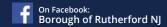
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Borough Hall will be closed in observance of Independence Day on Tuesday, July 4th

From the Desk of **Mayor Frank Nunziato**

I kindly ask you to read the statement on the following page from Council President Stephanie McGowan. I also ask that you offer your support for the choices she and her husband have made for their family. As we all know, Rutherford's number one asset is the strength of our community. The McGowans and so many other Rutherford families rely on that strength. It's what makes Rutherford a special town.

On a lighter note, the planning stages for Rutherford Day 2023 have begun. If your organization is interested in participating, please visit the Borough website under "Upcoming Events" or email Kim Bogosian at communications@rutherfordboronj.com by August 1st to ensure your spot.

I hope to see everyone around town on a very busy summer Saturday! It looks like the weather will cooperate and all events can happen as planned. I'd like to thank the Green Team and DPW for co-hosting Shred & Styrofoam Day, the Recreation Department for once again organizing our traditional Baby Parade as well as the fireworks at Memorial Field. Have a fun and safe 4th of July!

Sincerely, Mayor Frank Nunziato



Sign up your community organization through the Borough website now under Upcoming Events!



Summer Collection Schedule is in effect beginning July 3rd through September 1st!

Mon 7/3: Sect 2 Sanitation & 2A Recycling Tue 7/4 Closed Wed 7/5 Sect 2B & Business District Recycling Thu 7/6 Sect 2 Sanitation & 1A Recyclying Fri 7/7 Sect 1 Sanitation & 1B Recycling For the full sanitation schedule visit

rutherfordboroni.com/departments/public-works/collection-schedule

All Happening Saturday, July 1st

Shred Day & Styrofoam Collection 9am-1pm

DPW Garage (220 Highland Cross)

Open to Rutherford Residents Only, proof of ID required.

Limit of 4 boxes of paper for shredding per person. Don't throw your Styrofoam in the landfill. Bring your clean, dry non-food contact Styrofoam packaging to the Drive for recycling.

91st Annual Baby Parade

CHECK IN: 9:30 AM at 56 Elliott Place START TIME: 10:00 AM at Elliott Place (Between Home Ave & Mortimer Ave)

GRAND PRIZE: \$100.00: 10 - \$50.00 Prizes

Entrants must be no older than 5 years old! Rutherford residents only **Pre-Register on RecDesk**

Fireworks at Memorial Field!

Festivities begin around 7pm **Sponsored by Felician University**



2023 Rutherford **Farmers' Market RETURNS JULY 5!**

WILLIAMS CENTER PLAZA

Wednesdays 11:00 am - 4:00 pm 8:00 am - 2:00 pm beginning July 5

Saturdays beginning July 8 June 30, 2023







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Councilwoman Maria Begg-Roberson mbegg-roberson@rutherfordboronj.com

Recreation Department

Fall Youth Sports - Registration Opens
June 15th - Closes July 31st
Play begins 2nd week of September
Rutherford offers Recreation Soccer for children in grades K - 8
This fall Rec will also offer: Youth Cross Country, Tennis





Councilman Ray Guzmán rguzman@rutherfordboroni.com

Health Liaison

Free Glaucoma & Vision Screening

Tuesday, August 8th 2:00pm - 6:00pm Rutherford Health Department 184 Park Ave, Rutherford, NJ Call 201-460-3020 for an appointment.

Councilwoman Christie Del Rey-Cone cdelrey-cone@rutherfordboronj.com

Hello Neighbors. While you are making your way around town for the many Fourth of July activities planned this week, please take a peek at home to see if you have any styrofoam or shredding that can be recycled. As you may know, both types of products cannot be put in our regular recycling and we are fortunate that our DPW partners with the Green Team to make sure it is done the right way. The styrofoam and shredding recycling will take place on Saturday, July 1 from 9 am to 1 pm at DPW which is located at 220 Highland Cross. Have a wonderful Fourth of July holiday!

New drop-off to recycle batteries & cell phones at Borough Hall!



Rutherford Borough Hall 176 Park Ave 8:30am-4:30pm Monday - Friday





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Dr. Stephanie McGowan Council President

June 30, 2023

The past few weeks have been filled with exciting prospects of growth and change for the McGowan family. As I shared at our last Mayor and Council meeting, I was recently offered an opportunity to move to Pennsylvania and begin a new professional journey, which caused my announcement to step down from my elected position in July.

As amazing as this opportunity would have been for me professionally, for a multitude of reasons that any parent would understand, my husband and I have decided that Rutherford is our home, and the right place for us to continue to raise our family. The poet Robert Frost once wrote "two roads diverged in a wood and I, I took the one less travelled by, and that has made all the difference." For Jeff and I, our road always leads home to Rutherford.

I offer my sincerest apologies for the confusion that may have resulted from this situation. My family and I were faced with potentially life changing choices, and making any choice that affects our personal lives while being in the public eye is complicated. I humbly thank you for the incredible outpouring of love and support as we worked through this process as a family. At this time, Jeff and I will continue to do what is best for our children and we believe it is staying in the place we call home. I look forward to continuing life as a public servant to our hometown as Council President, serving the Borough I love as you have all trusted me to do.

Sincerely,

Dr. Stephanie McGowan