

**Corona Virus- Daily Update**

**Michael T. Paulhus, Town Manager**

**Tuesday, May 26, 2020**

**Police Department:**

1. Status Quo

**Fire Department:**

1. Status Quo

**Town Hall – Closed to the Public**

➤ **Assessor:**

1. Finishing pre-billing correction
2. Adding value through permit activity

➤ **Building Department:**

1. Status Quo

➤ **Central Services- Purchasing:**

1. Status Quo

➤ **Economic Development:**

1. Assisted with Phase 1 reopening planning materials
2. Invited President of Advance CT to present update of Reopen CT and Beyond to NB Adv'd M'f'g grc
3. Assisted in obtaining Approval from UI for NB Solar Project

➤ **Elections- Registrar of Voters:**

1. Status Quo

➤ **Engineering Department:**

**Office/field work**

➤ **Finance Department:**

1. Status Quo

➤ **Planning & Zoning:**

1. Status Quo

➤ **Tax Collector:**

1. Status Quo

➤ **Town Clerk:**

1. Presidential Preference Primaries postponed until August 11, 2020 to be held in conjunction with other August primaries
2. New Haven County Town Clerk's Association meeting on May 21, 2020 and dog license reminder

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### **Library System- Atwater Library & Smith Library: Closed to the Public**

1. Staff developing reopening procedures and reconfiguring public and staff workspaces
2. No curbside deliveries of Library items to protect staff
3. Librarians offering virtual story times and programming on our Facebook page

### **Senior Center/ Community Center/ Parks and Recreation: Closed to the Public**

1. Collaboration with local access to provide info and services to seniors
2. Event cancellation steering committee meeting
3. Provide home delivery meals for 30 homebound senior citizens (60 meals total)
4. Documentation as needed - including accounts payable, menu planning, senior newsletter

### **Public Works Department:**

1. Keep sanitizing the trucks, one person in cab, washing your hands, wearing masks, stay home not feeling well.
2. Flags go back to full staff

### **Social Services:**

1. Distance learning, provided virtual museum & zoo visits
2. For retirement, COVID guidelines for 401K, loans, withdraws for health/FSA/HAS account, emergency Medicaid for non citizens, Shoreline Health Services, vendor provider for PPE, DME, access, education of gloves use, cleaning, disinfecting. Vet services & programs, PUA and DSS Program, Women & Family Life Grant Hoarding.
3. Improving central communication modalities, communication with other towns, initializing assistance within the healthcare community for resources and supplies

### **East Shore District Health Department: North Branford has 75 confirmed cases, and 3 Fatality.**

#### COVID-19 Update May 26, 2020

As of May 25, 2020, at 8:30 PM, a total of 41303 cases of COVID-19 have been reported among Connecticut residents. Six hundred ninety-four patients are currently hospitalized with laboratory confirmed COVID-19. There have been 3769 COVID-19-associated deaths.

Day-to-day changes reflect newly reported cases, deaths, and tests that occurred over the last several days to week. All data in this report are preliminary; data for previous dates will be updated as new reports are received and data errors are corrected. Hospitalization data were collected by the Connecticut Hospital Association. Deaths\* reported to either the OCME or DPH are included in the daily COVID-19 update.

<https://portal.ct.gov/-/media/Coronavirus/CTDPHCOVID19summary5262020.pdf?la=en>