



March 23rd, 2020

Hello. As we continue to diligently practice social distancing, my fellow council members and myself will individually deliver video messages to you for the foreseeable future.

As of 3:00 PM on Monday, March 23, 2020, the New Jersey State Department of Health Communicable Disease Reporting and Surveillance System (CDRSS) reveals no new positive cases of COVID-19 for Rutherford residents. One resident's test results are still pending.

The Rutherford Health Department has received numerous questions by residents regarding testing sites. Testing has been taking place daily at Bergen Community College in Paramus, NJ, however the site has been unable to handle the demand. Some urgent care centers may currently be offering testing. Please call your physician who may be able to direct you to the known urgent care centers offering testing in the area.

We're pleased to report that Rutherford continues to lead by example by complying with Governor Murphy's "stay at home" order. I'd like to remind you to continue to comply with the order and only leave your homes for essential travel. This will help us keep our community as safe and healthy as possible. A summary of the "stay at home" order can be found on the Borough website.

For information regarding this situation, please look to credible sources which are listed on our website.

As always, we'd like to thank our fellow residents for complying with all current guidelines that the Borough, County and State have put in place to keep us all as safe and healthy as possible. I'd like to remind everyone to continue to support our local businesses during this time and be mindful that we're all in this together.

This of course is a fluid situation and the Borough is in constant communication with County and State officials. As needed, we will be updating residents by [Borough website](#), [Twitter](#), and [Facebook](#) daily.

Sincerely,

Mayor Frank Nunziato