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From the desk of the Freeholder Director  
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### **[YOU CAN HELP CURB HUNGER](#)**

*There are two days left for the [25th Annual Curbing Hunger Month](#) food drive. If your recycling pickup is today or tomorrow, please place canned food donations in a plastic bag next to your recycling bucket. There's also still time to donate online at [www.CurbingHunger2019.org](http://www.CurbingHunger2019.org) Thank you for your generosity!*

### **[CURBING HUNGER DAY AT THE BALLPARK](#)**

*There's one other opportunity to donate to this year's food drive: Bring a canned food donation to the [Somerset Patriots](#) game at TD Bank Ballpark on Sunday, June 30, and get a free ticket voucher.*

### **[LIVESTREAMING FREEHOLDER MEETINGS](#)**

*Don't forget: You now can catch our [twice-monthly work sessions and regular meetings](#) as they happen by [visiting the livestreaming page of the county website](#). You also can access archived meetings [here](#).*

### **[CYANAMID PROPERTY REDEVELOPMENT](#)**

*The EPA has commended Somerset County and other local partners for their roles in redeveloping a portion of the former American Cyanamid Co. property in Bridgewater. This is a great success story!*

### **[Recycling Calendar](#)**



County offices and the Recycling Center will be closed Thursday, July 4, for Independence Day. Recycling pickups in Franklin Township and South Bound Brook will be made Friday, July 5. The next [recycling](#) and [e-waste](#) drop-offs will be held July 13.

## [Prevent Identity Theft!](#)



The next free document-shredding event will be held Saturday, July 13, in Franklin. Proof of residency is required.

## [Applications & Workshops for Two Grant Programs](#)

The county Cultural & Heritage Commission is accepting applications for the following two grant programs. Prospective applicants are strongly encouraged to attend one of the related technical-assistance workshops.

[Local Arts Program Grant](#) - Workshops July 16. Application deadline Aug. 12.

[County History Partnership Program Grant](#) - Workshops July 15. Application deadline Aug. 16.

## [Public Hearing on Transportation Funding](#)

The application for the 2020 Senior Citizen and Disabled Resident Transportation Assistance Program will be discussed at a July 18 public hearing.

## [BOBO Fridays Food Drive](#)

Help keep food bank shelves stocked by donating to the next "Buy One, Bring One" food collection on July 19.

## **Hurricane Season Is Here**

Stay prepared and informed in the event of severe weather!

[Register Ready helps residents with special needs during a disaster.](#)

[Sign up for free email or text alerts about county road and bridge closings, flood warnings, and more.](#)

## ***PROGRAMS FOR POSITIVE AGING***

### [July Senior Center Programs](#)

There's something for all interests at our six county-operated senior centers!

### [Fall-Prevention Workshop](#)

Register by July 1 for a free, eight-week fall-prevention program.

### [Farmers Market Vouchers](#)

Vouchers for participating farmers markets will be available starting July 1 to residents age 60 and above.

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