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From the Mayor's Office

One Thousand, Six Hundred and Ninety-Six (1696) Confirmed Cases of COVID-19 in Plainfield. Additional Two Thousand, Three Hundred and Twenty-One (2321) In Quarantine.

May 3, 2020

Dear Friends and Neighbors,

As of Sunday, May 3, 2020, the number of positive COVID-19 cases in Plainfield now stands at one thousand, six hundred and ninety-six (1696) within the ages of twenty-four (24) days old to ninety-six (96) years old. There are an additional two thousand, three hundred and twenty-one (2321) individuals quarantined as a result of exposure to the virus. Fortunately, there are no additional fatalities to report today.

COVID-19 testing is now a reality in Plainfield. If you're experiencing symptoms you think might be related to the coronavirus please call our hotline at **(908) 546-1084 Monday-Friday from 8:30AM-5:00PM**. You'll be connected to a health professional who will conduct a medical telehealth screening. If you meet the criteria for testing, arrangements will be made for you to be tested at the drive through site at Kean University, or by a mobile unit which will come to you. After 5:00PM and on weekends, please call the Union County hotline at (908) 214-7107.

We have been actively seeking ways to ease the economic blow suffered by our residents as a result of the pandemic and shutdown. Allowing municipalities the option of extending the grace period for May property tax payments is the right thing to do. Tomorrow, Monday May 4, there will be a special meeting of the Plainfield City Council to vote to extend the grace period through to June 1st.

Additionally, there will be a budget deliberation session this Wednesday, May 6, 2020, at 7:00 PM via the video conference platform Zoom. This budget session will be for the City's Police Department and for the Department of Economic Development. To join us, please follow this link: <https://zoom.us/j/99101955881>. Stay tuned for upcoming budget deliberation video conferences in the upcoming weeks.

Stay safe and may God continue to bless you.

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Sincerely,

Adrian O. Mapp, Mayor