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FREEHOLDER NEWS



[Freeholders Oppose Transco Station](#)

The Freeholder Board will formally object to a plan by Transco for a new compressor station near the quarry in Franklin Township.

[2017 Budget Adopted](#)

The Freeholders' 2017 county budget maintains essential services to residents.

[Mountain View Park](#)

State and local officials joined the Freeholders in cutting the ribbon on the county's newest park.

Freeholder Proclamations & Citations

[Mental Health Month](#)

[Skin Cancer Awareness Month](#)

[Week of the Young Child](#)

[Workers Memorial Day](#)

[New Cemetery Association of Somerville 150th Anniversary](#)

[Vo-Tech Jaguars Boys Basketball Team 'Dynamic Duo'](#)

WHAT'S NEW

Operation Secure Shred

The next free document-shredding event will be held April 29 in Hillsborough.

Human Services Conference

Register by May 1 for this May 17 program at Raritan Valley Community College.

Recycling Drop-off

The next First Saturday of the Month recycling drop-off will be held May 6 in Bridgewater.

Electronics Waste

You can drop off unwanted electronics May 6 at the county public works facility in Hillsborough.

'Trans 101'

Participants will learn about the needs of gender-diverse youth at this May 12 workshop.

BOBO Fridays

Please donate to the next "Buy One, Bring One" food collection on May 19.

Flag Day Art Contest

Students and adults are invited to enter the 2017 Flag Day Art Contest.

Rental Assistance

Eligible Somerset County residents can receive up to 15 months of rental assistance.

County Clerk's Office Has Saturday Hours

The passport application process is being made easier with the addition of Saturday hours.

LEADERSHIP NEWS

Wanted: Community Projects

The adult Leadership Somerset Class of 2017 wants to address unmet needs in the community.

Youth Leadership Somerset

Applications are due May 15 for the 2017-2018 Youth Leadership Somerset program.

SENIOR CORNER

May Programs

Celebrate Older Americans Month at our [six county-operated senior centers!](#)

LIBRARY SYSTEM

'Teen Tycoons'

Sign up for the SCLSNJ's Teen Entrepreneurial Contest for students in grades 7-12.

Comic Con

The SCLSNJ's second annual Comic Con will be held June 17 in Bridgewater.

PARKS & RECREATION

Parks Programs & Activities

Enjoy swimming, golfing, hiking and much more at our Somerset County parks!

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