

# The Borough of **MADISON BOROUGH BYLINES** *New Jersey*

## **COUNCIL MEETING HIGHLIGHTS**

June 16, 2017 Issue

The following is a recap from the Borough of Madison Council Meeting on **Monday, June 12, 2017.**

Presentations –

- **Presentation Honoring Auxiliary Officer Vincent Ciccarelli**
- **Swearing In Ceremony – Auxiliary Police Officer Edward O'Donnell**

### Introduction of Ordinances

- **28-2017** – Amend Ch. 94 Electric Utility Appendix B
- **29-2017** – Amend Ch. 94 Electric Utility Appendix C
- **30-2017** – Amend Ch. 190 Water Utility

### Adoption of Ordinances

- None

Agenda & Minutes from past meetings can be viewed [here](#). Council meetings are video recorded and can be viewed [here](#).

## **Interested in Attending?**

Regular Borough Council meetings take place on the second and fourth Monday of each month.

The next regular meeting will be held on **Monday, June 26, 2017** at 8:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers at the Hartley Dodge Memorial.

## **Report a Pothole or General Concern Here**

## **NEWS & EVENTS**



The Borough of Madison recently hired Sara Keffer (front right) to be the new Senior Citizen Director. Her time working with the seniors has already been highly enjoyable and rewarding.

### **Madison Downtown Revitalization Study— \*Results\***

The Borough of Madison and the Downtown Development Commission worked with the consulting group, Urbanomics on a Downtown Revitalization Study. A presentation titled "*Draft Findings and Recommendations*" was given to Council on May 22, 2017. [To view, please click here](#). The draft Revitalization Study results can be read by [clicking here](#).

### **Voluntary Water Use Restrictions**

Borough Administrators and the Madison Water Department are asking all Madison residents and businesses to observe voluntary water use restrictions during the summer months. The use of water outdoors is permitted from 12:01 a.m. to 8 a.m. and then from 8 p.m. to 12 a.m. midnight on the designated days. Borough officials noted there should be no outdoor water use between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m. on any day. For information about the voluntary water use restrictions, call the Madison Water Department at 973-966-7330. Click here for [water conservation tips](#).

### **NJ Transit Service Changes for Amtrak Summer Repairs**

NJ Transit has published weekday rail schedules to assist customers in navigating the service changes. Printable versions of the timetables can be found at a newly dedicated information portal at [njtransit.com/theupdate](#). Weekend service will not be impacted. The following service plan will be in place weekdays from July 10th through September 1st. All Morris & Essex Lines (M&E) customers should check the new schedules for train times and station stops as changes have been made. [Click here for full details](#).

### **Cooling Centers & Hot Weather Tips**

If you do not have air conditioning at home, the Borough of Madison offers cooling stations for residents in need at the Madison Public Library (39 Keep Street), the Civic Center (28 Walnut Street) and the Hartley Dodge Memorial Building (50 Kings Road). Click here for [hot weather tips](#) as well as the cooling centers' [hours of operation](#).

### **Summer Reading Kick-Off!**

It's our Summer Reading Kick-Off! Join us at the Madison Public Library courtyard on June 19th, 2017 from 3:00-5:00 p.m. for Summer Reading Club registration, crafts, balloon artist, airbrush tattoos, special guests, including the Madison Area YMCA, the Friends of the Madison Library, and more!

### **Downtown Concert Series**

The annual Downtown Concert Series includes six free Friday evening, family-friendly concerts. Presented by the METC and the Madison Downtown Development Commission, the concerts are held on the lawn of the Museum of Early Trades & Crafts (located on the corner of Main Street and Green Village Road) where picnicking is encouraged! All concerts are from 6-8:00 p.m. Click here for the [2017 concert lineup](#).

## **Calendar**

Summer Reading Kick-Off Madison Library, 39 Keep Street	6/19
Farmers' Market Downtown Madison, Central Avenue	6/22
Nature Nuts Registration 65 Rosedale Avenue	6/25
Borough Council Meeting Hartley Dodge, 50 Kings Road	6/26
<a href="#">Downtown Concert Series</a> METC, 9 Main Street	6/30

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## **Quick Tips**

- Find out if you're eligible for the Homestead Benefit Program by [clicking here](#).
- [Report a pothole or general concern](#) online through the Citizen Request Tracker on Madison's [Rosenet Website](#).
- The Borough of Madison is offering an Overnight Parking Form online! [Click here to submit a form](#) or to simply bookmark it for the future.

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