

Town of Simsbury

933 HOPMEADOW STREET ~ SIMSBURY, CONNECTICUT 06070

Board of Selectmen

April 7th, 2020

To our fellow Simsbury Residents,

We want you to know that we are thinking of every one of you during this scary and unprecedented time. Our town has shown resiliency in this pandemic and we are proud of all of you for following the Town of Simsbury, FVHD, State of CT and CDC guidelines. We all look forward to the day that we can get back out there and connect in person...and return to normal.

It's important that we take care of our physical and mental health, as we all deal with a wide range of emotions each day. As local cases of COVID-19 are reported, and increase, we need to be even more diligent in our efforts to stay healthy and keep our spirits up:

- Wash your hands and keep them away from your face!
- o Practice Social Distancing by staying 6 feet away from others at all times
- o Do not congregate in groups
- o Make only essential trips out to the grocery store, pharmacy, doctor, and for take-out
- o Do what works for you to reduce stress and anxiety we are all feeling it!
- Support our students as they learn from home
- o Self-quarantine if you meet CDC and FVHD recommendations

Our town is currently following emergency protocol and these people are in constant communication with each other, the State of CT and the FVHD. They are working in a coordinated effort, to keep the Town of Simsbury as safe as possible during this crisis:

Municipal CEO - Maria Capriola, Town Manager
Deputy Municipal CEO and PIO - Melissa Appleby, Deputy Town Manager
Emergency Management Director - Kevin Kowalski (with Fire District)
Assistant Emergency Management Director - Mike Berry (with Fire District)
Police Chief - Nick Boulter
Fire Chief - Jim Baldis (with Fire District)
Executive Director, Simsbury Volunteer Ambulance Association - Karin Stewart

You can also tune into the Public Safety Subcommittee calls that are broadcast live on SCTV and are meeting weekly, Thursday mornings at 8:00 am. (see attached for channel and web info).

Please...

Stay Safe, Stay Home.

Eric Wellman Mike Paine

First Selectman Selectman

Sean Askham Jackie Battos

Deputy First Selectman Selectman

Wendy Mackstutis Chris Peterson

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RESOURCES

Contacts

Police, Fire, or Medical Emergency - DIAL 911 Routine Police Calls - (860) 658-3100

Community and Social Services - (860) 658-3283

Resource list:

https://www.simsbury-ct.gov/sites/simsburyct/files/uploads/social_services - covid_resource_list.pdf

Town Hall

860-658-3200

Virtual 'Taking Care of Town Business' information:

https://www.simsbury-ct.gov/sites/simsburyct/files/news/town of simsbury online services.pdf

Communications

Simsbury Public Television

Comcast 96, 1090

Frontier 6071

www.Simsburytv.org

Simsbury Radio Station

FM Radio 103.5

Links

Please continue to follow these sources of information:

https://www.simsbury-ct.gov

http://www.fvhd.org

https://portal.ct.gov/Coronavirus

https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-nCoV/index.html