

BOROUGH OF NORTH PLAINFIELD REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA

MONDAY, DECEMBER 11, 2023 7:30 p.m.

ROLL CALL:

Council Members: Aimee Corzo, Council Vice President

Suezette Given Steven McIntyre Everett Merrill Keiona R. Miller Wendy Schaefer

Frank "Skip" Stabile, Council President

Compliance Statement

APPROVAL OF COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES:

Agenda Conference & Regular Meeting for November 27, 2023

Roll Call

RESOLUTION:

Mr. Merrill

12-11-23-01 Introduction of New Ordinance No. 23-19

INTRODUCTION OF NEW ORDINANCE NO. 23-19 AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND, REVISE AND SUPPLEMENT CHAPTER 7A OF THE BOROUGH CODE, ENTITLED "TRAFFIC SCHEDULES", MORE SPECIFICALLY CHAPTER 7A-3, ENTITLED "SCHEDULE III, PARKING PROHIBITED DURING CERTAIN HOURS," AND MOST NOTABLY SECTION 7A-3(E), ENTITLED "NO PARKING ON MONDAY BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 2:00AM AND 6:00AM", AND MOST NOTABLY SECTION 7A-3(K), ENTITLED "NO PARKING WEDNESDAY 7:00AM TO 5:00PM", AND MOST NOTABLY

SECTION 7A-3(M), ENTITLED "NO PARKING THURSDAY 7:00AM TO 5:00PM", AND, MOST NOTABLY SECTION 7A-3(N), ENTITLED "NO PARKING FRIDAY 2:00AM TO 6:00AM

Reading of title by the Borough Acting Clerk

Roll Call

CONSENT AGENDA

Statement by Council President

Mr. McIntyre:

12-11-23-02 Approving Consent Agenda

Roll Call

- a. Resolution for Refund of Construction Permit
- b. Resolution for Authorizing State Approved Contract Vendors
- c. Resolution for Authorizing the Issuances of Licenses for (2) additional Taxi for Amba Taxi, LLC.
- d. Resolution for Adopting the 2024 Council Meeting Calendar
- e. Resolution for Authorizing the Extension of New Year's Hours
- f. Resolution for Agreement with Bound Brook Borough to Borrow/Lend Ambulances
- g. Resolution for Agreement with Somerset County to Provide Transportation Services
- h. Resolution for Authorizing Agreement with the Borough of Bound Brook for Sharing of Licensed Ambulances
- i. Resolution for Consolidated Bill List
- j. Resolution for Temporary Budget for the Year 2024
- k. Resolution to Authorize the Treasurer to Cancel Outstanding Checks
- 1. Resolution to Authorizing Window Contracts

REPORTS:

BOARD OF HEALTH MONTHLY REPORT – NOVEMBER 2023

COMMUNICATIONS:

New Jersey League of Municipality	Magazine
NJDEP Office of Local Government Assistance	Climate Pollution Reduction Grant Information
New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection	Weekly Update
The Paradise Club & Sports Bar, The Bridge Club & Mi Mundo Latino – Ms. Beni & Mr. Penaloza	Email Requesting Extension of New Year's Hours

REQUESTS FOR AGENDA ITEMS

PUBLIC COMMENT

General public comments shall be limited to five minutes for each individual. (Rule 29 of the Borough Council's Rules of Order)

COMMENTS BY MAYOR, ADMINISTRATOR AND COUNCIL MEMBERS

ADJOURNMENT

RESOLUTION NO. 12-11-23-01

BOROUGH OF NORTH PLAINFIELD COUNTY OF SOMERSET STATE OF NEW JERSEY

BE IT RESOLVED by the Borough Council of North Plainfield that an Ordinance numbered 23-19 be read by its title by the Acting Borough Clerk and be passed on its first reading and advertised as required by statute, fixing January 8, 2023 at 7:30 p.m. or as soon thereafter as the matter can be heard, as the time and the North Plainfield Council Chambers, 263 Somerset Street, North Plainfield, New Jersey or Zoom as the place for hearing and final adoption.

Council President
Council Member

Introduced: December 11, 2023

Adopted: December 11, 2023

BOROUGH OF NORTH PLAINFIELD COUNTY OF SOMERSET STATE OF NEW JERSEY

ORDINANCE NO. 23-19

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND, REVISE AND SUPPLEMENT CHAPTER 7A OF THE BOROUGH CODE, ENTITLED "TRAFFIC SCHEDULES", MORE SPECIFICALLY CHAPTER 7A-3, ENTITLED "SCHEDULE III, PARKING PROHIBITED DURING CERTAIN HOURS," AND MOST NOTABLY SECTION 7A-3(E), ENTITLED "NO PARKING ON MONDAY BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 2:00AM AND 6:00AM", AND MOST **NOTABLY SECTION** 7A-3(K), **ENTITLED** "NO **PARKING** WEDNESDAY 7:00AM TO 5:00PM", AND MOST NOTABLY SECTION 7A-3(M), ENTITLED "NO PARKING THURSDAY 7:00AM TO 5:00PM", AND, MOST NOTABLY SECTION 7A-3(N), ENTITLED "NO PARKING FRIDAY 2:00AM TO 6:00AM,"

WHEREAS, § 7-3.5 of the Borough Code of the Borough of North Plainfield provides that no person shall park a vehicle between the hours specified in Schedule III of Chapter 7A of the Borough Code on any day (except Sundays and public holidays) upon any of the streets or parts of streets described in Schedule III of Chapter 7A of the Borough Code; and,

WHEREAS, after proper investigation, the North Plainfield Police Department has determined that parking along Dupont Street in the Borough of North Plainfield, County of Somerset, State of New Jersey should be modified to permit parking along said street during the school hours of the Stony Brook School; and,

WHEREAS, such locations are described in Schedule III of Chapter 7A of the Borough Code; and,

WHEREAS, the Borough finds it necessary and appropriate to amend, revise and supplement Schedule III of Chapter 7A-3 of the Borough Code regarding parking prohibited during certain hours as aforesaid.

Strikethroughs mean deletions; Underlines mean additions

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Borough Council of the Borough of North Plainfield, County of Somerset, State of New Jersey that the Borough Code of the Borough of North Plainfield be amended, revised and supplemented as to Chapter 7A of the Borough Code, entitled "Traffic Schedules", more specifically Chapter 7A-3, entitled "Schedule III, Parking Prohibited During Certain Hours," most notably Section 7A-3(e), entitled "No Parking on Monday between the hours of 2:00am and 6:00am," as follows:

Name of Street Side Location

Dupont Street North Entire length

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by the Borough Council of the Borough of North Plainfield, County of Somerset, State of New Jersey that the Borough Code of the Borough of North Plainfield be amended, revised and supplemented as to Chapter 7A of the Borough Code, entitled "Traffic Schedules", more specifically Chapter 7A-3, entitled "Schedule III, Parking Prohibited During Certain Hours," and most notably Section 7A-3(n), entitled "No Parking Friday 2:00am to 6:00am," as follows:

Name of Street Side Location

Dupont Street South Entire length

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED by the Borough Council of the Borough of North Plainfield, County of Somerset, State of New Jersey that the Borough Code of the Borough of North Plainfield be amended, revised and supplemented as to Chapter 7A of the Borough Code, entitled "Traffic Schedules", more specifically Chapter 7A-3, entitled "Schedule III, Parking Prohibited During Certain Hours," most notably Section 7A-3(k), entitled "No Parking Wednesday 7:00am to 5:00pm," as follows:

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	Name of Street	t	Side	Location		
	Dupont Street		South	Entire length		
	NOW, THER	EFORE, BE IT	FURTHER	ORDAINED by the Borough Council of the		
Boroug	h of North Plai	infield, County o	f Somerset,	State of New Jersey that the Borough Code of		
the Bor	ough of North	Plainfield be am	ended, revis	ed and supplemented as to Chapter 7A of the		
Boroug	h Code, entitle	ed "Traffic Sched	ules", more	specifically Chapter 7A-3, entitled "Schedule		
III, Par	king Prohibite	ed During Certai	n Hours," 1	most notably Section 7A-3(m), entitled "No		
Parking	Thursday 7:00	0am to 5:00pm,"	as follows:			
	Name of Stree	t	Side	Location		
	Dupont Street		North	Entire length		
	NOW, THER	EFORE, BE IT	FURTHE	R ORDAINED that this Ordinance shall take		
effect, a	after final passa	age, twenty (20) o	lays followii	ng action or inaction by the Mayor as provided		
by law	or an override	of a mayoral vet	o by the Co	uncil, whichever is applicable and publication		
in acco	rdance with la	aw, unless a res	olution is a	dopted, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40:69A-181(b),		
declarin	ng an emergenc	cy and providing	that this Ord	inance shall take effect at an earlier date.		
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APPROVED BY THE MAYOR:

Yes _____ No ____

	of the Ordina	ance adopted by the Borough	h of North Plainfield o
ATTEST:		BOROUGH OF NORTH	PLAINFIELD
Michele Irby-Garry Acting Borough Clerk Borough of North Plainfield		Frank A. "Skip" Stabile, J	Jr., Council President
Date signed:	, 2023	Date signed:	, 2023
Lawrence LaRonde, Mayor		-	
Date signed:	, 202	3	

RESOLUTION NO. 12-11-23-02

BOROUGH OF NORTH PLAINFIELD COUNTY OF SOMERSET STATE OF NEW JERSEY

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the Borough of North Plainfield that resolutions numbered

12-11-23-02 a thru 1

having been placed on the Consent Agenda and there having been no objection thereto, the same are hereby approved.

 Council President
Council Member

Introduced: December 11, 2023

Adopted: December 11, 2023

Resolution No. 12-11-23-02a

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Council of the Borough of North Plainfield, County of Somerset, State of New Jersey that the Treasurer is hereby authorized to refund the following:

Refund of Construction Permit:

Barbara Drayton \$ 199.00 341 Redmont Road North Plainfield, NJ 07060

Council Member		
Council President		

Introduced: December 11, 2023 Adopted: December 11, 2023

CERTIFICATION

I, Michele Irby Garry, Acting Municipal Clerk of the Borough of North Plainfield, County of Somerset, State of New Jersey, do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of a Resolution adopted by the Borough Council at a meeting of the Borough Council held on December 11, 2023.

Michele Irby Garry
Acting Borough Clerk

Borough of North Plainfield

RESOLUTION NO. 12-11-23-02b

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING CONTRACTS APPROVED STATE CONTRACT VENDORS FOR CONTRACTING UNITS PURSUANT TO N.J.S.A 40A:11-12a

WHEREAS, the Borough of North Plainfield, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 40A:11-12a and N.J.A.C. 5:34-7.29(c), may by resolution and without advertising for bids, purchase any goods or services under the State of New Jersey Cooperative Purchasing Program for any state contracts entered into on behalf of the State by the Division of Purchase and Property in the Department of the Treasury; and

WHEREAS, the Borough of North Plainfield has the need on a timely basis to purchase goods or services utilizing State contracts; and

WHEREAS, the Borough of North Plainfield intends to enter into contracts with the attached referenced State Contract Vendors through this resolution and properly executed contracts, which shall be subject to all the conditions applicable to the current State contracts;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Governing Body of the Borough of North Plainfield pursuant to N.J.A.C. 5:30-5.5(b), the certification of available funds, shall either certify the full maximum amount against the budget at the time the contract is awarded, or no contract amount shall be chargeable or certified until such time as the goods or services are ordered or otherwise called for prior to placing the order, and a certification of availability of funds is made by the Chief Finance Officer; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the duration of the contracts between the Borough of North Plainfield and the referenced State Contract Vendors shall be for the 2024 Year, and:

81413 BSN Sports 71054 Cairns T2085 Cambria Truck Center 78848 Celebrity Fleet Operations LLC 68645 Cintas Fire Protection 80977 CMF Business 27171 Computer Systems Method 71056 Continental Fire & Safety 81520 Morpho Trak 70213 Morton Salt Inc. 83909 Motorola 83909 Motorola Solutions 69830 Office Business Systems 42285 Office Solutions 47705 Pitney Bowes 82709 Ricoh Americas Corporation 80866 Rutgers the State University	83331 73991 A79161 01785 63767	Name AK Equipment Absolute Fire Air & Gas Technologies Air Purifiers, Inc. All Steel Inc. Allied Oil, Co. American Tire Service Approved Fire Protection Asia Trading Atlantic Salt Atlantic Tactical Beyer Bros Bodyworks by Tiffany Boises Bus Interiors	69944 83930 82693 63522 87466 74012 69923 69531 67875 81322 67872 85850 62423 70142 77814	Laser Technology, Inc. Lawman Supply Co. Lawson Products Lifesavers Mayline Furniture
85017 Broadview Network 81413 BSN Sports 71054 Cairns 72085 Cambria Truck Center 78848 Celebrity Fleet Operations LLC 68645 Cintas Fire Protection 80977 CMF Business 27171 Computer Systems Method 71056 Continental Fire & Safety 77814 Messercola Excavating 81520 Morpho Trak 81520 Morpho Trak 81520 Morton Salt Inc. 53804 Motorola 83909 Motorola Solutions 69830 Office Business Systems 42285 Office Solutions 877171 Pitney Bowes 877171 Computer Systems Method 87705 Pitney Bowes 8709 Ricoh Americas Corporation 870866 Rutgers the State University	73991	Atlantic Tactical	67872	Lawman Supply Co.
	A79161	I Beyer Bros	85850	Lawson Products
	01785	Bodyworks by Tiffany	62423	Lifesavers
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81301	Draeger Safety Inc.	68461	Sagem Morphotrak
67873	Eagle Point Gun/TJ Morris-Son	71063	Scott
81338	East Coast Emergency Lighting	64040	Sharpe Electronic Corp.
72300	Elite Tree Service	82236	Sherwin Williams
84698	Emerald City Auto Spa	89851	SHI International
75248	Ergo Space Design Inc.	82226	Siperstein's
67899	ESI Equipment	71057	Stanfield
81357	Firefighter One	76921	Storr Tractor Company
81397	Finch Fuel Oil Co. Inc.	A75551	T Slack Environmental Services
T0106	Flemington Department Store	85193	Traffic Safety Services
15/16-0	8 Foley Incorporated	67765	Trico Equipment
70462	Ford Motor Credit	76669	Turnout Fire & Safety
73032	Garden State Highway	82583	Verizon Wireless
71062	Gen-el Safety & Ind.	69933	WB Mason Co, Inc.
71048	Globe Manufacturing	71642	WE Timmerman Co.
73783	Hertrich Fleet Services	73902	Weldon Asphalt
70262	Hewlett Packard	G4013	Luxfer Magteck, Inc.
	RE IT ELIRTHER RESOLVED that the reference	nd State	Contract Vandars are projected to eve

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the referenced State Contract Vendors are projected to exceed the bid threshold for the 2024 Year:

68766	Allied Oil, Co.	70462

Council President
Council Member

Ford Motor Credit

Introduced: December 11, 2023 Adopted: December 11, 2023

CERTIFICATION

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Michele Irby Garry
Acting Borough Clerk

Date signed: December 11, 2023 Borough of North Plainfield

RESOLUTION NO. 12-11-23-01c

BOROUGH OF NORTH PLAINFIELD COUNTY OF SOMERSET STATE OF NEW JERSEY

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the Borough of North Plainfield that, pursuant to $\underline{N.P.R.G.O.}$ 4-1 et seq., it does hereby authorize the issuance of licenses for the owner/operation of (2) additional taxicabs to the following for two years in accordance with the applications heretofore submitted:

Holguer Peralta Toapanta t/a Amba Taxi, LLC. 302 Somerset Street North Plainfield, NJ 07060

	North P	lainfield, NJ 07060
		Council President
		Council Member
Introduced: Adopted:	December 11, 2023 December 11, 2023	
	CEI	RTIFICATION
Somerset, Stat	e of New Jersey, do hereby	cipal Clerk of the Borough of North Plainfield, County of certify the foregoing to be a true copy of a Resolution g of the Borough Council held on December 11, 2023.
		Michele Irby Garry Acting Borough Clerk Borough of North Plainfield

Date signed:

RESOLUTION NO. 12-11-23-02d

BOROUGH OF NORTH PLAINFIELD COUNTY OF SOMERSET STATE OF NEW JERSEY

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the Borough of North Plainfield that it does hereby adopt the following as a schedule of agenda conferences and regular council meetings for the year 2024.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Borough Clerk is hereby directed to post copies of said Schedule on the bulletin board in Borough Hall reserved for said purpose, to forward copies of same to the *Courier News, The Star Ledger and The Alternative Press* and the North Plainfield Memorial Library and to take such other steps as shall be required by law to comply with the Open Public Meetings Act.

COUNCIL MEETING SCHEDULE

Agenda Conferences and Regular Meetings of the Council of the Borough of North Plainfield for the year 2024 shall be held in the Council Chambers, 263 Somerset Street, North Plainfield, New Jersey or via Zoom. Agenda Conferences shall begin at 7:30 p.m., immediately followed by Regular Meetings, Executive Sessions and meetings of the Borough Council acting as the local Board of Health may be convened as announced. Said meetings shall be held on the following dates:

January	8	22	February	13	26
March	11	25	April	8	22
May	6	20	June	10	24
July	8	22	August	12	
September	9	23	October	7	21
November	12	25	December	16	
					Council President

Council Member

Introduced: December 11, 2023 Adopted: December 11, 2023

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Michele Irby Garry Acting Borough Clerk Borough of North Plainfield

RESOLUTION NO. 12-11-23-02e

BOROUGH OF NORTH PLAINFIELD COUNTY OF SOMERSET STATE OF NEW JERSEY

RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH COUNCIL OF NORTH PLAINFIELD SUSPENDING THE BUSINESS HOUR RESTRICTION ON THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES AT CERTAIN PLENARY RETAIL CONSUMPTION LICENSEE'S ESTABLISHMENT

WHEREAS, the Borough of North Plainfield has an ordinance prohibiting the sale of alcoholic beverages on January 1, New Year's Day, between the hours of 2:00 a.m. and 7:00 a.m. unless January 1st is a Sunday; and,

WHEREAS, the Borough has received a written request from The Bridge, Plenary Retail Consumption License No. 1814-33-001-003, The Paradise Club, Plenary Retail Consumption License No. 1814-33-007-008 and Mi Mundo Latino, Plenary Retail Consumption No. 1814-33-008-006 to allow the extension of their hours of operation on Monday, January 1, 2024 to better enable them to serve their clientele and to improve their receipts; and

WHEREAS, The Bridge, The Paradise Club & Sports Bar and Mi Mundo Latino has requested permission to close at a later hour on Monday, January 1, 2024; and

WHEREAS, New Year's Eve generates a large amount of business for alcoholic beverage licensees in the Borough; and,

WHEREAS, the Borough wishes to grant the requests of The Bridge and The Paradise Club & Sports Bar to remain open until a later hour on January 1, 2024;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the Borough of North Plainfield that the business hours restriction on the sale of alcoholic beverages is hereby suspended on January 1, 2024 to allow The Bridge to sell alcoholic beverages until last call at 2:00 a.m. with non-alcoholic sales permitted until 3:00 a.m. closing at that time.

Council President
Council Member

Introduced: December 11, 2023 Adopted: December 11, 2023

CERTIFICATION

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Michele Irby Garry Acting Borough Clerk Borough of North Plainfield

RESOLUTION NO. 12-11-23-02f

BOROUGH OF NORTH PLAINFIELD COUNTY OF SOMERSET STATE OF NEW JERSEY

RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH COUNCIL AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND ACTING MUNICIPAL CLERK TO EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT WITH THE BOROUGH OF BOUND BROOK FOR THE USE OF A NEW JERSEY EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES LICENSED AMBULANCE

WHEREAS, the Borough of North Plainfield and the Borough of Bound Brook have available ambulances licensed by the State of New Jersey Office of Emergency Medical Services; and,

WHEREAS, from time to time, the Borough of North Plainfield or the Borough of Bound Brook may have a need for the use of an ambulance licensed by the State of New Jersey Office of Emergency Medical Services, such as, but not limited to, during fleet maintenance; and,

WHEREAS, the Borough of North Plainfield wishes to join with the Borough of Bound Brook to provide such services pursuant to the terms and conditions of an Agreement, a copy of said Agreement being maintained in the Office of the Acting Municipal Clerk and the contents of which are incorporated herein as if more fully set forth at length herein; and,

WHEREAS, said Agreement provides for the use of an ambulance licensed by the State of New Jersey Office of Emergency Medical Services without costs or fees to the Borough of North Plainfield and upon stated terms; and,

WHEREAS, the said Agreement provides that the parties shall maintain insurance to cover any risk, damage or injury which may occur to or because of the use of said ambulance during such time as the other party, its officials, officers or employees are using said ambulance under the Agreement and shall name the other as an additional insured.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Borough Council of the Borough of North Plainfield, County of Somerset, State of New Jersey that the Borough Council hereby authorizes the Mayor and the Acting Municipal Clerk or designee, on behalf of the Borough, to sign and/or execute the Agreement received from the Borough of Bound Brook for the occasional loan or use of an ambulance licensed by the New Jersey Office of Emergency Medical Services. Said Agreement is incorporated herein by reference as if same was fully set forth, without the need for any further action of this Borough Council.

By:		
J	Frank A. "Skip" Stabile	
	Council President	

Council Member	

Introduced: December 11, 2023 Adopted: December 11, 2023

CERTIFICATION

I, Michele Irby Garry, Acting Municipal Clerk of the Borough of North Plainfield, County of Somerset, State of New Jersey, do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of a Resolution adopted by the North Plainfield Borough Council at a regular meeting of the Borough Council held on December 11, 2023.

BOROUGH OF NORTH PLAINFIELD		
By:		
•	Michele Irby Garry	
	Acting Municipal Clerk	

RESOLUTION NO. 12-11-23-02g

BOROUGH OF NORTH PLAINFIELD COUNTY OF SOMERSET STATE OF NEW JERSEY

RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH COUNCIL AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND ACTING BOROUGH CLERK OR DESIGNEE TO EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT WITH THE COUNTY OF SOMERSET, DIVISION OF TRANSPORTATION.

WHEREAS, the Borough of North Plainfield is in need of a mode and manner to provide ambulatory and accessible transportation services to North Plainfield residents; and,

WHEREAS, the County of Somerset, Division of Transportation is authorized to provide ambulatory and accessible transportation services for the purposes of grocery shopping, chore services and recreation; and,

WHEREAS, the Borough of North Plainfield and the County of Somerset, Division of Transportation desire to enter into a Transportation Service Agreement to provide ambulatory and accessible transportation services to North Plainfield residents; and,

WHEREAS, the County of Somerset, Division of Transportation will provide these services via an accessible bus, provided by the Somerset County Division of Transportation. The Division of Transportation will also provide the driver, necessary driver training, vehicle maintenance, liability insurance, workers compensation, fuel and other necessary items associated with the providing of the transportation services; and,

WHEREAS, the Borough of North Plainfield agrees to pay a cost for each day of the provided service at the rate of One Hundred Eighty Dollars and Eighty Five Cents (\$182.90) per day; and,

WHEREAS, the County of Somerset, Division of Transportation shall provide a detailed report to the Borough of North Plainfield no later than the fifteenth (15th) day of each month. The report shall include the number of users, the number of service days, the number of trips and a description of the nature of the trips taken by North Plainfield residents. With the report, the County of Somerset, Division of Transportation shall provide a voucher and invoice for the services provided. Monthly payments shall be submitted by the Borough to the County by the tenth (10th) calendar day of the following month; and,

WHEREAS, the terms of the Agreement shall run from January 1, 2024 through December 31, 2024; and,

WHEREAS, the Borough of North Plainfield shall comply with the notice and cancellation requirements to the residents as set forth in the Agreement, which is attached hereto.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Borough Council of the Borough of North Plainfield, County of Somerset, State of New Jersey that the Borough Council hereby authorizes the Mayor and the Acting Borough Clerk, on behalf of the Borough, to sign and/or execute the attached Agreement (as amended) with the Somerset County, Division of Transportation, for a period beginning January 1, 2024 through December 31, 2024 for ambulatory and accessible transportation services, without the need for any further action of this Borough Council.

		Ву:	Frank A. "Skip" Stabile Council President	
Introduced: Adopted:	December 11, 2023 December 11, 2023		Council Member	
		CERTIFIC	ATION	

I, Michele Irby Garry, Acting Borough Clerk of the Borough of North Plainfield, County of Somerset, State of New Jersey, do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of a Resolution adopted by the North Plainfield Borough Council at a regular meeting of the Borough Council held on December 11, 2023.

BOROUGH OF NORTH PLAINFIELD

By:		
<i>J</i> .	Michele Irby Garry	
	Deputy Borough Clerk	

RESOLUTION NO. 12-11-23-02h

BOROUGH OF NORTH PLAINFIELD COUNTY OF SOMERSET STATE OF NEW JERSEY

AUTHORIZING AGREEMENT WITH THE BOROUGH OF NORTH PLAINFIELD FOR THE SHARING OF LICENSED AMBULANCES WITH BOROUGH OF BOUND BROOK

WHEREAS, the parties require from time to time the temporary use of a New Jersey Office of Emergency Medical Services licensed ambulance; and

WHEREAS, the parties are agreeable with providing each other with the temporary use of a licensed ambulance, in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in the Agreement, attached hereto as Exhibit A,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Brook, in the County of Somerset and State of New Jersey, as follows:

- 1. The aforesaid recitals are incorporated herein as if set forth at length;
- 2. The Mayor and Council hereby approve the Agreement attached hereto as Exhibit A, and the Mayor and Clerk are hereby authorized to execute the Agreement; and
 - 3. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

BOROUGH OF BOUND BROOK	
Jasmine D. McCoy	Mayor David Morris

Borough Clerk:
Date of Introduction:
Date of Adoption:

AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE BOROUGH OF BOUND BROOK AND THE BOROUGH OF NORTH PLAINFIELD FOR TEMPORARY USE OF LICENSED EMERGENCY MEDICAL AMBULANCES

This Agreement is made thisday of	, 2023
between the Borough of Bound Brook, with principal offices located	at 230
Hamilton Street, Bound Brook, New Jersey 08805, and the Borough o	f North
Plainfield, with principal offices located at 263 Somerset St., North Plainf	ield, NJ
07060.	

WHEREAS, the parties from time to time require the temporary use of a New Jersey Office of Emergency Medical Services licensed ambulance in the event that their own Ambulance is unavailable; and

WHEREAS, the parties are agreeable to providing each other with the temporary use of a licensed ambulance.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants herein contained, the parties agree as follows:

- **1. EQUIPMENT TO BE LOANED.** New Jersey Office of Emergency Medical Services licensed ambulance.
- **2. TERM.** The parties shall provide the loaned ambulance upon request to each other provided that the loaner has a spare available ambulance to loan. The borrower shall return the ambulance as soon as their own equipment has been become available for service or as soon as reasonably possible of any demand by the loaner for return of the ambulance, but no later than 12 hours from the date/time of the request to return it.
- **3. NO COMPENSATION.** The parties shall not be required to compensate each other for the use of an ambulance.
- **4.** During the loan of an ambulance:
- a. the borrower agrees to perform or have performed, at its sole cost and expense, usual and ordinary maintenance on any borrowed ambulance; and
- b. the borrower shall be responsible, at its sole cost and expense, for the repair of any damage caused to the ambulance while in possession of the borrower;

- c. the borrower shall maintain liability, collision and physical damage insurance, ensuring the ambulance in an amount equal to the coverage it maintains on its own ambulance and shall provide the loaner with a certificate of insurance evidencing such coverage upon execution of this Agreement; and
- d. the borrower shall return the ambulance to the loaner in the same condition as it was received from the loaner; and
- e. the borrower is responsible for all medical supplies and equipment (e.g.-trauma bag, oxygen kit, portable radios), and will be required to use their own equipment; only equipment that is typically attached to, or part of, the ambulance will be included.
- f. the borrower is only allowed to use the loaned ambulance in their own municipality or currently contracted jurisdictions. Mutual aid outside of Bound Brook or North Plainfield will not be permitted with the borrowed ambulance. Ambulance use for any contracts beginning after the date of this agreement must be agreed upon prior to the borrower taken possession of the ambulance.
- **5. LOANER RESPONSIBILITIES.** The loaner shall be responsible for all major mechanical repairs (defined as those in excess of \$1,000) to the ambulance and its equipment, unless such repairs are necessitated as a result of the borrower's negligence, in which event, the borrower shall be responsible for such repairs.
- **6. INDEMNIFICATION.** The borrower agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the loaner from and against any and all claims, demands, liabilities, injuries, damages, losses, costs or expenses, including reasonable attorneys' fees, arising from any willful misconduct, negligent act or omission on the part of the borrower or its officers, directors, employees, agents or volunteers, related to the borrower's use of the ambulance pursuant to this Agreement.
- **7. INSPECTIONS.** The loaner and borrower shall have the right to inspect the ambulance prior to taking possession and upon termination of this Agreement to document the condition thereof.
- **8. TRAINING.** Upon execution of this Agreement, but prior to taking possession of any ambulance, the borrower shall be permitted to use the ambulance for the purpose of training if necessary.
- **9. NONASSIGNMENT.** This Agreement shall not be assigned by either party.
- **10. TERMINATION.** This Agreement may be terminated by either party at any time. The borrower shall deliver possession of any ambulance to loaner as soon as reasonably possible, but no later than within 12 hours of termination or demand by loaner.

11. NOTICES. All notices required hereunder shall be sent in writing to the following:

As to the Bound Brook:
Hector Herrera, Borough Administrator
Borough of Bound Brook
230 Hamilton Street
Bound Brook, NJ 08805
Email: hherrera@boundbrook-ni.org

<u>And</u>

Michael Lapotasky
Coordinator of Emergency Medical Services
Borough of Bound Brook
230 Hamilton Street
Bound Brook, NJ 08805
Email: mlapotasky@boundbrook-nj.org

As to the North Plainfield:
David E. Hollod, Borough Administrator
Borough of North Plainfield
263 Somerset Street
North Plainfield, New Jersey 07060
Email: dhollod@northplainfieldnj.gov

And

William Eaton, Fire Chief North Plainfield Fire Department 8 Lincoln Place North Plainfield, NJ 07060 Email: weaton@northplainfieldnj.gov

All notices shall be in writing and shall be delivered to the other party via email or Regular and Certified Mail, Return Receipt Requested.

12. INTEGRATION. This Agreement represents the entire agreement between the parties and may not be modified except by further written agreement between the parties. No representative, agent or employee of the either party has been authorized to make any representations or promises with respect to the within Agreement to vary, alter or modify the terms hereof.

13. AGREEMENT CONTINGENT UPON APPROVAL. This Agreement shall take effect upon the adoption of an approving resolution by each party's governing body. Upon proper execution and attestation of this Agreement, the proper officials of each of the parties are hereby authorized and directed to make and perform any and all acts necessary to carry out the purposes of this Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have caused this Agreement to be executed by their duly authorized officials as follows:

Attest	BOROUGH OF NORTH PLAINFIELD
David E. Hollod Business Administrator	Mayor Lawrence La Ronde
Attest	BOROUGH OF BOUND BROOK
Hector Herrera Business Administrator	Mayor David Morris
Date of Introduction:	

RESOLUTION NO. 12-11-23-02i

BOROUGH OF NORTH PLAINFIELD COUNTY OF SOMERSET STATE OF NEW JERSEY

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the Borough of North Plainfield that the attached bills of the accounts named and for the amounts stated, having been duly audited and found to be correct as of this 11th day of December 2023 the same be paid; and that the Mayor and Chief Financial Officer are hereby authorized to sign and deliver warrants for the same.

 Council President
 Council Member

Introduced: December 11, 2023 Adopted: December 11, 2023

CERTIFICATION

I, Michele Irby Garry, Acting Municipal Clerk of the Borough of North Plainfield, County of Somerset, State of New Jersey, do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of a Resolution adopted by the Borough Council at a meeting of the Borough Council held on December 11, 2023.

Michele Irby Garry
Acting Borough Clerk
Borough of North Plainfield

Date signed: <u>December 11, 2023</u>

RESOLUTION NO. 12-11-23-02j

BOROUGH OF NORTH PLAINFIELD COUNTY OF SOMERSET STATE OF NEW JERSEY

PROVIDING FOR THE TRANSFER OF SURPLUS FUNDS

WHEREAS, N.J.S. 40A:4-58 provides for the transfer of surplus funds from one account to the other during the last two months of the calendar year:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the Borough of North Plainfield that transfers be made in the Boroughs' 2023 budget appropriations in accordance with the following schedule:

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Resolution shall take effect on November 1, 2023.

A/C # NAME	<u>FROM</u>	<u>TO</u>
CURRENT FUND		
23-220-200 Group Insurance	\$22,500.00	
20-110-100 Borough Council-S&W		\$ 2,500.00
20-150-200 Tax Assessor		2,500.00
22-195-200 Construction-OE		2,500.00
43-490-100 Municipal Court-S&W		10,000.00
43-490-200 Municipal Court-OE		5,000.00
25-252-100 Emergency Management-S&W	3,000.00	
25-252-200 Emergency Management-OE		3,000.00
25-265-100 Fire-S&W	5,000.00	
25-265-200 Fire-OE		5,000.00
Totals	\$30,500.00	\$30,500.00
	Council Preside	ent
	Council Memb	er

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RESOLUTION NO. 12-11-23-02k

BOROUGH OF NORTH PLAINFIELD COUNTY OF SOMERSET STATE OF NEW JERSEY

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Borough Council of the Borough of North Plainfield, that the Treasurer is authorized to cancel the following outstanding checks:

	<u>Ck#</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Unity # 770002392	31939	2022	\$ 391.00 CURRENT
•	32130	2022	26.90
	32423	2022	25.38
	32535	2022	120.00
	32602	2022	295.00
	32604	2022	177.00
	33372	2022	301.67
	33478	2022	120.00
	33756	2022	5711.34
	33899	2022	120.00
	34019	2022	189.50
	34116	2022	45.00
	34140	2022	45.00
	34162	2022	1126.15
	34163	2022	250.00
	34398	2022	80.00
	34537	2022	263.44
	34884	2022	80.00
	34979	2022	39.99
	35049	2022	75.00
	35206	2022	<u>200.00</u>
			\$9,682.37
UNITY # 7700022830			
	120335	2022	\$ 90.14 PAYROLL
	120403	2022	90.14
	120522	2022	32.45
	120546	2022	268.49
	120564 120626	2022 2022	90.14 558.00
	120626	2022	90.15
	120686	2022	45.07
	120859	2022	68.28
	120913	2022	57.02
	120967	2022	22.96
	120994	2022	21.67

121192 121201 121285 121316	2022 2022 2022 2022	445.70 92.00 888.63 <u>85.89</u>	
		\$2,946.73	
			Council President
			Council Member

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Acting Borough Clerk Borough of North Plainfield

Resolution No. 12-11-23-021

BOROUGH OF NORTH PLAINFIELD COUNTY OF SOMERSET STATE OF NEW JERSEY

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING "WINDOW" CONTRACTS

Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.4 et seq. (New Jersey Local Unit Pay-To-Play Laws), the Borough of North Plainfield must award by resolution all goods and services contracts with a dollar amount between \$17,500 and \$44,000. These contracts are not bid, but vendors are still responsible to provide political contribution and company disclosure information in order to do business with the Borough.

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions of N.J.S.A. 19:44A-20.4 et seq., when the cost of goods and/or services that fall between \$17,500 and the bid threshold of \$44,000 in the aggregate, an approval by resolution must be in place; and

WHEREAS, the Borough of North Plainfield retained the services of

Confires-Fire Protection Service, LLC

JRC South

M&E Contracting, LLC

Nature's Choice Corporation

North Plainfield Graphics

Somerset Service Center

Staples Business Advantage

X-Cel Carting Co

WHEREAS, a request for quotes for the required work to be performed was requested from several contractors; and

WHEREAS, the above mentioned vendors completed and submitted a Business Entity Disclosure Certification which certifies the business entity has not made any reportable contributions to a political or candidate committee in the Borough in the previous one year, and that the contract will prohibit the above said vendors from making any reportable contributions through the term of the contract.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of the Borough authorized the Purchasing Agent on behalf of the Borough to issue and execute a Purchase Order for the foregoing to the above vendors with funds certified available by the Chief financial Officer; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the CFO has been authorized to arrange to pay for the foregoing in accordance with the terms of the purchase order in the amount not to exceed of \$44,000.

Council President
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Borough of North Plainfield

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Board of Health Monthly Report



North Plainfield

PREPARED BY THE SOMERSET COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH



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Communicable Disease and Nursing

Schools Immunization Audits



Yearly audits of Preschool, Elementary, Middle and High School student immunization records to ensure compliance with NJ Law regarding immunization requirements.

Immunization Audits for Schools/Daycare Facilities

None to report

Community Disease Control and Prevention



Investigation, surveillance, and reporting of communicable diseases.

- → Cases of all reportable communicable diseases continue to be investigated on a daily basis as per NJDOH guidance.
- → SCDOH works with schools, daycares, long-term care facilities, and other non-healthcare settings to identify outbreaks and provide public health recommendations to these facilities.
- → Tuberculosis (TB) control through case monitoring and management, contact follow-up, and provision of medications.
- → Childhood lead poisoning prevention through blood lead screening and assessment of lifestyle and environment for sources of lead.
 - Repeat testing for elevated blood lead levels: 2
 - Home visits conducted for elevated blood lead levels: 3
 - Closed cases of elevated blood lead levels: 1
 - Transferred cases: 1
 - Environmental inspection: 1
- → Chronic disease resources are available as well as educational programs and screenings to increase awareness, encourage prevention, and promote early detection of cancer and other chronic diseases. Chronic disease prevention efforts and outreach are in collaboration with various community organizations and members.



Total Number of Communicable Disease Cases Investigated

• 24



Top Three Communicable Diseases

- Novel Coronavirus- 2019 NCOV 22
- ▶ Hepatitis C 1
- Lyme Disease 1

Emergency Preparedness



COVID-19 vaccines are administered at various clinics throughout the County - total of **68,305** COVID-19 vaccines administered since December 2020. SCDOH conducts homebound COVID-19 vaccinations for residents who for medical or other reasons are unable to travel to the County clinics.



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Consumer Health

Consumer Health Program Overview



- Plan Reviews: 2
- Retail food inspections: 6
- Retail Food re-inspections: 1
- Retail Food pre-operational inspections: 1
- Special Event applications: 0
- Complaint Investigations: 1
- Received animal bite report: 1

Administrative



- File Searches: 0
- Issued retail food, hotel, recreational bathing, and vending machine licenses.

Training and Education



• None to report for this month

Environmental



- Well Installation Inspections: 0
- Well Installation Permits Issued: 0
- Septic Inspection Reports: 0

Childhood Lead Prevention



- Repeat testing for elevated blood lead levels: 2
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- Environmental inspection: 1

Court Proceedings / Enforcement Actions



- Notice of Violation (NOVs) Issued: 0
- Court Appearances: 0
- Fines Issued: \$ 0

Basic Food Handler Certification



Completion of ServSafe Basic Food Handler course: 0

SOMERSET COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH



COUNTY ADMINISTRATION BUILDING 27 Warren Street, P.O. Box 3000 Somerville, New Jersey 08876-1262 (908) 231-7155 FAX (908) 704-8042 www.co.somerset.nj.us/health healthdiv@co.somerset.nj.us



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PROGRAM AREA	2023 INSP	2022 INSP	2023 RE-INSP	2022 RE-INSP		2023 Year-To-Date INSP RE-INSP		2022 Year-To-Date INSP RE-INS	
Retail Food	6	6	1	0	133	14	105	5 KE-INS	
Retail Food: follow up	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	
Temp/mobile Retail Food	1	0	0	0	30	0	20	0	
Retail Food: Pre opt	1	1	0	0	5	0	3	0	
Recreational Bathing	0	0	0	0	6	1	7	1	
Massage parlor	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	
Wassage parior	U	0	U	U	1	U	1	1	
COMPLAINTS	2023 REC'D	2022 REC'D	2023 INVG	2022 INVG	2023 Y REC'D	ear-To-Date INVG	2022 Y REC'D	ear-To-Date INVG	
Retail Food Establishments	0	0	0	0	9	9	6	6	
Garbage / Debris	0	0	0	0	5	5	0	0	
Vermin / Insect	0	0	0	0	6	1	0	0	
Property Maintenance	0	0	0	0	4	0	9	0	
Public Health Nuisance	0	0	0	0	3	3	3	0	
Housing	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Animal	2	0	1	0	7	3	1	0	
Mold	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Odor – Non-CEHA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Noise – Non-CEHA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
ADMINISTRATIVE	2023		2022		2023 Y	ear-To-Date	2022 Yo	ear-To-Date	
Consultations	0		0		0		0		
Plan Reviews	2		0		3		3		
Hearings	0		0		0		0		
Court Proceedings	0		0		1		0		
NOV's Issued	0		0		1		1		
Summonses Issued	0		0		0		0		
Lab Reports Reviewed	0		0		0		0		
Staff Meetings	0		0		0		0		
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RETAIL FOOD INSPECTION RATINGS REPORT

COMPANY NAME	CITY	RISK TYPE	INSPECT DATE	SAT	SAT-A	SAT-B	COND SAT	UNSAT	PRE-OP INSP	INITIAL INSP	RE- INSP	FOLLOW- UP
SOMERSET ST FOOD LLC	NORTH PLAINFIELD	2	11/1/2023			V				V		
EAT WELL MODERN BUFFET	NORTH PLAINFIELD	4	11/9/2023	✓								
THE BEST TACO LLC 11-11-23	NORTH PLAINFIELD	2	11/11/2023	V								
DCOLUMBIA	NORTH PLAINFIELD	4	11/13/2023				V			V		
22 BITES	NORTH PLAINFIELD	3	11/15/2023		\checkmark					V		
AMAYA EXPRESS	NORTH PLAINFIELD	1	11/16/2023			V				V		
DCOLUMBIA	NORTH PLAINFIELD	4	11/27/2023			$ \mathbf{Z} $					\checkmark	
INTERNATIONAL CLUB & SPORTS BAR	NORTH PLAINFIELD	2	11/28/2023			\checkmark				V		
TESORO SALVADORENO	NORTH PLAINFIELD	3	11/30/2023		V					V		
			TOTALS	2	. 2	2	1	0	1	6	1	. 0

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COMPLAINTS REPORT -- 11/1/2023 TO 11/30/2023

PROPERTY / LOC ADDRESS	GEROGRAPHIC AREA	ТҮРЕ	ACTION	STATUS	DATE RECEIVED	DATE of INVESTIGATION	FILE NUMBER
46 MOUNTAIN AVENUE NORTH PLAI	NORTH PLAINFIELD	ANIMAL	RE-INSPECTION	CLOSED	11/14/2023	11/28/2023	NP-23-11-14-0037
46 MOUNTAIN AVENUE NORTH PLAI	NORTH PLAINFIELD	ANIMAL	INVESTIGATION	CLOSED	11/14/2023	11/14/2023	NP-23-11-14-0037
401 ROUTE 22 APT 41	NORTH PLAINFIELD	ANIMAL	REFFERED	CLOSED	11/20/2023	11/20/2023	NP-23-11-20-0038



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County Environmental Compliance & Enforcement

Air Quality



Dry cleaner inspections: 0

B Source: 0

Noise Complaints: 0

Complaints: 0

NJDEP referrals: 0

Idling enforcement: 0

Solid Waste



Facility inspections: 0

Demo checks: 0

Container inspections: 0

Hauler inspections: 0

Single-Use Plastics Inspection: 0

Complaints: 0

NJDEP referrals: 0

Water



Water pollution investigations: 0

Transient well inspections: 0

Non transient well inspections: 0

Complaints: 0

NJDEP referrals: 0

Pesticides



IPM inspections: 0

Landscaper inspections: 0

Complaints: 0

NJDEP referrals: 0

Open Public Records Act (OPRA)



OPRA reports completed: 0

NJDEP = New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection



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Health Education Services

Monthly Health Observances



SCDOH health educators promote and bring awareness to monthly health observances through press releases, social media & community outreach opportunities.

- Lung Cancer Awareness Month
- National Diabetes Month

- Great American Smokeout (11/16)
- National Hospice and Palliative Care Month

Community Outreach/Programming – Listed on calendar below



Social Media

 Outreach on Twitter for monthly health observances, winter weather preparedness, food safety, health habits, Thanksgiving food safety, diabetes, cancer awareness and prevention, flu/viruses, MRC volunteering, etc.

Community Outreach/Programs

- Advertisement at the Bridgewater Commons Mall
 - Healthy Habits Advertisement posted until 11/19
 - Winter preparedness advertisement posted on 11/20
- Chronic Disease Self-Management Program at Franklin Township Senior Center 11/1 & 11/8
- Hispanic Women's Resource Center Mobile Screening Unit Event (RCDC Morris County 11/4)
- Basic Food Handler Course 11/15

Meetings

- Health Educator/Risk Communicator Skill building session on social media 11/1
- Chronic Disease CHIP Committee Meeting 11/2
- African American Wellness Committee Meeting (RCDC) 11/14
- Healthier Somerset Meeting 11/21
- RCDC Grant Call with NJDOH 11/27
- Somerset County Latino Advisory Council Meeting 11/27

SCDOH Website Management



- Upcoming COVID-19 Vaccination Clinic Dates
- Webpage Updates
 - Homepage → Influenza Prevention/Vaccine Information
 - → Health Inspections (Consumer Health) → Updated Well Permit Applications for Bedminster, Bound Brook, Far Hills, and Franklin
 - → Health Education → Disease Prevention CDC Fact Sheets
 - RSV in Infants & Young Children (CDC): English and Spanish
 - Older Adults are at High Risk for Severe RSV Illness (CDC): English and Spanish

Upcoming/In Development



- North Plainfield Community Health Fair 12/9
- Basic Food Handler Course 12/13

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Twitter posts for Health Observances throughout the month			1 Chronic Disease Self- Management Program	2 CHIP Committee Meeting	3	RCDC Screening Event (Morris County)
5	6	7	8 Chronic Disease Self- Management Program	9	10	11
12	13	14 AAWC Meeting	15 Food Handler Course	16	17	18
19	20	21 Healthier Somerset Meeting	22	23	24	25
26	RCDC Grant Call Somerset County Latino Advisory Council meeting	28	29	30		



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Public Health Emergency Preparedness – LINCS Team

External Meetings



- NJDOH Vaccine Update Meetings 11/6, 11/13, 11/20, 11/27
- NJDOH Skill Building Session #1: Developing a Social Media Policy 11/1
- Central Healthcare Coalition Meeting 11/13
- LINCS Grantee Meeting 11/17

Public Health Emergency Preparedness Outreach/Activities



- SCDOH COVID-19 Vaccination Clinics total of 68,452 COVID-19 vaccines administered since December 2020
- SCDOH Distribution of antigen COVID-19 test kits to municipalities 484
- Flu Vaccination Clinic 11/1 (Far Hills-Bedminster Fire House) and 11/9 (Manville VFW)
- COVID-19/Flu Vaccination Clinic 11/16 (United Reformed Church Somerville)
- Homebound Vaccination 11/2 (North Plainfield 1), 11/14 (Franklin 5), and 11/21 (Bound Brook – 1, Franklin – 2, Neshanic Station - 1)

LINCS Messages



The SCDOH receives the messages from the New Jersey Department of Health and disseminates them to county partners and organizations who are the target audiences for the message via email. There are six main categories, with the addition of Somerset County-specific messages.

- Public Health Information 14 messages sent
- Public Health Recalls 6 messages sent
- Public Health Training 0 messages sent
- Public Health Update 2 messages sent
- Public Health Advisory 2 messages sent
- Public Health Alert 0 messages sent
- Somerset County Department of Health LINCS Messages 5 messages sent

Somerset County Medical Reserve Corps



• MRC Mission Set Workshop – 11/28

Upcoming/In Development



- Outreach initiative to increase LINCS healthcare provider contacts Planning phase
- HERC Meeting 12/6
- NJ MRC Quarterly Meeting 12/7
- Sharefair Event 12/9 (Manville)
- Homebound Vaccinations 12/19

November Clinic Schedule

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 Flu Vaccination Clinic	Homebound COVID/Flu	3	4
5	6	7	8	Vaccination 9 Flu Vaccination Clinic	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18

		Homebound COVID/Flu Vaccination		COVID-19/Flu Vaccination Clinic		
19	20	Homebound COVID/Flu Vaccination	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		