

MILLSTONE TOWNSHIP Newsletter

DECEMBER 2019

2019 TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE

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HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE TOWNSHIP CLERK'S OFFICE:

2020 DOG LICENSES: All dogs 7 months or older are to be licensed each year. The 2020 Dog Licenses can be purchased at the Municipal Building between 8:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday in the Municipal Clerk's Office, Room 105 starting January 2, 2020. You may also mail your fee along with proof of rabies and neutering/spaying to 470 Stage Coach Road, Millstone Twp., NJ 08510. Neutered/Spayed dog fee is \$12.00 and Non-Neutered/Non-Spayed dog fee is \$15.00. A late fee of \$10.00 PER DOG goes into effect May 1, 2020 for all residents who have not renewed their dog's license for the current year.

FREE RABIES CLINIC: Millstone Township will be holding a FREE Rabies Clinic on **Saturday, January 18, 2020** from 1:00 – 2:00 p.m. at the Department of Public Works Garage located at 899 Perrineville Road. This free clinic is sponsored by the Monmouth County Board of Health.

RECYCLING DATES: December 4 & 18; January 2, 15, 29

MUNICIPAL OFFICES CLOSED:

December 24th – Day before Christmas

December 25th - Christmas Day

January 1st - New Year's Day

January 20th - Martin Luther King Day

OPRA NOTIFICATION:

An Appellate Division ruled that if you give any government agency your email or physical address it is subject to OPRA (Open Public Records Act).



Township Committee Reorganization Meeting will be held on January 2, 2020 at 7:00 p.m. at 215 Millstone Road.

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TOWNSHIP CLERK REPORTS HIGHLIGHTS OF RECENT TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE ACTIVITY: RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED:

- Payment of Vouchers for October 3, 2019
- Appointing Part-Time Assistant Violations Clerk
- Awarding a Contract for the 2019 Roadway Improvement Program
- Naming Temporary Building Sub-Code Official/Inspector
- Amending Resolution 19-206 Appointing Videographers
- Payment of Vouchers for October 16, 2019
- Enter Agreement with Monmouth County Board of Chosen Freeholders to Provide Special Citizen Area Transportation Service
- Urge Voters to Support the Referendum on the Election Ballot in November, so that Veterans or Widowed Spouses of Veterans who Reside in Continuing Care Retirement Communities (CCRC) will be Eligible for Property Tax Deduction
- Payment of Vouchers for November 6, 2019
- · Appointing Part-Time Building Subcode Official and Building Inspector
- Transfer Funds on Current Year Appropriations #1

- A STATE DESIGNATED ENVIRONMENTALLY CONCERNED COMMUNITY -

PLANNING BOARD

Resolutions:

P19-02 Black Bear Lake Real Estate Co., LLC - Block 35, Lots 17.01, 19, 19.01, 19.02 & 20. 34.88 acres located at 457 Stage Coach Road in the RC Zone. Applicant Sought and received Preliminary and Final Site Plan approval to construct a 4,780 s.f. building, 31.56 ft. in height trampoline building. Variance granted for building height and Lot coverage where maximum lot coverage 10.87% where 10% is allowed. Approved on 4-10-19. Resolution memorialized 5-8-19. Applicant returns to the Board on 9-11-19 for Variance for lot coverage. Variance approved 9-14-19. Resolution memorialized on 10-10-19.

P19-08 Estate of Elsie Halka - Block 41, Lot 1 known as 244 Stillhouse Road consisting of 30.22 acres located in the Rural Preservation (R-UP) Zone. Applicant seeks Minor Subdivision approval to create two lots. Proposed Lot 1.08 consisting of 8.226 acres and proposed Lot 1.09 consisting of 21.595 acres. Variance needed for lot frontage for Lot 1.08 where 250 ft. is required, 96.64 can be provided. Deemed Complete 7-8-19 Date of Action: 11-22-19 Noticing required. Heard in Part 8-14-19, carried to 9-11-19. Application Approved. Resolution memorialized 10-10-19.

P19-05 Patel, Yomesh - Block 24, Lot 6 known as 455 Route 33 consisting of 1.28 acres in the Highway Commercial (HC) Zone. Applicant seeks approval to construct an 8,820 s.f. retail building. Variances requested for lot area, 3 ac. required, 1.28 ac. exists; lot width and frontage, 250 ft. required, 187.95 exists; lot depth 450 ft. required, 237.52 exists; front yard setback 100 ft. required, 77 ft. proposed, setback both sides 100 ft. required, 70 ft. proposed, parking 55 stalls required, 44 proposed, 1 loading stall need, 0 proposed. Board Attorney announced Applicant's notice deficient for Manalapan and must re-notice for Manalapan properties only. Noticing sufficient otherwise. Deemed Complete 7-8-19. Date of Action 11-5-19. Extension of time granted to 11-20-19. Heard in Part on 10-10-19; carried to 12-11-19. Extension of Time granted to end of December 2019.

BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT 10-24-18 MEETING

Resolution:

Z19-04 Six, Gail and Clinton - Block 43, Lot 4 located at 241 Woodville Road consisting of 0.96 acres located in the RU-P zone. Applicant sought and received approval to construct a single-family dwelling on an undersized lot. Ordinance Section 4-2.2, Undersized Vacant Lots allows the lot to comply with the R-80 Zoning District. Three (3) variances needed and granted. Resolution Memorialized 10-23-19.

Carried Application:

Z19-03 Kalezic, Adrian - Block 62, Lot 31.11 located at 4 Moonlight Court consisting of 2.6 acres in the R-130 Zoning District. Applicant removed soil, regraded, disturbed steep sloped area and removed approximately 30,000 s.f. of trees without applying for permits or variances. Applicant proposes to restore and stabilize the area by re-grading and planting trees and shrubs. Variance needed for Ord. 11-24.3, disturbance of steep slopes. Application carried from 9-25-19. Approved with conditions on 10-23-19.



Register for e-Bulletins

With the winter months upon us, we encourage all residents to sign up for e-Bulletins and receive valuable Township information via the website. Each time the web site is updated you will receive notification, via email (e-Bulletin), informing you what has been updated along with a link that will put you directly to the revised/new information. In addition, e-Bulletins will be used as another method to update residents in the event of an emergency or issuance of a municipal advisory such as road closures, down power lines or safety alerts.

To sign up, please visit the Township's website

at <u>www.millstonenj.gov</u> and select "Register for Millstone e-Bulletins" on the home page.

BE A PART OF MILLSTONE TOWNSHIP'S HISTORY

Why not include yourself and family into Millstone Township's history by adding to our TIME CAPSULE.

Just log onto the Township's webpage www.
millstonenj.gov and follow the simple directions.

The TIME CAPSULE is located within the Twp. Municipal Building located at 470 Stage Coach Road, Clarksburg.

Pictures are to be black & white. Mark them in PENCIL – date, name & location. Appropriate ACID FREE 100% COTTON envelopes and paper sheets are available at the Municipal Building to ensure your message reaches into the future.

Cut off for this once in a lifetime opportunity is March 16, 2020. So, don't delay, come in and use our material or make certain you use ACID FREE 100% COTTON envelopes and paper sheets such as resume paper and mail them to:

Township of Millstone, Time Capsule 470 Stage Coach Rd., Millstone Twp. NJ 08510

MILLSTONE TOWNSHIP RECREATION PRESENTS OUR ANNUAL



December 6, 2019 6:00 - 8:00 pm Millstone Twp. Fire House

Come Celebrate the Holiday Season!

In an effort to promote the spirit of giving with the youth in our community, we are encouraging them to get involved by showing support and compassion for others. Millstone Township Recreation will be collecting new unwrapped toys at the Holiday Lighting festivity.

- · Baked Goods and Refreshments
- Holiday Crafts
- A performance by the Middle School Chorus
- Bring your camera for pictures with Santa Claus

NOTE: The tree lighting will take place outside. Dress appropriately.



Millstone Township Recreation's annual toy drive of <u>NEW</u> unwrapped toys will be held <u>November 4 - December 6, 2019</u>

Drop off location: Millstone Twp. Municipal Building 470 Stage Coach Road, M - F, 8:30 am - 4:00 pm

If you wish to volunteer or would like additional information, please contact the Recreation Office at 732-917-2954 or visit us on the web @ www.millstonerec.org

MILLSTONE TOWNSHIP HOSPITAL AUXILIARY POINSETTIA SALE

December 12, 2019 10am ~ 8pm CentraState Medical Center (Atrium near gym)

to Benefit Cancer Care at CENTRASTATE MEDICAL CENTER

For additional information or to place orders, please email: vamph1@verizon.net



6" POTS, 8" POTS, 10" POTS

CHRISTMAS TREE PICK UP

Please have trees out PRIOR to January 13th

- No Artificial trees, wreaths, trimmings or lights
- Please place the tree at curb side, next to your driveway
- Only one pass will be made on each road
- No exceptions!

For more information, please call the Department of Public Works at 732-446-6774



RABIES CLINIC Sponsored by the Monmouth County Board of Health MILLSTONE TOWNSHIP WILL BE HOLDING A FREE RABIES CLINIC ON: DATE: Saturday, January 18, 2020 TIME: 1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. LOCATION: 899 Perrineville Rd. For more information call 732-446-7414

RECYCLING

Official Notice: To Residents and Businesses of Millstone Township

Recycling is mandated by the State, County and Municipal Statutes.

Millstone Township must continue to recycle to meet aggressive recycling goals set by the State and County. As the Recycling Coordinator of the Township, my responsibility is to continue to strive to meet those goals by aggressively enforcing Township ordinances. Random inspections within the Township resulted in citations being issued for lack of compliance with Chapter 19, SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT, of the Revised General Ordinances, Township of Millstone. Some brief passages from this section follow:

It shall be mandatory for all persons, who are owners, lessees, or occupants of residential property, to separate newspapers, glass bottles and jars, tin and bi-metal cans, plastic containers, aluminum cans, corrugated cardboard and electronics as hereafter defined from all other solid waste produced by such residence for collection and ultimate recycling of materials.

I urge you to continue to do your part in keeping Millstone Township clean and to show that we are an "Environmentally Concerned Community".

Dan Specht, Recycling Coordinator 732-917-2955

- Please place curbside on recycle days only before 5:00 AM
- Recycling complaints / missed pick-up: Call Central Jersey Waste & Recycling, Judy Mayhue at 609-771-8005
- Monmouth County Reclamation Center is located at 6000 Asbury Avenue, Tinton Falls, NJ 07724. By appointment only call 732-683-8686.
- Monmouth County Household Hazardous Waste is located at 3211 Shafto Road, Tinton Falls, NJ 07724. The telephone # is 732-683-8686 (Press #1 and follow prompts).

For the convenience of the residents, the Recycling Center located at the Department of Public Works, 899 Perrineville Road, is now opened additional days during the week and will continue to be opened on the weekends.

Tuesday/Thursday: 11a.m. - 3 p.m. Saturday/Sunday: 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.

MILLSTONE TOWNSHIP

2020 Recycling Collection Dates

2020 Recycling Collection Dates	
Every 2 weeks beginning 1/2/2020	WEDNESDAY
JANUARY	2
	15
	29
FEBRUARY	12
	26
MARCH	11
	25
APRIL	8
	22
MAY	6
	20
JUNE	3
	17
JULY	1
	15
	29
AUGUST	12
	26
SEPTEMBER	9
	23
OCTOBER	7
	21
NOVEMBER	4
	18
DECEMBER	2
	16
	30

THE TOWNSHIP OF MILLSTONE

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Closed on Christmas Day and New Year's Day



MANDATED RECYCLABLES



Glass bottles & jars



& #2 plastic bottles. jars, and jugs



Aluminum metal food. & beverage containers



Paperback books

Junk mail,

envelopes, post it notes, greeting cards, etc.



Newspaper, magazines, circulars, brochures, inserts, etc. (no bags, do not tie & bundle)



Loose metal jar lids & steel bottle caps

Telephone books





Corrugated cardboard & paper bags



Paperboard boxes (cereal, pasta, tissue, etc.)



Paper towel roll inserts





AIM FOR MAXIMIZED RECYCLING







- NO Plastic bags
- NO Plastics other than #1 and #2 (identified above)
- NO Plastic (or paper) to-go containers, cups, straws, or utensils
- NO Plastic film, wrap, or bubble wrap
- NO Pizza boxes
- NO Styrofoam of ANY kind
- NO Frozen food, ice cream, or frozen juice containers
- NO Organic material or food waste
- NO Hoses or hangers

DID YOU KNOW?

Many times residents who are concerned about the environment want to recycle properly. However, items such as window glass, plastics that hold personal hygiene products, or other products that manufacturers print with the "recycling triangle", can't be recycled. Placing even a small amount of these items in our recyclables can cause the entire truck load to be rejected. When this occurs the truck is sent to the landfill and none of it is recycled. This is the leading reason why recycling costs are going up.

PLEASE HELP US KEEP MILLSTONE TOWNSHIP GREEN AND CLEAN! DON'T PLACE ITEMS THAT ARE NOT ON THE RECYCLING LIST IN YOUR RECYCLING!

VAPING BY YOUTH ON THE RISE

Although e-cigarettes have been around for more than a decade, vaping rates have skyrocketed in recent years, especially among teens. Monitoring the Future, an annual survey that measures drug and alcohol use of 8th, 10th, and 12th graders has found that teen vaping is on the rise, and E-cigarettes are the most common type of tobacco product used by U.S. middle and high school students. This survey showed the average past-year vaping for each grade: 8th grade 17.6%; 10th grade 32.3% and 12th grade 37.3%

And the users are getting younger and younger. According to a state report released on Oct. 31, 2019 by the



New Jersey Hospital Association, in 2018 detection of e-cigarette use began around age 13. The 2019 data shows incidence beginning around age 11. It couldn't be clearer that vaping companies, many owned by existing "big tobacco" companies are targeting a new generation to get hooked on nicotine. It is more important than ever for parents and teens to be informed of the potential dangers that can result from vaping.

Vaping is the act of inhaling and exhaling the vapor produced by the heated nicotine liquid of an electronic cigarette, vape pen, or personal vaporizer. E-cigarettes come in many sleek designs and the vaping liquids can be made to taste like candy, fruit, ice cream, or any other food or beverage. Since

they leave little odor, e-cigarettes are particularly easy to hide and can be used discreetly in public places, including school. A recent presentation hosted by the Millstone Alliance showed how a hoodie, like those worn by hundreds of students in schools, could be used as a vaping device - through specially engineered, but discreet hoodie strings.

Unfortunately, many teens do not realize that vaping contains high levels of nicotine. When asked what students thought they were smoking, many believed that the liquid contained in the e-cigarette was just flavoring. But according to JUUL, a popular vape device among teens, the nicotine content of one JUULpod is equivalent to one pack of cigarettes.

Early nicotine addiction can harm brain development and alter nerve cell functioning. Nicotine can harm parts of the brain that control attention, learning, mood, and impulse control. It causes lung irritation akin to that seen in smokers and people with lung disease and has been found to damage vital immune system cells. In addition, defective e-cigarette batteries have caused fires and explosions which have resulted in serious injuries.

Why are teen's vaping? The most common reasons were because a friend or family member used them, the availability of fun flavors, and the belief that e-cigarettes are less harmful than other forms of tobacco. Teens reported e-cigarettes were easier to get than other tobacco products, cost less, and can be used where other tobacco products are not allowed. Some students even reported that they used e-cigarettes to try to quit using other tobacco products-a ploy many e-cigarette companies use to market their products.

With millions of teens hooked on the device, the challenge is how to treat nicotine addiction in children as young as 11 years old. Withdrawal symptoms may include anxiety, irritability, difficulty concentrating, and loss of appetite. Additionally, physicians who are treating teenagers for addiction are facing a series of dilemmas. For example, anti-smoking therapies such as nicotine patches and gum are not approved for children. In addition, kicking any addiction requires discipline, patience, and a willingness to follow a treatment plan-something that doesn't come easily to teens.

Contact the Robert Wood Johnson Barnabas Health Institute for Prevention and Recovery Quit Center for information on quitting nicotine use for youth and adults at 732-837-9416 or email quitcenter@rwjbh.org.

For more information on vaping prevention please contact millstonealliance@gmail.com.

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All Meetings Take Place In The Court Room At The Municipal Building, 215 Millstone Road, Unless Otherwise Stated.

MONTHLY MEETINGS FOR DEC. 2019

2 Standardbred Pleasure Horse Organization -Community Center7:00 p.m. 2 Recreation Commission Meeting - 215 Millstone Road......7:30 p.m.

Senior Executive Board Meeting -3 VVnW & Veterans Coalition - Community Center......7:30 p.m.

Senior Citizens Crafts - Community Center...... 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Township Committee Meeting - 215 Millstone Road......8:00 p.m.

UFRSD Board of Education Meeting -Newell Elementary School Board Room......8:00 p.m. Hospital Auxiliary – 215 Millstone Road......7:30 p.m.

Environmental Commission – 215 Millstone Road7:30 p.m. 9 Fire Commissioners - Fire House......8:00 p.m.

Garden State Horse & Carriage Society - Community Center..7:00 p.m. Senior Citizens Crafts - Community Center...... 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Shade Tree Commission - 215 Millstone Road7:30 p.m.

12 Board of Adjustment - 215 Millstone Road7:30 p.m.

16 Millstone Twp. Board of Education Meeting -Middle School Library......7:00 p.m.

17 Horsemen's Association of Millstone Township -

Community Center7:00 p.m. 18 Senior Citizens Crafts - Community Center...... 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

18 Agricultural Advisory Council - 470 Stage Coach Road7:30 p.m.

UFRSD Board of Education Meeting -

Newell Elementary School Board Room...... 8:00 p.m Veterans Memorial Council - Community Center7:30 p.m.

Open Space Farmland Preservation – 215 Millstone Road.......7:30 p.m.

Day before Christmas - All Municipal Buildings are......CLOSED

Planning Board – 215 Millstone Road......7:30 p.m.

16 Office of Emergency Management - Community Center7:00 p.m.

18 Township Committee Meeting - 215 Millstone Road......8:00 p.m.

Christmas Day - All Municipal Buildings areCLOSED

MONTHLY MEETINGS FOR JAN. 2020

DATES ARE TENTATIVE	
1	New Year's Day - All Municipal Buildings are Closed CLOSED
	Township Committee Reorganization Meeting -
	215 Millstone Road7:00 p.m.
2	Hospital Auxiliary - 215 Millstone Road7:30 p.m.
6	Standardbred Pleasure Horse Organization – Community Center
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6	Millstone Township Board of Education Reorganization Meeting - Middle School Library
6	Recreation Commission Meeting - 215 Millstone Road7:30 p.m.
7	Senior Executive Board Meeting – Community Center
7	VVnW & Veterans Coalition - Community Center7:30 p.m.
	Senior Citizens Crafts - Community Center 10:00 a.m 2:00 p.m.
	UFRSD Board of Education Meeting – Newell Elementary School Library
8	Shade Tree Commission – 215 Millstone Road7:30 p.m.
	Planning Board – 215 Millstone Road7:30 p.m.
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9	Drug Alliance – 215 Millstone Road7:00 p.m.
13	Environmental Commission – 215 Millstone Road7:30 p.m.
13	Fire Commissioners – Fire House8:00 p.m.
14	Senior Citizens - Bingo/Lunch - Community Center 11:00 a.m.
14	Garden State Horse & Carriage Society -
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	Senior Citizens Crafts – Community Center 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
	Township Committee Meeting – 215 Millstone Road8:00 p.m.
	Municipal Court – 215 Millstone Road12:00 p.m.
16	Veterans Memorial Council – Community Center7:30 p.m.
18	Monmouth County Free Rabies Clinic – 899 Perrineville Road 1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.
20	Martin Luther King Jr. Day – All Municipal Buildings Are CLOSED
20	Office of Emergency Management - Community Center7:00 p.m.
20	Historic Preservation Commission – 215 Millstone Road 7:30 p.m
	Horsemen's Association of Millstone Township – Community Center
22	Senior Citizens Crafts - Community Center 10:00 a.m 2:00 p.m.
22	Board of Adjustment – 215 Millstone Road7:30 p.m.

22 Agricultural Advisory Council - 470 Stage Coach Road7:30 p.m.

Millstone Twp. Board of Education Meeting -

Open Space Farmland Preservation – 215 Millstone Road.......7:30 p.m.

Middle School Library......7:00 p.m.

Fire Commissioners – Fire House......8:00 p.m. 29 Senior Citizens Crafts - Community Center....... 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

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Happy New Year

TOWNSHIP OF MILLSTONE

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