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COUNTY OF MERCER STATE OF NEW JERSEY

EXECUTIVE ORDER 2020-59

WHEREAS, Coronavirus disease 2019 ("COVID-19") is a contagious, and at times fatal, respiratory disease caused by the SARS-CoV-2 virus; and

WHEREAS, on March 9, 2020, pursuant to Executive Order No. 103, the Governor of the State of New Jersey declared the concurrent invocation of both a State of Emergency pursuant to N.J.S.A. App.A.:9-33 *et seq.* and a Public Health Emergency as contemplated by N.J.S.A. 26:13-1 *et seq.*; and

WHEREAS, on March 13, 2020, pursuant to my Executive Order No. 2020-34, the Township suspended all Senior Center activities beginning Friday, March 13, 2020; and

WHEREAS, on March 16, 2020, pursuant to Executive Order No. 104, Governor Murphy directed several actions, with limited exceptions, designed to enhance the practice of "social distancing" to prevent community spread of COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, on March 16, 2020, the Township of Robbinsville proclaimed a Local Disaster Emergency by reason of the serious conditions which existed or would continue to exist in the Township of Robbinsville due to the global outbreak of COVID-19 which has affected the health, safety, and/or welfare of the people; and

WHEREAS, although a State of Emergency and Public Health Emergency continue to exist in the State of New Jersey and a Local Disaster Emergency continues to exist in the Township of Robbinsville, great strides have been made in understanding and treating COVID-19 that have allowed for the easing of restrictions put in place by the State to "flatten the curve"; and

WHEREAS, the easing of the restrictions put in place by the State has provided the Township an opportunity to reopen the Senior Center on a limited basis and provide limited outdoor activities to the Township's Senior Center members; and

WHEREAS, it is the Township's belief that these activities can be provided in a safe manner and in accordance with the State's rules and regulations currently in effect;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, David Fried, Mayor of the Township of Robbinsville, Mercer County, hereby order and direct for following:

- 1. The Township of Robbinsville shall reopen the Senior Center on a limited basis beginning Friday, September 18, 2020.
- 2. Organized outdoor activities provided for members of the Senior Center will begin the week of September 21, 2020, utilizing the Senior Center's Bocce Court.
- 3. Organized outdoor activities shall be limited to fifteen (15) individuals per class.
- 4. Participants in the organized outdoor activities will be required to complete a COVID-19 waiver and agree to abide by all rules and regulations promulgated by the State of New Jersey and Township of Robbinsville regarding outdoor activities during the declared State of Emergency and Public Health Emergency.
- 5. Indoor use of the Senior Center shall be limited to use of the multi-purpose room and adjoining bathrooms by non-profit organizations only.
- 6. Organizations using the multi-purpose room will be required to complete a COVID-19 waiver and agree to abide by all rules and regulations promulgated by the State of New Jersey and Township of Robbinsville regarding indoor activities during the declared State of Emergency and Public Health Emergency.
- 7. A COVID-19 cleaning/sanitization fee, in the amount of \$75.00 per use, shall be required to be paid by each organization for each separate use of the multi-purpose room. This fee shall be used to cover the Township's costs to clean and sanitize the multi-purpose room after each organization's use of same.
- 8. This Order shall take effect immediately and shall remain in effect until such time as I modify or rescind same.

DAVID FRIED, MAYOR