

Awards & Grants. Adopt-A-Family. Recycling Calendar. And More!



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Patricia L. Walsh - Peter S. Palmer, Director - Patrick Scaglione, Deputy Director (front row)
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FREEHOLDER NEWS



[Disability Advocates Awards](#)

The Board of Freeholders honored Arthur Raynes and the Watchung Hills Pop Warner Challenger Division, recipients of the 2017 awards.

[Senior Artists](#)

Local senior artists received honors in both county and state juried art shows.

[Youth Services Grants](#)

Grants were awarded to youth services commissions representing all 21 municipalities.

[East County Park](#)

Freeholder Walsh joined Warren Township officials in marking the start of Phase II of the East County Park project.

[Historic Preservation Grants](#)

Freeholder Director Palmer presented ceremonial checks to six local projects.

WHAT'S NEW

[Adopt-A-Family Program](#)

You can help provide a Thanksgiving meal for a needy family in your community!

[Recycling Calendar](#)

Residents and farmers may drop off tires next week at the South County Public Works Garage, Nov. 13-17. The Recycling Center will be open Veterans Day, Nov. 10; curbside collections will be made as usual that day. The Recycling Center will be closed Nov. 23 for Thanksgiving; pickups in Franklin and South Bound Brook will be moved to Nov. 24.

[County Holidays](#)

Somerset County offices will be closed Nov. 10 for Veterans Day and Nov. 23 and 24 for Thanksgiving. However the Recycling Center has a different holiday schedule - see above.

[STOPit App](#)

With STOPit, you have the power to protect yourself and others by providing law enforcement with information anonymously.

[Veterans Dental Services](#)

Free dental services for eligible veterans will be offered Nov. 11 and 12 in North Jersey.

[Free Legal Consultation](#)

Have you been denied Social Security disability or veterans' benefits? You may be eligible for a free attorney consultation on Nov. 16. Pre-registration is required.

[BOBO Fridays](#)

The next "Buy One, Bring One" food collection will be held Nov. 17, just in time for Thanksgiving.

[Cultural & Heritage Workshop](#)

Register by Nov. 17 for a social media workshop for nonprofit cultural organizations.

[Outstanding Women Awards](#)

Nominations are due by Dec. 31, 2017 for next year's awards program.

[Human Services Newsletter](#)

Check out the November issue!

['Project Warm Your Heart'](#)

Thanks to everyone who donated children's winter clothing to our eighth annual program!

Did You Know ...? You can get the latest Somerset County economic and demographic information in the [new community profile published this month by the Greater Raritan Workforce Development Board](#).



SENIOR CORNER

[November Programs](#)

There's something for everyone at our [six county-operated senior centers](#)!

LIBRARY SYSTEM

[More Magazines](#)

There are now even more magazines available at SCLSNJ's 10 library branches and on the Flipster digital download service.

[Checkout & Catalog Upgrade](#)

An upgrade to SCLSNJ's checkout and catalog system will be completed in early December.

PARKS & RECREATION

[Fall Parks Programs](#)

Trees, turkeys and Thankful Lights are all part of the Park Commission's November programs.

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