon on Friday, June 27. Read the press release on the disaster and the fact sheet.

Schedule an in-person appointment in advance at [appointment.sba.gov](https://www.sba.gov/appointment).

Morris Parks: Firefly Walk, History Hike and Fire Truck Planned

Read the Morris County Park Commission's announcement for Firefly Walks, Hiking Through History, Touch a Tree and more! Update on the Great Glass Hunt and more!



Morris County Public Meetings

July 8

- [County Commissioner Work Session](#)
- [County Commissioner Public Meeting](#)
- [Soil Conservation District](#)

July 9

- [Housing Authority](#)
- [Agriculture Development Board](#)

July 14

- [Board of Transportation](#)

July 15

- [Improvement Authority](#)

July 16

- [Planning Board](#)

July 20

- [Flood Mitigation Committee](#)

In Case You Missed It:

- [Job Openings and Internships: Work for Morris County](#)
- [Morris County Library's July Newsletter](#)

- [Sign up for "This Week in Morris Count](#)
- [Morris County Visitors Guide](#)

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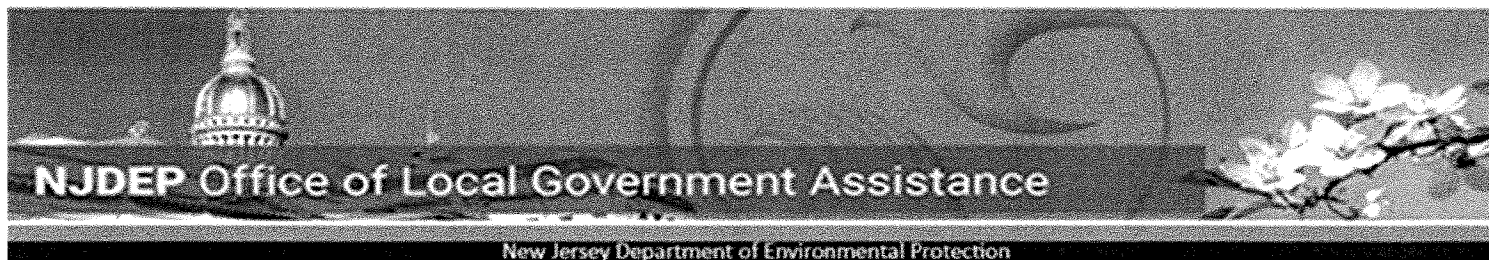
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June 26, 2026

Good afternoon, Mayors and Municipal Officials,

In this week's update from the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (DEP), you'll find urgent action items including the final week to vote on our newest state park name (deadline June 29) and a regional climate resilience grant opportunity (deadline July 7). We're also sharing significant progress on reducing permitting backlogs by 42%, new federal drinking water funding, Liberty State Park updates, extreme heat resources, and electric school bus grant information. Read on...

Highlights

Operation Fast Reduces Backlog for Key DEP Land Use Determination by 42 Percent- *[Read the full news release here.](#)*

Through the implementation of an application-review “blitz” and other operational efficiency improvements, the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection today announced that it has reduced the backlog of applications for Freshwater Wetland Letters of Interpretation by 42 percent since the outset of the Sherrill Administration.

A letter of interpretation (LOI) is a key document issued by the DEP prior to the initiation of a development project that indicates the presence or absence of freshwater wetlands and their transition areas, or buffers. Efficient processing of LOIs provides applicants with certainty and minimizes stranded costs that can impact job creation, economic growth and community ratables associated with development projects.

The DEP’s Watershed and Land Management Program has reduced the backlog from 1,102 at the start of the Administration to 638 as of June 18.

The effort is supported by DEP's Operation FAST (Facilitated Approvals for Sustainable Transformation).

a comprehensive effort to make the DEP more responsive to the public while continuing to implement the state's high standards for protection of the environment and public health.

"The Sherrill Administration is laser-focused on its mission to make New Jersey more affordable and government more efficient," Department of Environmental Protection Acting Commissioner Ed Potosnak said. "While there is more work to do to eliminate the backlog completely, in the coming months these efforts will dramatically reduce the average amount of time it takes to process this important determination. This would not be possible without the hard work from the dedicated professionals at the DEP."

LOIs and Wetlands Protection

The Watershed and Land Management program is the arm of the DEP that oversees environmental permitting and compliance and enforcement functions pursuant to the Freshwater Wetlands Protection Act Rules, Coastal Zone Management Rules, Flood Hazard Area Control Act Rules, and Highlands Water Protection and Planning Act Rules.

Over the last year, the program has received 5,500 applications for permits and jurisdictional determinations. Of these, some 730 were applications for LOIs, which is the first step in determining the applicability of freshwater wetland regulations.

The issuance of an LOI is based on careful scientific evaluations of a site's hydrology, soil, and plant communities. The LOI helps potential purchasers and developers determine how much of a site is subject to freshwater wetland regulation requirements before they apply for a permit.

Due to several factors, LOI application reviews were not keeping up with the rate of LOI application submissions. DEP reviews became backlogged, with an average processing time of one year. To reduce the backlog, the Watershed and Land Management program realigned staff and reallocated workload to undertake a short-term "blitz" on LOI reviews.

"The DEP has been able to achieve this significant backlog reduction without compromising the quality of our review process," said DEP Assistant Commissioner for Watershed and Land Management Jennifer Moriarty. "We are continuing our reviews of pending LOIs to eliminate the backlog. Through the blitz, we have identified a number of pending applications that require more information from applicants in order to conclude our review. We encourage those applicants to provide the needed information or withdraw the application as soon as they can."

[Read the full news release](#) to learn more about Operation Fast.

There's One Week Left to Vote on the Name of New Jersey's Newest State Park a Nine-mile Greenway in Essex and Hudson Counties

Voting closes at 4 p.m. June 29.



Cast Your Vote Here

dep.nj.gov/greenway

Four names for the park have been proposed for consideration:

- ① **PROSPERITY STATE PARK** – New Jersey’s official state motto is “Liberty and Prosperity.” The state’s first urban state park, Liberty State Park, is in Jersey City, and the long-term vision for the new park includes a future connection to Jersey City and, ultimately, Liberty State Park. Under that vision, Liberty and Prosperity state parks would be linked, symbolically connecting the two pillars of the state motto.
- ② **RIDGE & RIVER STATE PARK** – “Ridge & River” describes the physical geography, connecting upland ridges to lowland waterways, across Essex and Hudson counties.
- ③ **IRONLINE STATE PARK** – “Ironline” references the former iron rails that transported people, animals, materials and finished products from Upstate New York to the banks of the Hudson River. Those iron rails are now replaced by a corridor connecting habitats and the associated wildlife, as well as people and their communities. The design elements included in the first constructed segment of the new park reinforces this name.
- ④ **STEEL TRAIL STATE PARK** – “Steel Trail” evokes the rail corridor’s industrial past and its new life as a public trail. “Steel” references the strength and permanence of the infrastructure once used for commerce and transit, while “Trail” suggests a welcoming and accessible space for recreation, community, and movement. The various metal design elements reinforce this name.

The inaugural nearly one-mile Newark segment of New Jersey’s newest state park is expected to open to visitors in 2027. Stretching from Branch Brook Park to Broadway, the segment will feature three community gathering spaces connected by a meandering, ADA-accessible trail lined with native plantings, along with a multisport court, ADA-accessible adventure playground, performance stage, picnic area and other amenities.

Cast your vote: <https://dep.nj.gov/greenway>

EPA Invests in Making America Healthy Again with Announcement of \$2.1 Million to Improve Drinking Water Across New York, New Jersey, Puerto Rico and the U.S. Virgin Islands

Stephen McBay, mcbay.stephen@epa.gov

Today, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency is announcing \$2.1 million in grant funding to help improve drinking water infrastructure across New York, New Jersey, Puerto Rico and the U.S. Virgin Islands. These grants will help Make America Healthy Again by providing communities with needed

resources to make critical drinking water infrastructure upgrades, combat Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances (PFAS), remove sources of lead, and address specific local drinking water challenges.

The fiscal year 2026 funding announced for EPA Region 2 includes:

- New York: \$1,039,000
- Puerto Rico: \$524,000
- New Jersey: \$370,000
- U.S. Virgin Islands: \$176,000

Approximately \$25 million is available nationwide through the Small, Rural, and Tribal (SmaRT) Drinking Water Assistance Program. This grant program was established under the Water Infrastructure Improvements for the Nation (WIIN) Act to help water systems provide clean, safe drinking water. The funding is available to states and territories, who are responsible for administering the grant funds and ensuring that the funds efficiently and effectively reach communities that need assistance with local water infrastructure upgrades or Safe Drinking Water Act compliance.

More information on this grant program and this year's allotments can be found on the [SmaRT website](#). Tribal allotments for this program will be released separately.

Background:

The *Water Infrastructure Improvements for the Nation (WIIN) Act* establishes the **SmaRT** grant program – formerly known as Small, Underserved, and Disadvantaged Communities (SUDC) – to award funding to states, territories, and tribes to assist public water systems in meeting Safe Drinking Water Act (SDWA) requirements.

[Small, Rural, and Tribal Drinking Water Assistance Grant Program | US EPA](#)

Liberty State Park Revitalization Update: Terminal Plaza Transformation



Revitalization Update: Stormwater Management Features at the Liberty State Park Terminal Plaza

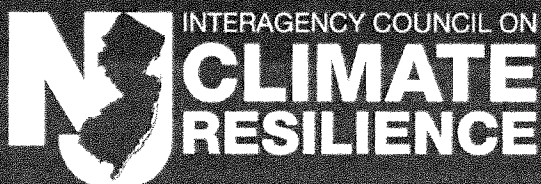
Liberty State Park's Terminal Plaza is undergoing a major transformation that combines improved visitor experience with environmental stewardship of the Hudson River Estuary.

The redesigned plaza will enhance accessibility and create a more welcoming gateway to the park's most iconic destinations while incorporating green infrastructure to capture and treat stormwater before it enters the Hudson River, directly improving water quality.

Terminal Plaza serves as the central hub connecting visitors to the historic Central Railroad of New Jersey Terminal, the Empty Sky 9/11 Memorial, ferry service to the Statue of Liberty and Ellis Island, and the Hudson River Waterfront Walkway.

The Terminal Plaza project is part of the broader Liberty State Park Revitalization Program.

For more information on this and other ongoing improvements, visit dep.nj.gov/revitalizensp/.



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Extreme Heat and Protecting New Jersey's Children and Teens



July 22nd @11 am

Questions?: HeatHubNJ@dep.nj.gov

Register Here: dep.nj.gov/heat-youth

Join the Next Climate Resilience Webinar: Extreme Heat and Protecting New Jersey's Children and Teens

DEP's **Extreme Heat Webinar Series** continues this summer with our next webinar, **Extreme Heat and Protecting New Jersey's Children and Teens**, on **Wednesday, July 22, 2026, at 11:00 a.m.**

This webinar is cohosted by **Girl Scouts Heart of New Jersey** and will feature a panel of community experts discussing how extreme heat impacts children, teens, and families, along with strategies and resources to help keep young people safe.

Participants will learn about:

- The impacts of extreme heat on children and teens
- How extreme heat affects schools, camps, and outdoor activities
- Resources and community responses that help protect young people and families
- How to stay informed and prepared during extreme heat events

As part of this year's webinar series, DEP is partnering with nonprofit and community organizations to expand outreach and engagement with audiences across New Jersey.

Attached to this email you will find a Webinar flyer. We encourage you to share this information through your email lists, newsletters, websites, and social media channels.

Remaining webinars in the series include:

- **Older Adults** – August 12, cohosted by AARP New Jersey
- **Communities and Local Government** – September 16, cohosted by Sustainable Jersey

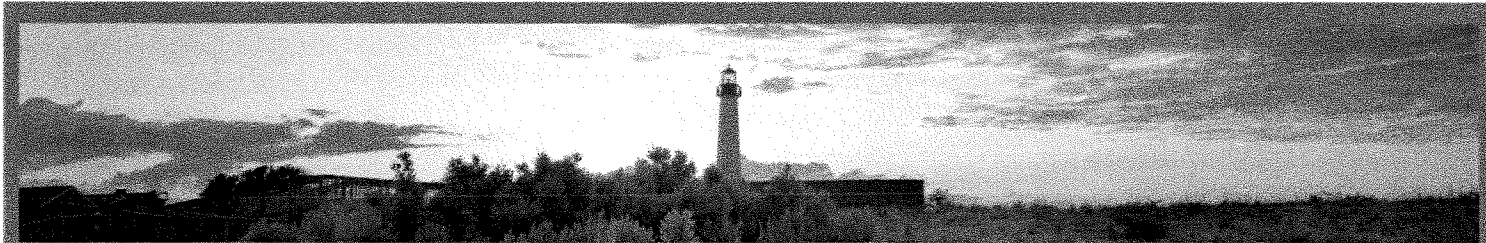
We will share promotional materials for the August and September webinars as they become available.

Stay up to date by visiting the Heat Hub NJ Events page.

Thank you in advance for helping us spread the word and reach communities across New Jersey with important extreme heat preparedness information. Please let me know if you have any questions.

Register here: <https://nj.pulse.ly/ps8csuntrz> , or <http://dep.nj.gov/heat-youth>

Visit [NJDEP| Office of Climate Resilience](#) for more information.



DEP Office of Emergency Management

2026 FIFA World Cup Support

The Office of Emergency Management will be providing comprehensive support for several events occurring in New Jersey during 2026 FIFA World Cup, including:

- **FIFA World Cup operations**

- **Naval 250 commemorations**

- **Fourth of July fireworks and celebrations**

Support will include:

- Staffing the State Emergency Operations Center
- Deploying personnel to Liberty State Park
- Participating on various FIFA task force teams

The office will coordinate closely with local municipalities to ensure smooth operations and public safety throughout these events.

Registration Open for Trout in the Classroom 2026-2027 School Year!



School teachers and students – raise your own school of fish! Registration is now open for the Trout in the Classroom (TIC) Program for the 2026-2027 school year.

TIC is a science-based program that teaches children about the importance of cold-water conservation through a hands-on approach to learning. Through the process of raising trout from eggs provided by the Pequest Trout Hatchery to fingerling size for release, students learn about the importance of clean, cold water, not only for the trout they are raising, but also for other organisms, including people.

How to Get Started:

- Step 1:** Learn About NJ TIC
- Step 2:** Contact the NJ TIC State Coordinator
- Step 3:** Secure Funding

Step 4: Order and Set Up Equipment

***Important timing:** Equipment must be ordered in spring or early summer to ensure all pieces arrive at your school and are set up before mid-August. It takes around 8 weeks to develop a healthy bacterial colony in your tank before the eggs arrive mid-October.*

Step 5: Register as a New Participant

By August 15, tanks must be set up and running for teachers who are registering for the program. Registered teachers will receive rainbow trout eggs, fish food for the year, curriculum resources and technical support.

New teachers or teachers who have taken a break from the program should complete the following after Steps 1-4:

- The Online Registration Form
- The Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) and the Release Permit Application (at back of MOU)
- Photo of the tank set up with equipment emailed to jessica.grigliak@dep.nj.gov

For more information and to register your school, visit: <https://dep.nj.gov/.../trout-in-the.../getting-started/>

Calling All Recycling Champions!

2026 Recycling Awards Nominations Close July 24



Do you know someone who's **revolutionizing recycling**? Someone who's proving sustainability isn't just possible—it's POWERFUL?

NOMINATE THEM!

Celebrate the innovators, the problem-solvers, the environmental trailblazers making New Jersey greener, cleaner, and brighter!

See instructions: [DEP Recycling Awards Nomination Packet](#)

Submit to njrecycles@dep.nj.gov

Let's spotlight NJ's next generation of environmental leaders!

New Jersey State Parks Swimming Schedule

Beat the heat and cool off at a lifeguarded swimming area at @NewJerseyStateParks

Lifeguards are on duty from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. at Island Beach State Park and from 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. at lakefront swimming areas.

- 🦋 Island Beach State Park – 7 days a week
- 🦋 Atsion Recreation Area (Wharton State Forest) – Open Wed - Sun
- 🦋 Bass River State Forest – Open Wed - Sun
- 🦋 Belleplain State Forest – Open Wed - Sun
- 🦋 Cheesequake State Park – Open Wed - Sun
- 🦋 High Point State Park – Swimming closed. Lifeguards needed!
- 🦋 Hopatcong State Park – Open Wed - Sun
- 🦋 Parvin State Park – Swimming closed for the 2026 season.
- 🦋 Round Valley Recreation Area – Open Wed - Sun
- 🦋 Swartswood State Park – Open Sat & Sun
- 🦋 Wawayanda State Park – Open Wed - Sun

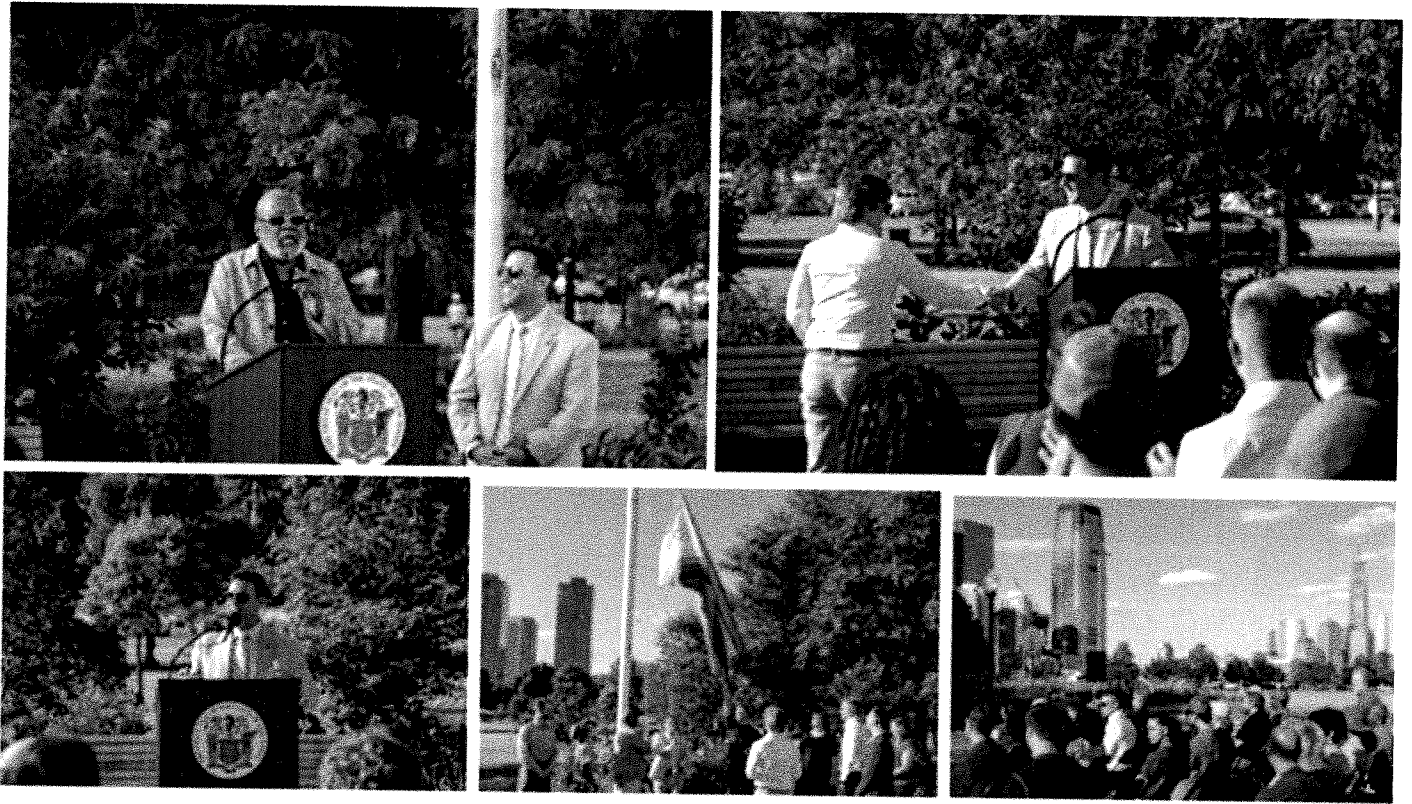
KNOW BEFORE YOU GO:

Check the operating status of your favorite state park or forest before visiting to see whether it has reached capacity: dep.nj.gov/parksandforests/get-outside/parkstatus/

- Swimming is only permitted when lifeguards are on duty.
- KEEP IT CLEAN AND GREEN! Protect local habitats by taking your trash with you. Whatever you carry into the park, plan on carrying it out too. Bring a bag or two for trash, recycling and cleaning up after your pet. There are no trash receptacles in the park.
- Any lifejackets used in state park swimming areas must be US Coast Guard approved.

New Jersey State Parks is recruiting and training additional lifeguards statewide. Learn more at: nj.gov/dep/workinparks

Liberty State Park Pride Flag Raising



Last night, DEP raised the Pride flag at Millennium Park Flag Plaza in Liberty State Park as part of our Pride Month celebration.

The ceremony brought together DEP staff, community members and LGBTQIA+ advocates to recognize the importance of inclusion, visibility, and belonging. Acting Commissioner Ed Potosnak joined speakers and attendees in celebrating the diverse communities that help make New Jersey stronger.

Job seekers: We are hiring!

Oxford, Warren County - Office of Fish & Wildlife Health and Forensics

Open to: General Public

Work Week: NL (35-hour) Work Week

Opening Date: 6/25/2026

Closing Date: 7/16/2026

Apply: [F&W-2026-5 Research Scientist 3 NJDEP - Career Page](#)

State Parks, Forests & Historic Sites

Seasonal Positions

No experience necessary to apply. Salaries for most positions range from \$16.50 – 24.50 per hour. Positions at Liberty State Park in Jersey City, Hudson County, and New Jersey's newest state park, a nine-mile greenway in Essex and Hudson counties, range from \$20 – 24.50 per hour. The minimum age to apply is 16 years old.

Seasonal Employee Benefits

- ☒ Earned Sick Time*
- ☒ Enrollment in Defined Contribution Retirement Plan upon meeting minimum earnings threshold

*Earn one hour of earned sick leave for every 30 hours you work.

Visit: [Jobs - State Parks, Forests & Historic Sites](#)

Funding Opportunities

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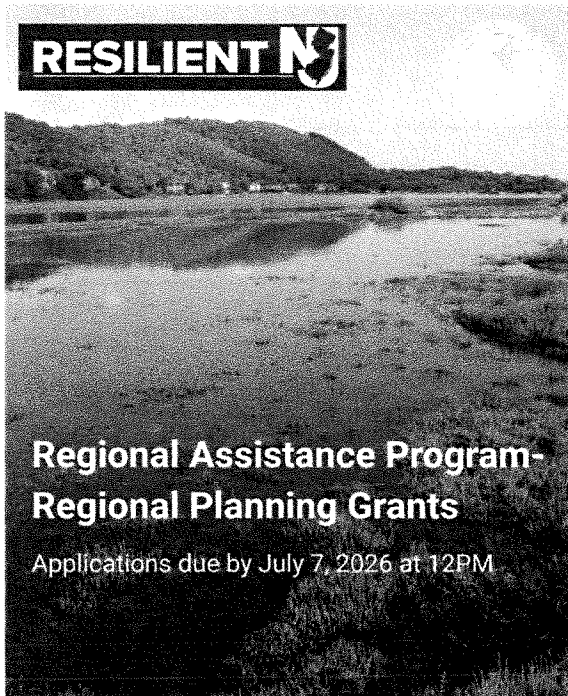
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Electric School Bus Grant Program

DEP's Division of Air, Energy and Materials Sustainability is now accepting proposals for Round 3 of the Electric School Bus Grant Program!

Interested in electrifying your school bus fleet before the new academic year?
Submit a proposal any time before **Friday, August 28 at 5 p.m.**

Visit StopTheSoot.org for more information.



Resilient NJ: Regional Assistance Program – Regional Planning Grants

The Resilient NJ: Regional Assistance Program funds collaborative regional planning efforts that support the development of regional resilience action plans to increase resilience, build local capacity, and allow local governments to address their needs while enhancing the value and integrity of ecological, economic, recreational, and natural resources in their communities.

This opportunity is open to every municipality and county in the State of New Jersey. Applicants must self-organize into multi-municipal regions. Participating municipalities do not have to be in the same county, but they must be adjacent to each other.

See the [Notice of Funding Availability](#).

An Instructional webinar was held on May 12, 2026. [View the](#)

[recording of the webinar here.](#)

Upcoming Application Deadlines

Grant Name	Deadline
<u>Resilient NJ: Regional Assistance Program – Regional Planning Grants</u>	July 7, 2026 at 12PM
<u>Outdoor Recreation Legacy Partnership (ORLP) program</u>	July 27, 2026
<u>Freshwater Wetland Mitigation Council RFP</u>	October 15, 2026 at 5PM

Thank you for keeping up with NJDEP! Don't miss out on breaking environmental news, upcoming events, and valuable training opportunities. Follow us on [Facebook](#), [X](#), [Instagram](#), and YouTube. If you'd like to opt out of these weekly updates, just reply with "Unsubscribe."

Have a wonderful weekend!

Regards,

Keiona Miller

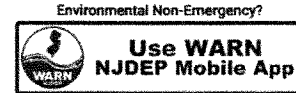
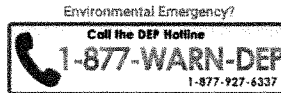
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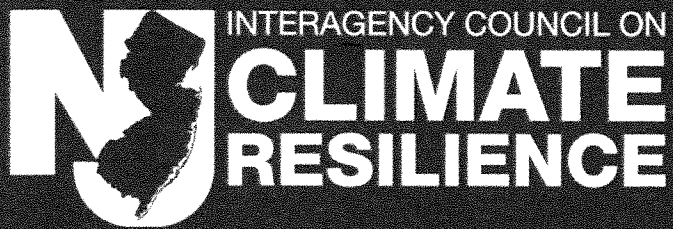
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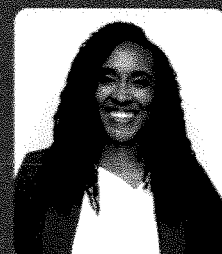


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Closure Schedule

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- **Schuyler Place Entrance:** Closes at 6 p.m. on Tuesday, June 30.
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Garage Access/Egress

- The Ann/Bank Garage will remain open and accessible throughout the project via the **Bank Street entrance and exit.**

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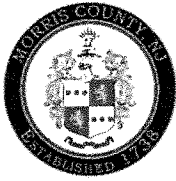
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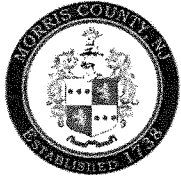
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The driving tour, announced on MCHS's website earlier this month as part of the **"Revolution to Revolutionary" driving tour series**, stops at a variety of different sites that hold significance to generations of African American community members. The African American History Driving Tour was funded by a recent grant from the **New Jersey Economic Development Authority (NJEDA)** and is part of MCHS's effort to complete **Morris County's first-ever countywide survey of African American history and historic sites**.

"The driving tour is just the first of many initiatives that will showcase research findings related to the survey and creatively engage people in learning more about the vast African American history that's found all across Morris County," said **Amy Curry, MCHS Executive Director**.

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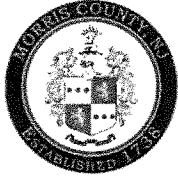
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Message from Executive Director – Eileen Murphy

As I reflect on my first few months with the Musconetcong Watershed Association, I am inspired by the passion, dedication, and impact of this organization. Everywhere I look, I see opportunities for growth and meaningful action.

From advancing water quality monitoring and identifying solutions to emerging challenges, to partnering with municipalities and communities to protect local water resources, MWA is making a difference throughout the watershed. Our education programs continue to thrive, connecting students and families to the river through classroom learning and hands-on outdoor experiences. Our policy and outreach efforts are helping build support for clean water, while restoration projects, including dam removals, streambank stabilization, and habitat improvements, are enhancing the health of the Musconetcong River.

This spring, volunteers and staff also planted hundreds of trees and continued stewardship of our Education Trail, a picturesque nearly two-mile path that winds along the Wild & Scenic Musconetcong River. I am excited for what lies ahead. 🌳

PFAS in the Musconetcong: Understanding “Forever Chemicals” and Taking Action

Per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances, better known as PFAS, have become one of the most significant emerging water quality concerns across the country. Often called “forever chemicals,” PFAS are a large group of human-made compounds used in products such as non-stick cookware, stain-resistant fabrics, food packaging, firefighting foams, and numerous industrial applications. Because these chemicals do not readily break down in the environment, they can persist in water, soil, wildlife, and people for decades.

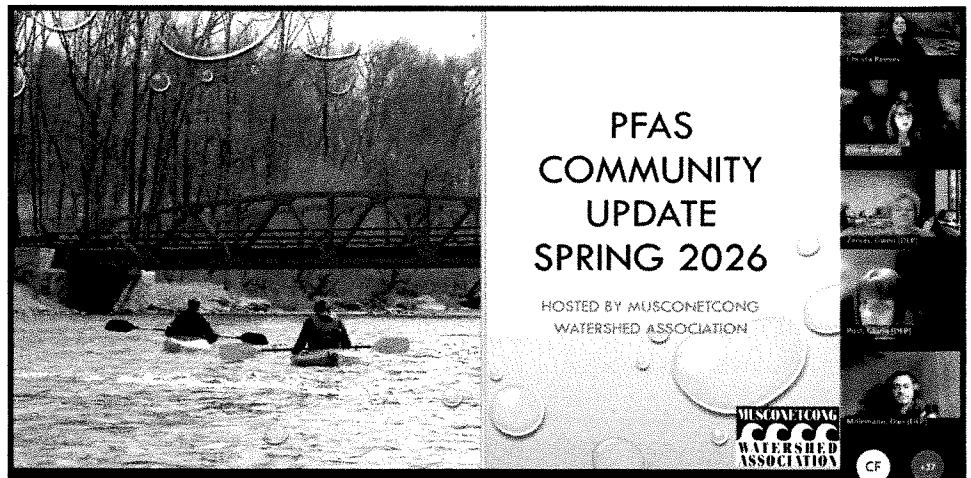
PFAS contamination has become a growing concern in the Musconetcong Watershed, particularly in the Route 31 corridor of Washington Township, Warren County. Historical industrial activities and the land application of industrial sludge have resulted in PFAS entering groundwater systems, impacting private drinking water wells and raising concerns about potential impacts to

nearby streams, rivers, and aquatic life. Since PFAS can move through both groundwater and surface water, understanding how these contaminants travel through the environment is critical to protecting both public health and natural resources.

The Musconetcong Watershed Association (MWA) has taken an active role in helping communities understand this emerging issue. Through public outreach, education, and scientific monitoring, MWA is working to provide residents with reliable information about PFAS and its potential impacts on local waterways.

In 2025, MWA received funding to begin investigating PFAS in the surface waters of the Route 31 study area. Working alongside state partners, including the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, the

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MWA PFAS Community Update Webinar—June 2026

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Tackling Emerging Contaminants: PFAS and Microplastics

The Musconetcong Watershed Association is expanding its work to address a growing class of water quality concerns known as emerging contaminants. While much of our recent attention has focused on PFAS, often referred to as "forever chemicals," we are now beginning to investigate another pollutant receiving increasing national attention: microplastics.

Microplastics are tiny plastic particles that originate from sources such as synthetic clothing, packaging, tire wear, and consumer products. These particles have been detected in rivers, lakes, drinking water supplies, and even human tissue, raising questions about their long-term environmental and public health impacts.

To better understand the presence of microplastics within the Musconetcong Watershed, MWA is partnering with PolyGone, an innovative company

based in Princeton, New Jersey. Together, we will be collecting samples from both surface waters and wastewater facilities throughout the watershed to establish baseline conditions and identify potential sources of contamination.

This partnership goes beyond monitoring alone. We will also be evaluating a new treatment media designed to remove both PFAS and microplastics from water. By combining scientific investigation with real-world treatment testing, MWA is helping bring innovative solutions to one of the fastest-growing challenges in water quality management.

As emerging contaminants continue to gain attention nationwide, MWA remains committed to understanding these threats and protecting the health of our rivers, communities, and ecosystems. ☪

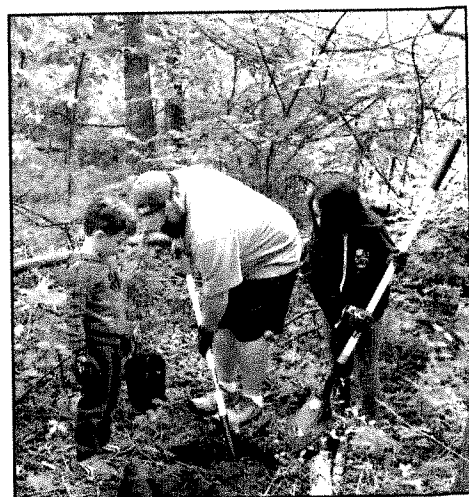
Strengthening the Educational Trail Through Local Stewardship

Thanks to support from Arcadis through its Local Sparks program, the Musconetcong Watershed Association has been working alongside Arcadis volunteers to enhance our Educational Trail in Asbury. Together, we have removed invasive plant species and replaced them with native trees and shrubs that will provide habitat for wildlife, improve ecosystem health, and create new learning opportunities for visitors.

This stewardship effort complements the installation of a new pedestrian bridge that will connect previously separated sections of the trail. Once completed, the bridge will create a continuous two-mile out-and-back route linking the River Resource Center to the Shurts Road Wildlife Management Area.

By restoring native habitat and improving trail connectivity, this partnership is

helping transform the Educational Trail into an even more valuable resource for environmental education, recreation, and community engagement for years to come. ☪



Volunteers helping to plant trees along the Education Trail.

Challenges and Opportunities Ahead

By Eileen Murphy

Like many nonprofit organizations, the Musconetcong Watershed Association is navigating a period of significant financial uncertainty. Recent reductions in federal funding, declines in corporate sponsorships, and decreases in private donations have created challenges in maintaining the core programs and services our communities rely upon. While grant funding remains a critical source of support, most grants are restricted to

specific projects and cannot be used to sustain essential organizational operations, staffing, and long-term planning.

Despite these challenges, we see exciting opportunities ahead. A recent grant from the National Parks Foundation will help us develop a stronger corporate sponsorship program, creating new partnerships and more sustainable sources of support.

At the same time, demand continues to grow for our grant-funded and fee-for-service water quality programs, which provide valuable scientific expertise to municipalities, counties, and partner organizations. We are also expanding our classroom and youth education programs, helping to inspire the next generation of watershed stewards while building stronger connections between communities and the Musconetcong River. 🌱

Corporate Partners Needed - Your Business Can Make a Difference Locally

The Musconetcong Watershed Association is seeking local businesses and corporate partners to help sustain the programs and projects that protect our watershed and strengthen our communities.

Clean water is essential to the health of our communities and the success of our local economy. From breweries and wineries that depend on high-quality water, to manufacturers, farms, outdoor recreation businesses, and the residents they serve, a healthy watershed benefits everyone.

The Musconetcong Watershed Association works every day to protect and improve water quality through scientific monitoring, habitat restoration, environmental education, and community stewardship. We investigate emerging contaminants such as PFAS and microplastics, restore stream corridors and wetlands, plant thousands of native trees, and engage volunteers and students in hands-on conservation efforts.

As federal funding becomes increasingly uncertain and unrestricted funding sources continue to decline, support from the business community is more important than ever. Corporate sponsorships help provide the flexible funding needed to maintain core programs, respond to emerging environmental challenges, and leverage additional grant funding for projects throughout the watershed.

By partnering with MWA, your company demonstrates its commitment to environmental stewardship and the

communities where your employees, customers, and families live, work, and recreate. Sponsorship opportunities can include annual support, project-specific investments, employee volunteer events, and other customized partnerships.

Together, we can protect clean water,

strengthen local communities, and ensure the Musconetcong River remains a valuable resource for generations to come.

For information on corporate sponsorship opportunities, contact us at info@musconetcong.org or visit www.musconetcong.org. 🌱



Employees from Arcadis participated in the Local Sparks program, removing invasive species and planting native shrubs and trees.

PFAS by the Numbers: MWA's Upcoming Monitoring Effort

New Funding Secured

The Musconetcong Watershed Association recently received support from the American Water Charitable Foundation to expand PFAS monitoring in the Musconetcong River watershed.

Tracking PFAS in Surface Waters

The project will collect samples throughout the watershed to better understand where PFAS are present, how concentrations change over time, and how contaminants move through streams and rivers.

Building a Regional Network

MWA is collaborating with neighboring watershed organizations, drinking water utilities, wastewater authorities, researchers, and regulatory agencies to develop a coordinated approach to PFAS monitoring and data sharing across the region.

Supporting Better Decisions

The information gathered will help identify potential contamination hotspots, improve understanding of pollution pathways, and support future management and restoration efforts.

Stay Connected

As monitoring progresses, MWA will share findings, educational resources, and opportunities for community engagement through public meetings, newsletters, and our website. Follow our progress and learn more about PFAS at musconetcong.org.

Tackling PFAS Through Watershed Partnerships

PFAS, often called “forever chemicals,” have emerged as one of the most significant water quality challenges facing communities across New Jersey and the nation. These human-made compounds, used for decades in products such as nonstick cookware, stain-resistant fabrics, firefighting foams, and industrial processes, persist in the environment and can be found in groundwater, rivers, lakes, wastewater, stormwater, and even rainfall.

Recognizing that PFAS contamination does not stop at municipal or watershed boundaries, the Musconetcong Watershed Association is joining forces with neighboring watershed organizations, water utilities, wastewater authorities, researchers, and community partners to better understand how these contaminants move through our region.

A watershed-based approach is essential because PFAS can travel long distances through groundwater, streams, and rivers before reaching downstream communities. By coordinating monitoring efforts across

multiple watersheds, partners can identify contamination hotspots, track pollutant pathways, and help prioritize areas where investments in source reduction and treatment will have the greatest benefit.

Watershed organizations bring unique value to this effort through their long-term monitoring programs, community engagement, and deep understanding of local waterways. By combining these strengths with the technical expertise of drinking water and wastewater utilities, we can develop more effective and cost-efficient solutions to address PFAS contamination.

While the challenge is significant, collaboration offers a path forward. Through coordinated monitoring, data sharing, public education, and strong partnerships, we can improve our understanding of PFAS in the environment and help protect both public health and aquatic ecosystems.

The future of PFAS management will depend on working together—and watersheds are the perfect place to start.

Advocating for Our Waters: The Musconetcong Watershed Association's Policy Impact

The Musconetcong Watershed Association (MWA) is a powerful voice for environmental protection, extending its influence from local neighborhoods to the halls of Congress. As the Musconetcong celebrates 20 years of being designated a National Wild and Scenic River, MWA continues to leverage this legacy to drive broader legislative change.

During the recent Coalition for the Delaware River Watershed's Hill Day in D.C., MWA met with 13 congressional offices to champion critical conservation priorities. Their agenda included securing \$17 million for the Delaware River Basin Restoration Program (DRBRP), reauthorizing the DRBRP through 2032 to support underserved communities, and maintaining full funding for the Land and Water Conservation and Legacy Restoration Funds.

MWA also serves as a leading force for the Partnership Wild and Scenic Rivers Program, which facilitates collaborative management across political boundaries. Their advocacy recently secured record-breaking support for the program—achieving the highest number of House supporters in its history and nearly tying the record in the Senate. MWA continues to champion this model to advance designation bills for other vital waterways, including the Raritan and Mullica Rivers.

Locally, MWA complements this federal advocacy by supporting community activists like the Bloomsbury Coalition Against Warehouses, ensuring that development remains responsible and protective of our cherished Wild and Scenic River.

FUNdraisers That Build Community and Support Our Mission

While grants help fund many of our restoration, education, and advocacy programs, community events play an important role in sustaining the Musconetcong Watershed Association while bringing people together around a shared love of the river.

Annual Dinner & Auction

In February, 67 members and supporters gathered at Hawk Pointe for an evening of great food, fellowship, and fundraising. The event featured updates on watershed initiatives, exciting auction items, and a chance to celebrate the accomplishments made possible through community support.

20th Annual Run for the River

Our milestone 20th Run for the River welcomed 119 runners and walkers who enjoyed beautiful spring weather while traversing the scenic four-mile course. This beloved event continues to connect people to the watershed while promoting healthy outdoor recreation and environmental stewardship.

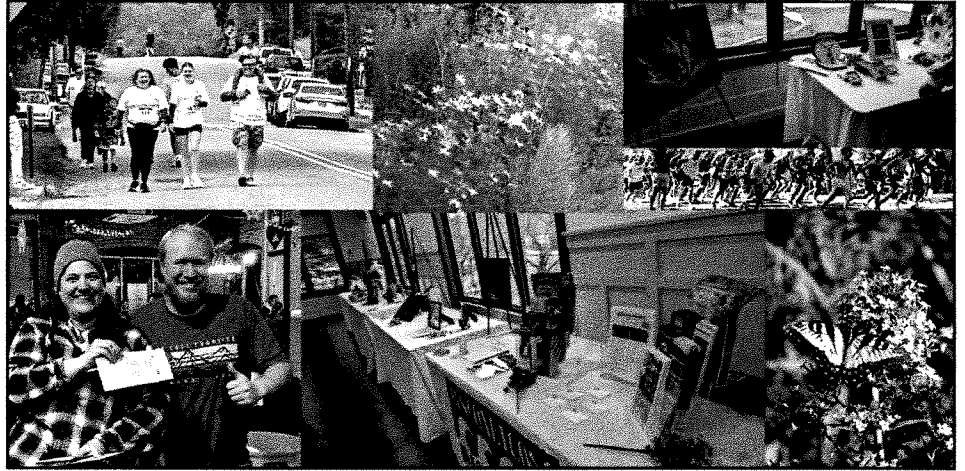
Native Plant Sale

Hundreds of native trees, shrubs, flowers, and grasses found new homes through our annual Native Plant Sale. These plants will now be growing throughout the watershed, providing habitat for pollinators and wildlife, improving water quality, and helping

create more resilient landscapes for years to come.

Together, these events raised critical unrestricted funds that help support

the day-to-day work of protecting and restoring the Musconetcong River and its watershed. 🌿



Various fundraising events sponsored by MWA.



MWA Trustees at the Annual Dinner in February 2026.

Celebrating 20 Years of Wild & Scenic Recognition

Celebrate 20 years of “the Musky” being Wild and Scenic! Since December 22, 2006, when Congress passed the Musconetcong Wild and Scenic Rivers Act, our river has been nationally recognized for its stunning beauty and rich history. This designation recognized the river’s outstanding natural, cultural, recreational, and ecological values, as well as the decades of dedication from local communities, conservation partners, and volunteers who worked to protect and restore this treasured resource.

As we approach the 20th anniversary of this milestone, the Musconetcong

Watershed Association is excited to launch a year-long celebration beginning on the anniversary date in December 2026 and continuing throughout 2027.

Over the past two decades, the Wild & Scenic designation has helped elevate conservation efforts throughout the watershed, supporting dam removals, habitat restoration, water quality improvements, recreational access enhancements, educational programs, and community engagement initiatives. Together, these efforts have transformed the Musconetcong into one of New Jersey’s premier river conservation success stories.

Throughout 2027, MWA will host special events, volunteer opportunities, educational programs, and celebrations that honor the river’s past while looking toward its future. Whether you’ve been involved since the beginning or are just discovering the Musconetcong, we invite you to join us in recognizing this important milestone.

Stay tuned for announcements, event details, and opportunities to participate as we celebrate 20 years of Wild & Scenic stewardship and the people who have made it possible. The story of the Musconetcong continues, and we look forward to celebrating it with you. 🌿

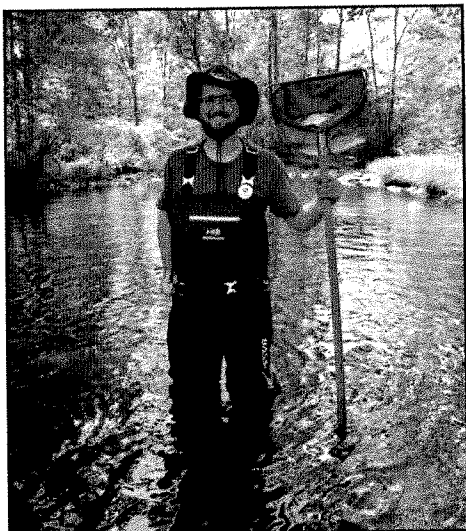
Member Spotlight: Matt Trochim

1st Person version:

My interest in environmental work began during my senior year of college while studying environmental justice and the history of the Environmental Justice Movement. I was surprised to learn that I had spent my entire life living within an EPA-designated Superfund site in Stewartville without realizing it. That experience showed me how important environmental education is and inspired me to pursue a career where I could make a difference.

After working outside the environmental field for several years, I found the New Jersey Watershed Ambassadors Program and saw it as the perfect opportunity to gain experience and get involved. MWA served as my host agency, providing incredible mentorship and support throughout the year.

One of my proudest accomplishments was organizing The Annual River Cleanup, which engaged more than 200 volunteers to help clean approximately 40 miles of river corridor. The experience taught me valuable skills in project coordination, public engagement, and environmental stewardship, and helped prepare me for my new role as Environmental Educator with MWA. ☺



New Camp Musky camp counselor and environmental education, Matt Trochim.



MWA Policy & Outreach manager, Ben Yaskulka, speaking at a Canal Society meeting.

Keeping River Access Open for Everyone

Every year, hundreds of children, families, anglers, paddlers, and swimmers use Musconetcong Watershed Association properties and access points to enjoy the river. Whether it's a child's first fish, a summer swim, or a peaceful afternoon along the water, these experiences connect people to the Musconetcong and inspire future stewardship.

Maintaining these access points requires ongoing investment. Trails, parking areas, signage, stream access improvements, habitat restoration, and

public safety features all require regular upkeep and funding. As use of these facilities continues to grow, so does the need to improve and expand public access opportunities throughout the watershed.

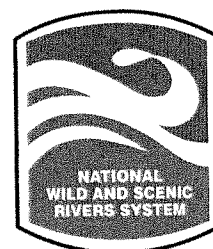
Your support helps ensure that future generations can continue to safely access and enjoy the Musconetcong River. Donations of any size directly support the maintenance, improvement, and expansion of public river access, helping keep this treasured natural resource open and welcoming to all. ☺

Discover the Magic of the Musconetcong

Discover the magic of the Musconetcong River, a federal Partnership Wild and Scenic River managed by MWA and the National Park Service! Together, we protect its "Outstandingly Remarkable Values"—from thriving fisheries and wildlife habitats to historic gems and scenic trails.

Want to explore? Join our NPS Interpretive Walks, featuring guided hikes, birding events, and river talks that celebrate this spectacular backyard resource.

Plus, our Junior Ranger Angler program, funded by the National Park Foundation, makes fishing accessible to all. Check out the free fishing tackle library at the Hackettstown Library, or the lending lure box at the Asbury Mill! ☺



Discover, Explore, and Grow: Join Camp Musky This Summer!

Are you ready to spark your child's passion for nature? Registration is open for **Camp Musky**, the Musconetcong Watershed Association's annual summer camp! This action-packed outdoor experience brings kids directly to the river and along our educational trail for a week of hands-on discovery. Campers splash into the water to collect benthic macroinvertebrates, identify wildlife, and build natural structures that stoke the imagination. It is the perfect launchpad for a lifelong connection to our environment—and

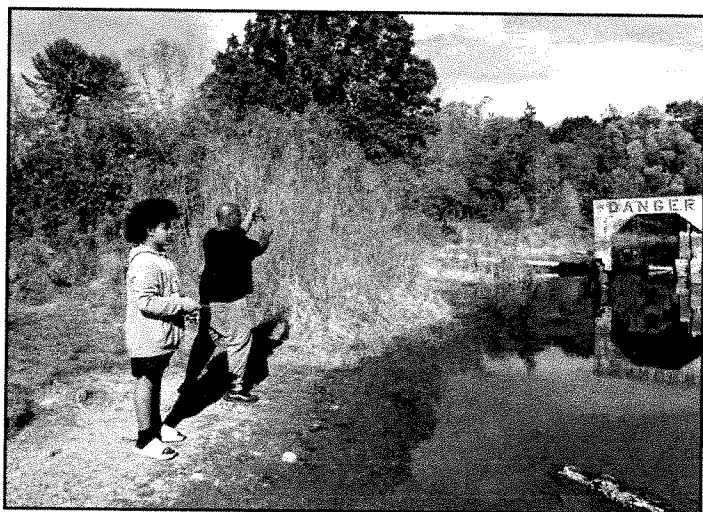
it is just the beginning of how MWA inspires the next generation.

Cultivating Conservationists in the Classroom

Beyond the summer months, MWA brings this same passion for discovery into regional schools. Partnering with institutions like Mansfield Elementary, Franklin Elementary, and the Academy for the Environmental Sciences, MWA leads student-driven water quality assessments, interactive lessons on native plantings, and environmental

policy presentations. MWA is actively scaling these school programs with the explicit goal of becoming the preeminent center of environmental education in New Jersey.

Solidifying this ambition, MWA has officially joined the **Alliance of New Jersey Environmental Educators (ANJEE)**. By joining this statewide network of educators, MWA is pursuing an expanded role in regional environmental education. 🌱



Families enjoying free fishing day—June 2026.



Camp Musky campers—2025.

PFAS in the Musconetcong: Understanding “Forever Chemicals” and Taking Action

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project focused on understanding PFAS concentrations within the Musconetcong River and evaluating potential impacts to fish populations, particularly those that may be caught and consumed by anglers. Because fish can accumulate PFAS in their tissues over time, understanding these concentrations is an important step in evaluating potential exposure pathways for people and wildlife.

Building upon this work, MWA recently received additional funding from the American Water Charitable Foundation to expand PFAS monitoring throughout the watershed. This new effort will broaden surface water monitoring beyond the original study area while also investigating other potential pathways by

which PFAS may enter the environment.

One area of focus will be septic systems, which serve as the primary wastewater treatment method throughout much of the middle and lower Musconetcong Watershed. While septic systems are essential infrastructure in rural communities, researchers are increasingly interested in understanding whether they may contribute PFAS to groundwater. MWA will collect and analyze septic effluent samples and pair them with nearby drinking water well samples to better understand how PFAS may move through groundwater systems and whether septic discharges could represent a source of contamination.

The information gathered through

these studies will help fill important data gaps, improve understanding of PFAS within the watershed, and support informed decision-making by residents, municipalities, and regulatory agencies. Just as importantly, the results will help identify where future monitoring, education, and management efforts may be needed.

PFAS contamination is a complex issue, but local science and community engagement are critical parts of the solution. By expanding monitoring efforts and investigating potential sources of contamination, MWA is helping ensure that the Musconetcong Watershed remains a healthy resource for residents, anglers, and future generations. 🌱

Camp Musky

EXPLORE & DISCOVER

Spend a week on the
Wild and Scenic Musky!



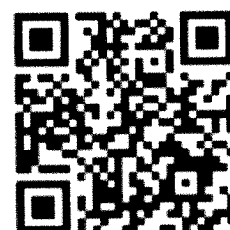
Five weeklong programs for different ages & activities!

Camp	Ages	Dates	Times	Price
Explorers	5 – 6	7/6 – 7/10	9 am – 1 pm	\$385
Stream Team	7 – 9	7/13 – 7/17	9 am – 1 pm	\$385
Trailblazers	7 – 9	7/20 – 7/24	9 am – 4 pm	\$495
River Rangers	5 – 6	7/27 – 7/31	9 am – 1 pm	\$385
STEAM Camp	9 – 12	8/3 – 8/7	9 am – 4 pm	\$525

The MWA's Camp Musky is an outdoor-centric, weeklong experience that immerses children in nature. With more than a mile of nature trails and a calm spot to wade in the Musconetcong River, campers will participate in a variety of educational and fun activities that connect them to the environment and build a deeper understanding of our place in the world.

To register, visit musconetcong.org/camp-musky

Questions? Please contact Ben Yaskulka at (908) 914-7023 or
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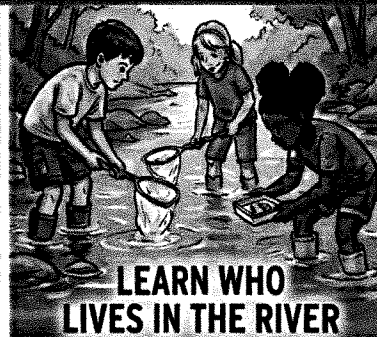




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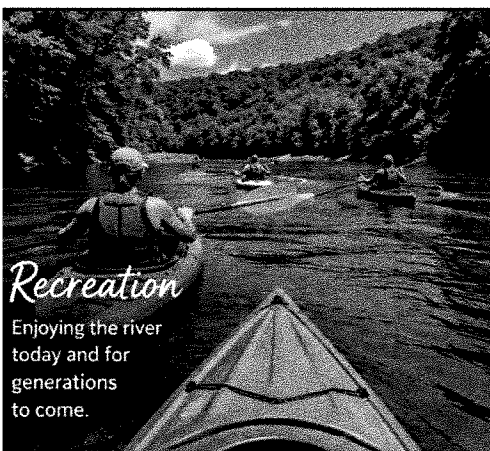
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**LEARN WHO
LIVES IN THE RIVER**



EXPLORE OUR WILD AND SCENIC RIVER!



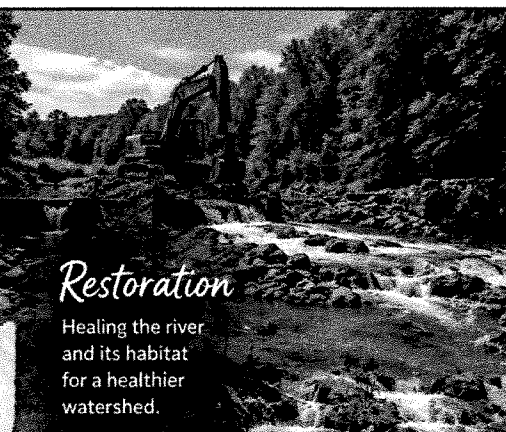
Recreation

Enjoying the river
today and for
generations
to come.



**20 YEARS
OF PROTECTION.
RESTORATION.
COMMUNITY.**

*The Musconetcong flows
strong—thanks to you.*



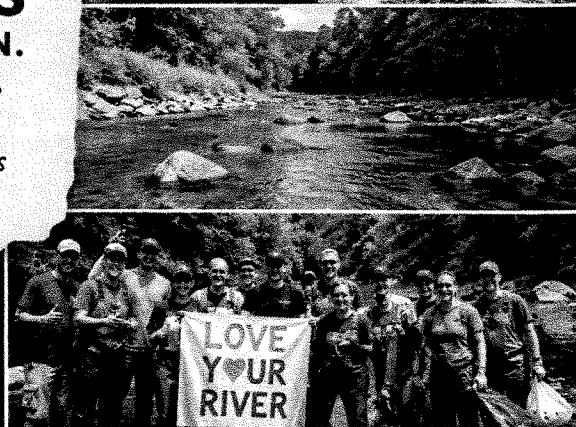
Restoration

Healing the river
and its habitat
for a healthier
watershed.



Volunteers

The heart of our
watershed—giving
time, talent and
care.



CELEBRATING 20 YEARS OF WILD & SCENIC STEWARDSHIP

*Be on the lookout for events and
opportunities to join us in the celebration!*

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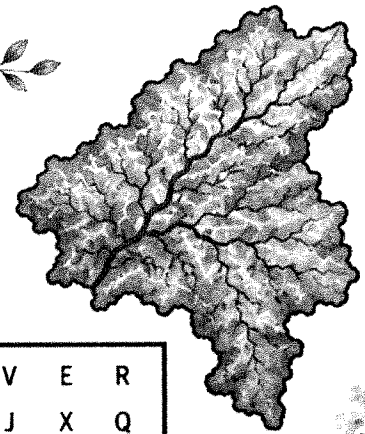


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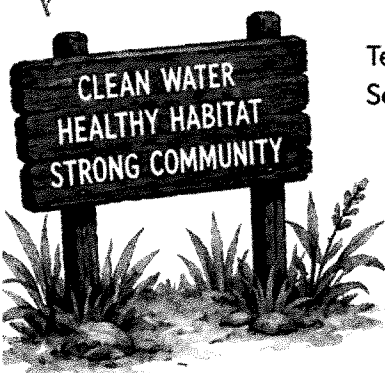
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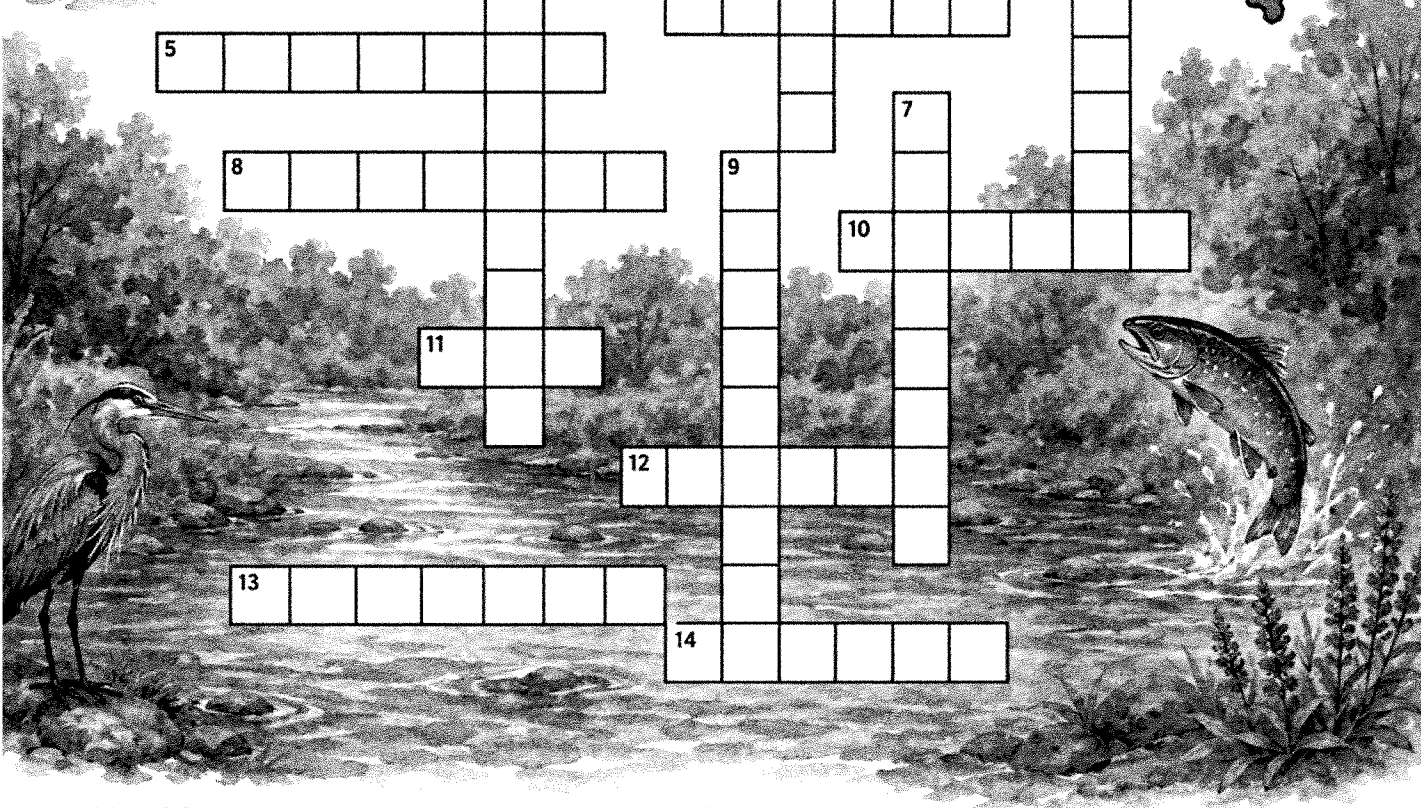
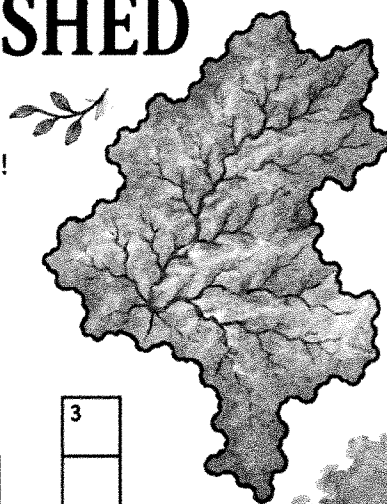
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MUSCONETCONG WATERSHED

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Test your knowledge of the Musconetcong Watershed!
Solve the clues and fill in the words that help protect
our rivers, streams, and natural resources.



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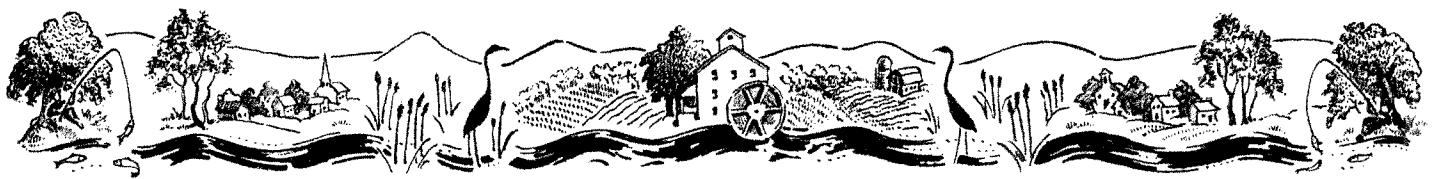
5. The main river that flows through the watershed
6. Small streams that feed into larger rivers
8. Area of land where all water drains to a common outlet
10. Plants and trees that grow along stream banks to prevent erosion
11. Removal of pollutants before they reach the water
12. Natural area that stores water and supports wildlife
13. Group working to protect and improve the watershed
14. Actions we take to protect water quality for the future

DOWN

1. Rain or snow that provides water to the watershed
2. Underground water that flows into wells and streams
3. Sediment or dirt that can pollute waterways
4. Native tree commonly found along the Musconetcong River
7. Animals and plants that live in and around the water
9. Open space used to protect water quality and wildlife habitat



**MUSCONETCONG
WATERSHED
ASSOCIATION**
Our Watershed. Our Home. Our Future.



The Musconetcong Watershed Association

The Musconetcong River Valley is rich in scenery, history, natural resources, and recreational opportunities. The river rises up in Lake Hopatcong - New Jersey's largest spring-fed lake - and is shadowed by 1,000-foot Highland ridges and slices through a deep, limestone river valley, flowing swiftly to the Delaware River. Along the way the "Musky" passes by state and county parks, bustling towns, vital industries, historic villages, and some of the most productive farmland in the state.

The Musconetcong Watershed Association (MWA) is a non-profit organization formed in 1992 to protect and enhance the Musconetcong River and its related resources through advocacy and environmental education programs, scientific research and river restoration projects. The MWA scope spans the 158 square-mile Musconetcong River Watershed, and includes portions of four counties, and all or portions of 26 municipalities. The Musconetcong River became part of the National Wild and Scenic River System in 2006.

MWA members are part of a network of individuals, families and organizations who care about the Musconetcong River and its watershed. They are kept informed about issues concerning the river and its related resources by receiving quarterly issues of the Musconetcong River News.

MWA Membership Application

Please enroll me as a member of the MWA. Save the Stamp!
Donate at www.musconetcong.org/member. Or enclose a check payable to MWA for an amount indicated below:

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Good morning,

Please see the attached correspondence received.

Thank you,

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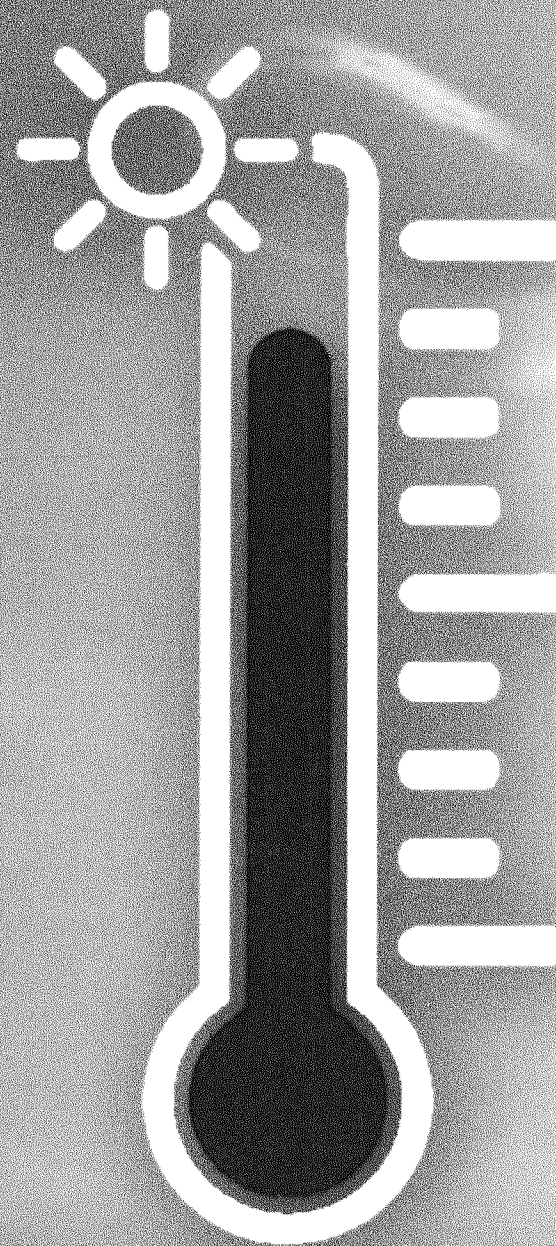
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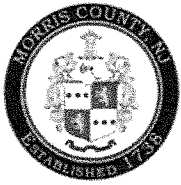
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#BeatTheHeat



Stay in the shade or indoors during extreme heat!

Take Simple Steps for Summer Heat



Extreme heat can be dangerous. Understand your risks and learn simple steps that you can take now to be prepared.

- [Learn the signs of heat-related illnesses and ways to respond](#) from the CDC.
- Fans alone aren't enough in high heat + high humidity. Get inside in air conditioning or go to a public place like the library, museum, or shopping mall to beat the heat.
- NEVER leave children or pets alone in hot vehicles! Heat can rise in a car, up to 20 degrees in just 10 minutes.
- During extreme heat, check on family, friends, and neighbors who do not have air conditioning and who spend much of their time alone.
- Roughly 40% of unwanted heat buildup in our homes is through windows. Use awnings or curtains to keep the heat out.
- Use your oven less during extreme heat advisories and warnings so you don't make your house hotter.

If you are an older adult...

- **Do not stay home alone during a summer power outage or an extreme heat event.**
- Make sure a trusted friend or relative has an extra key to your home, knows where you keep your emergency supplies and can use lifesaving equipment or administer medicine.

- Drink fluids regularly to avoid getting dehydrated and overheated. Talk to your doctor about whether you need fluids with extra electrolytes in the heat.
- Be careful with the amount of time you spend outdoors. Take frequent breaks to come back inside, cool off, and drink fluids that don't have caffeine.

Hot Weather Pet Safety from the ASPCA



We all love spending the long, sunny days of summer outdoors with our furry companions, but it's important to remember that like any season, summer comes with its hazards. To make sure you're prepared for whatever comes your way this summer, check out this list of summer safety tips from our experts at [ASPCA Poison Control](#).

- **Visit the vet for an early-summer checkup.** Make sure your pets get tested for heartworm if they aren't on year-round preventative medication.
- **Give pets plenty of fresh, clean water** when it's hot or humid outdoors as pets can get dehydrated quickly. Make sure your pets have a shady place to get out of the sun, be careful not to over-exercise them and keep them indoors when it's extremely hot.
- **Know the symptoms of overheating in pets**, which include excessive panting or difficulty breathing, increased heart and respiratory rate, drooling, mild weakness, stupor or even collapse. Symptoms can also include seizures, bloody diarrhea and vomit along with an elevated body temperature of over 104 degrees.
- **Never leave your animals alone in a parked vehicle.** Not only can it lead to fatal heat stroke, but it's illegal in several states!
- **Know that animals with flat faces**, like Pugs and Persian cats, are more susceptible to heat stroke since they cannot pant as effectively. These pets, along with the elderly, the overweight and those with heart or lung diseases, should be kept cool in air-conditioned rooms as much as possible.
- **Do not leave pets unsupervised around a pool.** If you plan on spending time near a pool, lake or beach with your pet, make sure you give them fresh water and avoid letting them drink from the pool, or ingest ocean or lake water. When swimming, introduce your pets to water gradually and make sure they wear flotation devices when on boats. Rinse your dog off after swimming to remove chlorine or salt from their fur.

Firework Safety

While fireworks are a beloved tradition during Fourth of July celebrations, they can bring risks. It's best to leave fireworks to professionals because they can be dangerous to people, pets and can start fires. If you are using fireworks, follow these tips to stay safe:

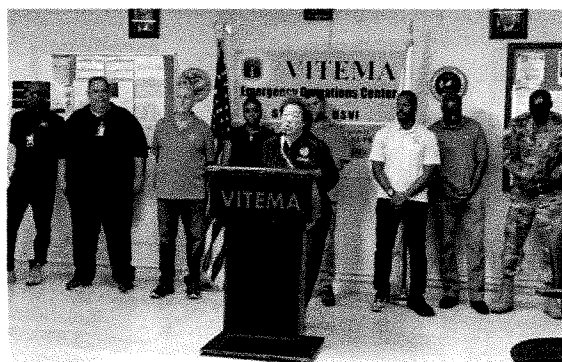
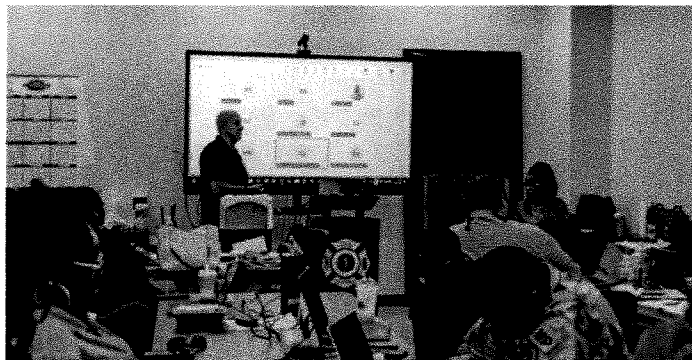


- **Experiencing drought, dry conditions or high winds?** Do not use fireworks or sparklers because they may start a fire.
- **Check local laws.** There may be age requirements and restrictions on where and when you can use fireworks. Check with local and county fire officials to ensure there is no local fire ban in place.
- **Never let children handle fireworks and be careful with sparklers.** Sparklers can cause serious burns.
- **Be mindful of your neighbors, pets and wildlife.** Fireworks can disturb people sensitive to loud sounds and frighten pets and wildlife, causing them to run away or become injured.
- **Choose a safe location.** Only use fireworks outdoors in a clear, open area away from homes, vehicles, dry grass, trees and anything else that can ignite. Be aware your area may have drought conditions increasing the likelihood of fires.
- **Do not use commercial fireworks.** They are extremely powerful and dangerous.
- **Dispose of fireworks safely.** Pour plenty of water on all fireworks after they are completely burnt out.
- **Stay alert and sober.** Never use fireworks while impaired by alcohol or drugs. Designate a responsible adult to supervise all firework activities.
- **Handle fireworks safely:** Avoid placing body parts over fireworks and never launch fireworks off any part of the body. Do not point or throw fireworks at another person. Never relight or pick up a firework that hasn't fully ignited.

FEMA in Your Neighborhood

2026 Caribbean Area Readiness Initiative

June 1-5, 2026-- FEMA Region 2 held its annual Caribbean Area Readiness Initiative in Puerto Rico and the U.S. Virgin Islands. This year, efforts included the development and refinement of force packages, advancement of lines of effort, diversified training delivery and exercise evolutions. The expanded efforts have been well received by the Government of Puerto Rico and the Government of the U.S. Virgin Islands, in addition to FEMA staff. All stakeholders have realized the collective increase in capabilities as a result.



(Top L) St. Thomas -- Territorial and federal partners focus on a hurricane response readiness exercise.

(Top R) St. Thomas -- U.S.V.I. FEMA Integration Team lead Aaron VanDoren speaks with U.S. Coast Guard Lt. Cmdr. Brian Dochtermann after a Hurricane Decision Support Tool facilitated discussion during the exercise.

(Bottom L) Puerto Rico -- FEMA IA Specialist Marilis Cuevas facilitates a Feeding Task Force tabletop exercise during the Caribbean Readiness Initiative in Puerto Rico.

(Bottom R) St. Croix -- Staff conduct a mock press conference as part of the Capstone exercise.

Photos courtesy of FEMA

Upcoming Partner Events

DHS Center for Countering Human Trafficking

2026 Anti-Human Trafficking Symposium:
Action is the Solution
August 18 – 19, 2026






Human trafficking demands a response that no single agency or sector can deliver alone.

The DHS Center for Countering Human Trafficking (CCHT), Blue Campaign is pleased to present the **2026 Anti-Human Trafficking Symposium**, a two-day, in-person event designed for the major industries, service providers, law enforcement, advocates, and federal partners who are doing this work every day.

This year's theme, ***Action is the Solution***, centers on best practices and real-world solutions that can be adopted and adapted across communities, agencies, and disciplines. Whether you're in law enforcement, social

services, or a federal role supporting anti-trafficking efforts, this symposium is built around the connections and conversations that move the needle.

Additional agenda details and logistics will be shared with registered participants ahead of the event.

Date and Location: The Symposium will be held at the **Ritz-Carlton, Pentagon City** (1250 S Hayes St, Arlington, VA) on **August 18 –19, 2026**. For attendees needing accommodation, hotel rooms will be available at the government rate. Booking information and the link will be provided in the registration confirmation email.

Registration: Visit BlueCampaign.gov/Symposium today to learn more about the agenda and reserve your spot!

Attendance is free, but space is limited. Registration **closes August 7 at 5:00 PM ET**, or when capacity is reached, whichever comes first.

If you have any questions about this event, please contact BlueCampaign@hsi.dhs.gov.

Funding Opportunities

FEMA Announces \$1.5 Billion to Empower Communities to Prevent Terrorism and Protect American Infrastructure

Last week FEMA made more than \$1 billion available through its **Fiscal Year (FY) 2026 Homeland Security Grant Program (HSGP)** funding opportunities. This program enables state, territorial, Tribal Nation and local governments to build local capacity to prevent, protect against and respond to acts of terrorism. HSGP includes three separate grant programs: the State Homeland Security Program (SHSP), the Urban Area Security Initiative (UASI) and Operation Stonegarden. Recipients of SHSP and UASI funding are expected to align projects along core national security priorities identified by the Secretary of Homeland Security.

In addition to the Homeland Security Grant Program, FEMA also made more than \$500 million available through six additional grant programs focused on protecting the American public from acts of terrorism:

- FEMA published the FY 2026 **Nonprofit Security Grant Program** funding opportunity, making **\$300 million** available to houses of worship, community centers and other nonprofit organizations. Recipients can use this funding to harden their defenses against acts of terrorism and targeted violence. This program helps ensure Americans can safely practice their faith and gather in community with one another.
- FEMA published the FY 2026 **Port Security Grant Program** funding opportunity, making **\$95 million** available to port authorities and facility operators, as well as state, local and territorial government agencies. Recipients can use this funding to protect the nation's critical port infrastructure from acts of terrorism and cyberattacks.
- FEMA published the FY 2026 **Transit Security Grant Program** funding opportunity, making more than **\$88 million** available to protect transportation infrastructure, like city bus systems, ferries and passenger rail. This program is designed to keep the traveling public safe from acts of terrorism.
- FEMA published the FY 2026 **Tribal Homeland Security Grant Program** funding opportunity, making more than **\$14 million** available to Tribal Nations. Through this program, Tribal Nations can receive funding to improve their ability to prevent, protect against and respond to acts of terrorism.
- FEMA published the FY 2026 **Intercity Passenger Rail Grant Program**, making **\$9.5 million** available to Amtrak. This program is designed to keep the traveling public safe from acts of terrorism by enabling Amtrak to improve the resilience and security of its rail lines.

- FEMA published the FY 2026 **Intercity Bus Security Grant Program** funding opportunity, making **\$1.5 million** available to enhance the security of intercity bus systems. In years past, recipients have used this funding to conduct risk assessments and install new equipment like video surveillance systems and metal detectors.

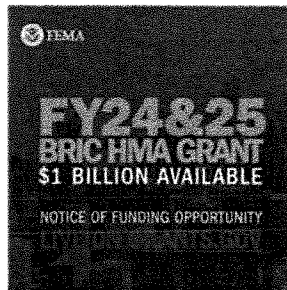
The application period for these funding opportunities opens June 24, 2026, and closes at 5 p.m. ET on July 24, 2026. States and other eligible applicants should carefully review each funding notice to learn more about the eligibility requirements and evaluation criteria. Notices of Funding Opportunity and supporting documents are available on [Grants.gov](https://www.grants.gov).

Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities NOFO

FEMA has published the Fiscal Years 2024-25 funding opportunity for the Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities program. The application period is open for 120 days and the deadline for submissions is July 23, 2026.

Eligible applicants and subapplicants must apply through the FEMA Grants Outcomes (FEMA GO) portal. The full Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) is published on [Grants.gov](https://www.grants.gov).

Previous subapplications submitted for the initial BRIC funding opportunity published in January 2025 will not be reviewed. FEMA encourages applicants and subapplicants to review, update and resubmit new applications in accordance with this new Fiscal Years 2024-25 BRIC funding opportunity.



FY 2024-25 Webinar Series

To support applicants and subapplicants, FEMA is hosting a BRIC FY24/25 NOFO webinar series covering program priorities, eligibility, and application guidance.

[To learn more and register for webinars.](#)

Apply for FEMA's FY2024 Flood Mitigation Assistance Grant Program

FEMA recently hosted a webinar on eligibility and application requirements for the current Fiscal Year (FY) 2024 Flood Mitigation Assistance Program funding opportunity. Through this program, FEMA is making \$600 million available to state, local, tribal and territorial governments, empowering them to take decisive, proactive steps to protect their communities from flood disasters. Watch the [FY2024 Flood Mitigation Assistance funding opportunity](#) webinar for an overview of this funding opportunity, including recent amendments and important changes as of April 30. Topics covered include:

- Tips for preparing and submitting high-quality subapplications and applications.
- Eligibility requirements for applicants, including states, territories and federally recognized tribal nations.
- A recorded question-and-answer session.

Applicants have until 3:00 p.m. EDT, Thursday, August 6, to revise and resubmit their application to FEMA. States, territories and tribal nations may have an earlier deadline for subapplications. All applications must be

submitted using [FEMA Grants Outcomes \(FEMA GO\)](#). Learn more about this funding opportunity and its recent amendments via the [FEMA website](#).

New School Safety Funding Opportunities

The Department of Justice (DOJ) is now accepting applications for two school safety funding opportunities: the [COPS Hiring Program](#) and the [School Violence Prevention Program](#). The [COPS Hiring Program](#) provides funding to law enforcement agencies to support hiring efforts that increase community policing capacity and crime prevention efforts, including funding for school resource officers. The [School Violence Prevention Program](#) provides funding to improve security at schools and on school grounds through evidence-based programs and technology. DOJ will host [webinars](#) on both grant opportunities to provide prospective applicants with an overview of program requirements and helpful tips for applying.

The Administration for Children and Families at the Department of Health and Human Services, on behalf of the Department of Education, also announced the availability of \$93 million in funding through the [School Safety Enhancement program](#). This program will support states in implementing evidence-based school safety measures, including improving school infrastructure security, strengthening emergency response planning and coordination, and enhancing training and preparedness exercises for school personnel and school resource officers.

Learn more about these grants and find additional school safety funding opportunities through the [SchoolSafety.gov Grants Finder Tool](#).

In the News

Chemical, Biological, Radiological, and Nuclear (CBRN) Support Directorate

BREAKING NEWS //

FEMA is absorbing multiple programs and capabilities from the Department of Homeland Security's Countering Weapons of Mass Destruction Office (CWMD). These teams empower communities across the country to prepare for and respond to chemical, biological, radiological, and nuclear (CBRN) threats:

The **Threat Intelligence** team analyzes CBRN intelligence and provides strategic and operational guidance to enable federal, state, local, tribal, and territorial law enforcement officials to plan for, detect, and protect against threats.

The **BioWatch** program provides 24/7 biodetection operations in more than 30 major metropolitan areas across the country. BioWatch also provides training and exercises to help state and local officials learn how to respond if a threat is detected.

The **Securing the Cities** program provides equipment, technical and exercise support, training, and planning guidance to 14 high-risk designated urban areas to enhance their ability to detect and prevent terrorist attacks using radiological or nuclear materials.

The **Mobile Detection Deployment Program** deploys detection and monitoring capabilities across the country to ensure state and local law enforcement agencies have what they need to address chemical, radiological, and nuclear threats. Deployments are typically requested to help secure special events such as concerts, marathons, parades, festivals, and college and professional sports.

The **ChemPREP** program helps state, local, tribal, and territorial partners prepare to respond to a chemical incident by providing tailored training and exercises, relevant to each local jurisdiction's unique chemical risks and vulnerabilities.

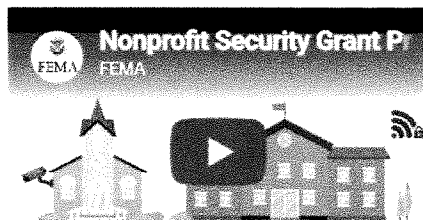
The **Training and Exercises** team develops and supports exercises, including national-level exercises with interagency partners as well as state and local exercises. They also conduct robust training on CBRN detection and response for law enforcement officers.

The **Test and Evaluation** team conducts independent assessments of detection technologies to verify and validate their technical and operational capabilities. This work ensures technologies are effective, reliable, and mission ready.

This work aligns with FEMA's resilience mission and will expand how we support the communities and partners we serve every day. The staff joining FEMA from CWMD bring deep expertise and a commitment to keeping the American people safe. They are forming a new CBRN Support Directorate within Resilience.

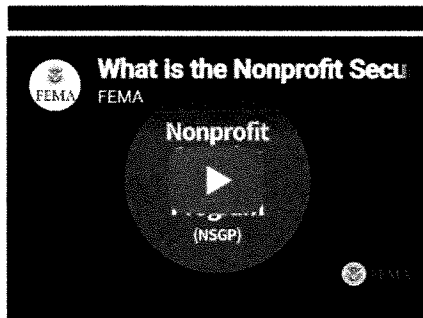
Faithfully Prepared

The [Nonprofit Security Grant Program \(NSGP\)](#) provides funding support for target hardening and other physical security enhancements and activities to nonprofit organizations that are at high risk of terrorist attack. The intent is to integrate nonprofit preparedness activities with broader state and local preparedness efforts. It is also designed to promote coordination and collaboration in emergency preparedness activities among public and private community representatives, as well as state and local government agencies.



[Nonprofit Security Grant Program Snapshot](#)

[Learn about Nonprofit Security Grant Program funding for community organizations, including places of worship, and where to go for information about applying.](#)



[Nonprofit Security Grant Program Awareness Training Videos](#)

Best Practice in New Jersey



The New Jersey Office of Homeland Security and Preparedness (NJOHSP), through its Interfaith Advisory Council (IAC) and New Jersey Cybersecurity and Communications Integration Cell, partnered with the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the New Jersey State Police to deliver a free virtual cybersecurity training series from June 1 to 5. The program covered topics including the current cybersecurity threat environment, crimes against children, the 764 NVE network and sextortion, elder fraud, fraud targeting houses of worship, and an overview of the IC3. These sessions provided timely and practical information to help safeguard individuals and houses of worship throughout New Jersey.

The IAC is an NJOHSP initiative that connects faith-based leaders across New Jersey with State, local, and federal partners. The council strengthens communication, coordination, and collaboration to enhance the security and resilience of houses of worship. Through training, planning, and ongoing engagement, the IAC helps religious institutions prevent, prepare for, respond to, and recover from potential security threats. For more information about the IAC, [click here](#).



If you have a faith related best practice you'd like to share with our readers, please send to deborah.costa@fema.dhs.gov

Training Opportunities



Psychological First Aid Training with Burlington County (NJ) COAD

Join Burlington County COAD on Saturday, August 1st from 8:30 am until 3:30 pm for a Psychological First Aid (PFA) training at the Burlington County Emergency Services Training Center (53 Academy Drive, Westampton, NJ 08060). This training helps participants learn the core actions of PFA and describes ways to apply them in different post-disaster scenarios and with different survivor needs. DRCC credits can be earned from this training. Only a few spots remain, so [find out more and register here!](#)

The Citizen Preparedness Corps (CPC) Training in New York

Its purpose is to teach people how to prepare for disaster or emergency situations. The course includes information about the types of risks and hazards people face. It teaches how to develop individual and household plans. The training also encourages all to think about and save needed emergency supplies. Learning how to help yourself and others in advance will help you react faster when facing a crisis.

Check out the [training calendar](#) to see when a course is being offered in your area.

Homeland Security Grant Program/Nonprofit Security Grant Program Webinar Series

The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) invites State Administrative Agencies to our Summer Webinar Series. We are establishing this series of webinars to increase transparency and ensure eligible applicants have the information they need to successfully participate in the Homeland Security Grant Program and Nonprofit Security Grant Program.

This series will focus on:

- The Fiscal Year 2026 Application Timeline;
- Recent Policy Decisions; and
- Other Key Program Guidance.

Tuesday, July 7 at 2 p.m. ET

Link to register: https://fema.zoomgov.com/webinar/register/WN_KBQnKRvnTlyHhboTPypAcg

Tuesday, July 14 at 2 p.m. ET

Link to register: https://fema.zoomgov.com/webinar/register/WN_PB_igLILQVaCXoVI_An_rQ

Building Safer Schools: A Three-Part Series on Prevention, Protection, and Resilience July 22 | August 19 | September 9 | 2:00 - 2:30 PM EST

Join leading experts in comprehensive school safety for a three-part school safety series designed to help participants build a strong, sustainable culture of safety on your campus. In this free series, each 30-minute session is specifically designed to deliver focused, actionable insights to fit seamlessly into the demands of the busy back-to-school season.

Attendees are encouraged to participate in the full series but are welcome to register for individual sessions.

[Register here.](#)

Upcoming NJ Office of Homeland Security and Preparedness Trainings

The New Jersey Office of Homeland Security and Preparedness (NJOHSP) Training and Exercise Bureau, in partnership with the National Domestic Preparedness Consortium (NDPC) and the National Cybersecurity Preparedness Consortium (NCPC), is sponsoring multiple training opportunities.

MGT-328: Critical Thinking and Risk Management in a Cyber-Converged World will be an instructor-led **virtual** session on **August 11 from 12:00 PM - 4:00 PM ET**.

PER-338: Cybersecurity in a Resource Constrained Environment for Public and Rural Utilities will be held in-person in Newark, NJ on August 12-13 from 8:00 AM - 5:00 PMET.

Registration: Space is limited and registration is required. Note: Students must have a FEMA Student Identification Number (SID) to attend this course. To obtain a SID, click here

Navigating Digital Threats: Strategies to Prevent Online Child Exploitation

The threat of online child exploitation is pervasive and growing, especially as digital technologies advance and students spend increased time online at home and at school. It is critically important that schools are properly accounting for and addressing this threat as part of their school safety programs.

Ahead of the next school year, please join the Federal School Safety Clearinghouse on Thursday, July 23 for a virtual training on preventing and responding to online child exploitation in K-12 communities. This session will feature a panel discussion with experts from the U.S. Department of Justice and National Center for Missing and Exploited Children, who will share valuable tools and resources to combat online child exploitation and educate teachers, students, and families.

Event Details

- **When:** July 23, 2026, from 3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. EDT
 - **Where:** Microsoft Teams Live (*access link to be provided to registrants one day in advance of the event*)
 - **Registration:** K12DigitalThreats.eventbrite.com
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Region 2 Training Calendars

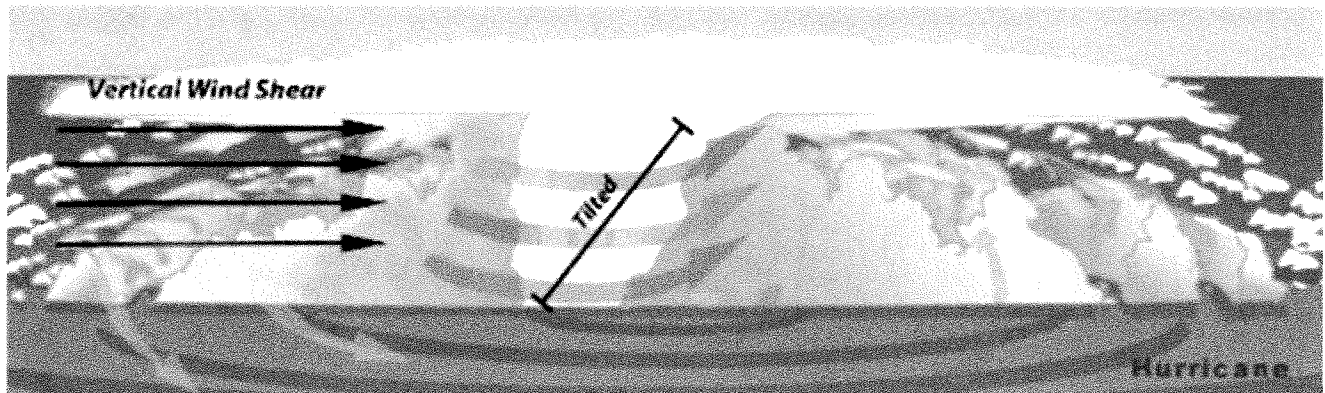
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Must Reads

What Is Wind Shear, and Why Does It Matter During Hurricane Season?

Wind shear is a weather term often used during hurricane season, but it can sometimes sound like technical jargon. For residents in the U.S. Virgin Islands and across the Caribbean, understanding what wind shear means can help explain why some tropical waves struggle to develop, while others can organize when conditions are favorable. Learn more.



NOAA graphic showing how vertical wind shear can tilt a hurricane's structure, disrupting the flow of heat and moisture needed for the storm to strengthen. (Photo courtesy NOAA)

Earthquake ShakeMap Model added to FEMA's Hazus Tool, enhancing usability and functionality

FEMA recently released [Hazus 7.2](#), an upgraded version of its hazard risk assessment desktop software, which is used by emergency managers, planners and researchers across the country. Hazus is a Geographic Information System-based risk assessment desktop software that provides essential hazard risk assessment information and modeling for communities in the United States. FEMA encourages users to download Hazus 7.2 from the [FEMA Flood Map Service Center](#). The agency is releasing this to provide emergency managers, planners and researchers with enhanced risk assessment information and modeling for communities in the United States. In addition to floods and earthquakes, users can now estimate the real-time impacts of earthquakes in ArcGIS Pro's software. To learn more about the updated Hazus release, read the [Hazus Release Notes](#). Questions can be directed to fema-hazus-support@fema.dhs.gov.

Kids Corner



Preparedness Tip

Heat Exhaustion

ACT FAST

- Move to a cooler area
- Loosen clothing
- Sip cool water
- Seek medical help if symptoms don't improve

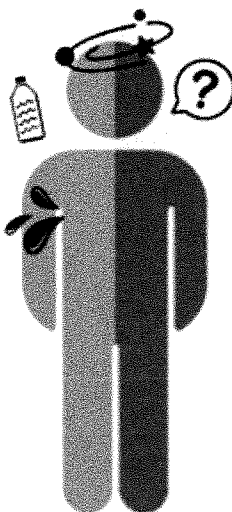
Dizziness

Thirst

Heavy Sweating

Nausea

Weakness



Heat Stroke

ACT FAST

CALL 911

- Move person to a cooler area
- Loosen clothing and remove extra layers
- Cool with water or ice

Confusion

Dizziness

Becomes Unconscious

Heat exhaustion can lead to heat stroke.

Heat stroke can cause death or permanent disability if emergency treatment is not given.



Stay Cool, Stay Hydrated, Stay Informed!



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	101 SURPLUS ANTICIPATED	8,640.00	2,924,750.00	0.00	0.00	2,924,750.00-	0
6-01-08-102-103	Other Permits - Assmt. Fees	30.00	0.00	140.00	350.00	350.00	0
6-01-08-102-104	Other Permits - Planning	630.00	0.00	1,660.00	14,280.00	14,280.00	0
6-01-08-102-105	Other Permits - Health	22,139.00	0.00	16,705.00	68,513.00	68,513.00	0
6-01-08-102-106	Other Permits - Police	2,508.32	0.00	1,271.25	14,301.25	14,301.25	0
6-01-08-102-107	Other Permits - Registrar	567.00	0.00	356.00	2,168.00	2,168.00	0
6-01-08-102-112	Other Permits - Engineering	475.00	0.00	1,275.00	4,200.00	4,200.00	0
6-01-08-102-113	Other Permits - Zoning	1,010.00	0.00	1,800.00	7,250.00	7,250.00	0
6-01-08-102-114	Other Permits - Township Clerk	198.25	0.00	15.00	17,994.00	17,994.00	0
6-01-08-102-115	Other Permits -Water Testing	0.00	0.00	53.00	650.00	650.00	0
6-01-08-102-122	Other Fees - Vacant/Abandoned Prop Reg	0.00	0.00	1,500.00	12,750.00	12,750.00	0
	102 Other Fees and Permits	27,557.57	0.00	24,775.25	142,456.25	142,456.25	0
6-01-08-103-000	ABC Licenses - Liquor	0.00	29,000.00	14,784.00	28,500.00	500.00-	98
	103 Alcoholic Beverage Licenses	0.00	29,000.00	14,784.00	28,500.00	500.00-	98
6-01-08-104-001	Due from MOCC - Debt Payment	0.00	0.00	0.00	32,251.50	32,251.50	0
	104 Other Licenses	0.00	0.00	0.00	32,251.50	32,251.50	0
6-01-08-107-000	Hotel Tax Revenues	0.00	282,000.00	15,156.53	98,889.31	183,110.69-	35
	107 Hotel Tax Revenues	0.00	282,000.00	15,156.53	98,889.31	183,110.69-	35
6-01-08-108-000	NJ Fire Safety - Life Hazard	0.00	129,900.00	0.00	0.00	129,900.00-	0

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	108 NJ Fire Safety - Life Hazard	0.00	129,900.00	0.00	0.00	129,900.00-	0
6-01-08-109-000	Fire Prevention Inspection - Mount Olive	80,480.00	166,000.00	6,359.00	47,843.00	118,157.00-	29
6-01-08-109-001	Fire Prevention Inspection: Hackettstown	0.00	66,250.00	4,779.00	63,186.00	3,064.00-	95
6-01-08-109-002	Fire Prevention Inspection - Allamuchy	0.00	11,500.00	611.00	11,350.00	150.00-	99
	109 Fire Prevention Inspection Fees	80,480.00	243,750.00	11,749.00	122,379.00	121,371.00-	50
6-01-08-110-000	Fines and Costs - Munic. Court	0.00	216,000.00	19,513.18	103,143.07	112,856.93-	48
	110 Municipal Court	0.00	216,000.00	19,513.18	103,143.07	112,856.93-	47
6-01-08-112-000	Interest and Costs on Taxes	0.00	136,800.00	7,167.58	66,029.52	70,770.48-	48
	112 Interest and Costs on Taxes	0.00	136,800.00	7,167.58	66,029.52	70,770.48-	48
6-01-08-113-000	Interest on Investments	0.00	567,000.00	0.00	22,393.95	544,606.05-	4
6-01-08-113-001	Interest on Developer Deposits	0.00	4,500.00	0.00	0.00	4,500.00-	0
	113 Interest on Investments & Deposits	0.00	571,500.00	0.00	22,393.95	549,106.05-	3
6-01-08-117-001	Cable TV Franchise Fee - Altice	0.00	82,000.00	0.00	82,492.00	492.00	101
	117 Cable TV Franchise Fees	0.00	82,000.00	0.00	82,492.00	492.00	100
6-01-08-118-000	Water Tower Rentals	0.00	485,000.00	12,584.76	221,139.78	263,860.22-	46
	118 Water Tower Leases	0.00	485,000.00	12,584.76	221,139.78	263,860.22-	45
6-01-08-127-000	Interlocal Health Agreements	34,816.25	0.00	0.00	133,184.44	133,184.44	0
	127 Interlocal Health Agreements	34,816.25	0.00	0.00	133,184.44	133,184.44	0
6-01-08-160-100	Uniform Construction Fees	0.00	900,000.00	457,129.00	848,040.00	51,960.00-	94

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	160 Uniform Construction Code	0.00	900,000.00	457,129.00	848,040.00	51,960.00-	94
6-01-08-225-000	Due from Open Space - Debt	0.00	315,666.00	0.00	0.00	315,666.00-	0
	225 Due from Open Space - Debt	0.00	315,666.00	0.00	0.00	315,666.00-	0
6-01-08-245-000	Due from Sports Orgs - Debt Payback	0.00	125,000.00	0.00	118,694.72	6,305.28-	95
6-01-08-245-100	Due from Sports Org - Ord Down Payment	0.00	36,750.00	0.00	2,125.00	34,625.00-	6
	245 Due from Sports Orgs - Debt Payback	0.00	161,750.00	0.00	120,819.72	40,930.28-	74
	08 Local Revenue	151,493.82	6,478,116.00	562,859.30	2,021,718.54	4,456,397.46-	31
6-01-09-202-000	State Aid - Energy Receipts Tax	0.00	1,989,677.00	0.00	0.00	1,989,677.00-	0
	202 Energy Receipts Tax	0.00	1,989,677.00	0.00	0.00	1,989,677.00-	0
6-01-09-206-000	State Aid - Garden State Trust	0.00	82,145.00	0.00	0.00	82,145.00-	0
	206 Garden State Trust	0.00	82,145.00	0.00	0.00	82,145.00-	0
6-01-09-207-000	State Aid - Watershed Moratorium Aid	0.00	9,165.00	0.00	0.00	9,165.00-	0
	207 Watershed Moratorium Aid	0.00	9,165.00	0.00	0.00	9,165.00-	0
	09 State Aid	0.00	2,080,987.00	0.00	0.00	2,080,987.00-	0
6-01-11-108-101	Interlocal Court Agreement - Netcong	0.00	67,500.00	0.00	46,625.00	20,875.00-	69
	108 Total	0.00	67,500.00	0.00	46,625.00	20,875.00-	69
6-01-11-110-101	Interlocal Agreement - SRO with BOE	0.00	47,250.00	0.00	23,250.00	24,000.00-	49
	110 Municipal Court	0.00	47,250.00	0.00	23,250.00	24,000.00-	49

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6-01-11-113-101	Shared Svc - Mine Hill Animal Control	0.00	3,600.00	0.00	500.00	3,100.00-	14
	113 Interest on Investments & Deposits	0.00	3,600.00	0.00	500.00	3,100.00-	13
6-01-11-114-101	Shared Svc - Mine Hill Health Svcs	0.00	48,248.00	0.00	0.00	48,248.00-	0
6-01-11-114-102	Shared Svc - Mountain Lakes Health Svcs	0.00	37,595.00	0.00	0.00	37,595.00-	0
6-01-11-114-103	Shared Svc - Mt Arlington Health Svcs	0.00	49,955.00	0.00	0.00	49,955.00-	0
6-01-11-114-104	Shared Svc - Netcong Health Svcs	0.00	51,500.00	0.00	0.00	51,500.00-	0
6-01-11-114-105	Shared Svc - Wharton Health Svcs	0.00	104,820.00	0.00	0.00	104,820.00-	0
	114 Interlocal Health Agreement	0.00	292,118.00	0.00	0.00	292,118.00-	0
6-01-11-116-101	Shared Svc - Morris County Nutrition	0.00	2,000.00	0.00	0.00	2,000.00-	0
	116 Total	0.00	2,000.00	0.00	0.00	2,000.00-	0
6-01-11-117-101	Shared Svc - Washington Transportation	0.00	86,596.00	21,649.00	43,298.00	43,298.00-	50
	117 Cable TV Franchise Fees	0.00	86,596.00	21,649.00	43,298.00	43,298.00-	50
6-01-11-118-101	Interlocal Fire Prev Roxbury Agreement	0.00	29,500.00	0.00	0.00	29,500.00-	0
6-01-11-118-105	Interlocal Agreement - Washingtwn/Plumb	0.00	11,000.00	0.00	11,000.00	0.00	100
	118 Water Tower Leases	0.00	40,500.00	0.00	11,000.00	29,500.00-	27
	11 Total	0.00	539,564.00	21,649.00	124,673.00	414,891.00-	23
	CURRENT OPERATING Revenue Totals	151,493.82	9,098,667.00	584,508.30	2,146,391.54	6,952,275.46-	23

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6-01-00-000-000	CURRENT FUND	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0

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6-01-20-701-000	ADMINISTRATION	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-20-701-010	Salaries & Wages - Administration	56,729.86	674,000.00	59,267.99	372,646.76	301,353.24	55
6-01-20-701-020	Other Expenses - Adminstration	3,278.11	119,950.00	251.82	17,242.30	102,707.70	14
6-01-20-702-000	MAYOR AND COUNCIL	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-20-702-010	Salaries & Wages - Mayor/Council	8,400.02	112,000.00	9,510.02	66,570.14	45,429.86	59
6-01-20-702-020	Other Expenses - Mayor/Council	811.28	17,250.00	133.18	10,215.64	7,034.36	59
6-01-20-703-000	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-20-703-020	Other Expenses - Information Technology	13,816.71	275,716.00	20,831.68	184,391.85	91,324.15	67
6-01-20-704-000	MUNICIPAL CLERK	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-20-704-010	Salaries & Wages - Municipal Clerk	18,846.02	254,700.00	19,589.00	139,021.53	115,678.47	55
6-01-20-704-020	Other Expenses - Mun. Clerk	0.00	47,505.00	0.00	3,435.13	44,069.87	7
6-01-20-705-000	FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATION	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-20-705-010	Salaries & Wages - Finance	25,465.11	344,500.00	22,265.88	184,523.36	159,976.64	54
6-01-20-705-020	Other Expenses - Finance	2,585.20	42,875.00	11,414.00-	30,703.00	12,172.00	72
6-01-20-706-000	AUDIT/MGMT SERVICES	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-20-706-020	Other Expenses - Audit	0.00	70,000.00	0.00	13,511.90	56,488.10	19
6-01-20-707-000	ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-20-707-020	Other Expenses - Economic Development	0.00	500.00	0.00	0.00	500.00	0
6-01-20-708-000	TAX COLLECTION	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-20-708-010	Salaries & Wages - Tax Collection	7,135.20	97,900.00	7,530.48	53,667.21	44,232.79	55

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6-01-20-708-020	Other Expenses - Tax Collection	1,438.00	16,875.00	1,494.50	3,476.00	13,399.00	21
6-01-20-709-020	ETHICS BOARD	0.00	500.00	0.00	0.00	500.00	0
6-01-20-710-000	TAX ASSESSMENT/ADMINISTRATION	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-20-710-010	Salaries & Wages - Tax Assessment	10,769.24	147,800.00	11,365.84	79,810.88	67,989.12	54
6-01-20-710-020	Other Expenses - Tax Assessment	841.56	33,850.00	771.57	6,475.55	27,374.45	19
6-01-20-711-020	OPEN SPACE COMMITTEE	0.00	1,500.00	0.00	0.00	1,500.00	0
6-01-20-712-000	LEGAL EXPENSES	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-20-712-046	Other Expenses - Legal Expenses	32,567.14	481,725.00	48,485.38	177,788.70	303,936.30	37
6-01-20-713-020	ENVIRONMENTAL COMMITTEE	0.00	525.00	0.00	0.00	525.00	0
6-01-20-714-000	HISTORICAL SOCIETY	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-20-714-020	Other Expenses - Historical Society	453.00	4,000.00	0.00	361.27	3,638.73	9
6-01-20-715-000	ENGINEERING	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-20-715-010	Engineering - S/W	5,195.72	46,200.00	16,451.84	37,892.11	8,307.89	82
6-01-20-715-020	Other Expenses - Engineering	2,918.01	33,125.00	6,380.33	10,640.83	22,484.17	32
6-01-20-716-000	PUBLIC DEFENDER	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-20-716-100	Other Expenses - Public Defender	7,500.00	33,000.00	7,900.00	15,400.00	17,600.00	47
6-01-21-720-000	PLANNING	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0

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6-01-21-720-010	Salaries & Wages - Planning	9,037.24	121,400.00	9,336.20	63,863.88	57,536.12	53
6-01-21-720-020	Other Expenses - Planning	2,737.58	56,420.00	7,643.00	22,949.86	33,470.14	41
6-01-22-725-000	BUILDING DEPARTMENT	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-22-725-010	Salaries & Wages - Building Department	36,905.86	476,900.00	42,085.32	284,051.26	192,848.74	60
6-01-22-725-020	Other Expenses - Building Department	0.00	24,200.00	2,890.00	6,001.60	18,198.40	25
6-01-23-730-000	GENERAL INSURANCE PREMIUMS	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-23-730-020	Other Expenses - General Insurance	0.00	1,018,400.00	0.00	496,103.00	522,297.00	49
6-01-23-733-000	EMPLOYEE GROUP INSURANCE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-23-733-020	Other Expenses - Group Insurance	448,892.29	6,310,400.00	26,799.15	3,377,265.79	2,933,134.21	54
6-01-24-733-000	HEALTH BENEFIT WAIVER	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-24-733-020	Other Expenses - Health Benefit Waiver	31,679.75	70,000.00	27,600.75	27,600.75	42,399.25	39
6-01-25-245-010	Salary & Wage: Volunteer Incentive LOSAP	0.00	20,000.00	20,050.00	20,050.00	50.00-	100
6-01-25-745-000	POLICE DEPARTMENT	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-25-745-010	Salaries & Wages - Police Department	650,742.30	8,618,500.00	645,663.18	4,491,819.49	4,126,680.51	52
6-01-25-745-020	Other Expenses - Police Department	30,322.43	286,750.00	33,236.89	119,406.89	167,343.11	42
6-01-25-747-000	OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0

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6-01-25-747-010	Salaries - OEM	1,923.94	20,000.00	2,084.00	14,271.12	5,728.88	71
6-01-25-747-020	Other Expenses - OEM	0.00	3,450.00	0.00	42.38	3,407.62	1
6-01-25-749-000	LENGTH OF SERVICE AWARD PROGRM	0.00	150,000.00	0.00	0.00	150,000.00	0
6-01-25-750-000	BUDD LAKE RESCUE SQUAD	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-25-750-020	Other Expenses - Budd Lake Rescue Squad	17,379.24	108,550.00	244.98	42,450.78	66,099.22	39
6-01-25-751-000	FLANDERS RESCUE SQUAD	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-25-751-020	Other Expenses - Flanders Rescue Squad	76.39	106,550.00	76.40	56,825.33	49,724.67	53
6-01-25-752-000	BUDD LAKE FIRE COMPANY	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-25-752-020	Other Expenses - Budd Lake Fire	252.47	157,375.00	252.47	78,910.75	78,464.25	50
6-01-25-753-000	FIRE PREVENTION	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-25-753-010	Salaries & Wages - Fire Prevention	31,989.07	360,950.00	24,149.56	255,449.24	105,500.76	71
6-01-25-753-020	Other Expenses - Fire Prevention	204.13	18,650.00	998.00	2,585.57	16,064.43	14
6-01-25-754-000	FLANDERS FIRE COMPANY	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-25-754-020	Other Expenses - Flanders Fire	29,905.98	155,275.00	76.39	114,946.52	40,328.48	74
6-01-25-755-000	FIRE HYDRANT RENTAL	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-25-755-020	Other Expenses - Fire Hydrant Rental	4,443.19	25,000.00	4,545.42	10,878.85	14,121.15	44
6-01-26-000-000	PUBLIC WORKS FUNCTIONS	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-26-765-000	DPW - STREET & ROADS MAINTENANCE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0

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6-01-26-765-010	Salaries & Wages - Streets and Roads	54,207.31	987,700.00	67,217.32	561,990.46	425,709.54	57
6-01-26-765-020	Other Expenses - Streets & Roads	39,773.55	781,810.00	28,232.85	359,975.50	421,834.50	46
6-01-26-768-000	DPW - FLEET MAINTENANCE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-26-768-010	Salary & Wages - Fleet Maintenance	17,693.02	237,600.00	18,709.94	121,834.12	115,765.88	51
6-01-26-768-020	O/E - Fleet Maintenance	15,506.46	190,000.00	9,377.45	79,757.33	110,242.67	42
6-01-26-772-000	DPW - BUILDINGS & GROUNDS	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-26-772-010	Salaries & Wages - Buildings and Grounds	76,954.72	927,500.00	81,261.97	511,884.72	415,615.28	55
6-01-26-772-020	Other Expenses - Buildings and Grounds	56,725.42	657,500.00	66,521.70	291,298.96	366,201.04	44
6-01-26-775-000	TRAFFIC & STREET SIGNS	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-26-775-020	Other Expenses - Street Signs	215.77	85,550.00	0.00	872.12	84,677.88	1
6-01-27-785-000	PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICES	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-27-785-010	Salaries & Wages - Public Health	48,047.43	414,900.00	53,823.51	376,241.40	38,658.60	91
6-01-27-785-020	Other Expenses - Public Health	7,502.24	22,034.00	1,928.94	73,779.95-	95,813.95	335-
6-01-27-786-000	INTERLOCAL AGREEMENTS	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-27-786-020	Interlocal Agreements - O/E	0.00	22,750.00	0.00	0.00	22,750.00	0
6-01-27-790-000	SENIOR SERVICES	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-27-790-010	Salaries & Wages - Senior Services	14,221.54	110,104.00	14,572.61	104,222.51	5,881.49	95
6-01-27-790-020	Other Expenses - Senior Services	1,799.97	16,418.00	4,194.94	8,291.15	8,126.85	50

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6-01-29-800-000	MOUNT OLIVE LIBRARY	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-29-800-020	Other Expenses - Mt. Olive Library	16,921.40	1,779,613.00	1,435.16	715,284.75	1,064,328.25	40
6-01-31-430-000	UTILITY EXPENSES	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-31-430-020	Other Expenses - Utility	43,825.04	847,500.00	38,931.45	288,411.73	559,088.27	34
6-01-31-826-000	STREET LIGHTING	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-31-826-020	Other Expenses - Street Lights	16,831.58	180,000.00	25,437.97	91,718.95	88,281.05	51
6-01-36-845-000	SOCIAL SECURITY SYSTEM	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-36-845-020	Other Expenses - Social Security	86,275.54	1,131,400.00	91,225.25	621,022.48	510,377.52	55
6-01-36-846-000	UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-36-847-020	PENSION CONTRIBUTIONS	0.00	3,554,092.00	0.00	0.00	3,554,092.00	0
6-01-37-847-020	DCRP EMPLOYER COSTS	903.34	16,000.00	1,996.39	8,109.11	7,890.89	51
6-01-39-250-000	CONTRIBUTION DEPARTMENT	0.00	5,000.00	0.00	0.00	5,000.00	0
6-01-39-251-020	ANIMAL CONTROL CONTRIBUTION	0.00	123,920.00	123,920.00	123,920.00	0.00	100
6-01-40-301-010	CLEAN COMMUNITIES GRANT	0.00	29,968.61	0.00	0.00	29,968.61	0

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6-01-40-303-010	DISTRACTED DRIVING GRANT	0.00	2,450.00	0.00	0.00	2,450.00	0
6-01-40-710-020	NATIONAL OPIOD SETTLEMENT	0.00	1,223.77	0.00	0.00	1,223.77	0
6-01-40-711-020	WALMART SPARK GOOD LOCAL GRANT	0.00	1,050.00	0.00	0.00	1,050.00	0
6-01-41-713-021	O/E - ENHANCING LOCAL PUBLIC HEALTH	0.00	219,287.00	0.00	0.00	219,287.00	0
6-01-41-728-021	O/E - Connect and Protect Grant	0.00	145,057.00	0.00	0.00	145,057.00	0
6-01-41-804-020	DONATION - BENJAMIN MOORE	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,000.00-	1,000.00	0
6-01-41-871-021	O/E - Federal Transit Administration	0.00	50,000.00	0.00	0.00	50,000.00	0
6-01-41-882-020	89 ROUTE 46 DONATION - POLICE EQUIPMEN	0.00	539,564.00	0.00	90,000.00	449,564.00	17
6-01-43-490-000	MUNICIPAL COURT	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-43-490-010	Municipal Court - Salaries & Wages	0.00	248,600.00	24,128.82	169,757.53	78,842.47	68
6-01-43-490-200	Other Expenses - Mun. Court	0.00	18,100.00	231.36	2,856.80	15,243.20	16
6-01-44-860-020	CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND	0.00	366,695.00	0.00	0.00	366,695.00	0

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6-01-45-875-000	MUNICIPAL DEBT SERVICE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-45-875-020	Other Expenses - Mun. Debt Svc	0.00	4,356,821.00	0.00	0.00	4,356,821.00	0
6-01-47-870-000	ACCUMULATED ABSENCE TRUST FUND	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-01-47-870-020	Other Expenses	0.00	125,000.00	0.00	0.00	125,000.00	0
6-01-50-890-000	RESERVE FOR UNCOLLECTED TAXES	0.00	1,925,000.00	0.00	0.00	1,925,000.00	0
CURRENT OPERATING Budget Totals		1,992,646.37	41,084,973.38	1,721,694.85	15,345,916.89	25,739,056.49	37

01 CURRENT OPERATING	Prior	Current	YTD
Revenues:	151,493.82	584,508.30	2,146,391.54
Expenditures:	1,992,646.37	1,721,694.85	15,345,916.89
Net Income:	1,841,152.55-	1,137,186.55-	13,199,525.35-

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6-02-00-000-000	FEDERAL AND STATE GRANTS	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-02-01-000-020	STRENGTHENING LOCAL PUBLIC HEALTH INI	875.00	39,752.03	4,365.00	21,015.00	18,737.03	53
6-02-02-000-020	DRUNK DRIVING ENF. FUND	1,949.26-	16,068.19	1,442.55	5,906.27	10,161.92	37
6-02-04-000-020	DRIVE SOBER OR GET PULLED OVER	0.00	2,450.00	0.00	0.00	2,450.00	0
6-02-06-000-020	CLEAN COMMUNITIES GRANT	5,035.19	56,912.31	390.00	10,928.39	45,983.92	19
6-02-11-000-020	EHNANCING LOCAL PUBLIC HEALTH	0.00	242,721.18	16,299.90	59,478.84	183,242.34	25
6-02-13-000-020	CONNECT AND PROTECT GRANT	6,028.00	141,730.05	0.00	26,954.40	114,775.65	19
6-02-14-000-020	CRRSAA GRANT	0.00	48,073.94	0.00	0.00	48,073.94	0
6-02-15-000-020	DONATION - GUNNAR BIGLEY - POLICE EQUIP	0.00	465.91	0.00	0.00	465.91	0
6-02-16-000-020	BODY ARMOR GRANT	0.00	1,373.12	0.00	0.00	1,373.12	0
6-02-18-000-020	Donation - Dorsey Semrau - Police Equip	0.00	175.00	0.00	0.00	175.00	0

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6-02-20-000-020	BULLETPROOF VEST GRANT	0.00	2,409.33	0.00	0.00	2,409.33	0
6-02-21-000-020	EHNANCING LOCAL PUBLIC HEALTH INFRAS	0.00	4,375.00	0.00	0.00	4,375.00	0
6-02-22-000-020	RECYCLING TONNAGE - O/E	1,164.60	21,085.33	7,431.50	12,160.61	8,924.72	58
6-02-23-000-020	SUSTAINING LOCAL PUBLIC HEALTH INFRAS	2,484.24	56,301.29	5,912.78	62,399.14	6,097.85-	111
6-02-25-000-020	DONATION - 89 ROUTE 46 - POLICE EQUIPMT	448.94	875.00	0.00	0.00	875.00	0
6-02-26-000-020	DONATION - LION'S CLUB	0.00	1,050.00	0.00	0.00	1,050.00	0
6-02-28-000-020	MS4 PERMITTING COMPLIANCE	0.00	17,500.00	0.00	0.00	17,500.00	0
6-02-29-000-020	WALMART SPARK GOOD LOCAL GRANT	0.00	1,050.00	0.00	0.00	1,050.00	0
6-02-53-000-020	DONATION - FRATELLI BERETTA - POLICE EQ	0.00	175.00	0.00	0.00	175.00	0
6-02-56-000-020	NJ HIGHLANDS WATER PROTECTION & PLAN	0.00	62,864.90	0.00	0.00	62,864.90	0

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6-02-57-000-020	STORMWATER ASSISTANCE GRANT	912.00	5,250.00	0.00	0.00	5,250.00	0
6-02-68-000-020	DRIVER SOBER OR GET PULLED OVER -Y/E	0.00	3,500.00	0.00	0.00	3,500.00	0
6-02-69-000-020	ARP FIREFIGHTING GRANT	0.00	2,134.62	0.00	0.00	2,134.62	0
6-02-72-000-020	DISTRACTED DRIVING GRANT	1,707.80	2,450.00	1,289.91	4,375.06	1,925.06-	179
6-02-79-000-020	ALCOHOL, EDUCATION AND REHABILITATION	0.00	84.39	0.00	0.00	84.39	0
6-02-87-000-020	FEDERAL TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION	1,104.23	17,500.00	19,758.50-	19,406.76-	36,906.76	111-
6-02-88-000-020	LEAP IMP GRANT - CHESTER BORO-SANIT TF	0.00	119,862.75	0.00	0.00	119,862.75	0
6-02-95-000-020	NATIONAL OPIOIDS SETTLEMENT	2,019.79	71,394.68	4,057.29	11,821.47	59,573.21	17
6-02-97-000-020	DONATION - VAN CLEEF ENG - POLICE EQUIF	0.00	175.00	0.00	0.00	175.00	0
GRANTS Budget Totals		19,830.53	939,759.02	21,430.43	195,632.42	744,126.60	21

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02 GRANTS	Prior	Current	YTD
Revenues:	0.00	0.00	0.00
Expenditures:	19,830.53	21,430.43	195,632.42
Net Income:	19,830.53-	21,430.43-	195,632.42-

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Revenue Account	Description	Prior Yr Rev	Anticipated	Curr Rev	YTD Rev	Excess/Deficit	% Real
6-03-02-000-002	All Stars	2,019.00	48,000.00	2,778.00	34,394.00	13,606.00-	72
6-03-02-000-015	Basketball	0.00	22,000.00	763.00	10,688.00	11,312.00-	49
6-03-02-000-016	Adult Fitness	0.00	5,000.00	0.00	4,315.00	685.00-	86
6-03-02-000-017	New Programs	12,645.00	87,000.00	19,831.00	63,170.00	23,830.00-	73
6-03-02-000-019	Over 39 Basketball	0.00	4,000.00	0.00	0.00	4,000.00-	0
6-03-02-000-029	Special Events	3,843.00	26,745.00	2,850.00	23,950.00	2,795.00-	90
6-03-02-000-035	Women's Volleyball	0.00	4,000.00	0.00	0.00	4,000.00-	0
6-03-02-000-043	October Event	1,225.00	10,000.00	1,850.00	6,625.00	3,375.00-	66
6-03-02-000-045	Peak	1,790.00	6,000.00	0.00	2,095.00	3,905.00-	35
6-03-02-000-050	Scholarship Fund	182.00	1,000.00	255.00	995.00	5.00-	100
6-03-02-000-051	Art and Music	998.00	11,000.00	705.00	8,173.00	2,827.00-	74
6-03-02-000-052	Badminton	0.00	3,000.00	0.00	2,970.00	30.00-	99
6-03-02-000-054	Dance	0.00	16,000.00	784.00	5,104.00	10,896.00-	32
6-03-02-000-058	Permits	6,983.00	48,000.00	7,300.00	36,837.00	11,163.00-	77
6-03-02-000-059	Science Club	1,200.00	4,000.00	2,070.00	3,105.00	895.00-	78
6-03-02-000-060	Association Services	0.00	73,000.00	2,231.25	8,756.25	64,243.75-	12
6-03-02-000-063	Mount Olive Week	31,866.82	112,000.00	51,432.00	56,148.60	55,851.40-	50
6-03-02-000-064	Pirate Swim Team	4,627.00	19,000.00	8,025.00	22,130.00	3,130.00	116
6-03-02-000-068	Sponsorship	3,168.00	58,000.00	1,250.00	17,832.00	40,168.00-	31
6-03-02-000-069	Fairy and Pirate Festival	0.00	3,000.00	175.00	4,650.00	1,650.00	155
6-03-02-000-076	Summer Entertainment Series	1,810.00	7,000.00	1,060.00	4,860.00	2,140.00-	69
6-03-02-000-078	Get Up & Go	3,540.00	18,000.00	4,340.00	12,428.00	5,572.00-	69
6-03-02-000-081	Sale of Recycling Cans - Fundraiser	870.00	12,000.00	1,045.00	7,338.00	4,662.00-	61
6-03-02-000-082	Food Trucks	50.00	19,000.00	550.00	5,850.00	13,150.00-	31
	000 Program Fees	76,816.82	616,745.00	109,294.25	342,413.85	274,331.15-	55
	02 Programs & Events	76,816.82	616,745.00	109,294.25	342,413.85	274,331.15-	55

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6-03-05-000-084	September Event	0.00	0.00	200.00	2,600.00	2,600.00	0
6-03-05-000-085	November Event	0.00	2,000.00	0.00	0.00	2,000.00-	0
6-03-05-000-086	December Event	1,000.00	11,000.00	1,800.00	10,625.00	375.00-	97
6-03-05-000-090	April Event	0.00	3,000.00	175.00	3,250.00	250.00	108
6-03-05-000-096	Fishing Derby	50.00	1,000.00	0.00	10.00	990.00-	1
000 Program Fees		1,050.00	17,000.00	2,175.00	16,485.00	515.00-	96
05 Special Events		1,050.00	17,000.00	2,175.00	16,485.00	515.00-	96
6-03-08-501-100	Surplus Anticipated	0.00	267,748.00	0.00	0.00	267,748.00-	0
501 Total		0.00	267,748.00	0.00	0.00	267,748.00-	0
6-03-08-511-100	Interest on Investments	0.00	25,000.00	0.00	5,033.53	19,966.47-	20
511 Total		0.00	25,000.00	0.00	5,033.53	19,966.47-	20
08 Appropriation Refunds		0.00	292,748.00	0.00	5,033.53	287,714.47-	1
RECREATION UTILITY Revenue Totals		77,866.82	926,493.00	111,469.25	363,932.38	562,560.62-	39

Budget Account	Description	Prior Yr Expd	Budgeted	Current Expd	YTD Expended	Unexpended	% Expd
6-03-00-000-000	RECREATION UTILITY FUND	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-03-55-500-500	SALARIES AND WAGES	19,546.79	333,690.00	19,306.42	136,907.42	196,782.58	41
6-03-55-510-500	OTHER EXPENSES	33,460.62	708,925.00	33,633.37	98,183.31	610,741.69	14
6-03-55-511-000	CAPITAL OUTLAY	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0

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6-03-55-511-101	O/E - Capital Outlay	0.00	8,750.00	0.00	0.00	8,750.00	0
6-03-55-523-100	Interest on Notes	0.00	2,000.00	0.00	0.00	2,000.00	0
6-03-55-541-100	Social Security - O/E	0.00	17,800.00	1,476.94	10,473.42	7,326.58	59
6-03-55-550-100	Deferred Charges	0.00	117,928.00	0.00	0.00	117,928.00	0
RECREATION UTILITY Budget Totals		53,007.41	1,189,093.00	54,416.73	245,564.15	943,528.85	21

03 RECREATION UTILITY	<u>Prior</u>	<u>Current</u>	<u>YTD</u>
Revenues:	77,866.82	111,469.25	363,932.38
Expenditures:	53,007.41	54,416.73	245,564.15
Net Income:	24,859.41	57,052.52	118,368.23

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6-09-08-500-000	Sanitation District Taxes	0.00	2,364,450.00	0.00	591,112.50	1,773,337.50-	25
6-09-08-500-101	SURPLUS ANTICIPATED	0.00	477,438.00	0.00	0.00	477,438.00-	0
	500 Sanitation District Taxes	0.00	2,841,888.00	0.00	591,112.50	2,250,775.50-	20
6-09-08-502-000	Sanitation Recycling	120.00	6,500.00	0.00	2,780.00	3,720.00-	43
	502 Sanitation Recycling	120.00	6,500.00	0.00	2,780.00	3,720.00-	42
6-09-08-503-000	Host Benefit Fees	72,196.79	814,000.00	74,905.11	318,672.23	495,327.77-	39
	503 Host Benefit Fees	72,196.79	814,000.00	74,905.11	318,672.23	495,327.77-	39
6-09-08-504-000	Dumpster Fees	2,080.00	19,117.00	1,040.00	8,740.00	10,377.00-	46
	504 Dumpster Fees	2,080.00	19,117.00	1,040.00	8,740.00	10,377.00-	45
6-09-08-505-000	Large Item Pick-up	4,769.00	46,000.00	5,519.00	18,868.00	27,132.00-	41
	505 Large Item Pick-up	4,769.00	46,000.00	5,519.00	18,868.00	27,132.00-	41
6-09-08-506-000	Yard Waste Grass Bags - Sani.	12.00	383.00	15.00	132.00	251.00-	34
	506 Yard Waste Grass Bags - Sani.	12.00	383.00	15.00	132.00	251.00-	34
6-09-08-508-000	Interlocal Agreement - Netcong	0.00	90,125.00	0.00	45,062.50	45,062.50-	50
	508 Interlocal Agreement - Netcong	0.00	90,125.00	0.00	45,062.50	45,062.50-	50
6-09-08-512-000	Reimbursement from County	7,566.67	77,800.00	8,714.49	35,611.82	42,188.18-	46
	512 Reimbursement from County	7,566.67	77,800.00	8,714.49	35,611.82	42,188.18-	45
	08 Total	86,744.46	3,895,813.00	90,193.60	1,020,979.05	2,874,833.95-	26

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Revenue Account	Description	Prior Yr Rev	Anticipated	Curr Rev	YTD Rev	Excess/Deficit	% Real
	SANITATION Revenue Totals	86,744.46	3,895,813.00	90,193.60	1,020,979.05	2,874,833.95-	26
Budget Account	Description	Prior Yr Expd	Budgeted	Current Expd	YTD Expended	Unexpended	% Expd
6-09-26-770-000	SOLID WASTE COLLECTION	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0
6-09-26-770-010	SALARIES AND WAGES	78,750.13	1,123,400.00	87,141.46	661,435.95	461,964.05	59
6-09-26-770-020	OTHER EXPENSES	153,849.28	2,344,525.00	125,877.39	947,894.77	1,396,630.23	40
6-09-27-770-020	PENSION	0.00	145,788.00	0.00	145,788.00	0.00	100
6-09-28-770-000	SURPLUS - GENERAL BUDGET	0.00	218,000.00	0.00	0.00	218,000.00	0
6-09-28-770-020	SOCIAL SECURITY	6,165.18	79,600.00	6,835.81	50,769.35	28,830.65	64
6-09-29-700-020	RECYCLING TAX	2,065.14	27,500.00	2,423.61	7,749.45	19,750.55	28
6-09-30-700-020	HEALTH BENEFIT WAIVER	1,840.50	5,000.00	2,215.50	2,215.50	2,784.50	44
	SANITATION Budget Totals	242,670.23	3,943,813.00	224,493.77	1,815,853.02	2,127,959.98	46

09 SANITATION	Prior	Current	YTD
Revenues:	86,744.46	90,193.60	1,020,979.05
Expenditures:	242,670.23	224,493.77	1,815,853.02

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Net Income:	155,925.77 -	134,300.17 -	794,873.97 -
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Revenue Account	Description	Prior Yr Rev	Anticipated	Curr Rev	YTD Rev	Excess/Deficit	% Real
6-11-00-000-000	Surplus Anticipated	0.00	1,816,385.00	0.00	0.00	1,816,385.00-	0
6-11-00-000-001	Water Rents	99,131.24	1,925,000.00	100,195.87	929,272.05	995,727.95-	48
6-11-00-000-002	Sewer Rents	160,144.60	4,250,000.00	191,531.89	2,237,528.53	2,012,471.47-	53
6-11-00-000-005	Miscellaneous Revenue	0.00	215,000.00	0.00	0.00	215,000.00-	0
6-11-00-000-006	SUAT Assessment Interest	1,248.13	6,000.00	158.57	2,531.42	3,468.58-	42
000 Surplus Anticipated		260,523.97	8,212,385.00	291,886.33	3,169,332.00	5,043,053.00-	38
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WATER & SEWER OPERATING Revenue Total		260,523.97	8,212,385.00	291,886.33	3,169,332.00	5,043,053.00-	38

Budget Account	Description	Prior Yr Expd	Budgeted	Current Expd	YTD Expended	Unexpended	% Expd
6-11-45-540-540	DEBT SERVICE	0.00	383,711.00	0.00	0.00	383,711.00	0
6-11-55-500-500	SALARIES AND WAGES	115,761.04	1,522,400.00	106,662.75	807,995.20	714,404.80	53
6-11-55-510-510	OTHER EXPENSES	164,307.67	2,638,850.00	93,363.47	1,025,903.93	1,612,946.07	39
6-11-55-600-600	MSA	0.00	1,815,000.00	0.00	907,045.80	907,954.20	50
6-11-55-700-020	CAPITAL OUTLAY	22,495.00	735,000.00	21,812.26	21,812.26	713,187.74	3
6-11-55-701-020	SURPLUS GENERAL BUDGET	0.00	800,000.00	0.00	0.00	800,000.00	0

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<u>Budget Account</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Prior Yr Expd</u>	<u>Budgeted</u>	<u>Current Expd</u>	<u>YTD Expended</u>	<u>Unexpended</u>	<u>% Expd</u>
6-11-56-000-020	SOCIAL SECURITY	8,855.72	114,200.00	8,159.70	61,811.62	52,388.38	54
6-11-57-000-020	PENSION	0.00	113,474.00	0.00	0.00	113,474.00	0
6-11-60-000-020	CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT FUND	0.00	89,750.00	0.00	0.00	89,750.00	0
WATER & SEWER OPERATING Budget Totals		311,419.43	8,212,385.00	229,998.18	2,824,568.81	5,387,816.19	34

11 WATER & SEWER OPERATING	<u>Prior</u>	<u>Current</u>	<u>YTD</u>
Revenues:	260,523.97	291,886.33	3,169,332.00
Expenditures:	311,419.43	229,998.18	2,824,568.81
Net Income:	50,895.46-	61,888.15	344,763.19

ORD.#18-2026

BOND ORDINANCE PROVIDING FOR WATER IMPROVEMENTS TO THE SOUTH HILLSIDE AREA OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE, IN THE COUNTY OF MORRIS, NEW JERSEY FOR THE WATER/SEWER UTILITY, FOR THE INCLUSION OF THREE ADDITIONAL PROPERTIES LOCATED AT 24, 25 AND 26 SOUTH HILLSIDE DRIVE, APPROPRIATING \$100,000 THEREFOR AND AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF \$100,000 BONDS OR NOTES OF THE TOWNSHIP TO FINANCE THE COST THEREOF AND DIRECTING THE SPECIAL ASSESSMENT OF THE COST THEREOF.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE, IN THE COUNTY OF MORRIS, NEW JERSEY (not less than two-thirds of all members thereof affirmatively concurring) **AS FOLLOWS:**

SECTION 1. The improvement described in Section 3(a) of this bond ordinance is hereby authorized to be undertaken by the Township of Mount Olive, in the County of Morris, New Jersey (the "Township") as a local improvement. For the improvement or purpose described in Section 3(a), there is hereby appropriated the sum of \$100,000. No down payment is required as the purpose authorized herein for the Township Water/Sewer Utility is deemed self-liquidating and the bonds and bond anticipation notes authorized herein are deductible from the gross debt of the Township, as more fully explained in Section 8(f) of this bond ordinance.

SECTION 2. In order to finance the cost of the improvement or purpose, negotiable bonds are hereby authorized to be issued in the principal amount of \$100,000 pursuant to the Local Bond Law. In anticipation of the issuance of the bonds, negotiable bond anticipation notes are hereby authorized to be issued pursuant to and within the limitations prescribed by the Local Bond Law.

SECTION 3. (a) The improvement hereby authorized and the purpose for the financing of which the bonds are to be issued is various water improvements to the South Hillside area of the Township, for the inclusion of three additional properties located at 24, 25, and 26 South Hillside Drive, Block 1503, Lot 5 and Block 1504, Lots 18 and 19, respectively, on the tax maps of the Township, for the Water/Sewer Utility, including all work and materials necessary therefor and incidental thereto.

(b) The estimated maximum amount of bonds or bond anticipation notes to be issued for the improvement or purpose is as stated in Section 2 hereof.

(c) The estimated cost of the improvement or purpose is equal to the amount of the appropriation herein made therefore.

SECTION 4. All bond anticipation notes issued hereunder shall mature at such times as may be determined by the chief financial officer; provided that no bond anticipation note shall mature later than one year from its date, unless such bond anticipation notes are permitted to mature at such later date in accordance with applicable law. The bond anticipation notes shall bear

interest at such rate or rates and be in such form as may be determined by the chief financial officer. The chief financial officer shall determine all matters in connection with bond anticipation notes issued pursuant to this bond ordinance, and the chief financial officer's signature upon the bond anticipation notes shall be conclusive evidence as to all such determinations. All bond anticipation notes issued hereunder may be renewed from time to time subject to the provisions of the Local Bond Law or other applicable law. The chief financial officer is hereby authorized to sell part or all of the bond anticipation notes from time to time at public or private sale and to deliver them to the purchasers thereof upon receipt of payment of the purchase price plus accrued interest from their dates to the date of delivery thereof. The chief financial officer is directed to report in writing to the governing body at the meeting next succeeding the date when any sale or delivery of the bond anticipation notes pursuant to this bond ordinance is made. Such report must include the amount, the description, the interest rate and the maturity schedule of the bond anticipation notes sold, the price obtained and the name of the purchaser.

SECTION 5. The Township hereby certifies that it has adopted a capital budget or a temporary capital budget, as applicable. The capital or temporary capital budget of the Township is hereby amended to conform with the provisions of this bond ordinance to the extent of any inconsistency herewith. To the extent that the purposes authorized herein are inconsistent with the adopted capital or temporary capital budget, a revised capital or temporary capital budget has been filed with the Division of Local Government Services.

SECTION 6. Notice is hereby given to the owners of all lots and parcels of real estate benefitted by the improvement described in Section 3(a) hereof and affected by the improvement described therein that the Township intends to make and to levy special assessments against all such lots and parcels of real estate in an aggregate amount of not exceeding \$100,000. Such special assessments shall be made and levied in the manner provided by law and shall be as nearly as possible in proportion to and not in excess of the peculiar benefit, advantage or increase in value that the respective lots and parcels of real estate shall be deemed to receive by reason of the improvement. The Township does not expect to contribute to the cost of the improvement; however, if the amount of the special assessments as finally confirmed is less than \$100,000 then the Township will also contribute the difference to the cost of the improvement.

SECTION 7. The owner of any land upon which an assessment for the local improvement shall have been made may pay such assessment in the number of equal yearly installments determined herein with legal interest on the unpaid balance of the assessment. The first of such installments shall be due and payable two months after the confirmation of the assessment, and each subsequent annual installment and interest shall be payable in each successive year at such time as the governing body shall determine by resolution, provided that any owner of land so assessed shall have the privilege of paying the whole of any assessment or any balance of installments with accrued interest thereon at one time. In case any such installment shall remain unpaid for thirty (30) days after the time it shall become due and payable, the whole assessment or the balance thereof shall become and be immediately due and payable, shall draw interest at the rate imposed upon the arrearage of taxes in the Township and shall be collected in the same manner as provided by law for other past-due assessments. Such assessment shall remain a lien upon the land described herein until the assessment, with all installments and accrued interest thereon, shall

be paid and satisfied. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, the Township shall have the right to waive default as may be permitted by law.

SECTION 8. The following additional matters are hereby determined, declared, recited and stated:

(a) The improvement or purpose described in Section 3(a) of this bond ordinance is not a current expense. It is an improvement or purpose that the Township may lawfully undertake as a local improvement, and the cost thereof will be specially assessed on property specially benefitted thereby.

(b) The period of usefulness of the improvement or purpose within the limitations of the Local Bond Law, according to the reasonable life thereof computed from the date of the bonds authorized by this bond ordinance, is 40 years.

(c) The Supplemental Debt Statement required by the Local Bond Law has been duly prepared and filed in the office of the Clerk, and a complete executed duplicate thereof has been filed in the office of the Director of the Division of Local Government Services in the Department of Community Affairs of the State of New Jersey. Such statement shows that the gross debt of the Township as defined in the Local Bond Law is increased by the authorization of the bonds and notes provided in this bond ordinance by \$100,000, but that the net debt of the Township determined as provided in the Local Bond Law is not increased by this bond ordinance. The obligations authorized herein will be within all debt limitations prescribed by the Local Bond Law.

(d) An aggregate amount not exceeding \$15,000 for items of expense listed in and permitted under N.J.S.A. 40A:2-20 is included in the estimated cost indicated herein for the purpose or improvement.

(e) The number of annual installments within which the special assessments are to be levied on the lots and parcels of real estate benefitted by the improvement shall be determined by subsequent resolution of the Township and shall not exceed 20.

(f) This bond ordinance authorizes obligations of the Township solely for purposes described in N.J.S.A. 40A:2-7(h). The obligations authorized herein are to be issued for a purpose that is deemed to be self-liquidating pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:2-47(a) and are deductible from the gross debt of the Township pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:2-44(c).

SECTION 9. The Township hereby makes the following covenants and declarations with respect to obligations determined to be issued by the chief financial officer on a tax-exempt basis. The Township hereby covenants that it will comply with any conditions subsequent imposed by the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"), in order to preserve the exemption from taxation of interest on the obligations, including, if necessary, the requirement to rebate all net investment earnings on the gross proceeds above the yield on the obligations. The chief financial officer is hereby authorized to act on behalf of the Township to deem the obligations authorized herein as bank-qualified for the purposes of Section 265 of the Code, when appropriate. The Township hereby declares the intent of the Township to issue bonds or bond anticipation notes

in the amount authorized in Section 2 of this bond ordinance and to use the proceeds to pay or reimburse expenditures for the cost of the purpose described in Section 3(a) of this bond ordinance. This Section 9 is a declaration of intent within the meaning and for purposes of Treasury Regulations §1.150-2 or any successor provisions of federal income tax law.

SECTION 10. Any grant moneys received for the purpose described in Section 3(a) hereof shall be applied either to direct payment of the cost of the improvement or to payment of the obligations issued pursuant to this bond ordinance. The amount of obligations authorized but not issued hereunder shall be reduced to the extent that such funds are so used.

SECTION 11. The chief financial officer of the Township is hereby authorized to prepare and to update from time to time as necessary a financial disclosure document to be distributed in connection with the sale of obligations of the Township and to execute such disclosure document on behalf of the Township. The chief financial officer is further authorized to enter into the appropriate undertaking to provide secondary market disclosure on behalf of the Township pursuant to Rule 15c2-12 of the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "Rule") for the benefit of holders and beneficial owners of obligations of the Township and to amend such undertaking from time to time in connection with any change in law, or interpretation thereof, provided such undertaking is and continues to be, in the opinion of a nationally recognized bond counsel, consistent with the requirements of the Rule. In the event that the Township fails to comply with its undertaking, the Township shall not be liable for any monetary damages, and the remedy shall be limited to specific performance of the undertaking.

SECTION 12. The full faith and credit of the Township are hereby pledged to the punctual payment of the principal of and the interest on the obligations authorized by this bond ordinance. The obligations shall be direct, unlimited obligations of the Township, and the Township shall be obligated to levy ad valorem taxes upon all the taxable real property within the Township for the payment of the obligations and the interest thereon without limitation of rate or amount.

SECTION 13. This bond ordinance shall take effect 20 days after the first publication thereof after final adoption, as provided by the Local Bond Law.

Introduced:

Adopted:

Effective Date:

TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE

Alex Roman, Township Council President

Attest:

Susan Gouveia, Township Clerk

ORD.# 19-2026

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE,
COUNTY OF MORRIS, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, AMENDING
CHAPTER 550, LAND USE, AND CHAPTER 169, DOGS AND
OTHER ANIMALS, OF THE TOWNSHIP CODE TO
ESTABLISH REGULATIONS FOR DEER FENCING**

WHEREAS, in response to a resident's request to the Township of Mount Olive Council regarding deer fencing, the Administration and Township professionals have reviewed the Township Code and recommend amending same to permit deer fencing with certain restrictions; and

WHEREAS, the Township Council has reviewed the request and desire to adopt the recommended amendments to the Township Code.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive, County of Morris, State of New Jersey, as follows:

SECTION 1. Chapter 550, Land Use, Article VI, Zoning, § 550-82, Fences and walls, Paragraph A, Height and construction requirements; definition, of the Township Code is hereby amended to add the following language:

(12) Notwithstanding any provisions of § 550-82A, "deer fencing" as defined in § 169-55 of the Code of the Township of Mount Olive may be placed only in rear yards to protect gardens from deer or other wildlife. Deer fencing shall require a permit pursuant to § 169-57 and be in full compliance with Article VII, Deer Fencing. Deer fencing shall be no more than eight (8) feet tall, as measured from existing grade for the surface immediately adjacent to the exterior of the deer fence location.

SECTION 2. Part II, General Legislation, Chapter 169, Dogs and Other Animals, is hereby amended to add new Article VII, Deer Fencing, to read as follows:

§169-55 Definitions.

As used in this article, the following terms shall have the meanings indicated:

DEER FENCE

A square-mesh or hexagonal mesh fence, with a mesh size of approximately two inches by two inches, used to protect gardens from deer or other wildlife.

§ 169-56 Installation and construction.

Open fencing designed for the purpose of repelling or preventing the travel or entry of deer may be installed only in rear yards, in accordance with § 550-82A(12). The control of deer by the construction of deer fencing shall be subject to the following regulations:

A. No deer fence shall be erected, constructed, or installed that is over eight (8) feet in height,

as measured at existing grade from the surface area immediately adjacent to the exterior of the deer fence location.

- B. Deer fencing shall not be attached to trees, must be securely supported by posts or attached to existing fencing, and shall be installed in accordance with manufacturer specifications.
- C. Deer fencing shall be safely staked or secured at ground level.
- D. Deer fencing materials shall all be of the same color, with colors limited to black, brown, or green to harmonize with the surrounding landscape of the area and to reduce visual impact on surrounding properties.

§ 169-57. Permit required.

Erection, construction, or installation of deer fencing requires a permit from the Township.

§ 169-58. Maintenance; violations and penalties.

- A. Deer fencing and its installation shall be maintained in good condition and be subject to periodic inspection by the Construction Official or Zoning Officer to assure that it has not deteriorated, come loose, or has otherwise become a visual or safety nuisance or hazard.
- B. Enforcement and penalties for violations hereof shall be in accordance with the Code of the Township of Mount Olive regarding property maintenance.

SECTION 3. This Ordinance may be renumbered for purpose of codification.

SECTION 4. Ordinances, resolutions, regulations or parts of ordinances, resolutions, and regulations inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistencies.

SECTION 5. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Ordinance is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, such a decision shall not affect the remaining portions of this Ordinance.

SECTION 6. This Ordinance shall take effect twenty (20) days following final passage, approval, and publication as required by law.

Introduced:

Adopted:

Effective Date:

TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE

Alex Roman, Township Council President

Attest:

Susan Gouveia, Township Clerk

ORD.# 20-2026

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE, COUNTY OF MORRIS, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, AMENDING CHAPTER 550, LAND USE, OF THE TOWNSHIP CODE TO REVISE HOME OCCUPATION DEFINITIONS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TOWNSHIP'S 2024 PERIODIC REEXAMINATION REPORT OF THE MASTER PLAN AND DEVELOPMENT REGULATIONS

WHEREAS, the Township of Mount Olive Planning Board adopted a Periodic Reexamination Report of the Master Plan and Development Regulations dated November 14, 2024 and revised November 21, 2024; and

WHEREAS, the Report recommends reviewing the list of permitted home occupations to consider more up-to-date classifications; and

WHEREAS, the Township has reviewed the definition of Home Occupations under Section 550-5, Definitions, of the Township Code and recommends certain revisions, including the addition of cottage food operators; and

WHEREAS, the Township Council has reviewed the recommendations and desires to amend the Township Code accordingly.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive, County of Morris, State of New Jersey, as follows:

SECTION 1. Chapter 550, Land Use, Article II, Terminology, § 550-5, Definitions, Home Occupation, is hereby amended to read as follows:

HOME OCCUPATION

A physician, dentist, lawyer, architect, professional engineer, accountant, manufacturer's representative, cottage food operator, telemarketer, or like professional person, provided that such occupation shall be conducted entirely within the residential building and shall be clearly accessory to the use of the dwelling for residential purposes; and such use shall conform to all applicable ordinance requirements. Such use shall not change the residential character of the building, and not more than two persons in addition to the resident occupants shall be employed therein, except that a cottage food operator shall have no employees other than the holder of the cottage food operator permit. No more than 900 square feet or 50% of the first floor area of the building, whichever is less, shall be used for such purposes; and no sale of products or articles shall be offered from the premises. No occupational sounds shall be audible outside of the building, and no machinery or equipment shall be used which will cause interference with radio or television reception in the neighboring residences. Home occupation shall not create any unreasonable odors. The repair, maintenance or outdoor storage of motor vehicles shall not be permitted as a home occupation.

SECTION 2. This Ordinance may be renumbered for purpose of codification.

SECTION 3. Ordinances, resolutions, regulations or parts of ordinances, resolutions, and regulations inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistencies.

SECTION 4. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Ordinance is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, such a decision shall not affect the remaining portions of this Ordinance.

SECTION 5. This Ordinance shall take effect twenty (20) days following final passage, approval, and publication as required by law.

Introduced:

Adopted:

Effective Date:

TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE

Alex Roman, Township Council President

Attest:

Susan Gouveia, Township Clerk

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF
MOUNT OLIVE WAIVING CONSTRUCTION PERMIT FEES TO
NATURAL GREEN LAWN CARE RELATED TO THE BLEACHER
PROJECT AT SOCCER FIELD #3**

WHEREAS, the Mount Olive Township Council has the right to waive certain fees; and

WHEREAS, Natural Green Lawn Care was awarded a contract related to the bleacher project at soccer field #3; and

WHEREAS, Mount Olive Township owns the facility; and

WHEREAS, Natural Green Lawn Care has filed for a Construction Permit associated with the renovations; and

WHEREAS, they have made a written request to the Mayor and Council to waive the municipal fees associated with the permits;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Council of the Township of Mount Olive that all municipal fees associated with the permits on behalf of Natural Green Lanw Care for the above referenced event is hereby waived.

This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon its passage.

TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE

Alex Roman, Council President

I hereby certify the above to be a true copy of a resolution passed by the Mount Olive Township Council at a duly convened meeting held on July 7, 2026.

Susan Gouveia, Township Clerk

RESOLUTION NO. 2026 - _____

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE, COUNTY OF MORRIS, STATE OF NEW JERSEY, AUTHORIZING THE SALE OF CERTAIN LANDS AND PROPERTIES NO LONGER NEEDED FOR PUBLIC USE BY THE TOWNSHIP

WHEREAS, the Township of Mount Olive (the “Township”) is the owner of certain lands and premises within the Township of Mount Olive; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive do hereby determine that the lands and properties set forth in Schedule A are no longer needed for public use; and

WHEREAS, the Township desires to make available for public sale said lands, with the right of prior refusal to be afforded to adjacent property owners pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:12-13.2.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive, in the County of Morris and State of New Jersey, as follows:

1. The Township hereby declares that the lands and premises set forth in Schedule A are no longer needed for public use and should be sold in accordance with appropriate statutes of the State of New Jersey.
2. The Mount Olive Township Council hereby authorizes the Township Clerk/Administrator to offer for sale to the highest bidder by open public sale at auction the property set forth in Schedule A below and made a part hereof.
3. The public sale shall take place at the Mount Olive Township Municipal Building, 204 Flanders-Drakestown Road, Flanders, NJ 07836 on September 1, 2026 at 11 a.m. or as soon thereafter as the matter can be heard and publicly announced, provided the sale is not cancelled.
4. The public sale, if not cancelled, shall take place by open public sale at auction to the highest bidder.
5. The successful bidder at the time of the sale must present cash or a certified check or money order, payable to the Township of Mount Olive, in the amount ten percent (10%) of the final bid price as a deposit. The balance of the purchase price shall be paid to the Township in accordance with the terms of the proposed Agreement for Purchase and Sale of Real Estate, a copy of which is attached hereto and made a part hereof.
6. The Township makes no representation as to the title or any other aspects of the land to be sold, including utility, sewer or environmental conditions.
7. The Township reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids at the public sale and not to award to the highest bidder. Such decision will be made by the Township Council at a public meeting within 30 days from the date of such public auction.

8. All conveyances by the Township shall be made by way of a Quit Claim Deed, unless an adequate title binder prepared at the expense of the purchaser is forwarded to the Township prior to the conveyance and discloses that the Township holds marketable title, in which case a Bargain and Sale Deed with Covenants Against Grantor's Acts will be the form of conveyance. The Township will include within its deed a metes and bounds description based upon a survey if a survey and metes and bounds description is obtained by the purchaser.
9. The Township Council reserves the right to waive any and all defects and informalities in any proposal and to accept or reject the highest responsible and responsive bidder deemed to be in the best interests of the Township.
10. In those cases where the property being offered is an under-sized lot, adjoining property owners shall be given the first right to bid.
11. A public notice of sale shall be published on Township website at least once a week for two consecutive weeks, the last publication being no earlier than seven (7) days prior to the date set forth for the public sale, which notice shall contain the conditions of this sale in accordance with N.J.S.A. 40A:12-13(a).
12. In the event the successful bidder fails to close on the property, the bidder shall forfeit the deposit if they opt out under the Contract. Otherwise the parties are entitled to their respective remedies.
13. The Township reserves the right to modify the terms of the Agreement for Purchase and Sale of Real Estate to address any unforeseen issues in the Agreement.

This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE

ALEX ROMAN

Mount Olive Township Council President

I hereby certify the above to be a true copy of a resolution passed by the Mount Olive Township Council at a duly convened meeting held on July 7, 2026.

SUSAN GOUVEIA

Mount Olive Township Municipal Clerk

Schedule A						
#	BLOCK	LOT	APPROX ACREAGE	ZONE	LOCATION	TAX ASSESSOR SUGGESTED MINIMUM BID
1	6900	26	23.4	RRAA	Pond View	\$775,000

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT
OLIVE AUTHORIZING THE TOWNSHIP TO ABATE A NUISANCE PROPERTY
LOCATED AT BLOCK 3205, LOT 8 (20 Stonewald Road)**

WHEREAS, the owners of the following property have failed to maintain the exterior of their property creating a nuisance in violation of Mount Olive Township Code Section 302-40; and

Block 3205, Lot 8 (20 Stonewald Road)

WHEREAS, based upon such nuisance being created by the aforementioned property, owners were given a notice of violation and order of abatement was issued by the Township of Mount Olive Zoning Officer, which such citations being mailed to the owners via regular mail, certified mail and a notice being posted conspicuously at the above mentioned properties; and

WHEREAS, the property owners of the above referenced property have failed to respond to the notices of violation in order to abate the nuisance issues and have taken no steps to maintain the exterior of said premises; and

WHEREAS, the Township of Mount Olive is desirous of abating the nuisances located at the exterior of the above referenced property.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive, in the County of Morris, State of New Jersey does hereby authorize the Township to abate the nuisances located at the exterior of the premise located at the above referenced property; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Township of Mount Olive's costs associated with the abatement of this nuisance shall be certified to the Township Tax Assessor and Tax Collector and shall become part of the taxes next assessed against the subject premise pursuant to section 302-35 of Township Code.

TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE

Alex Roman, Council President

I hereby certify the above to be a true copy of a resolution passed by the Mount Olive Township Council at a duly convened meeting held on July 7, 2026.

Susan Gouveia, Township Clerk

**A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE, IN THE COUNTY OF MORRIS
AND STATE OF NEW JERSEY, AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE
TOWNSHIP AND GREEN BROOK FAMILY MEDICINE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE
ANNUAL INFLUENZA VACCINE CLINIC**

WHEREAS, the Mount Olive Township Health Department offers a free influenza vaccine clinic to the residents of Mount Olive Township; and

WHEREAS, in recent years the availability of influenzas vaccines has become scarce to local health departments; and

WHEREAS, Green Brook Family Medicine has provided a proposal to assist the Mount Olive Health Department to administer the Fall 2026 influenza vaccine at no cost to the residents; and

WHEREAS, the Mount Olive Township Health Officer and Public Health Nurse have determined that the program benefits the citizens of Mount Olive in terms of accessibility, cost and efficiency; and

WHEREAS, the Mount Olive Township Health Officer and Public Health Nurse requests authorization to enter into an agreement with Green Brook Family Medicine; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive, in the County of Morris and State of New Jersey, authorized as follows:

1. The Mayor and Township Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to execute an agreement with Green Brook Family Medicine.
2. A copy of this Resolution and Agreement shall be kept on file in the Office of the Township Clerk for examination by the public.
3. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

Township of Mount Olive

Alex Roman
Mount Olive Township Council President

I hereby certify the above to be a true copy of a resolution passed by the Mount Olive Township Council at a duly convened meeting held on July 7, 2026.

Susan Gouveia
Mount Olive Township Municipal Clerk

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE
AUTHORIZING CHANGE ORDER NO. 1 FOR BID #2113C EXTERIOR RESTORATION OF
THE SEWARD HOUSE
(Paragon Restoration Corp.)**

WHEREAS, the Township Council approved Resolution No. 115 on February 18, 2025, awarding a contract to Paragon Restoration for Bid #2113C Exterior Restoration of the Seward House in an amount not to exceed \$1,450,985; and

WHEREAS, currently Paragon Restoration Corp. requests Change Order No. 1, due to concealed conditions discovered during construction, in the amount of \$9,800 (0.68% increase); and

WHEREAS, in accordance with N.J.A.C. 5:30-11.3, the change order has not caused the originally awarded contract price to be exceeded by more than 20 percent; and

WHEREAS, the contract amount with the approved Change Order No. 1 will be \$1,460,785; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.A.C. 5:30-5.4(a), the maximum dollar value of this contract is \$1,460,785; and

WHEREAS, the Chief Financial Officer has certified the availability of funds; and

WHEREAS, capital account C-04-56-953-909 will be increased to reflect the additional funds in the amount of \$9,800; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township of Mount Olive, in the County of Morris and state of New Jersey, that it hereby authorizes said increase in the amount of \$9,800 as set forth in Change Order No. 1.

TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE

Alex Roman, Council President

I hereby certify the above to be a true copy of a resolution passed by the Mount Olive Township Council at a duly convened meeting held on July 7, 2026.

Susan Gouveia, Township Clerk

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE
AUTHORIZING THE AWARD OF A CONTRACT FOR THE PURCHASE OF BLEACHERS OFF
BERGEN COUNTY CO-OP
(Ben Shaffer Recreation)**

WHEREAS, the Township desires to purchase bleachers which will be installed at Turkey Brook Park ; and

WHEREAS, Ben Shaffer Recreation, Inc. submitted a proposal in the amount of \$30,162.64; and

WHEREAS, Ben Shaffer Recreation, Inc. was awarded Bergen County Bid #24-35 Park & Playground Equipment and General Supplies; and

WHEREAS, the Township is a member of the Bergen County Co-op; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.A.C. 5:30-5.4(a), the maximum dollar value of this contract shall be \$30,162.64 and the Chief Financial Officer has certified the availability of funds; and

WHEREAS, funds for this contract shall be charged to capital account #C-04-26-08O-205; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive, that it hereby approves the contract award to Ben Shaffer Recreation, Inc. (via purchase order) based on the contract period and terms outlined in the Bergen County Co-op Bid #24-35 in an amount not to exceed \$30,162.64.

TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE

Alex Roman, Council President

I hereby certify the above to be a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted at a legally convened meeting of the Mount Olive Township Council duly held on July 7, 2026.

Susan Gouveia, Township Clerk

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE
AUTHORIZING THE AWARD OF A CONTRACT FOR THE PURCHASE OF AUDIOVISUAL
EQUIPMENT, SUPPLIES, AND SERVICE OFF THE INTERLOCAL PURCHASING SYSTEM
(TIPS)
(BIS Digital)**

WHEREAS, the Township of Mount Olive is permitted to join national cooperative purchasing agreements under the authority of N.J.S.A. 52:34-6.2(b)(3); and

WHEREAS, the Township of Mount Olive is a member of The Interlocal Purchasing System (TIPS); and

WHEREAS, the Township wishes to purchase audiovisual equipment, supplies, and service off TIPS Contract No. 230901 Audiovisual Equipment, Supplies, and Services; and

WHEREAS, BIS Digital was awarded TIPS Contract No. 230901 Audiovisual Equipment, Supplies, and Services

WHEREAS, the contract expires November 30, 2026; and

WHEREAS, BIS Digital submitted a quote for a total of \$11,821; and

WHEREAS, information regarding this contract may be found at the Business Administrator's Office located at 204 Flanders-Drakestown Road, Budd Lake, NJ 07828, during regular business hours, as well as on The Interlocal Purchasing System website at www.tips-usa.com; and

WHEREAS, the Purchasing Agent followed all applicable guidelines stipulated by the Department of Community Affairs, Division of Local Government Services as outlined in Local Finance Notice 2012-10 including a legal advertisement on the township's website on July 10, 2026, of the Notice of Intent to Award Contract under a National Cooperative Purchasing Agreement; and

WHEREAS, there were no alternative approaches and/or rejections made by any New Jersey vendors by the June 22, 2026, comment deadline; and

WHEREAS, in lieu of a separate certification of funds, the maximum dollar value of this contract is \$11,821 as per NJAC 5:30-5.4(a) 3 and the Chief Financial Officer hereby certifies the availability of funds; and

WHEREAS, funding for this purchase shall come from the following accounts:

- C-04-2608J-200 - \$11,000
- 6-01-20-703-152 - \$821

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township of Mount Olive, in the County of Morris and State of New Jersey, as follows:

1. The Township Council does hereby authorize a contract to BIS Digital (via a purchase order) for the purchase of audio-visual equipment, supplies, and service off TIPS Contract No. 230901 for a total not to exceed \$11,821.

TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE

Alex Roman, Council President

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Susan Gouveia, Township Clerk

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT
OLIVE AUTHORIZING THE AWARD OF A CONTRACT FOR THE PURCHASE OF
FOUR (4) 2026 CHEVY TAHOE PPV 4WD VEHICLES OFF
BERGEN COUNTY CO-OP (BCCPS)
(Pellegrino Chevrolet)**

WHEREAS, the Police Department wishes to purchase four (4) 2026 Chevy Tahoe PPV 4WD vehicles off the Bergen County Co-op; and

WHEREAS, Pellegrino Chevrolet submitted a quote for the requested vehicles. The breakdown of the costs is as follows:

- One (1) stock unit vehicle (Police Administration): \$61,794.39
- Three (3) special order vehicles with options (Patrol): \$178,368.96

WHEREAS, Pellegrino Chevrolet was awarded BC-Bid 24-43 Cars, Crossovers, Class 1-3 Pickup Trucks/Chassis, Sport Utility Vehicles and Vans; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.A.C. 5:30-5.4(a), the maximum dollar value of this contract shall be \$240,163.35 and the Chief Financial Officer has certified the availability of funds; and

WHEREAS, funds for this contract shall be charged to capital account C-04-26-08G-102; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive, in the County of Morris, state of New Jersey, that is hereby approves the aforementioned contract award, via a purchase order, to Pellegrino Chevrolet based on the contract period and terms outlined in BC-Bid 24-43 in an amount not to exceed \$240,163.35.

TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE

Alex Roman, Council President

I hereby certify the above to be a true and correct copy of a resolution passed by the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive at a duly convened meeting on July 7, 2026.

Susan Gouveia, Township Clerk

REVISED
(Contract Extension)

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE AUTHORIZING
THE AWARD OF A PROFESSIONAL SERVICE AGREEMENT FOR GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION
SYSTEMS SERVICES
(Van Cleef Engineering Associates)**

WHEREAS, on May 14, 2024, the Township Council approved Resolution #244 authorizing a non-fair and open Professional Services Agreement to Van Cleef Engineering Associates for Geographic Information Systems Services in an amount not to exceed \$23,000; and

WHEREAS, the original contract expired on May 14, 2025; and

WHEREAS, on May 27, 2025, the Township Council approved Resolution #248 authorizing a one-year contract extension; and

WHEREAS, to date this project has not been completed; and

WHEREAS, the Township Council wishes to extend this contract for a period of one (1) year; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.A.C. 5:30-5.4(a) 3, the maximum dollar value of this contract shall not exceed \$12,501.50 and the Chief Financial Officer hereby certifies the availability of funds; and

WHEREAS, funds for this contract shall be charged to trust account #T-17-56-850-800; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive, County of Morris, State of New Jersey, as follows:

1. The Mayor and Township Clerk are hereby authorized to execute a one-year contract extension with Van Cleef Engineering Associates located at 111 Howard Boulevard, Suite 110, Mt. Arlington, NJ 07856 as described herein in an amount not to exceed \$12,501.50.
2. The term of this contract shall be for one (1) year and will commence on May 16, 2026, and end on May 14, 2027. This contract may be extended until contract completion.

TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE

Alex Roman, Council President

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Susan Gouveia, Township Clerk

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE
AUTHORIZING THE AWARD OF A NON-FAIR AND OPEN CONTRACT FOR A
REHABILITATION PROGRAM ADMINISTRATOR
(Morris Habitat for Humanity, Inc.)**

WHEREAS, on June 11, 2024, the Township Council approved Resolution No. 273 authorizing a non-fair and open contract with Morris Habitat for Humanity, Inc. for a rehabilitation program designed to assist low-and moderate-income homeowners to correct interior and exterior code violations in their homes to ensure the safe and continued occupancy of the property; and

WHEREAS, the original contract term expired on June 19, 2026; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the original terms of the agreement, this contract may be renewed annually by mutual consent of both parties; and

WHEREAS, the Township Council wishes to extend this contract for one year and will commence on June 20, 2026, and end on June 19, 2027; and

WHEREAS, the Township Council has determined and certified in writing that the estimated value of this contract may exceed \$17,500; and

WHEREAS, Morris Habitat for Humanity has completed and submitted a Business Entity Disclosure Certification which certifies that the entity has not made any reportable contributions to a political or candidate committee in Mount Olive Township in the previous one year, and that the contract will prohibit the entity from making any reportable contributions through the term of the contract; and

WHEREAS, the Township will pay MHFH in accordance with the Community Rehab Program Agreement; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.A.C. 5:30-5.4(a), the maximum dollar value of this contract shall be \$25,000; and the Chief Financial Officer hereby certifies the availability of funds; and

WHEREAS, funds for this contract shall be charged to trust account #T-17-56-850-800; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive, County of Morris, State of New Jersey, as follows:

1. The Mayor and Township Clerk are hereby authorized to execute an agreement with Morris Habitat for Humanity, 274 South Salem Street, Randolph, NJ 07869 as described in the Community Rehab Program Agreement in an amount not to exceed \$25,000.
2. Notice of this action shall be posted on the townships website as required by law.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Business Entity Disclosure Certification be placed on file with this resolution.

TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE

Alex Roman, Council President

I hereby certify the above to be a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted at a legally convened meeting of the Mount Olive Township Council duly held on July 7, 2026.

Susan Gouveia, Township Clerk

REVISED
(Decreasing Contract Amount)

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE
AUTHORIZING THE AWARD OF A NON-FAIR AND OPEN PROFESSIONAL SERVICES
AGREEMENT FOR APPRAISAL SERVICES TO NEWMARK VALUATION & ADVISORY
(JANUARY 1, 2026 – DECEMBER 31, 2026)**

WHEREAS, on February 10, 2026, the Township Council approved Resolution No. 80 awarding a non-fair and open professional services agreement to Newmark Valuation & Advisory in an amount not to exceed \$15,000; and

WHEREAS, upon further review, it has been determined that the full scope of the original contract amount of \$15,000 is not required for the services rendered. Accordingly, the Township is formally reducing the total contract amount; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.A.C. 5:30-5.4(a), the maximum dollar value of this contract is hereby amended to \$7,500; and

WHEREAS, the Chief Financial Officer has certified the availability of funds for this revised amount; and

WHEREAS, funds for this contract shall be charged to account #6-01-20-710-028.

TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE

Alex Roman, Council President

I hereby certify the above to be a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted at a legally convened meeting of the Mount Olive Township Council duly held on July 7, 2026.

Susan Gouveia, Township Clerk

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE
AUTHORIZING THE AWARD OF A NON-FAIR AND OPEN PROFESSIONAL SERVICES
AGREEMENT FOR APPRAISAL SERVICES TO APPRAISAL SYSTEMS, INC.
(JULY 1, 2026 – DECEMBER 31, 2026)**

WHEREAS, the Township of Mount Olive has a need for appraisal services; and

WHEREAS, Appraisal Systems, Inc. submitted a proposal for appraisal services at a rate of \$175 per hour; and

WHEREAS, the anticipated term of this contract is July 1, 2026 – December 31, 2026; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.A.C. 5:30-5.4(a), the maximum dollar value of this contract shall be \$7,500; and

WHEREAS, funds for this contract shall be charged to account #6-01-20-710-028.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive, County of Morris, state of New Jersey, as follows:

1. The Mayor and Township Clerk are hereby authorized to execute an agreement with Appraisal Systems, Inc. as described herein in an amount not to exceed \$7,500

TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE

Alex Roman, Council President

I hereby certify the above to be a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted at a legally convened meeting of the Mount Olive Township Council duly held on July 7, 2026.

Susan Gouveia, Township Clerk

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE
AUTHORIZING THE AWARD OF A NON-FAIR AND OPEN VENDOR SERVICE CONTRACT FOR
REFURBISHING LADDER 58 FOR BUDD LAKE FIRE DEPARTMENT
PURSUANT TO NEW JERSEY LOCAL UNIT PAY-TO-PLAY LAW
(Spectrum Communications)**

WHEREAS, Budd Lake Fire Department wishes to refurbish the emergency lighting and emergency equipment on Ladder 58; and

WHEREAS, Budd Lake Fire Department solicited and received a quote from Spectrum Communications in the amount of \$28,260.65; and

WHEREAS, the equipment to refurbish Ladder 58 will cost \$21,206.90 and will be awarded as a non-fair and open vendor service contract pursuant to the provisions of N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.5; and

WHEREAS, the labor to perform all work will cost \$7,053.75 and will be purchased off New Jersey state contract #17-Fleet-00724; and

WHEREAS, a determination has been made as follows:

1. The known or estimated cost of the equipment to be provided will exceed \$17,500.
2. Spectrum Communication has completed and submitted a Business Entity Disclosure Certification which certifies that it has not made any reportable contributions to a political or candidate committee in the Township in the previous one year, and that the contract will prohibit it from making reportable contributions through the term of the contract.
3. Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 5:30-5.4(a), the maximum dollar value of this contract will be \$28,260.65 and the Chief Financial Officer has certified the availability of funds.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive, in the County of Morris, state of New Jersey, that it hereby approves the following non-fair and open vendor service contract:

Vendor Name:	Spectrum Communications
Estimated Cost of Service:	\$28,260.65 (not to exceed)
Account Number:	C-04-26-08C-100

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a notice of this action shall be posted on the township website as required by law.

TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE

Alex Roman, Council President

I hereby certify the above to be a true copy of a resolution passed by the Mount Olive Township Council at a duly convened meeting held on July 7, 2026.

Susan Gouveia, Township Clerk

REVISED
(Increasing Contract Amount)

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE AUTHORIZING
THE AWARD OF A NON-FAIR AND OPEN PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT FOR BOND
COUNSEL SERVICES TO McMANIMON, SCOTLAND & BAUMANN
(JANUARY 1, 2026 – DECEMBER 31, 2026)**

WHEREAS, on January 13, 2026, the Township Council approved Resolution #38 awarding a non-fair and open professional services agreement to McManimon, Scotland & Baumann in an amount not to exceed \$14,000; and

WHEREAS, currently an additional \$16,000 is needed for the remainder of the contract period; and

WHEREAS, account #6-01-20-701-028 will be added to reflect the additional funds; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to N.J.A.C. 5:30-5.4(a), the maximum dollar value of this contract shall be \$30,000 and the Chief Financial Officer hereby certifies the availability of funds; and

WHEREAS, funds for this contract shall be charged to the following accounts:

- #6-01-20-701-028 - \$16,000
- #6-01-20-705-028 - \$1,000
- #6-11-55-510-516 - \$10,000
- #6-09-26-770-028 - \$1,000
- #C-04-56-960-932 - \$1,000
- #C-06-55-929-902 - \$1,000

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive, County of Morris, state of New Jersey, that it does hereby authorize said increase in the amount of \$16,000.

TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE

Alex Roman, Council President

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Susan Gouveia, Township Clerk

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE
TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE AUTHORIZING REDEMPTION OF A
THIRD-PARTY TAX LIEN BLOCK 103, LOT 2.01**

WHEREAS, Tax Sale Certificate #25-00001, was sold to PRO CAP 8 LLC on September 16, 2025 on Block 103, Lot 2.01 known as 500 International Drive.; and

WHEREAS, The amount required to redeem was received by the Tax Collector on the aforementioned property.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that a refund in the amount of \$64,667.68 be made to PRO CAP 8 LLC. This amount includes the \$36,167.68 required for redemption and refund of premium paid at the time of sale in the amount of \$28,500.00.

TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE

**Alex Roman
Council President**

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**Susan Gouveia
Township Clerk**

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE
TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE AUTHORIZING REDEMPTION OF A
THIRD-PARTY TAX LIEN BLOCK 3305, LOT 19**

WHEREAS, Tax Sale Certificate #23-00007, was sold to BALA PARTNERS, LLC on September 16, 2025 on Block 3305, Lot 19 known as 230 Route 46.; and

WHEREAS, The amount required to redeem was received by the Tax Collector on the aforementioned property.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that a refund in the amount of \$2,442.14 be made to BALA PARTNERS, LLC. This amount includes the \$1,542.14 required for redemption and refund of premium paid at the time of sale in the amount of \$900.00.

TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE

Alex Roman
Council President

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Susan Gouveia
Township Clerk

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF
MOUNT OLIVE REQUESTING APPROVAL FROM THE DIRECTOR OF THE
DIVISION OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT SERVICES FOR INSERTION OF A
SPECIFIC ITEM OF REVENUE INTO THE 2026 MUNICIPAL BUDGET
(\$78,687.05 CLEAN COMMUNITIES GRANT)**

WHEREAS, NJSA 40A:4-87 provides that the Director of the Division of Local Government Services may approve the insertion of any special item of revenue in the budget of any county or municipality when such item shall have been made available by law and the amount thereof was not determined at the time of the adoption of the budget, and

WHEREAS, said Director may also approve the insertion of an item of appropriation for an equal amount, and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive hereby requests the Director of the Division of Local Government Services to approve the insertion of an item of revenue in the 2026 budget in the sum of \$78,687.05 which will be available as a revenue from:

NJ DEP – Clean Communities Grant

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a like sum of \$78,687.05 be and the same is hereby appropriated under the caption of:

NJDEP – Clean Communities Grant

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Chief Financial Officer is hereby directed to send a copy of this resolution to the Director of the Division of Local Government Services through the NJ FAST system.

Alex Roman
Council President

I hereby certify the above to be a true and correct copy of a Resolution passed by the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive at a duly convened meeting held on July 7, 2026.

Susan Gouveia
Township Clerk

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF
MOUNT OLIVE REQUESTING APPROVAL FROM THE DIRECTOR OF THE
DIVISION OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT SERVICES FOR INSERTION OF A
SPECIFIC ITEM OF REVENUE INTO THE 2026 MUNICIPAL BUDGET
(\$35,838.51 RECYCLING TONNAGE GRANT)**

WHEREAS, NJSA 40A:4-87 provides that the Director of the Division of Local Government Services may approve the insertion of any special item of revenue in the budget of any county or municipality when such item shall have been made available by law and the amount thereof was not determined at the time of the adoption of the budget, and

WHEREAS, said Director may also approve the insertion of an item of appropriation for an equal amount, and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive hereby requests the Director of the Division of Local Government Services to approve the insertion of an item of revenue in the 2026 budget in the sum of \$35,838.51 which will be available as a revenue from:

NJ DEP - Recycling Tonnage Grant

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a like sum of \$35,838.51 be and the same is hereby appropriated under the caption of:

NJDEP – Recycling Tonnage Grant

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Chief Financial Officer is hereby directed to send a copy of this resolution to the Director of the Division of Local Government Services through the NJ FAST system.

Alex Roman
Council President

I hereby certify the above to be a true and correct copy of a Resolution passed by the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive at a duly convened meeting held on July 7, 2026.

Susan Gouveia
Township Clerk

**RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF
MOUNT OLIVE REQUESTING APPROVAL FROM THE DIRECTOR OF THE
DIVISION OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT SERVICES FOR INSERTION OF A
SPECIFIC ITEM OF REVENUE INTO THE 2026 MUNICIPAL BUDGET
(\$5,495.70 NATIONAL OPIOIDS SETTLEMENT FUND)**

WHEREAS, NJSA 40A:4-87 provides that the Director of the Division of Local Government Services may approve the insertion of any special item of revenue in the budget of any county or municipality when such item shall have been made available by law and the amount thereof was not determined at the time of the adoption of the budget, and

WHEREAS, said Director may also approve the insertion of an item of appropriation for an equal amount, and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive hereby requests the Director of the Division of Local Government Services to approve the insertion of an item of revenue in the 2026 budget in the sum of \$5,495.70 which will be available as a revenue from:

National Opioids Settlement Fund

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a like sum of \$5,495.70 be and the same is hereby appropriated under the caption of:

National Opioids Settlement Fund

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Chief Financial Officer is hereby directed to send a copy of this resolution to the Director of the Division of Local Government Services through the NJ FAST system.

Alex Roman
Council President

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Susan Gouveia
Township Clerk

Check Date	Vendor Name	Net Amount
6/17/2026	ERIC ANTHONY	75.98
6/17/2026	JENNIFER BLOUSE	255.00
6/17/2026	OPTIMUM	273.05
6/17/2026	OPTIMUM	190.39
6/17/2026	OPTIMUM	134.90
6/17/2026	CINTAS CORP. 101	1,328.10
6/17/2026	CINTAS CORP. 101	1,656.81
6/17/2026	CINTAS CORPORATION NO. 2	756.00
6/17/2026	DELTA DENTAL OF NJ INC.	25,538.97
6/17/2026	ELIZABETHTOWN GAS	660.30
6/17/2026	EQUITABLE FINANCIAL LIFE INS	505.10
6/17/2026	EQUITABLE FINANCIAL LIFE INS	252.47
6/17/2026	EQUITABLE FINANCIAL LIFE INS	244.98
6/17/2026	EQUITABLE FINANCIAL LIFE INS	152.79
6/17/2026	SCOTT GASKILL	136.76
6/17/2026	GENERAL SECURITY	2,135.74
6/17/2026	SATISH GUTTA	25.00
6/17/2026	MGL PRINTING SOLUTIONS	1,119.50
6/17/2026	MORRIS CNTY PUBLIC SAFETY	125.00
6/17/2026	MURPHY MCKEON P.C.	480.00
6/17/2026	DILLON NAGY	149.97
6/17/2026	PUB. EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYS	488.83
6/17/2026	POLICE & FIREMANS RETIREMENT	452.05
6/17/2026	NJ-IAAI	900.00
6/17/2026	NOAH'S ARK PORT-A-JON	100.00
6/17/2026	CONNOR NOLAN	109.98
6/17/2026	NOXAERO LLC	498.00
6/17/2026	MEGHAN PILLAI	1,250.00
6/17/2026	RIDGEWOOD PRESS	98.00
6/17/2026	SERVICE TIRE TRUCK CENTERS INC	1,560.36
6/17/2026	STEINERT, STEVE	74.99
6/17/2026	STORR TRACTOR CO.	107.92

6/17/2026 VERIZON	918.62
6/17/2026 VERIZON CONNECT FLEET USA LLC	1,022.50
6/23/2026 CIVIC PLUS, LLC	8,933.97
6/23/2026 CLEARY GIACOBBE ALFIERI &	10,937.10
6/23/2026 DORSEY & SEMRAU, L.L.C.	25,468.60
6/23/2026 NATIVE FIELDS LANDSCAPING LLC	3,810.00
6/23/2026 NATURAL GREEN LAWN CARE/	6,566.36
6/23/2026 NOAH'S ARK PORT-A-JON	1,985.00
6/23/2026 PETERSON & SONS TREE SERVICE	10,500.00
6/23/2026 REINER GROUP, INC.	5,995.50
6/23/2026 SERVICE TIRE TRUCK CENTERS INC	2,967.04
6/23/2026 SPECTRUM COMMUNICATIONS, INC.	25,107.50
6/24/2026 JOE ABRUSCI	250.00
6/24/2026 BARBARA ABRUSCI	250.00
6/24/2026 ERIC ADAMS	250.00
6/24/2026 MARC AJBUSZYC	250.00
6/24/2026 ALLEGRA MARKETING-PRINT & MAIL	1,345.00
6/24/2026 LARRY ANGLUM	250.00
6/24/2026 LARRY ASHLEY	250.00
6/24/2026 AMBER ASTORE	250.00
6/24/2026 TIMOTHY BENDER	250.00
6/24/2026 MARK BERNABEI	750.00
6/24/2026 PHIL BROWN	850.00
6/24/2026 OPTIMUM	254.19
6/24/2026 SAVATORE CAPPUCCI	250.00
6/24/2026 CERTIFIED SPEEDOMETER SERVICE	290.00
6/24/2026 MICHAEL CERICOLE	500.00
6/24/2026 JACK CIECWICZ	250.00
6/24/2026 GEORGE CLAPSIS	250.00
6/24/2026 SAMANTHA CORDILEONE	250.00
6/24/2026 BRIAN D'AMICO	250.00
6/24/2026 DANIEL D'AMICO	250.00
6/24/2026 KATHY DETORO	250.00

6/24/2026 ERICA DOLAN	250.00
6/24/2026 MICHAEL DORLON	850.00
6/24/2026 MATT ELMS	500.00
6/24/2026 DAWN FOOTE	250.00
6/24/2026 SHANNON FOOTE	250.00
6/24/2026 FRED BEANS PARTS, INC.	932.68
6/24/2026 MAYRA GARCIA	1,000.00
6/24/2026 TANO GIACCHINO	250.00
6/24/2026 CASSANDRA ISSLER	500.00
6/24/2026 CHAVONDA JACKSON	250.00
6/24/2026 ERIK JOHANNSEN	250.00
6/24/2026 JOHN C. GREY LAW OFFICE INC.	400.00
6/24/2026 JUSTIN JOHN	250.00
6/24/2026 KEIL KLAVER	850.00
6/24/2026 ANDREW KLEIN	500.00
6/24/2026 LANGUAGE LINE SERVICES	85.55
6/24/2026 WALTER LATA	250.00
6/24/2026 DAVE LEAHY	250.00
6/24/2026 CAMERON LUHRS	250.00
6/24/2026 KEVIN MALONEY	1,000.00
6/24/2026 MIKE MCDERMOTT	250.00
6/24/2026 MICHELLE MONSALVE	500.00
6/24/2026 MOORE CONTROL EXT. CO.	438.80
6/24/2026 NOAH'S ARK PORT-A-JON	225.00
6/24/2026 JOSEPH NUNN	500.00
6/24/2026 ANGEL PEREZ	250.00
6/24/2026 PHILLIPS PREISS GRYGIEL LEHENY	988.75
6/24/2026 SHANE RANDAZZO	250.00
6/24/2026 RIDGEWOOD PRESS	490.00
6/24/2026 BRANDON RUDALF	1,000.00
6/24/2026 STEPHEN SAUERMAN	500.00
6/24/2026 ART SCHOTT	250.00
6/24/2026 SEALMASTER PA	469.00

6/24/2026	ROBERT SHEARD	250.00
6/24/2026	NICOLE SHIELDS	250.00
6/24/2026	SUE SIGLER	250.00
6/24/2026	SPECTROTEL HOLDING CO.LLC	199.20
6/24/2026	JIM STASZAK	500.00
6/24/2026	TODD SUMMER	250.00
6/24/2026	EUGENO TERREZZA	250.00
6/24/2026	TILCON NEW YORK INC	479.38
6/24/2026	LAURA BELTRAN TORRES	250.00
6/24/2026	CHARLENE UHRMANN	225.68
6/24/2026	MELISSA WIDZEMOK	250.00
6/24/2026	DANIEL WOOD	250.00
6/24/2026	FRANK ZELLER	250.00
6/24/2026	STEVEN ZENES	250.00
6/25/2026	EMPOWER TRUST COMPANY LLC	260.05
6/30/2026	AMAZON CAPITAL SERVICES	442.75
6/30/2026	DAILY RECORD	62.30
6/30/2026	DIV. OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE ACAD.	2,000.00
6/30/2026	ELIZABETH TOWN GAS	214.12
6/30/2026	FEDERAL EXPRESS CORP	76.03
6/30/2026	DARRELL HOOPER	609.69
6/30/2026	IMPERIAL COPY PRODUCTS, INC	83.61
6/30/2026	JCP&L	12,885.07
6/30/2026	JCP&L	4,257.99
6/30/2026	JCP&L	3,118.08
6/30/2026	JS MORGEN BLDG & DESIGN LLC	1,322.00
6/30/2026	METLIFE INSURANCE COMPANY	4,233.70
6/30/2026	MT OLIVE VILLAGE SEWER CO INC	1,913.23
6/30/2026	CHAD ROSSY	240.03
6/30/2026	ULINE INC	253.50
6/30/2026	VAN CLEEF ENG. ASSOCIATES LLC	609.00
6/30/2026	VAN CLEEF ENG. ASSOCIATES LLC	261.00
6/30/2026	DERRICK WEBB	468.00

6/30/2026 WIRE'S ELECTRICAL SHOP	860.90
7/7/2026 BUDD LAKE FIRE DEPT.	25,757.33
7/7/2026 BUDD LAKE FIRST AID &	27,545.88
7/7/2026 CDW GOVERNMENT	6,989.67
7/7/2026 FLANDERS FIRE CO	25,662.79
7/7/2026 FLANDERS FIRST AID/RESCUE	46,855.23
7/7/2026 COUNTY OF MORRIS	5,625.00
7/7/2026 PKF O'CONNOR DAVIES	22,389.50
6/17/2026 CHRISTIE JAIME	2,805.00
6/17/2026 MHAEM	512.79
6/23/2026 MHAEM	36,014.04
6/30/2026 WALLABY TALES LLC	390.00
6/17/2026 BREAKING GLASS STAINED GLASS	480.00
6/17/2026 CATHERINE VIEGAS	2,510.00
6/17/2026 GINA MARIE CONNELLY	300.00
6/17/2026 DELTA DENTAL OF NJ INC.	297.62
6/17/2026 EQUITABLE FINANCIAL LIFE INS	1.28
6/17/2026 KEITH KNUDSEN	251.12
6/17/2026 RICHARD MAUER	1,417.50
6/17/2026 NORTH JERSEY REGIONAL LAKE LG.	500.00
6/17/2026 VICTORINE NORMAN	115.00
6/17/2026 STEVEN THOMPSON	900.00
6/23/2026 NORTHWEST NJ SOCCER STARS	3,052.50
6/23/2026 MICHAEL SCHWARTZ	3,617.50
6/24/2026 NICHOLAS FALKMAN	1,371.75
6/24/2026 NICOLE IADANZA	140.00
6/24/2026 JENNIFER MIRANDA	290.00
6/30/2026 SHAHANA ALVAREZ	225.00
6/30/2026 BRADLEY C. FERRIERE	798.75
6/30/2026 KEITH KNUDSEN	63.96
6/30/2026 ELIZABETH MEININGER	581.61
6/30/2026 METLIFE INSURANCE COMPANY	74.53
6/30/2026 HIGH VIEW FARMS	1,237.50

6/30/2026 MEGHAN STORM	315.00
6/30/2026 SUMMIT SOUNDZ ENTERTAINMENT	1,500.00
7/7/2026 3DW BAND, LLC	700.00
7/7/2026 CHRISTOPHER M. SHELLEY	1,000.00
7/7/2026 LOUIS DEL RUSSO	1,000.00
7/7/2026 DAVID EHASZ	1,500.00
7/7/2026 STEVEN THOMPSON	1,500.00
7/7/2026 LINCOLN VERA	500.00
6/17/2026 SPECTRUM COMMUNICATIONS, INC.	5,638.00
6/23/2026 NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF	48,360.13
7/7/2026 CAMPBELL FOUNDRY CO.	12,755.00
7/7/2026 DELL MARKETING L.P.	6,189.10
7/7/2026 MANGIRO CONTRACTING CO, INC	10,572.45
7/7/2026 VAN CLEEF ENG. ASSOCIATES LLC	6,106.50
7/7/2026 VAN CLEEF ENG. ASSOCIATES LLC	9,560.75
6/17/2026 DELTA DENTAL OF NJ INC.	1,175.36
6/17/2026 EQUITABLE FINANCIAL LIFE INS	59.21
6/17/2026 ROBERT'S & SON, INC.	298.76
6/23/2026 ELVADA SUPPLY LLC	8,120.00
6/24/2026 GLASSCAR AUTO GLASS, LLC	1,089.22
6/24/2026 RND AUTO & TRUCK, LLC	48.33
6/24/2026 TYREX RESOURCES, LLC	415.00
6/30/2026 CAPTUREPOINT, LLC	2,000.00
6/30/2026 CUSTOM BANDAG, INC	1,154.15
6/30/2026 DOVER BRAKE & CLUTCH CO, INC	937.23
6/30/2026 METLIFE INSURANCE COMPANY	365.53
7/7/2026 ELVADA SUPPLY LLC	6,090.00
7/7/2026 PKF O'CONNOR DAVIES	698.50
6/17/2026 ADP INC	3,897.08
6/17/2026 DELTA DENTAL OF NJ INC.	1,245.35
6/17/2026 ELIZABETHTOWN GAS	855.58
6/17/2026 MCELWEE & QUINN LLC	1,000.00
6/17/2026 NSI NEAL SYSTEMS INC.	2,754.10

6/17/2026 NEW JERSEY AMERICAN WATER	565.99
6/17/2026 SERVICE TIRE TRUCK CENTERS INC	1,269.30
6/23/2026 GEORGE S. COYNE CHEMICAL CO	3,879.14
6/23/2026 JAKE STORAGE CONTAINERS	4,700.00
6/23/2026 PUMPING SERVICES, INC.	12,817.52
6/23/2026 SERVICE TIRE TRUCK CENTERS INC	1,396.00
6/23/2026 USALCO,LLC	7,850.52
6/24/2026 GEORGE S. COYNE CHEMICAL CO	2,465.63
6/24/2026 NSI NEAL SYSTEMS INC.	2,513.90
6/24/2026 SPECTROTEL HOLDING CO.LLC	245.66
6/24/2026 VERIZON	975.84
6/24/2026 VERIZON	93.36
6/30/2026 JCP&L	3,919.67
6/30/2026 JEM INDUSTRIAL SERVICES INC	1,656.54
6/30/2026 JS MORGEN BLDG & DESIGN LLC	528.00
6/30/2026 METLIFE INSURANCE COMPANY	479.53
6/30/2026 PUMPING SERVICES, INC.	2,923.20
6/30/2026 VAN CLEEF ENG. ASSOCIATES LLC	1,239.00
7/7/2026 COPPOLA SERVICES INC.	3,296.76
7/7/2026 PKF O'CONNOR DAVIES	8,897.00
7/7/2026 USALCO,LLC	7,525.02
6/23/2026 DORSEY & SEMRAU, L.L.C.	4,122.00
6/30/2026 VAN CLEEF ENG. ASSOCIATES LLC	1,000.00
6/17/2026 TIGRIS AQUATIC SERVICES, LLC	570.00
6/25/2026 MT. OLIVE PUBLIC LIBRARY	603.09
6/25/2026 NJ FAMILY SUPPORT CENTER	2,381.94
6/25/2026 EQUITABLE	9,485.00
6/25/2026 MORRIS COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE	116.51
6/25/2026 OFFICER JOHN ORT	212.31
6/25/2026 OFFICER JOHN ORT	330.82
6/25/2026 METLIFE INSURANCE COMPANY	300.00
6/25/2026 EMPOWER TRUST COMPANY LLC	2,105.14
6/25/2026 TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE	1,425.06

6/25/2026 AFLAC	2,700.31
6/25/2026 MOT PUBLIC EMPLOYEES ASSOC	2,046.00
6/25/2026 FOP	2,465.65
6/25/2026 PAL	103.00
6/25/2026 POLICE AND FIREMAN'S INSURANCE	149.02
6/25/2026 NEW YORK LIFE	318.86
6/25/2026 MOTCA NJ Nonprofit Corp (FMBA)	450.00
6/18/2026 PEGGY A. RECCHIA	120.05
6/18/2026 HABITAT BY DESIGN, LLC	282.75
6/18/2026 HABITAT BY DESIGN, LLC	52.50
6/18/2026 VAN CLEEF ENG. ASSOCIATES LLC	87.00
6/18/2026 HABITAT BY DESIGN, LLC	230.63
6/18/2026 VAN CLEEF ENG. ASSOCIATES LLC	649.50
6/18/2026 HABITAT BY DESIGN, LLC	0
6/18/2026 VAN CLEEF ENG. ASSOCIATES LLC	187.50
6/18/2026 T3 INNOVATIONS, INC	1,500.23
6/18/2026 T3 INNOVATIONS, INC	2,500.39
6/18/2026 JOSE SANTOS	300.01
6/18/2026 VAN CLEEF ENG. ASSOCIATES LLC	87.00
6/18/2026 DORSEY & SEMRAU, L.L.C.	78.00
6/18/2026 DORSEY & SEMRAU, L.L.C.	0
6/18/2026 VAN CLEEF ENG. ASSOCIATES LLC	1,622.50
6/18/2026 VAN CLEEF ENG. ASSOCIATES LLC	323.50
6/18/2026 VAN CLEEF ENG. ASSOCIATES LLC	1,648.00
6/18/2026 HABITAT BY DESIGN, LLC	247.13
6/18/2026 HABITAT BY DESIGN, LLC	182.25
6/18/2026 MURPHY MCKEON P.C.	600.00
6/18/2026 PHILLIPS PREISS GRYGIEL LEHENY	2,668.75
6/18/2026 VAN CLEEF ENG. ASSOCIATES LLC	424.00
6/18/2026 VAN CLEEF ENG. ASSOCIATES LLC	453.00
6/18/2026 VAN CLEEF ENG. ASSOCIATES LLC	1,126.00
6/18/2026 PHILLIPS PREISS GRYGIEL LEHENY	577.50
6/18/2026 DORSEY & SEMRAU, L.L.C.	78.00

6/18/2026 HABITAT BY DESIGN, LLC	210.00
6/18/2026 DORSEY & SEMRAU, L.L.C.	78.00
6/18/2026 MURPHY MCKEON P.C.	405.00
6/26/2026 HABITAT BY DESIGN, LLC	226.50
6/26/2026 HABITAT BY DESIGN, LLC	1,507.13
6/30/2026 MURPHY MCKEON P.C.	225.00
6/30/2026 VAN CLEEF ENG. ASSOCIATES LLC	87.00
6/30/2026 MURPHY MCKEON P.C.	15.00
6/30/2026 MURPHY MCKEON P.C.	270.00
6/30/2026 MURPHY MCKEON P.C.	210.00
6/30/2026 MURPHY MCKEON P.C.	45.00
6/30/2026 MURPHY MCKEON P.C.	120.00
6/30/2026 MURPHY MCKEON P.C.	825.00
6/30/2026 MURPHY MCKEON P.C.	1,380.00
6/30/2026 MURPHY MCKEON P.C.	120.00
6/23/2026 MT OLIVE TOWNSHIP	0.00
6/23/2026 MT OLIVE TOWNSHIP	122,822.90
	809,961.60

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A CLOSED EXECUTIVE SESSION OF
THE TOWNSHIP COUNCIL OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE,
COUNTY OF MORRIS, STATE OF NEW JERSEY**

WHEREAS, meetings of the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive are subject to the requirements of the Open Public Meetings Act, N.J.S.A. 10:4-6 et seq. ("OPMA"); and

WHEREAS, the OPMA provides that a public body may exclude the public from a portion of a meeting during which the public body discusses items enumerated by N.J.S.A. 10:4-12b, which items are recognized by the OPMA as requiring confidentiality; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary and appropriate for the Township Council to discuss certain matters in a meeting not open to the public in accordance with N.J.S.A. 10:4-12b of the OPMA.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive, County of Morris, State of New Jersey, as follows:

1. The Township Council shall hold a closed executive session from which the public shall be excluded on July 7, 2026 to discuss items and matters falling within the attorney-client privilege and matters deemed confidential by federal law, State statute and rule of court in order for legal counsel to exercise his/her ethical duties to provide competent legal advice regarding pending and/or anticipated litigation the Township may become a party to; and

2. The Township is authorized to exclude the public from this portion of the meeting and to discuss such matters in executive session in accordance with N.J.S.A. 10:4-12(b)1 and -12(b)5 of the OPMA; and

3. Following completion of the executive session, the Township Council may or may not take action; and

4. The minutes of said closed meeting shall be made available for disclosure to the public when the items that are subject of the closed session discussion are resolved and a reason for confidentiality and privilege no longer exists, in accordance with the OPMA; and

5. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

I hereby certify that this resolution, consisting of two pages, was adopted at a meeting of the Township Council of the Township of Mount Olive on the 7th day of July, 2026.

TOWNSHIP OF MOUNT OLIVE

Susan Gouveia, Township Clerk

Alex Roman, Council President

I hereby certify the above to be a true copy of a resolution passed by the Mount Olive Township Council at a duly convened meeting held on July 7, 2026.

Susan Gouveia, Township Clerk