



May 5th, 2020

Hello. The NJ State Communicable Disease Reporting and Surveillance System continues to have technical difficulties so unfortunately we cannot verify whether there have been any new COVID-19 cases in Rutherford.

I'd like to thank all of our first responders for your tremendous dedication to our community. Please continue to support them by donating N-95 and non N-95 masks, disposable gloves and disposable gowns. Please contact the Mayor's office directly at 201-460-3022.

We would like the community to be aware that a resolution will be on the agenda at the May 11th Mayor and Council meeting for consideration to extend the deadline for 2nd quarter property tax payments to June 1st.

The Rutherford Library has launched The Library at Home. Each weekday the Librarians are curating and producing fresh content. Tomorrow is "What To Do Wednesday." With so many online activities for kids and adults, which are worth your time? Let the librarians guide you to the best storytimes, virtual museum tours, and more. Look on the Library's website at RutherfordLibrary.org or find them on Facebook for details.

We will continue with the Salute to Heroes program this Saturday as Sunday is Mother's Day. The Borough is currently accepting nominations of Rutherford residents who are a positive force in the fight against COVID-19. If you know a local hero deserving of a Sunday Surprise Salute caravan to pass by their house, please send your reasoning and your contact information to jbagnuolo@rutherfordboronj.com.

Today's featured reopened business is Rutherford Florist. Visit rutherfordflorist.com or the [Borough Open Business List](#) for more information.

Today is Teacher Appreciation Day. The Mayor and Council would like to thank all of our teachers for their hard work in this challenging time. We appreciate you all!

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,
Councilwoman
Stephanie McGowan