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2018 Somerset County Board of Chosen Freeholders

Seated: Freeholder Deputy Director Brian D. Levine,
Freeholder Director Patrick Scaglione, Freeholder Patricia L. Walsh
Standing: Freeholder Mark Caliguire, Freeholder Brian G. Gallagher



[Villa Maria Property](#)

Freeholder Director Scaglione has announced that Somerset County will contribute \$3 million toward the purchase of the former Villa Maria property in North Plainfield.

[Hillsborough Land Preserved](#)

Freeholder Caliguire joined Hillsborough officials in announcing preservation of more than 300 acres next to the Sourland Mountain Preserve.

[County YouTube Channel](#)

Check out the new county services video and other offerings on Somerset County's YouTube channel.

Freeholder Proclamations

[Healthier Somerset Month](#)

[National 4-H Week](#)

WHAT'S NEW

[Flu Clinics](#)

Drive-thru flu shot clinics are being offered Oct. 13 and 20.

[Historic Sites Weekend](#)

The 13th annual Weekend Journey through the Past will be held [Oct. 13 and 14](#) at 30 historic sites around Somerset County. Free admission, re-enactments, games, demonstrations and more!

['Cancer Thrive and Survive'](#)

Register by Oct. 13 for free peer-leader training.

[Prevent Identity Theft](#)

The next free document-shredding event is Oct. 20 in Green Brook.

[Surplus Sale](#)

The online auction of county surplus items continues through Oct. 17.

['Shades of Pink' Event](#)

The public is invited to attend the Oct. 18 Breast Cancer Awareness Month program.

[Youth Council Conference](#)

Register by Oct. 18 for the 22nd annual Youth Council Conference.

[Grant Opportunity](#)

Applications for Local Arts Program (LAP) grants are due Oct. 24.

[Recycling Calendar](#)

The next [First Saturday](#) and [E-Waste](#) drop-offs will be held Nov. 3. [Tires](#) may be recycled Oct. 29-Nov. 2 in Hillsborough.

[Leadership Somerset](#)

Learn more about Somerset County! Applications for the Class of 2019 are due by Oct. 31. [Watch our](#)

[video](#)

[Volunteers Needed](#)

You can help an elderly or disabled person get his or her yard ready for the winter months.

[Human Services Newsletter](#)

Check out our October edition!

['Project Lifesaver' Locates Missing Man](#)

A missing and endangered elderly man was located in less than an hour thanks to the Sheriff's Office's Project Lifesaver Task Force.

['Project Warm Your Heart'](#)

Children's winter clothing is being collected through Nov. 2 at the Freeholders' Office.

[Planning Board Award](#)

Congrats! The county Planning Board was honored by the New Jersey Planning Officials.

SENIOR CORNER

[October Senior Center Programs](#)

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

PARKS & RECREATION

[Fall Parks Programs](#)

Horses and Halloween are the focus of parks programs this month.

LIBRARY SYSTEM

[Explore Witchcraft](#)

Pumpkins and skeletons and witches ... oh my!

[Passport Services](#)

The Bridgewater Library branch now offers passport services.

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