



May 11th, 2020

Hello. According to the Rutherford Health Department, as of 3:00 pm today, the total number of COVID-19 positive cases in Rutherford has risen to a total of 181 since we last reported on Friday, May 8th..

The residents with new positive results range in age from 19 to 54. The situation continues to be closely monitored by our Health Department. Our first responders continue to take all possible precautions when assisting our community.

Please be aware that the New Jersey Air National Guard will be conducting a fly over of the entire state tomorrow beginning at 11:30 am. F-16 fighter jets and at least one KC-135 aerial refueling tanker jet will be flying over northern New Jersey between 11:45 am and 12:00 pm.

Relay for Life, an annual event held each May at Tryon Field to raise funds and awareness for the fight against cancer, will not be held in its usual form this year. Instead, the community-based fundraising event for the American Cancer Society will be going virtual at 6pm this Friday, May 15th with a watch party on Facebook where we will celebrate, remember, and fight back with personal stories, videos, slideshows and engagement until approximately 7:30 pm. Supporters are also encouraged to Visit [relayforlife.org/rutherfordnj](http://relayforlife.org/rutherfordnj) or @relayforlifeofrutherfordnj on Facebook for more information.

This Saturday afternoon, May, 16th, James McGill and the band Lifespeed will be traveling throughout town to promote the US Census. Please enjoy the music and remember to fill out the census for your household!

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](http://Borough website), [Twitter](https://Twitter), and [Facebook](https://Facebook) daily.

Sincerely,  
Council President Tom Mullahey