

# HAMPTON BOROUGH NEWSLETTER

July to December 2021

FROM THE MAYOR'S DESK.....

Happy Summer.....I sincerely hope that all of you are enjoying the outdoors and a bit of normalcy after the COVID Pandemic, while we are not out of the woods yet with everyone's due diligence we are certainly making progress.

I would like to let everyone know that I am here if you need to reach me regarding any concerns you may have, please call 908-208-9562 or email [hamptonboromayor@gmail.com](mailto:hamptonboromayor@gmail.com).

One of the top concerns our Borough residents have are the high taxes here in the Borough of Hampton. We would like to invite all residents and any representatives from Hampton School to attend the Regular Borough Council Meeting on September 27, 2021 at 7:30pm. At that time the Borough Council Members and staff will provide a breakdown of your taxes - both Municipal and Local School taxes. We would like your input as to how you would like to see the Borough move forward, focusing on the financial feasibility of maintaining a local school. Each resident will be allowed 3 minutes to speak. The meeting will be held at the Municipal Building. Please email the Borough Clerk at [hamptonboroclerk@hamptonboro.org](mailto:hamptonboroclerk@hamptonboro.org) if you will be in attendance so that we will know that there will be enough room for all those that would like to attend. If you prefer to call dial 908-537-2329.

Please remember to visit our website [www.hamptonboro.org](http://www.hamptonboro.org) for up to the minute information.

I sincerely hope that all of our Hampton families remain healthy.  
Mayor Todd Shaner

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## BOROUGH COUNCIL INFORMATION

Mayor Todd Shaner – Term Expires 12/31/2023

| MEMBERS                           | Term Expires | Term Expires                            |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|---|
| John Drummond – Council President | 12/31/2022   | Carroll Swenson – Councilman 12/31/2022 |
| Rob Celentano – Councilman        | 12/31/2021   | Jeff Tampier – Councilman 12/31/2021    |
| Doug Rega – Councilman            | 12/31/2021   | Rob Wotanowski – Councilman 12/31/2023  |

The Hampton Borough Council meets the second and fourth Monday of the month beginning at 7:30pm. The second meeting of the month is canceled during June, July and August.

Please check the Borough Website [www.hamptonboro.org](http://www.hamptonboro.org) for Agendas, Minutes, Pending and Adopted Ordinances and any changes in meeting dates.

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## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS

(908)537-6884

After Hour Water Emergency Only (908)-448-4854

Alan Brower, CPWM Director, Water Operator Matt Schafer – Deputy Director, Water Operator

**BRUSH CHIPPING:** Brush chipping is for branches only, NOT for trees that have been removed.

Cut ends should face the street. No Bamboo will be collected. No chipping in July or August. Brush chipping items should be out by the following dates: **Wednesday September 1.**

**LEAF PICK UP** will begin on October 21 and End on December 17.

**TRASH** will be collected every Monday **EXCEPT** when Monday is a holiday, then it will be collected on Tuesday. The sanitation limit is one (1) thirty-two gallon or two (2) twenty gallon containers per household per week. "Extra Bag stickers" are available for purchase for \$3.00 per 25lbs.

**RECYCLING** will be collected every Tuesday unless **Monday is a holiday**, then it will be collected on Wednesday. **ALL recyclables may be mixed together. No container should weigh more than 50lbs.**

**Electronics Recycling** is done through Hunterdon County check their website:

[WWW.CO.HUNTERDON.NJ.US](http://WWW.CO.HUNTERDON.NJ.US) Hunterdon County Solid Waste and Recycling Service

**RECYCLE COACH APP** – Download the Recycle Coach App on your phone as an easy way to find out how to dispose of your recyclables.

**SNOW:** Remove vehicles from the road at start of snow/ice storm. Snow/ice must be removed from sidewalks within 12 hours of precipitation ending.

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**Water Quality** – Each year the Borough must provide their water customers with a way to view the ANNUAL DRINKING WATER REPORT. Please visit our website [www.hamptonboro.org](http://www.hamptonboro.org) for a link to the complete report and state Water Quality Website or go to:

HTTPS://WWW9.STATE.NJ.US.DEP\_WATERWATCH\_PUBLIC/JSP/CCRSCHEDULES.JSP?TINWSYS=419

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## WHAT RESIDENTS NEED TO KNOW!

One of the BEST ways you can stay informed about what is happening in the Borough of Hampton is to check our website [www.hamptonboro.org](http://www.hamptonboro.org). It contains important information about closings or changes in trash or recycling pick up days. It also has various forms, as well as meeting agendas and minutes. **Ordinances that are introduced and dates of public hearings.**

**License your Dog – It's the Law.** All dogs 6 months of age and older must have a valid Rabies Vaccine that does not expire prior to November 1 of the current year and must be licensed by January 1 of the current year. Applications can be found on the Borough Website.

**Landlords/Tenants-** All rental units must be registered with the Borough Clerk.

**Own Chickens?** There is an Ordinance requiring chickens to be licensed. Please visit the Borough Website to view the Ordinance and obtain an Application. **ROOSTERS ARE NOT ALLOWED IN THE BOROUGH.**

**Get Involved –** The Hampton Borough Planning Board is in need of members. Contact the Borough Clerk if you are interested.

## BOROUGH OFFICIALS

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| Linda Leidner, RMC/CMR/CRP (8:30-4 M-F)<br>Borough Clerk, Registrar, Water Clerk | 908-537-2329<br>hamptonboroclerk@hamptonboro.org |
| Kathy Olsen, Chief Financial Officer   | 908-537-2329                                     |
| Jeff Ward, Tax Assessor  | 908-625-8971                                     |
| Diane Laudenbach, Tax Collector Thur. 4:30-6:30                                  | 908-537-2329                                     |
| Sherry Minchin, Planning Bd. Secretary   | 908-343-3760                                     |
| Allison Witt, Zoning Officer   | hamptonzoning@yahoo.com                          |
| Alan Brower, Municipal Violations Officer  | 908-537-6884                                     |
| Tom Carpenter, Rental Inspector/PERC Witness                                     | 908-537-4521                                     |
| Jeff Tampier, OEM (Emergency Management)   | 908-448-4857                                     |
| State Police Washington Barracks <b>Emergency 911</b>                            | Non- Emergency 908-689-3101                      |
| St. Hubert's – Animal Control  | 908-526-3330                                     |

## Municipal Calendar

| AUGUST 2021  | SEPTEMBER 2021  |
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| <b>**TAXES DUE**</b>   | <b>**Fri Sept 3 &amp; Mon Sept 6 DPW &amp; Municipal Office Closed** Trash P/U Tues and Recycling P/U Wed</b> |
| Mon. Aug. 2 Planning Bd. Mtg. 8:00pm   | Mon. Sept. 13 Council Mtg. 7:30pm   |
| Mon. Aug 9 Council Mtg. 7:30pm   | Mon. Sept. 20 Planning Bd. Mtg. 8:00pm  |
| <b>Thurs. Aug. 19-Friday Aug 27 Municipal Clerk's Office will be closed for Vacation</b> | Mon. Sept. 27 Council Mtg. 7:30 - LOCAL SCHOOL Discussion on the Agenda. All are welcome.                     |
| OCTOBER 2021   | NOVEMBER 2021   |
| Mon. Oct. 4 Planning Bd. Mtg 8:00pm  | <b>**TAXES DUE NOVEMBER 1 (Grace Period 11/10)</b>  |
| Mon. Oct 11 Council Mtg. 7:30pm ****   | Mon Nov. 1 Planning Bd. Mtg. 8:00pm   |
| <b>We are open and Trash will be collected 10/11****</b>                                 | <b>Tues. Nov. 2 ELECTION DAY Polls Open 6am-8pm</b>   |
| <b>****Leaf Pick Up begins Oct. 21****</b>   | Mon Nov. 8 Council Mtg. 7:30pm  |
| Mon. Oct. 25 Council Mtg. 7:30pm   | <b>Thurs. Nov. 11 DPW &amp; Municipal Office Closed</b>   |
|  | Mon. Nov. 22 Council Mtg. 7:30pm  |
|  | <b>Thurs/Fri Nov. 25/ 26 DPW &amp; Municipal Office Closed</b>  |
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| December 2021   | JANUARY 2022  |
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| Mon. Dec. 6 – Planning Bd. Mtg. 8:00pm  | <b>Mon January 3, 2022 DPW &amp; Municipal Offices Closed</b> |
| Mon Dec 13– Council Mtg. 7:30pm   | <b>Trash P/U Tues and Recycling P/U Wed</b>                   |
| <b>Fri Dec. 24 AND Mon Dec 27 DPW &amp; Municipal Offices Closed. ** Trash P/U Tues</b> | Mon. January 3, 2022 Council Reorganization Meeting           |
| <b>And Recycling P/U Wed</b>  | <b>DOG LICENSE RENEWAL DUE BY JANUARY 31, 2022</b>            |
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**\*\* Garbage will be collected on Tuesday and Recycling on Wednesday due to Holiday.**