

TOWNSHIP OF CHESTERFIELD

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To All Residents,

Please be advised that Chesterfield Township is aware of a resident that is presumptive positive for COVID-19. Because of Health Insurance Portability and Accountability (HIPAA), the specific information regarding who this person is and where they live within the Township is not shared with the Township. The Burlington County Health Department has that information and is monitoring him. The resident is under quarantine at home. It has been reported to us that the person does not have any children at school.

We have been working closely with the Burlington County Health Department, Burlington County Office of Emergency Management, our local first responders of Police, Fire and EMS, and Chesterfield Township Elementary School as well as Northern Burlington County Regional Middle and High School. We are holding several staff meetings providing updated information and precautions that should be taken.

As concerned residents the question we hear the most is what can I do to protect myself? Below are the recommendation from the Health Department and Centers for Disease Control and Prevention:

- Practice good hygiene:
 - Stop handshaking
 - Clean hands at the door and frequent schedule handwashing with warm soapy water for at least 20 second
 - Create habits and reminders to avoid touching your face
 - Disinfect surfaces like tables door knobs and handrails
 - Increase ventilation by opening windows
 - Stay at home if you or a family are feeling sick (and contact your medical provider)

In our effort to limit and hopefully reduce the risk of exposure, Chesterfield Township offices will be open; however **public access to the building will be closed**. We have also closed the recreation building and fields. If you have something that needs the Township attention, you should call the Township Offices at 609-298-2311 8:30am to 4:00pm or the Police at 609-291-0912 8:00 am to 3:00pm and Police after hours at 609-723-8300. Our dedicated staff will be here to assist and keep township operations open during regular business hours listed above.

As you are all aware, this is uncharted waters and is constantly changing. As we get updates from the State and County we will post them to the website.

Thank you,
Mayor Jeremy Liedtka