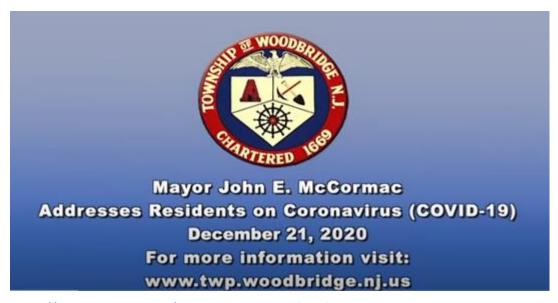
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MAYOR JOHN E. McCORMAC MONDAY, DECEMBER 21, 2020

This is Woodbridge Mayor John McCormac and today is Monday, December 21. The Township had another rough weekend of new cases of Coronavirus with 183 – 79 on Friday, 64 on Saturday and 40 on Sunday – though it was better than last weekend when we had 225. It was nice to see a low number like 40 which is our lowest daily total of the month of



December but we had many three week periods over the summer when we did not have 40 total cases. There were no

new cases in outside facilities but we are saddened to report the passing of a 64 year old female from COVID-19. This is made worse by the timing right before the Holidays. Please keep her and her family in your thoughts and prayers.

There will undoubtedly be many family gatherings over the next few weeks so please do your best to follow the State limits, as well as other guidelines on proper personal hygiene, social distancing and mask wearing.

If you know any seniors in your neighborhood or people who are homebound, give them a call over the next week or stop by. Many will not have the usual visitors and they could use some cheering up.

With the vaccine on its way please be on the lookout for fraud and scams from people promising to get it to you. They can't. Do not give out your Social Security number or bank account numbers to anyone. We will provide details in our calls as we get them and please call us if you are unsure of what to do.

If you have not finished your holiday shopping or if you are planning your holiday meals, please do not forget to Buy Local. Our stores and restaurants are struggling so if you need last minute gifts or gift cards or catering think about our own businesses who employ our residents and who support our community.

The Township itself has plenty of places that offer gift cards like The Woodbridge Community Center, The Club at Woodbridge including our new Golf Den, the Avenel Performing Arts Center and Curtains Restaurant.

Our Public Works crews deserve praise for the great job they did with the snow storm last week. If you drove out of town you know exactly what we mean when we say our roads were down to blacktop in no time at all. Normally we don't like snow because of the cost of removal but it was great seeing all the pictures of the kids enjoying it so much after such a tough year. Thank you to all who have helped provide food and toys these last few weeks for those in need. We Feed Woodbridge is still accepting checks mailed to Town Hall at 1 Main Street, Woodbridge, NJ 07095 and food can be dropped off at many places all over town. So why does Santa Claus have three gardens? So he can HO, HO, HO!!!

Why could Rudolph never get straight A's in school? Because he went down in History!!! Thank you. Enjoy your holidays and your families but please be safe.