

HAMPTON BOROUGH NEWSLETTER

January to June 2022

FROM THE MAYOR'S DESK.....

Happy New Year!

Happy 2022 – I'm hoping that 2021 was a good year for our Hampton families and that 2022 is an even better year of good health and happiness.

The Borough has seen some personnel changes, our Tax Assessor Rob Vance retired after almost 50 years of service to the Borough. His years of knowledge will be missed. Our new Tax Assessor is Jeffrey Ward who comes to us with a lot of experience.

Planning Board Members are needed, please consider serving on the Planning Board. For more information contact the Borough Clerk or Planning Board Secretary.

We will be sending out a newsletter twice a year, but I encourage you to check our website, www.hamptonboro.org for up to the minute information.

If you have any questions or concerns that you would like to discuss I can be reached by email at hamptonboromayor@gmail.com or cell phone 908-208-9562

I sincerely hope that all of our Hampton families have a happy, healthy and prosperous New Year!
Mayor Todd Shaner – Term Expires 12/31/2023

BOROUGH COUNCIL INFORMATION

MEMBERS	Term Expires		Term Expires
Rob Celentano– Councilman	12/31/2023	Carroll Swenson – Councilman	12/31/2022
John Drummond – Councilman	12/31/2022	Jeff Tampier – Councilman	12/31/2024
Doug Rega – Councilman	12/31/2024	Rob Wotanowski – Councilman	12/31/2023

The Hampton Borough Council meets the first and third 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 for Agendas, Minutes, Pending and Adopted Ordinances and any changes in meeting dates.

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



WHEN IT SNOWS:

All vehicles must be removed from the streets at the start of snow/ice storms. Cars may be parked in the public parking lot located behind the Hampton Emergency Squad Building. Residents of East Grand Street may park temporarily in the Saint Ann parking lot. All vehicles must be removed following the storm so that parking areas may be cleared.

It is the responsibility of homeowners and tenants to keep their sidewalks cleared of snow and ice. It is illegal to throw snow into the streets. Snow/ice must be removed from sidewalks **within 12 hours** of the snow ending.

BRUSH CHIPPING:

Brush chipping is for branches only, NOT for trees that have been removed. Cut ends should face the street. Brush chipping items should be out by the following dates: April 6, May 4, June 8 No **Brush Collection July & August** September 14 and October 12



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.

Dumpster Rentals are available - \$225.00 for a 6 Cubic Yard dumpster. Contact the DPW or Municipal Clerk for information. Rental Applications can be found on the website under Forms and Documents.

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.**

Please visit the Hampton Borough Website for a complete list of what can be recycled and how to properly recycle. Also, there is an App called **Recycle Coach**, it is a great source for recycling information. **Electronics Recycling** is done through Hunterdon County. Check the Borough Website for County Electronics Recycling Drop Off Dates and Times.

Water Quality – Each year the Borough must provide their water customers with a way to view the ANNUAL DRINKING WATER QUALITY REPORT. Please visit our website www.hamptonboro.org for complete report and links to state website.

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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. This website is updated on a daily basis. 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.**

Water Billing - The Utility Moratorium for utility companies' not imposing late fees or disconnecting services for non-payment of outstanding bills comes to an end on March 15, 2022. Please see the enclosed notice for more information.

Dog Licensing: All dogs in the Borough of Hampton must be licensed on or before January 31, 2022 to avoid a \$5.00 late charge. Please visit our website for Dog License Applications. Rabies vaccine must be current through November 1, 2022 in order to obtain a license. Protect your pet and your family, there have been several cases of rabies in Hunterdon and Warren Counties. ****Free Rabies Clinic Listing is on our website**

Building, Electrical and Plumbing Permits: Can be obtained by call NJ Code Enforcement 908-713-0722, located at 171 Route 173 Suite 107, Asbury, NJ 08802.

Borough Officials

Linda Leidner, RMC/CMR/CRP (8:30-4 M-F) Borough Clerk, Registrar, Water Clerk	908-537-2329 hamptonboroclerk@hamptonboro.org
Kathy Olsen, Chief Financial Officer	908-537-2329
Jeffrey 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 Emergency 911	Non- Emergency 908-689-3101
St. Hubert's – Animal Control	908-526-3330

Municipal Calendar

January 2022 (Dog License Renew by 1/31)	February 2022 (1st Qtr. Taxes Due Grace Period 2/10)
Mon. Jan 3 Council Reorg & Reg. Mtg. 7:30pm **Mon Jan 3 DPW & Municipal Offices Closed**	Mon. Feb 7 Council Mtg. 7:30pm
Sat. Jan 8 Free Rabies Clinic 8:30am to 10am	Mon. Feb 21 DPW & Municipal Offices Closed
Mon. Jan 17 Planning Bd. Reorg Mtg. 8:00pm	Mon. Feb 21 Council Mtg. 7:30pm
Mon. Jan 24 Council Mtg. 7:30pm	Mon. Feb 28 Planning Bd. Mtg. 8:00pm
March 2022	April 2022
Mon March 7 Council Mtg. 7:30pm	Mon. April 4 Council Mtg. 7:30pm
Mon. March 21 Council Mtg. 7:30pm	Fri. April 15 Municipal Offices & DPW Closed
Mon. March 28 Planning Bd. Mtg. 8:00pm	Mon. April 18 Council Mtg. 7:30pm
	Mon. April 25 Planning Bd. Mtg. 8:00pm
May 2022 (2nd Qtr. Taxes Due Grace Period 5/10)	June 2022
Mon. May 2 Council Mtg. 7:30pm	Mon. June 6 Council Mtg. 7:30pm
Mon. May 16 Council Mtg. 7:30pm	Mon. June 20 No Council Mtg
Mon. May 23 Planning Bd. Mtg 8:00pm	Mon. June 27 Planning Bd. Mtg. 8:00pm
Fri May 27 & Mon May 30 Municipal Offices & DPW Closed**	
July 2022	July 1&4 Municipal Offices & DPW Closed
New Newsletter to come out with tax bills!!!!	July 18 Council 7:30pm July 25 Planning Bd. 8:00pm

**** Trash will be picked up on Tuesday and Recycling will be picked up on Wednesday due to Holiday****