

Greetings... from the Commissioner Chair



Welcome to the 2022 Union County Directory...

As we continue to navigate the COVID-19 pandemic, Union County has been working hard to provide all the services our residents rely upon. The unparalleled magnitude of effects of this pandemic caused many of us to reflect on how we measure the important aspects of our lives.

We stayed connected as a county, a state and a nation – and as we continue to come to terms with all of the changes, it is important for us to remember how we came together. It was our connections.

As the Chair of the Union County Board of County Commissioners, I announced a series of initiatives for 2022 under the title, “Connecting Our Community.” These initiatives address constituent outreach, quality of life issues, and inclusion for all.

Some of these include:

“Technology & Infrastructure: Being Connected Matters” - Union County is currently in the process of developing an all-inclusive countywide fiber ring. Funded through dollars from the American Rescue Plan Act, this fiber ring will be completed in three phases. Phases 1 & 2 are set to begin early in 2022. Connectivity between County buildings and our parks system will be addressed in these first two phases. Phase 3 will add municipal buildings and police departments to the network. Once complete, the life expectancy of this fiber network is 20 years, and will aid to bridge the digital divide to better ensure public safety and overall network reliability.

“Making Connections for Mental Health and Wellbeing”: Chair Williams will work with the Department of Human Services on additional programs and services in reference to the mental health of the County community.

“Connections through Cultural Enrichment and Recreation” & “Connecting & Engaging Residents”: A series of programs will be introduced that will not only help define and express who Union County is as a community, but also help significantly contribute and enrich its ever-changing environment. From the creation of an Arts and Cultural Drama Development program for emerging playwrights to the opening of the all-inclusive park at Cedar Brook Park in Plainfield and an Intergenerational Community Engagement program, where young people can work with senior citizens on different projects, the County of Union will continue to infuse arts, culture and recreation within its fabric, helping to lead the way of a place of distinction.

I am so honored and committed to serve all of you as Chair in 2022 and I am certain that if we stay connected and work together as one Union County – our future will be bright. May you know that I am here for you, we are here for you and we will get through anything together.

Sincerely,

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Rebecca L. Williams
Commissioner Chair

Greetings... from the County Manager

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As the Union County Manager, I am responsible for supervising the operations of County Government, and implementing the policies of the Union County Board of Commissioners.

2021 marked the continuation of a second year providing services to County residents in the fight against the COVID-19 pandemic including:

Maintaining the Union County Drive-Through COVID-19 Test Center at Kean University in Union Township - the first County-run test-center in the State, while also maintaining test sites at Dunn Sports Center in Elizabeth and Plainfield High School. The Union County COVID-19 Mobile Test Unit, brought tests to senior centers, other vulnerable populations, and local communities.

Starting January 7, 2021, the Union County Office of Health Management vaccinated approximately 111,000 patients through permanent vaccination sites as well as mobile vaccination units.

Launching the Union County Emergency Rental Assistance Program (ERAP), providing significant economic relief to help low and moderate-income households at risk of experiencing homelessness or housing instability by providing temporary rental and utility assistance.

Continuing the bulk food distributions, both on a drive-thru and walk-up basis at multiple County locations, several times per month for Union County residents impacted by COVID-19. Union County held 45 County-sponsored food distributions in 2021. These distributions were a combination of walk-up and drive-thru. Approximately 35,000 households received assistance and over 4.1 million meals were provided throughout the course of the year.

During 2021, we also moved forward with long-planned construction projects, highlighted by the reopening of the Walter E. Ulrich Pool in Rahway after a makeover, the groundbreaking on the first inclusive affirmative park space in Cedar Brook Park in Plainfield, and the creation of a new disc golf course at Oak Ridge Park in Clark.

In 2022 we will continue our COVID-19 efforts by maintaining the COVID-19 vaccination and test center at the Kean campus, while re-upping out mobile testing and vaccination efforts for residents needing tests for new variants as well as those looking to get vaccinations, including boosters. Food Distributions will continue and the ERAP program have been re-opened for those still needing assistance as well.

In this day and age when digital connections are most important, this print edition of the Directory continues to be a valued resource for the community. For additional information and updates please visit us online at ucnj.org, follow us on social media, or subscribe to our alert system at UCFirstAlert.org.

Sincerely,

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Edward T. Oatman
County Manager

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Union County Facts

General Information

Population.....	575,341
Land Area.....	105.4 sq.mi.
Municipalities.....	21
Largest Town.....	Elizabeth
Smallest Town.....	Winfield



Of New Jersey's 21 Counties, Union County ranks seventh in population and twentieth in size. It is the third most densely populated county in New Jersey.

Union County History



Established.....	1857
County Seat.....	Elizabeth

Elizabethtown, established in 1664, was the first English speaking settlement in New Jersey. It was the first seat of colonial government for East Jersey and played a crucial role in the Revolutionary War. Union County split from Essex County in 1857.

Infrastructure

Miles of County Roadway.....	176
Bridges and Culverts.....	470
Commuter Rail Lines.....	Raritan Valley Line, Northeast Corridor Line, North Jersey Coast Line, Gladstone Line
Major Highways.....	NJ Turnpike, Garden State Parkway, Routes 1&9, Routes 78, 24, and 22
Airports.....	Newark Liberty International Airport, Linden Airport
Maritime Facilities.....	The Port of New York/New Jersey and Port Linden

Union County is home to an international airport, some of the state's most important roadways, the largest refinery and the largest container cargo port on the east coast.

Education

School Districts.....	23
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Public Schools.....	172
Private Schools.....	60+
Pupils.....	142,235

Union County is home to Kean University in Union Township and Union County College, which has campuses in Cranford, Elizabeth, Plainfield and Scotch Plains, and Union County Vocational-Technical Schools in Scotch Plains.

Business

Labor Force.....	284,474
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Union County is home to Merck and Co., Philips 66 and Wakefern Corporation.

2021 Accomplishments

Union County COVID-19 Vaccination Efforts



On January 7, 2021, Union County vaccinated its first resident, marking the start of Phase 1A vaccination efforts within the County. During 2021, the Union County Office of Health Management staffed and ran permanent COVID-19 vaccination sites at Kean University, Plainfield High School, Dunn Sports Center and Warinanco Sports Center.

UCOHM also ran over 100 mobile vaccination clinics throughout the year at locations county-wide. Mobile clinics accounted for the vaccination of approximately 16,000 patients. Pfizer, Moderna and Johnson & Johnson vaccines were offered at permanent vaccination sites as well as at mobile clinics. In total, UCOHM vaccinated approximately 111,100 patients in 2021. As of January 2022, 84% (468,070) of the Union County population had been vaccinated with at least one dose. 68% (378,344) of the population is fully vaccinated (2 doses of Moderna or Pfizer/1 dose of Johnson & Johnson) and 27% of the population (151,325) has received a booster or third-dose.

Union County Food Distributions in 2021

In 2021, Union County held 45 County-sponsored food distributions. These distributions were a combination of walk-up and drive-thru. Approximately 35,000 households received assistance through the Union County Food Distributions. Over 4.1 million meals were provided throughout the course of the year. The County worked with several partners including, Village Supermarkets, Gargiulo Produce, the Community FoodBank of NJ and CMC Foods.

Since the beginning of the Food Distribution program in 2020, Union County has held almost 80 food distributions for residents. Over 16 million pounds of food have been distributed to those suffering from food insecurity due to the pandemic. 20% of the County population has received approximately 14 million meals.



Union County Emergency Rental Assistance Program

The Union County Board of County Commissioners launched a new grant program to provide financial relief for Union County residents unable to meet their rental obligations during the COVID-19 pandemic. In 2021, under the new Emergency Rental Assistance Program, eligible tenants received up to 12 months of assistance for unpaid back rent and utility bills. The program was designed to assist both tenants and landlords, with portals created for both that included guidance on assembling the information and documents necessary for funding.

The funds were awarded to landlords and utility providers on behalf of tenants who were eligible for the grant. The Emergency Rental Assistance Program has reopened in 2022 and is funded through the Federal CARES Act for COVID-19 emergency relief.

Fresh Start Mobile Program Launched in 2021

In 2021, the Union County Board of County Commissioners launched the Fresh Start mobile program, providing shower, laundry and restroom facilities to persons who are unhoused, along with guidance and resources on additional services that foster self-sufficiency. The new program is the first mobile service of its kind to be offered in New Jersey.

The Fresh Start program was part of Chairman Mirabella’s “Union County Rising” initiatives for 2021, aimed at maximizing countywide resources for response to the COVID-19 pandemic while addressing emerging needs in the areas of fiscal planning, public safety, education, economic development and opportunity, and inclusion and diversity in addition to human services.

The centerpiece of Fresh Start is a mobile trailer equipped with bathroom and shower units as well as laundry facilities. It is operated and maintained in accordance with standards for preventing the spread of COVID-19. The program was re-launched in the Spring of 2022 through October 2022.



About Union County Government

for more information visit www.ucnj.org/commissioners

New Jersey Board of County Commissioners: A Historic Change

Since Colonial days, New Jersey has used the title “Chosen Freeholder” to refer to persons elected to a County Board. While of interest from a historical perspective, the title refers to a bygone period when a citizen’s ability to hold public office was defined by gender, race, and property. On August 21, 2020, New Jersey Governor Phil Murphy signed legislation that adopted the contemporary title of “County Commissioner” throughout the state, effective January 1, 2021.

Each of the 21 counties in New Jersey is represented by a five-member or nine-member Board of Commissioners. The population of Union County provides for a nine-member board. Commissioners serve for three-year terms and are elected on an at-large basis. At the first meeting of each year, they select a Chair and Vice-Chair, assign liaisons to advisory boards, and set rules of order. They also appoint a County Manager to oversee daily operations.

Responsibilities of County Government

County government serves two basic functions: administering state and federal grants for local programs and infrastructure projects, and providing or supporting core local services including public safety, economic development, education, human services, and parks and recreation. In New Jersey, County government also includes three elected offices stipulated by the State Constitution: County Clerk, Sheriff, and Surrogate. A fourth constitutional office is the County Prosecutor, who is appointed by the Governor.

Meetings of the Board of Commissioners

The Board of Commissioners generally meets every other Thursday evening. During the COVID-19 pandemic in 2020, the Board of Commissioners met remotely. In-person meetings resumed in late 2021, at the County Administration Building, located at 10 Elizabethtown Plaza in the City of Elizabeth. For a complete schedule and guidance on public participation visit the County website, ucnj.org, or call 908-527-4100.

Commissioner Chair

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Chair Rebecca L. Williams was elected to her first full three-year term in November 2019 and is serving her first term as Chair of the Union County Board of Commissioners this year.

Known for an emphasis on constituent outreach, fiscal issues, support for arts and culture initiatives, and quality of life matters, Chair Williams brings a high level of commitment to her service. She advocates for county-local shared services that save tax dollars while improving efficiency and has been in the forefront of LGBTQ advocacy, working with the Union County Office of LGBTQ Affairs to address housing, senior services, education, health, public safety, community engagement, and other areas of concern. In 2018, Chair Williams was honored by Gov. Phil Murphy as a “Champion of Equality” for her LGBTQ advocacy, in addition to receiving other honors from agencies such as the YWCA of Union County, Emerge-NJ, and the United Way of Union County.

In 2021, alongside her colleagues, Williams broke ground on Union County’s first inclusive LGBTQ+ affirming park space, located within Cedar Brook Park. As Chair of the Policy and Administrative Code Committee in 2020 and 2021, she was instrumental in updating ordinances, policies, and codes. She has also served on the Fiscal, Public Safety/Homeland Security, Parks and Programs, and Open Space and Historic Preservation Trust Board Committees, respectively.

Chair Williams prides herself on her openness and accessibility to all constituents. She remains a “grassroots” public servant, reaching out and following up with constituents to ensure their concerns are resolved. A frequent speaker on women’s and LGBTQ+ empowerment, Commissioner Williams has served on panels for The Center for American Women and Politics at Rutgers’s Eagleton Institute, The National Council of Negro Women, and Garden State Equality among many other organizations. Prior to her election to the Union County Commissioner Board, Williams served two terms on the Plainfield City Council in support of a progressive agenda and economic development, contributing to Plainfield’s revitalization.

In addition to her legislative work, Chair Williams is also a full-time faculty member of the Humanities Division at Essex County College in Newark, where she teaches American Literature, African American Literature, Effective Speech, English Composition, and Women’s Literature. She currently serves on the College Curriculum Committee, as Chair of the 2022 Essex County College Humanities Conference, and as co-faculty advisor to the college’s Gay/Straight Alliance.

Commissioner Vice Chair



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Vice-Chair Christopher Hudak was first elected to serve on the Board since 2010. In 2020 he was re-elected to a fourth three-year term.

During his tenure, Hudak has focused on infrastructure growth, education, substance abuse treatment, and recreation opportunities for Union County residents. In response to the COVID-19 emergency, Hudak has championed initiatives ensuring our residents have access to testing, economic relief programs, food distribution, and vaccination programs.

In 2015 Hudak led the creation of the Union County Infrastructure Grant program, which to date has distributed \$10.5 million in matching grants for road resurfacing and other municipal infrastructure priorities. He has also championed investment in the Union County Park system, including the soccer complex and spray park at Wheeler Park in Linden, as well as supporting funding for the Clark Reservoir.

Hudak sponsored the County's initiative to combat heroin addiction, which provides support for Union County residents seeking rehabilitation services, and promoted the creation of the UC STEM (Union County Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) grants program to support existing and new STEM opportunities in elementary and middle schools throughout the County. The STEM grant program launched in 2018, with the disbursement of grants to 40 programs in 14 municipalities.

As Chair of the Board in 2014, Hudak led the County through the launch of free Wi-Fi at County facilities, groundbreaking on two new education facilities, and the opening of the new Warinanco Park track and field. In 2014 Union County also completed planning initiatives in response to Hurricane Sandy and became the first county nationwide to ask gun vendors for their position on gun safety. Hudak has previously chaired the Board's Fiscal, Policy, and Public Safety Committees, as well as the Open Space Trust Fund. As Fiscal Chair in 2021, Hudak worked to ensure passage of the zero- tax increase budget that maintained all essential services, continued Union County's COVID-19 response, and maintained the County's AAA bond rating.

Vice-Chair Hudak is a licensed attorney and works for Kean University. His experience in public and non-profit service includes Kean University, the New Jersey Motor Vehicle Commission, the Partnership for a Drug-Free New Jersey, and as a staff member in the New Jersey Assembly and State Senate.

Hudak is a member of the National Association of Counties Large Urban County Caucus. Since 2009 he has served as a member of the New Jersey State Democratic Committee and is a past Chair of the Linden Democratic Committee. He was a delegate to the 2012 Democratic National Convention. He is a member of the Linden Knights of Columbus, a parishioner at St. John's Church in Clark, and an Eagle Scout.

A graduate of Roselle Catholic High School and Rutgers University, Hudak holds a Master's Degree in Public Administration from Kean University and completed his Juris Doctorate at Rutgers. Hudak resides in Clark with his wife Terri, their daughter Catherine, and son Jackson.

Commissioner



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Commissioner James E. Baker, Jr. was elected in 2021 to serve his first three-year term as a Union County Commissioner.

A lifelong resident of Rahway and dedicated public servant, Commissioner Baker has dedicated his career to providing the families and residents of Union County with a wide range of vital human services and has ensured communities can thrive via vibrant community development.

He has previously served on the NJ School Boards Association's State Legislative Committee, the Urban School Board Association, the Rahway Board of Education, the Rahway Planning Board, the Rahway Housing Authority and as member of the Board of Directors for the Rahway Day Care Center, as well as Jefferson Park Ministries in Elizabeth.

From 2006-2021, he served as an At-Large Councilman in the City of Rahway. He served as President in 2009 and again in 2016, and served as Vice President in 2010.

In 2007, he worked with Veterans Group to have a new city park named for Myron Ross, a native-son and African-American who was killed in combat during the Vietnam War. In 2009, he sponsored Free OSHA training for low-income residents and workers. He also coordinated free eye screening for Senior Citizens, and even coordinated Employee Volunteer Work Program with Merck to send over 100 volunteers to work at various sites in Rahway. A few years later, he introduced the Sheriff's Labor Assistance Program (SLAP) to the City of Rahway. He sponsored a resolution naming the Children's Section of Rahway Public Library after the late Congressman Donald Payne Sr. He even negotiated the relocation of two County-based services, the Community Coordinated Child Care Agency and the Intoxicated Drivers Resource Center in Rahway.

For 29 years, Commissioner Baker worked for the County of Union, first as a Senior Program Development Specialist in the Department of Human Services' Division of Planning and later working in the Department of Economic Development in the Office of Community Development.

A graduate of Wilberforce University with a degree in Sociology, Commissioner Baker also earned a Master's degree in Psychology from Kean University.

Commissioner



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Union County Commissioner Dr. Angela Garretson’s government experience spans over 18 years, having served as a school board member, Councilwoman-at-Large, and Mayor of Hillside. She is serving in her second term on the Union County Board of Commissioners and was instrumental in changing the title of “Freeholder” to “Commissioner” statewide in 2021.

Dr. Garretson is a long-time advocate for citizen engagement, economic stability, public safety, social justice, health, education and equity and inclusion. She has served on Board of Commissioner committees and as liaison to advisory boards, including the Advisory Board on the Status of Minorities. Dedicated to building coalitions statewide, Garretson is the Board of Commissioners’ designee to the New Jersey Association of Counties, where she recently co-founded the statewide County Black Caucus, also recognized as NJ19.

During the COVID-19 pandemic, Dr. Garretson demonstrated bold leadership and excellent public service. As a county official, she engaged state and federal resources to champion recovery efforts and reinvestments to empower impacted residents, businesses and communities. Her advocacy led to significant federal American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funding rewards that will benefit Union County constituents for generations. Among other notable contributions, Garretson’s efforts also yielded funds from the bipartisan infrastructure law and other federal programs.

Dr. Garretson’s professional career in higher education, civic and political engagement commenced at the Rutgers University Eagleton Institute of Politics. She continues to work in academia and previously served as a Legislative Aide in the New Jersey General Assembly and various campaigns. Currently, she is the Chief External Affairs Officer in the Office of the President of the New Jersey Institute of Technology (NJIT), where she is responsible for maintaining local, state and federal engagement in the University’s global research and development.

Dr. Garretson presided over landmark studies that reported the University’s \$2.8 billion annual economic impact on the State of New Jersey. She was also a member of the winning team in New Jersey that become a finalist for the Build Back Better Regional Challenge. The contest was designed to develop or scale industry sectors, train the workforce of today and tomorrow, and build resilient economies. Numerous awards and recognition highlight her contributions. These include industry publications citing her accomplishments as one of the Top 50 Women in Business by NJBIZ; an Influencer of Color by ROI-NJ; and a member of the list of Who’s Who in America.

Commissioner Dr. Angela Garretson graduated from Montclair Kimberley Academy, Syracuse University (B.S), Rutgers University (MPA with honors), and Rutgers and NJIT (Ph.D. joint doctoral program). In addition, she is a member of the Alpha Kappa Alpha, Sorority Inc., Omega Psi Omega Chapter in Elizabeth, and the National Sorority of Phi Delta Kappa, Inc. Delta Pi Chapter in Hillside. She and her family reside in Hillside.

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Commissioner Sergio Granados, a native of Elizabeth, was re-elected to his third term in 2019. In 2013, he became the youngest member ever elected to the board and youngest Democratic board member elected in NJ.

As Chairman of the Board in 2018, Granados announced “Moving Union County Forward” initiatives to promote advocacy and equality, volunteerism, public safety, and the environment.

Granados spearheaded the opening of several offices within Union County Administration. The Office of LGBTQ Affairs, the Office for People with Special Needs and the Office of Community Engagement & Diversity were formed in 2018. Each of these new offices was the first of its kind in the State. Granados also created the first Union County Hispanic Heritage Month Celebration in October, 2018.

Commissioner Granados has served as Chairman of the Open Space Trust Fund, working to create the Kids Dig In! School garden grants program. He paved the way for the first inclusive playground in Union County in 2017. He launched “Level the Playing Field,” a grant program that supports creation of inclusive playgrounds, and made Union County the first in the country with an inclusive playground in every municipality. He also developed the UC Night at the Theater grant, which provided education and enjoyment through the arts for high schools.

Under his tenure as Chairman in 2018, Union County became the first county in the State to have police equipped with body worn cameras in all municipalities.

In 2018 he led the creation of the Warinanco Dog Park, the first in the eastern part of the County.

As Chairman of the Public Safety Committee in 2021, Granados helped to oversee the County efforts for COVID-19 vaccinations & testing as well as community services. The County launched the Fresh Start Mobile Shower initiative to provide shower and laundry services to displaced and homeless residents of Union County. This first its kind County-run service also provided vital access to social services for those in need.

As Chairman of the Fiscal Committee in 2020, Granados oversaw the disbursement of federal funds from the CARES Act across various County programs aimed at providing COVID-19 relief to residents, businesses, municipalities & non-profits. As Fiscal Chairman, Granados also worked with the Fiscal committee to provide residents with a zero percent tax increase for the first time in over two decades while maintaining the County’s “Aaa” bond rating from Moody’s—the highest attainable rating.

Granados attended Union County College, and graduated from Kean University with a Bachelors in Business Management and Masters in Public Administration

Commissioner



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Commissioner Bette Jane Kowalski was elected to her first term in 2004 and was re-elected in 2007, 2010, 2013, 2016 and 2019. She served as Chair of the Board in 2007 and 2019.

During her two terms as Chair, Commissioner Kowalski promoted initiatives for shared county-local services to reduce costs and increase efficiency. In 2019, those efforts included assisting municipalities with public outreach on their recycling programs, and moving forward with plans to expand the Union County Regional Dispatch Center.

Currently, Commissioner Kowalski represents the County on the North Jersey Transportation Planning Authority. As the federally authorized metropolitan planning organization for the 13-county northern New Jersey region, the NJTPA provides funding for major transportation improvement projects.

Previously, Commissioner Kowalski served on the Raritan Valley Rail Coalition, helping to establish direct service to New York during off-peak hours on weekdays. The coalition continues to advocate for expanding that service and other rail improvements.

Commissioner Kowalski served as the Board's liaison to the Human Services Advisory Council for 10 years, helping to coordinate services for seniors, children, and those in need. Her work in this area has been recognized with awards from United Way of Greater Union County, Community Access Unlimited, and Jewish Family Services.

As a member of the Open Space, Recreation, and Historic Preservation Trust Fund, Commissioner Kowalski has worked with the Board to add hundreds of acres of land to the Union County parks system, preserved for public recreation, including a parcel added to Nomahegan Park in 2019..

She has worked to extend funding for open space and recreation, and she regularly participates in Adopt-a-Park programs. An active advocate for flood control, she is a member of the Cranford River Maintenance Committee.

A supporter of the arts, Commissioner Kowalski frequently attends events in Union County's diverse communities. She has also served on the Cultural and Heritage Programs Advisory Board, the Commission on the Status of Women, and the Committee on the Status of Libraries. She is a recipient of the Advocates for New Jersey History Government Leadership Award. The Union County Women's Political Caucus honored her as a Notable Woman in Politics.

Commissioner Kowalski grew up in Cranford and graduated from Cranford High School. She has a Master's degree in Journalism from New York University, and a Bachelor of Arts from Hunter College, where she graduated summa cum laude and Phi Beta Kappa. She is married and lives in Cranford.

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Resident of Elizabeth
term expires Dec. 2023



Commissioner Lourdes M. Leon, a lifelong resident of Elizabeth, was elected to office in 2020, and is currently serving her first term as a County Commissioner. She is the first Hispanic woman elected to the Board of County Commissioners. Leon is a community activist and an award-winning educator and administrator, and has served more than 27 years in the Elizabeth School district.

Born in Cuba, she immigrated to Elizabeth in 1971 with her parents. During the course of her career in the Elizabeth School District, she worked her way up from a teacher's aide to Vice Principal, and finally, Principal of the Donald Stewart Early Childhood Center, which she helped open in 2003.

In 2004-2005, Leon was the Recipient of The Donald Stewart "Strive for Excellence" Educator's Award in recognition of outstanding performance as an educator.

Leon retired in 2013 from the Elizabeth School District, and was appointed to the City of Elizabeth Mayor's Community Development Advisory Committee. She has served as President of the Committee since 2017.

In 2021, Commissioner Leon served as a member of several committees, including the Policy & Administrative Code Committee, the Open Space Committee and the Public Safety/Homeland Security Committee. As a member of the Public Safety Committee, she helped oversee the County's COVID-19 efforts for testing, vaccinations and food distributions. These efforts resulted in the administration of hundreds of thousands of tests and vaccines as well the distribution of over 10 million meals.

Also during her first year as a Union County Commissioner, Leon served as liaison to the Advisory Council on Aging, the Senior Citizen & Disabled Resident Transportation Board, the Meadowlink/EZ Ride Advisory Board and is the alternate Commissioner Liaison to the North Jersey Transportation Planning Authority. In addition, Commissioner Leon maintains her links to her education background by liaising with Union County College as the Commissioner liaison to the UCC Board of Estimates.

Leon is a member of the Snyder Academy Advisory Committee and is also Vice President of "Elizabeth Strong" a Non-Profit Charity Organization created in 2018 to aid citizens of Elizabeth. Commissioner Leon is an active member of the Non-Profit, Hispanos Unidos.

Leon has also worked as a Second Language instructor to 25-30 adult students with different language levels at the Verizon – Benchmark Hotels Corporation.

Commissioner Leon has a Master's of Arts in Educational Administration, graduated Summa Cum Laude from Kean University, and has 30 additional credits in Educational Leadership courses from Walden University and Marygrove College.

Commissioner

Alexander Mirabella



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Resident of Fanwood
term expires Dec. 2024



Commissioner Alexander Mirabella brings experience in business and public service to the Union County Board of County Commissioners. First elected in 1997, he was re-elected in 2021 to serve his ninth three-year term. He has served as Vice Chairman five times. He was once again sworn in as Chairman for the sixth time for 2021, after serving in that capacity in 2020.

As Chairman in 2021, Mirabella continued to oversee Union County's response to the pandemic, including the COVID-19 test center at Kean University and free walk-up mobile test sites in local communities. Over 172,000 tests have been administered to date.

Union County distributed more than 10 million meals for families and distributed tens of millions of dollars in Federal CARES funds to the County's municipalities and to small businesses, schools, libraries, restaurants, nonprofit organizations, and residents in need of child care respite care, child care and rental assistance. Under his Chairmanship, Union County also assisted residents with resource fairs and economic assistance after the remnants of Tropical Storm Ida caused heavy flood damage throughout the county.

In meeting these new challenges, Union County also leveraged years of prudent fiscal management to avoid a tax increase and layoffs.

During 2021, Mirabella executed a series of initiatives, entitled "Union County Rising," which include COVID-19 testing and vaccination announcements, business and economic development programs, parks improvements, and services that reflect the Board of County Commissioners' values on inclusion and acceptance.

In previous years, Mirabella helped implement the Open Space Trust Fund, sparking significant increases in Union County parkland. He developed the Sensory Friendly Theater program for persons with autism and other sensory sensitivities, assembled the shared services committee, and focused on infrastructure planning, workforce development, and sustainability measures.

Mirabella also oversaw the expansion of the Office of Veterans. He organized the annual Columbus Day Italian flag raising event and was honored by the Italian Tribune with the "Christopher Columbus Man of the Year Award."

He was instrumental in creating the Union County Office of LGBTQ Affairs, the first office of its kind in New Jersey. The office organizes advocacy event and community outreach, among its functions.

An advocate of education, Mirabella has been recognized for his support of Union County College and was instrumental in the creation of the Union County Vocational-Technical High Schools (UCVTS).

He was first elected to the Roselle Park Borough Council in 1991 and served until 1996. He graduated from Hobart College in Geneva, N.Y. with a degree in Economics. He and his wife, Phyllis, have a son, Alexander, and a daughter, Micayla.

Commissioner

Kimberly Palmieri-Mouded



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Resident of Westfield
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Commissioner Palmieri-Mouded was elected to the board in November of 2018 to serve her first three-year term. In 2021, Palmieri-Mouded was re-elected to her second term.

From a very young age, Palmieri-Mouded has been drawn to public service, and actively participated in various groups within her community and church, tirelessly supporting local education initiatives and programs.

In 2021, Palmieri-Mouded served as Chair of the Open Space Recreational & Historic Preservation Trust Board. During that time, the Open Space/Trust Fund Board awarded \$1.455 million in matching grants for Kids Recreation, Greening and Preserve initiatives. She also served on the Fiscal Committee as well as the Public Works & Facilities Committee.

Throughout 2021, Palmieri-Mouded was also the Commissioner Liaison to various Advisory Boards, including: the Union County Performing Arts Center Board of Trustees, the Youth Services Commission, the Homeless Trust Fund Advisory Board, the Advisory Board on the Disabled, the Commission on the Status of Women and the Union County College Board of School Estimates.

Palmieri-Mouded believes in the practice of being a servant leader. Whether serving as a volunteer in New Orleans following Hurricane Katrina and as a Caritas Volunteer in Rome, Italy, or simply volunteering at her local senior center, she is aware of the responsibility that comes with leading and serving others. Prior to her election, she enjoyed taking an active role in her local community, serving as an Executive Board Member of the Newcomers Club of Westfield and as a class parent at her children's school.

Commissioner Palmieri-Mouded obtained a B.A. in English and a M.P.S. in Criminal Justice Leadership from St. John's University in Staten Island, NY. After completing her undergraduate degree, she worked for the University's Division of Student Affairs as the Assistant to the Dean before becoming Associate Dean for Student Life. In addition to teaching courses and managing a large financial budget, Palmieri-Mouded supervised many projects, events, activities, and programs. She oversaw all student organizations and planned and organized various experiences and off-campus community service projects for the school and the local community.

After the premature birth of her twin boys, Palmieri-Mouded made the decision to put her career on hold and stay home to take care of her children.

A lifelong resident of Union County, Palmieri-Mouded was born and raised in Elizabeth, NJ, and now lives in Westfield with her husband George and their five children including four young boys – twins Matthew and Christopher, Nicholas, and Ryan; and their daughter, Adeline.

County Manager

Edward T. Oatman



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Edward T. Oatman, 46, has more than 20 years of governmental experience. He is the 12th top executive under the County Manager form of government. Oatman has responsibility for the day-to-day operations and budget of a 21-municipality government with approximately 2,800 full-time employees. He is also responsible for the implementation of the policies of the Board of County Commissioners.

Oatman has worked to assist NJ State Senator Nicholas P. Scutari (D-22) and former NJ Assemblywoman Linda Stender in developing landmark environmental, public safety, health and infrastructure legislation. He served as Chief of Staff for Senator Scutari for six years, and two years for Assemblyman Jim Kennedy. Oatman was the Union County Campaign Coordinator for Governor Phil Murphy and in 2019 was appointed by the Governor to the Police and Fire Retirement System Board of Trustees.

Appointed Union County Manager in 2018, Oatman has effectively implemented the Board's vision in responding to the COVID-19 pandemic, holding the line on County finances, and continuing the trend of delivering solid services that touch all residents and working families at every stage in life.

Oatman's administrative accomplishments include the creation of the COVID-19 testing center and mobile unit—the state's first County-run operation, and County vaccination sites in Union and Plainfield. Since the onset of the pandemic, the County has provided more than 172,000 tests and over 122,000 vaccinations. Oatman has also personally led the County's food distribution efforts during the past year, which have provided more than 10 million meals to County residents in need. In November of 2021 Oatman received the Community Service Award from the Elizabeth Chapter of the NAACP for his work during the pandemic. Oatman also oversaw the distribution of millions of dollars in Federal CARES Act COVID relief funds to our municipalities, restaurant owners, non-profits, small businesses, schools, libraries, tenants, and families in need of respite services and child care. In addition, Oatman has implemented budgetary reforms including the closure of the County's former Juvenile Detention Center, which has saved the County millions, and its subsequent repurposing into a Fire/EMS training academy. In 2021, Oatman was instrumental in signing a protocol with Essex County to house remaining inmates of the Union County Jail when the facility closed. The closing of the facility is projected to save Union County \$20 million per year. He has overseen various improvements and additions to County's park properties, including Warinanco Park, the Watchung Reservation, Oak Ridge Park, and Ashbrook Golf Course.

Oatman also emphasized the importance of continuing to jumpstart economic development as the County's Improvement Authority has begun work on a new County Administration complex, and infrastructure improvements including roadway projects, providing new job opportunities.

Oatman has a Bachelor's in Political Science from Kean University. Oatman currently serves on the Kean University Board of Trustees; and has been active in his hometown of Woodbridge, having served on the Boards of the Woodbridge Little League; and the Woodbridge Township Youth Soccer Association. He is a member of the Woodbridge Middle School & Woodbridge High School PTO. Oatman was the Parent Representative in 2020 for the Woodbridge Return to school committee, focusing on how to safely return to school in September after the initial COVID-19 shutdown. Oatman and has three children, and lives in Woodbridge with the family dogs, Buddy the Beagle and Briscoe.

Offices of the Union County Board of County Commissioners

Clerk of the Board

James E. Pelletiere, , Clerk of the Board527-4140
Fax289-4143
Marlena Russo, Open Public Records Compliance Manager527-4178
Open Public Records Act Request Fax Line558-0915
Coordinates and prepares materials for meetings of the Board of County Commissioners, including meeting notices, preparation of agendas and correspondence. Officially records attendance, votes and actions. Processes resolutions and ordinances, forwards information to appropriate entities.

Office of Archives & Records Management

Anita McNamara, Records Manager527-4142
Archives vital County documents including resolutions, ordinances, contracts, bonds and minutes of meetings. Information on records retention and destruction regulations.

Office of Communication and Public Information

Kelly Martins, Director527-4419
Tina Casey, Deputy Director527-4346
Katherine Soares, Deputy Director527-4019
Robert Charkowsky, Director of Digital, Web and Social Media Services . . .527-4897
Fax527-4704
Disseminates information on the operation of County Government to the general public through a variety of mediums.

Office of Union County Open Space, Recreation and Historic Preservation Trust Fund

Victoria Durbin Drake, Administrator558-2278
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Provides support and executes special projects on behalf of the Commissioner Board pertaining to implementation of the Open Space, Recreation and Historic Preservation Trust Fund.

Office of County Counsel

Bruce H. Bergen, Esq., County Counsel527-4250
Moshood Muftau, Esq., 1st Deputy County Counsel527-4250
Emilie Ngo, Esq., 2nd Deputy County Counsel527-4250
Joseph Altavilla, Esq., 2nd Deputy County Counsel527-4250
Fax289-4230
Provides legal advice, guidance and representation to the Board of County Commissioners, County Manager and departments of County Government. Reviews the legal form of contracts and other documents. Represents the County in civil litigation, including support and enforcement hearings.

Affirmative Action Office

Stella Malpere527-4230
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Develops and updates the County’s Affirmative Action Plan and reports on hiring.

Office of the County Adjuster

Anthony E. Russo, Esq.527-4260
Supervises the preparation and filing of papers relating to the commitment of individuals with mental illness or developmental disabilities in County and state institutions.

Union County Government

All addresses: Union County Administration Building
10 Elizabethtown Plaza, Elizabeth, NJ 07207, unless noted.
Area codes 908, unless noted.
ucnj.org

Office of the County Manager

ucnj.org/county-manager

Edward T. Oatman, County Manager

Amy C. Wagner, Deputy County Manager

Nancy Malta, Office Manager527-4200
Dondria Newton527-4291

***Department of
Administrative Services***

Provides support and administration for Union County
Government and selected local governments.
ucnj.org/admin-services

Laura Scutari, QPA,CCPO, RPPO, MPA, SHRM-CP

Director of Administrative Services/Director of Purchasing527-4170
Fax558-2566

Division of Motor Vehicles & Telecommunication

301 Shunpike Road, Springfield, NJ 07081

Chris Meehan659-7470
Fax659-7499
Springfield Garage659-7476
Responsible for the repair, maintenance and records for County vehicles.

Division of Personnel Management and Labor Relations

Claudia Martins, Director527-4289
Fax558-2566
Assists in review and evaluation of personnel actions, maintains personnel records, administers leaves of absence, training and negotiates and implements agreements.

Employee Assistance

Personnel527-4160
24/7 EAP Help Hotline844-427-6581
Guidance and professional referrals for Union County employees and their families in dealing with stress and problems. All information is confidential.

Employee Benefits

Colleen Koch527-4021
Eugenio Esquivel527-4067
Coordinates County insurance programs and employee health benefits.

N.J.C.S.C./Civil Service

Melinda Allen527-4024

Risk Management

Evelio Salerno527-4210

Salary Administration and Labor Analysis

Stephanie Ganz527-4098

Workers Compensation

Terry Pacheco527-4319

Division of Purchasing

Laura Scutari, Director CCPO, QPA, MPA527-4130
Michelle Hagopian, Assistant Director527-4054
Fax558-2548
Administers, supervises and coordinates procurement operations for all County departments.



Department of Economic Development

Promotes and develops the planning and growth of the County of Union, through the implementation and coordination of all economic development plans and programs including matters affecting workforce investment, community development, and quality of housing.
ucnj.org/department-of-economic-development

Amy Crisp Wagner, Deputy County Manager/Director 527-4802
Kathleen Addressa 527-4087
Dondria Newton 527-4291

Bureau of Information Technologies

Diego Otero 527-4731
Fax 352-3980
Responsible for the County's data center, wide-area high-speed network, and office technology. Plans, develops and manages software applications to improve workflow processes in County offices.

Workforce Development Board

Antonio C. Rivera 527-4195
Fax 527-4901
The Bureau of ADA COmpliance shall ensure compliance with federal and state disability rights laws by the County and will assist municipalities and school districts within the County with training and guidance concerning same.

Bureau of ADA Compliance

Manuel Ramirez 527-4432
Fax 352-3980
Directs training investments to create sustainable jobs, develops marketing strategies to promote business services, and designs competitive economic and workforce policies.

Division of Community Services

Brandon T. Givens, Director 527-4462
Fax 352-3980
Partners with communities and non-profit agencies to reduce the causes of poverty, increase job opportunities, economic security for individuals/families and revitalize communities. Our social service and community development programs work in a variety of ways to improve the lives of many.

Bureau of Community Development

Main Number 527-4258
Fax 352-3980
Oversees the federally funded Community Development Block Grant Program (CDBG). CDBG funds are used for a wide range of community development activities directed toward neighborhood revitalization, economic development, social service programs and improvements to community facilities.

Bureau of Housing

Main Number 527-4229
Fax 352-3980
Increases access to decent housing and suitable living environments for low and very-low income families through federally funded programs such as the Housing Choice Voucher Program (Section 8), the HOME Program, and CDBG program.

Office of Veteran Services

Geoff Smith527-4918
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The Veteran Success Program is the vital link between men and women who served their country and the services available from Federal, State, County and Municipal levels of government and the private sector.

We Are One New Jersey

Elizabeth Montes249-4360
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In conjunction with New Jersey AFLCIO, this program provides social and human services that educate, empower and uplift working families. We Are One New Jersey provides U.S. Citizenship application guidance, voter registration and notary services. The goal is to build stronger communities by educating and engaging new Americans to become active participants in our democracy.

Division of Strategic Planning & Intergovernmental Relations

Philip Kandl, Director527-4273
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Develops strategic plans for the County, focusing on economic competitiveness and growth, transportation, land use, and sustainability. Coordinates and aligns policies and initiatives across County departments and governmental agencies through outreach and shared services.

Bureau of Planning and Land Use

Kamal Saleh527-2275
Fax352-3980

Assures that Union County complies with all state planning statutes and regulations; maintains a central repository of all local Master plans and zoning ordinances; serves as a conduit between municipalities regarding planning information, municipal redevelopment efforts and Brownfield/Greyfield information.

Bureau of Transportation Planning

Liza Betz558-2273
Fax352-3980

Works towards a balanced transportation system for Union County and seeks to meet the travel needs of people and goods through a coordinated intermodal transportation system; conducts its own studies and partners with other entities to investigate and address a range of transportation planning challenges.

Office of Community Engagement and Diversity

Judith Guest527-4388
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Provides outreach and coordinates events and programs with local community based groups and organizations to promote volunteerism in Union County. Reinforces strategies for building relationships with the County’s diverse communities to find creative and innovative solutions to ensure inclusion and collaboration.

Office of Business Development

Main Number659-7412
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The Office of Business Development works under the supervision of the Director of the Division of Strategic Planning and Intergovernmental Relations. The functions and responsibilities of the office include: Developing effective strategies for business attraction and retention in

Union County; working collaboratively with organizations such as the Union County Economic Development Corporation (UCEDC), local Chambers of Commerce, and institutions of higher learning to develop and integrate strategic activities designed to attract and retain targeted industry businesses, stimulate job creation and increase the capacity of small businesses to remain competitive. The Office of Business Development also coordinates networking events such as Union County Means Business.

Office of LGBTQ Affairs

Danni Newbury527-4742
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The Office of LGBTQ services works in collaboration with all county departments and in partnership with non-government and advocacy organizations, to develop innovative strategies to help address the needs of the LGBTQ community on issues that include housing, education, health, public safety and community engagement.

Office on Women

Jennifer Erdos.....527-4216
 Fax352-3980

A resource and advocacy program that serves women of all ages by connecting them with educational, job training, health resources and more to reach their goals and potential.

Department of Engineering, Public Works and Facilities Management

2325 South Avenue, Scotch Plains 07076

Maintenance, construction and repair of Union County's infrastructure.
ucnj.org/engineering-public-works-facilities

Joseph A. Graziano, Sr., CPWM, Director 789-3653
 Fax 789-3674

Bureau of Recycling & Planning

Stuart Newman654-9892
 Fax789-3674
 Recycling Hotline (Recording)654-9889

Coordinates recycling programs for homeowners to properly dispose of old paint, pesticides, electronics, computers, tires and household hazardous waste. Disseminates environmental education and recycling materials and implements the New Jersey Clean Communities Program.

Division of Engineering

Ricardo S. Matias, P.E., County Engineer 789-3675
 Bernice Dieter, P.E., Assistant County Engineer 789-3675
 Fax 789-3674

Professional engineering services for bridges, County buildings, facilities, park lands, roads and traffic signals, storm sewers, dams and flood control.

Bureau of GIS

2325 South Ave, Scotch Plains, NJ 07076

Matt Mathan 789-3691
 Fax 789-3674

Integrates hardware, software and data for capturing, managing, analyzing and displaying all forms of geographically referenced information for use by local municipalities.

Bureau of Traffic Maintenance

2325 South Ave, Scotch Plains, NJ 07076

Luis Gregorich 789-3353

Fax 789-9764

The bureau maintains the traffic signs and striping along 170 miles of County roadway. In addition, it also designs and implements traffic control work zones, collects traffic movement data, provides other county divisions with custom signs and vehicle markings and provides support for other divisions’ projects and interfaces with the County’s twenty-one municipalities through co-op purchasing & shared services.

Division of Public Works

Joseph J. Policay, Jr., CPWM, Director789-3657

Arthur Kobitz, CPWM, Deputy Director 789-3227

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Bureau of Inspections

2371 South Avenue, Scotch Plains, NJ 07076

Arthur Kobitz, CPWM 789-3658

Mohammed Stewart, CPWM - Deputy Bureau Chief 789-3658

Fax 789-3227

Issues permits and performs inspections for road, curb or bridge work within County jurisdiction.

Bureau of Mosquito Control

2371 South Avenue, Scotch Plains 07076

Sean Devaney654-9873

Fax 789-9113

Controls and monitors the mosquito population and assists in snow and leaf removal.

Bureau of Roads & Bridges

John Moncanda & Michael Tartamella, General Supervisors

2371 South Avenue, Scotch Plains 07076

Paul D. Fellner, Sr., CPWM 789-3695

Fax 889-4065

Maintains bridges and culverts, roads and parking facilities under County jurisdiction. Assists municipalities and County agencies with equipment and operators.

Bureau of Shade Tree & Conservation

2371 South Avenue, Scotch Plains 07076

James A. Kelly, Jr.789-6027

Fax889-4065

Maintains, removes and replaces trees along County roads and assists in snow and leaf removal.

Bureau of Heavy Equipment & Truck Repair

Anthony Livelli789-3697

Fax654-9683

Division of Facilities Management

Main Number527-4242

Charles Chirafesi, Director527-4218

Fax558-2353

Management of County-owned and maintained buildings.

Bureau of Print Services

Vincent Paparella659-7401
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Supervises, coordinates & expedites print services, sign and banner operations.

Bureau of Construction Management

Main Number 527-4241
Fax 558-2353
Supervises and coordinates the County’s capital improvement projects.

Bureau of Custodial Maintenance

Todd Pendelton527-4089
Fax558-2353
Provides custodial and janitorial services for all County buildings.

Bureau of Correctional Facilities Maintenance

Richard Cardozo 558-2542
Fax 558-2353
Provides Custodial, Janitorial and Maintenance Repair Services for Correctional Facilities.

Bureau of General Trades

Main Number (Elizabeth Office) 527-4240 or 527-4242
Fax 558-2353
Kevin Kolbeck 654-9704 or 403-6619
Provides technical and mechanical services for the safe and efficient operation of County Buildings.

Bureau of Stationary Engineers

Phil Triano 527-4246
Fax 353-5124
Supervises and coordinates all mechanical trades and outside mechanical contractors. Also maintains and operates the heating ventilation and air conditioning systems in all County buildings

Department of Finance

Controls Union County’s budget and finances and provides financial services to County government.
ucnj.org/finance

Bibi Taylor, Director 527-4055
Fax 558-3486

Pensions

Jane Samsel 527-4058
Administers pension plans for Union County employees.

Deferred Compensation Plan

Lillian Duran 558-4088
Empower - Deferred Compensation Plan. 732-767-6032

Division of the Comptroller

Erick Mesias, Comptroller 527-4754
Jason Shanley, Assistant Comptroller 527-4051
Records and reports on receipts and disbursements, maintains general accounting records and central payroll.

Accounts Payable 527-4816

Payroll

Lillian Duran, Payroll Supervisor 527-4088

Division of Internal Audit 527-4814

Verifies and retains financial records, prepares reports as requested and required, ensures that all regulations and proper accounting procedures are followed.

Division of Reimbursement

Caterina Campanella, Division Director 527-4829

Establishes the financial and administrative controls for federal and state grant funds received by the County of Union by way of reimbursement.

Division of the Treasurer

Julie Origliato, Division Director 527-4099

Holds and disburses County funds on order of the Director of Finance/County Treasurer; invests the County’s excess funds and reports annually on income.

Department of Human Services

Provides vital safety net services to residents of all ages.

ucnj.org/human-services

Debbie-Ann Anderson, Director 527-4808

Karen Dinsmore, Assistant Director 527-4809

Melissa Lespinasse, Assistant Director 527-4862

Fax 527-4875

Youth Shelter

508 Westminster Ave, Elizabeth, NJ 07202

Main Number 436-1955

Fax 436-1957

Services for youth needing temporary placement following a juvenile/family crisis; youth who run away from home; and truant youth.

Paratransit and the Route 22 Shuttle

Admin Bldg, 10 Elizabethtown Plaza, 2nd Floor, Elizabeth 07207

Deana Mesaros, Division Director 659-5001

Paratransit Dispatcher 241-8300

Main Number 659-5001

Fax 659-7443

Curb-to-curb, non-emergency, wheelchair-equipped transportation as schedule permits for seniors (60 and over), disabled, or economically disadvantaged residents. Service available on a first come-first served basis. Please call 5 to 7 days in advance.

Cornerstone Behavioral Health Hospital of Union County

40 Watchung Way, Berkeley Heights, NJ 07922

Cornerstone West 790-5300

Cornerstone East 771-5875

Paul Herskovotz, Administrator 771-5720

A 44-bed state-of-the-art adult psychiatric unit.

Division on Aging and Disability Resource Connection (ADRC)

Natalie Zarrillo, Director527-4865
Information and Referral..... 888-280-8226 (toll free) / 527-4870
Fax.....659-7410
Plans, implements and coordinates a variety of needed services for residents aged 60 and older and their caregivers/families. Provides home delivered meals and group meals at senior centers throughout Union County.

Workforce Development/American Job Centers

Director527-4812
Perle Almeida, Assistant Director.....527-4887
Main Number.....527-4812
Fax.....527-4885
The Union County Workforce Development Operation provides job training and related services to eligible clients in Union County.

Elizabeth American Job Center558-8000
921 Elizabeth Ave, Elizabeth 07201
Fax558-8005
Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Plainfield American Job Center757-9090
200 West 2nd Street, Plainfield 07063
Fax757-9094
Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Division of Outreach and Advocacy

Dalton Laluces, Director.....527-4838
Nathalie Alcaide-Hernandez, Assistant Director.....527-4880
Fax.....527-4875
The mission of the Division of Outreach and Advocacy is to raise awareness among residents of Union County government’s existing programs and services; to advocate in response to our citizens’ unmet human service needs; and to respond to those needs with effective, accessible resources and services. Through collaboration with other government agencies, community based organizations, and private sector entities, the division provides outreach, advocacy and information and referral services.

Office of Human Services and Constituent Relations

This office will also provide advocacy assistance, conducts investigations and maintains grievance programs to promote client safety and independence and the delivery of quality program services in a fair, honest and professional manner.

UCDHS Director’s Action Line

Michele Antunes527-4540
The DHS Director’s Action Line (DAL) will provide Union County residents served by DHS as well as others, including advocates and community based organizations— quick and easy access to knowledgeable specialists who answer questions and resolve concerns and complaints regarding services provided through DHS.

Contracts Unit

Renee Goldstein527-4830

The Contract Unit processes all contracts with community based organizations and vendors for the Department of Human Services. Contract staff ensure that all contracts met regulatory requirements set by the funding source (state and federal government) and the County of Union.

Independent Monitoring Unit

Diane Jakubowski527-4836

The Independent Monitoring Unit (IMU) monitors all contracts awarded through the Department of Human Services. On-site visits and reviews are planned and executed on a regular basis. Reports and corrective actions are drafted and tracked to ensure contract compliance.

Division of Individual and Family Support Services

Christina Topolosky, Director527-4839

Elizabeth Paskewich, Assistant Director527-4883

Fax558-2562

Plans, implements and manages a variety of social/supportive services through contract administration and/or direct provision of services, with oversight and guidance provided by Commissioner-appointed advisory boards: Human Services Advisory Council, Homeless Trust Fund Advisory Board, Local Advisory Committee on Alcoholism & Drug Abuse, Mental Health Board, Advisory Board on the Disabled. Provides information and referral for service.

Alcoholism and Drug Abuse

Gene Tavera527-4844

Information and referral on alcoholism and drug abuse treatment, prevention and education, including detoxification treatment programs, residential and aftercare services.

Intoxicated Driver Resource Center (IDRC)

Main Number527-4791

Information and referral regarding consultations/education, self-help resources and treatment for substance abuse (outpatient or residential).

Mental Health Services

Marilyn Lopes527-4846

Information and referral regarding consultations, education, emergencies, in and outpatient services, partial and residential care.

Homeless/Continuum of Care

Nicole DeAugustine527-4842

Provides information and referral on safety-net services to promote self sufficiency for the homeless and at-risk homeless populations. Referral services include: cash assistance for rent, security, food and utilities; transitional or permanent/supportive housing and emergency shelter.

Office for Persons with Disabilities and Special Needs

Diana Calle527-4807

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The Office for Persons with Disabilities and Special Needs partners with community centers, schools, colleges, YMCAs, businesses, support organizations and volunteer groups to present recreation programs at County facilities as well as locations in various municipalities. Programs are for ages five through adult. The Office also advances greater independence for people with disabilities through advocacy and information and referral services on topics including accessibility, the Americans with Disabilities Act, assistive technology, education, employment, housing, legal assistance, recreation and transportation.

Administers the Personal Assistance Services Program, which enables people with physical disabilities to live and work independently.

Rape Crisis Center

300 North Avenue East, Westfield 07090

Tamara Adelman.....233-RAPE (7273)

Fax654-0260

Offers a range of network services to survivors of sexual assault. Services include crisis counseling through a 24/7 hotline and accompaniment to hospitals, police stations, and court by trained confidential sexual violence advocates. Additional services include prevention and education for schools and community groups.

Human Services Advisory Council

Main Number527-4232

Reviews County Human Services and makes recommendations for funding and service mix.

Division of Social Services

Kamili Williams, Director965-3706

Tina Lopez, Deputy Director.....965-2786

Provides food, shelter, and medical assistance to those who are income eligible through federal and state programs including Temporary Aid for Needy Families (TANF), General Assistance (GA), Food Stamps (SNAP), and free vaccines for children, among others.

Elizabeth Office - 342 Westminster Avenue, Elizabeth 07208.....965-2700

Fax965-2752

Plainfield Office - 200 West 2nd Street, Plainfield 07060791-7000

Fax791-7098

Immunization Center

40 Parker Road Elizabeth, NJ 07208

Farnia Bashaw, RN, Public Health Nurse965-3627

Fax558-6924

Provides the full series of vaccines suggested by the CDC to any child under 19 years of age, who meets the criteria for the U.S. Department of Health and Human Service Center for Disease Control and Prevention’s vaccine for children program without charge.

Division of Youth Services

1143-1145 East Jersey Street, 4th Floor, Elizabeth, NJ 07201

Hawa Bonds, Director558-2520

Norma Marcela Nunez, Assistant Director558-2532

Fax.....558-2547

Administers programs and services to enhance the health, safety and well-being of youth and their families.

Family Crisis Intervention Union (FCIU)

Victoria Jones, Supervisor.....558-2529

24/7 family crisis intervention; emergency youth shelter placements; delinquency prevention programs.

Client Services & Community Outreach

Norma Marcela Nunez

Client Svc. & Community Coordinator/Assistant Director558-2532

Project Management including strategic information tracking and marketing initiatives.

Youth Services Commission

Barbara Ziobro, Administrator558-2381
Fax527-4212
Administers, plans and evaluates delivery of NJ Juvenile Justice Commission grant-funded programs and services that provide Family Court dispositional options to prevent delinquency, youth incarceration and recidivism.

Union County Juvenile Expediting Team (UJET)

Court House Annex, 5th Fl., Elizabeth, NJ 07207
Julia Leftwich.....527-4022
Fax527-4194
Volunteer committee represented by county and state youth services agencies that provide case management and monitoring services to improve Family Court dispositions for incarcerated youth and youth in shelter custody.

***Department of Parks
and Recreation***

Promotes program development and maintaining of public parks, playgrounds, recreational facilities, the Watchung Reservation and open space within Union County
ucnj.org/parks-recreation

Reservation Lines: Elizabeth 527-4900 / Westfield 654-9805 / Fax 289-5219
Special Events Hotline: (recording) 908-558-4079

Ronald Zuber, Director527-4910
Fax527.4901

Office of Cultural and Heritage Affairs

633 Pearl Street, Elizabeth 07202
Kathy Kakalettris, Office Manager558-2550
Main Number558-2550
Fax558-2652
Provides programs and services in the arts and history to enhance the quality of life for residents.

Division of Golf Operations

Main Number527-4910
Fax756-0550

Golf Courses

24 Hour Tee Time Reservation686-0464

Ash Brook Golf Course

1210 Raritan Road, Scotch Plains756-0414
Fax756-0550

Galloping Hill Golf Course

3 Golf Drive241-8700
Fax241-6800

Galloping Hill Practice Facility & Learning Center

1 Golf Drive, Kenilworth241-8380
Fax241-2086

Walter Ulrich Memorial Pool

St. Georges Ave., Rahway (recording)(732) 388-0648

John Russel Wheeler Spray Park

W. Stimpson Avenue, Linden862-3748

Trailside Nature and Science Center

452 New Providence Rd., Mountainside789-3670
Fax789-3270

Warinanco Sports Center

1 Park Drive, Roselle (seasonal)298-7849
Fax298-7859

Watchung Stable

1160 Summit Lane, Mountainside789-3665
Fax789-3288

Division of Park Planning and Environmental Services

Daniel J. Bernier, Director789-3682
Fax789-3674

Preserves and improves County parks and recreational facilities, provides technical resources to ensure their smooth operation and develops plans for renovations and new construction.

Division of Park Maintenance

Michael Brennan, Director527-4225

Bureau of Park Grounds

Alex Chappotin558-2253

Department of Public Safety

Froehlich Building, 400 North Avenue East, Westfield 07090

Protects residents through a number of important services and coordinates the activities of local emergency and law enforcement agencies.

ucnj.org/public-safety

Andrew Moran, Director518-5640
Fax518-7933

Division of Emergency Services

Froehlich Building, 400 North Avenue East, Westfield 07090

Christopher Scaturo, Director654-9881
William Kane, Deputy Director654-9881

Fax654-9851

Protects against the impacts of natural and man-made emergencies and disasters on the people, property, environment and economy of Union County through mitigation, preparedness, response and recovery efforts.

Union County Fire/EMS Academy

1075 Edward Street, Linden 07036

Michael Tomich, Academy Director523-1590
Fax523-1625

Provides comprehensive training for firefighters and emergency personnel.

Division of Health

Main Number518-5620
Andrea Alvarez, Health Officer518-5630
Fax654-9252

The Division of Health is a vital component of the emergency preparedness and response system responsible to plan and manage the health related aspects of The Division also provides public health services to various municipalities through Shared Services Agreements.

Bureau of Environmental Health

Froehlich Building, 400 North Avenue East, Westfield 07090

Sandra Cortes 518-9891
Fax654-9402

The bureau works in cooperation with State and Local environmental and public health professionals to ensure a safer and healthier quality of life for residents. County Inspectors enforce state environmental regulations (air pollution, solid waste, above ground storage tanks, water pesticides and noise pollution) by conducting inspections of NJDEP regulated facilities and responding to citizen complaints as well as those referred by the NJDEP.

Bureau of Emergency Preparedness and Response

Angelica Velazquez 518-5628
Fax654-9252

Union County LINCS (Local Information Network Communications System) acts as a communication resource for local health officials during the planning and preparedness phases, as well as the response and recovery phases of a public health emergency. LINCS coordinates the communication among agencies for an effective response to public health threats and emergencies.

Office of Public Health Nursing

Froehlich Building, 300 North Avenue East, Westfield 07090

Andrea Navas518-5620
Fax654-9252

The Bureau coordinates services and programs for contracted municipalities in conjunction with community partners. Services include Child Health Conferences, lead risk assessments, screenings and case management, communicable disease investigation/surveillance and immunization audits.

Division of the Medical Examiner

Froehlich Building, 300 North Avenue East, Westfield 07090

Dr. Junaid Shaikh, Medical Examiner654-9893
Fax654-9898

Investigates to determine cause, manner and mechanism of death in cases resulting from violence, unrecognizable disease, disability or infirmity, deaths under suspicious or unusual circumstances or deaths within 24 hours of admission to a hospital or without medical assistance.

Division of Police

Froehlich Building, 400 North Avenue East, Westfield 07090

Chris Debbie, Chief654-9811
Fax518-7933

Provides police protection and enforcement services to all County-owned properties and facilities. Preserves order on all County properties and parkland. Provides for efficient traffic control and enforcement of heavy truck violations on County roads and bridges. Assists, provides and supports Union County law enforcement agencies with specialized investigative and emergency response police services. Provides safety programs such as the Child Car Safety Seat Clinics.

Regional 911 Communications Center

Froehlich Building, 400 North Avenue East, Westfield 07090

Gareth Williams, Coordinator 654-5629

Fax 654-9872

The Center provides 911 Dispatch Services to 4 police departments, 7 fire departments, 13 EMS agencies, as well as Fire & EMS Mutual Aid dispatch.

Division of Weights & Measures, & Office of Consumer Affairs

300 North Avenue East, Westfield 07090

Michael Florio, Superintendent 654-9854

Fax 654-3082

Tests, inspects and seals weighing and measuring devices used in commerce. Inspects, reweighs and remeasures goods in the marketplace. Monitors UPC scanner accuracy.

Office of Consumer Affairs

Main Number 654-9840

Office of the Union County Clerk



Joanne Rajoppi
Union County Clerk

Union County Courthouse
2 Broad Street
Elizabeth, NJ 07207
www.ucnj.org/ctyclerk



An elected constitutional official serving a five-year term, responsible for administering election laws within and for the County and its 21 municipalities for primary, general, school board and special elections including acceptance of nominating petitions, designing ballots, processing and mailing Vote-by-Mail ballots and tabulating voting results for the public record. Processes applications for United States passports, swears in Notaries Public and issues public oaths. Responsible for recording, filing and preserving all property transactions occurring within the County. Maintains copies of all documents since 1857 on file in the Record Room, which is open to the public for reference and study. Documents recorded include deeds, mortgages, equity loans, liens, foreclosures, mortgage cancellations, honorable discharges of veterans, veterans' peddler licenses, Inheritance Tax Waivers, trade name certificates and clerk certificates. Special services include free Veteran photo identification cards, passport photos and an automated search program for access to records.

Joanne Rajoppi, Union County Clerk	527-4787
Clara Fernández, Deputy County Clerk	527-4786
Fax	558-2589
Recording Division	527-4787
Alexa Benitez, Cashier/Supervisor	558-2655
Jackie Potes Villanueva, Supervisor	527-4780
Fax	558-2589
Business & Passport Division (Elizabeth)	527-4966
Fax	558-2673
George Valladares, Supervisor (Westfield)	654-9859
Fax	789-2175
Elections Division	527-4996
Lisa Hugelmeyer, Supervisor	527-4996
Fax	558-3592
Email	ucvote@ucnj.org
Election App	Union County Votes

Office of the Union County Sheriff



Peter Corvelli
Union County Sheriff

10 Elizabethtown Plaza
Elizabeth, NJ 07207
www.ucnj.org/sheriff



An elected constitutional officer serving a three-year term. Responsible for courthouse security and transportation of prisoners, foreclosures and Sheriff's Sales, service of criminal and domestic warrants and extraditions. Responsible for the family violence unit, processing and maintenance of records of arrested persons and assisting local law enforcement agencies in major crime scene investigations, and the identification of suspects in criminal investigations. Distribution of seized narcotics funds, K-9 Unit searches for missing persons, detects narcotics, investigates suspected arson, training other canine units. Service of summonses and complaints, notices of motions, orders to show cause, writs of attachments and execution. Wage garnishments and special garnishments. Services include a gun safety program, the voluntary fingerprinting of school age children, and directing the "Sheriff's Labor Assistance Program"(SLAP).

Peter Corvelli, Sheriff	527-4450
Fax	527-4455
Undersheriffs	
Dennis Burke	527-4959
Victor Manata	527-4020
Business Office/Legal Process Unit	527-4470
Control Center	527-4440
Court House Complex Security	527-4008
Division of Corrections - ucnj.org/sheriff/corrections	558-2610
Fax	558-2375
Ronald L. Charles, Director	558-2613
Capt. Thomas Muir, Administrative Services	659-2014
Capt. Robert Cesaro, Custody & Operations	558-6912
Juvenile Detention Bureau	965-3774
Re-Entry Program - Regina Marrow, Coordinator	527-4741
Fugitive Unit	527-4480
K-9 Search and Rescue Unit	273-1608
Crime Scene Unit.	527-4950
Identification Bureau (BCI)	558-2630
Sheriff's Labor Assistance Program	558-6919
Transportation Unit	527-4467
Pistol Range - Shunpike Road, Springfield (weekends)	273-1129

Office of the Union County Surrogate

**Union County Courthouse
2 Broad Street, Second Fl.
Old Annex
Elizabeth, NJ 07207
www.ucnj.org/surrogate**



The Union County Surrogate, is an elected Constitutional Officer serving a five year term. The Surrogate’s duties include the Probate of Wills, and appointing administrators and trustees of decedent’s estates.

The Surrogate’s many duties also entail receiving and maintaining digital and hard copies of all annual reports from the guardians of Incapacitated Persons as ordered by the courts, adoption records, housing and retention of original Last Wills and Testaments. Also maintaining and filing documents for the courts and maintaining a documented record of each case.

The Surrogate also conducts educational seminars for professionals, volunteers, local organizations, community groups and the general public on Probate Law and related matters.

The mission of the Office of the Surrogate is to comply with the mandates of N.J.S.A 2:5-1 et seq. and 3B:1 et seq. as they relate to Wills, Administrations, Guardianships etc; to be receptive to the needs of the people while serving them in the most compassionate, accessible, cost effective, and efficient manner; to provide outreach programs on a voluntary basis; and to educate the public with regard to the services of the office.

Susan Dinardo, Acting Surrogate

Main Number 527-4280
Fax 351-9212

Acting Deputy Surrogate

Moshood Muftau, Esq. mmuftau@ucnj.org

Counsel

Lisa Taylor Brophy, Esq. lbrophy@ucnj.org

Office of the Union County Prosecutor



William A. Daniel
Union County Prosecutor
32 Rahway Avenue
Elizabeth, NJ 07207
www.ucnj.org/prosecutor



The Prosecutor serves as the chief law enforcement officer for Union County and the Office is responsible for the detection, investigation, arrest, prosecution, and conviction of criminals. The Prosecutor’s Office works closely with federal, state, and local law enforcement agencies, while also conducting independent investigations. In addition to criminal matters, the Office also promotes a number of initiatives geared toward community coalition building, addiction recovery, violence prevention, crisis intervention, educating the public on a range of topics from preventing bias crimes to cyber-bullying, and safeguarding the children of Union County. The Office operates the Union County Forensic Laboratory in Westfield, the John H. Stamler Police Academy in Scotch Plains, and the Child Advocacy Center in Elizabeth.

William A. Daniel, Prosecutor	527-4510
Fax	289-1267
First Assistant Prosecutor	
James O. Tansey	527-4502
Deputy First Assistant Prosecutor	
Doreen A. Yanik	527-4650
Chief of Detectives	
Harvey A. Barnwell	527-4604
Legal Chief of Investigative Units	
David Hummel	527-4553
Legal Chief of Trial Units	
Robert Vanderstreet	527-4515
Director of Major Crimes	
Peter DeRose	810-6545
Communications Department	
	527-4500
Community Outreach Department	
	577-7075
John H. Stamler Police Academy	
	889-6112
Child Abuse Hotline	
	1-877-652-2873
Child Advocacy Center	
	965-3890
Office of Victim/Witness Advocacy	
	527-4596
SANE/SART Coordinator	
Dorothy DiFabio, RN, FN-CSA	558-6948

Superior Court

Union County Courthouse
2 Broad Street • Elizabeth, NJ 07207
Main Number: 908-787-1650 plus extension

Assignment Judge

Lisa Miralles Walsh, CRTower, 1st fl. EXT 21505

Judges:

Stacey Boretz, CR5th fl, New Annex 5A EXT 21550
Marc R. Brown, FRotunda 301 EXT 21390
Candido Rodriguez, Jr., CR . . .New Annex 3A EXT 21500
Regina Caulfield, CR4th fl., New Annex 4B EXT 21650
Lisa F. Chrystal, F3rd fl., Cherry St Annex #301C EXT 21460
Mark P. Ciarrocca, CVRotunda Basement EXT 21540
Rosalba Comas, CVOld Annex 301 EXT 21470
Brenda Coppola Cuba, MNew Jail (Mon, Wed, Fri). EXT 21850
John M. Deitch, CR3rd fl., New Annex 3B EXT 21660
Lara Di Fabrizio, CR4th fl., Cherry St Annex #401C EXT 21670
Joseph P. Donohue, CR (Recall)5th Fl. Tower EXT 21250
Dara Govan, CRNew Annex 2B EXT 21520
James Hely, F (Recall)2nd fl., Cherry Street Annex #202C. EXT 21440
John G. Hudak, CVRotunda 202 EXT 21480
Thomas K. Isenhour, CR3rd fl., Tower EXT 21410
Robert Kirsch, CR4th fl., New Annex #4A EXT 21400
Alan Lesnewich, CVRotunda 101 EXT 21800
Daniel Lindemann, CVRotunda 201 EXT 21450
Frederic McDaniel, F (Recall) .Rotunda203 EXT 21117
Robert J. Mega, GE1st fl., New Annex EXT 21560
Paul Nieves, F4th fl., Cherry St Annex #402C EXT 21510
Daniel Roberts, F2nd fl. Cherry Street, #201C EXT 21700
Candido Rodriguez Jr., CRRotunda, 201 EXT 21500
Thomas J. Walsh, CVRotunda 401. EXT 22650
James Wilson, F5ht fl., New Annex 5B EXT 21380
Richard Wischusen, CR5th fl., Tower EXT 21430

CV - Civil

CR - Criminal

GE - General Equity

F - Family

M - Municipal

Court Administration

Main Number: 908-787-1650

Trial Court Administrator

Devang Merchant2 Broad St., 4th fl., Tower EXT 21050

Jury Manager

William TenBroeck2 Broad St., 1st Fl., New Annex. EXT 21172

Civil Division Manager

Sandra Thaler-Gerber, Esq. .2 Broad St., 1st fl., Rotunda EXT 22120

Assistant Civil Division Manager, Special Civil Part & Small Claims

Maria Kershaw, Esq2 Broad St., Rm 105, Rotunda. EXT 22160

Civil Arbitration/Foreclosure Mediation

Rhonda Watts1143 E. Jersey St, 2nd Fl Bank Building. EXT 22130

Criminal Division Manager

Robert Eppenstein3rd fl., Tower. EXT 21150

Family Division Manager

Agnes EkamaCherry Street Annex EXT 21310

Child Placement Review Board Coordinator

ClerkCherry Street Annex EXT 21330

Matrimonial Intake Unit

Maria VelazquezCherry Street Annex EXT 21320

Domestic Violence Unit

Alphonzo DavisCherry Street Annex EXT 21270

Child Support Unit

Kevin O'DonnellCherry Street Annex EXT 21280

Juvenile Unit

Anna Delio5th Floor New Annex EXT 21291

Municipal Division Manager

Delsy Gulino2nd Fl., New Annex. EXT 22600

Operations Division Manager

Ryan Crammer2nd Fl., New Annex. EXT 22100

Court Reporters

ClerkRm 207, Rotunda. EXT 22150

Grand Jury Clerk

. EXT 22700

Probation Division

Albender Building, 1143-45 East Jersey Street, Elizabeth NJ 07201
Main Number: 908-787-1650

Probation Division EXT 21580
1143-1145 E. Jersey St., Elizabeth 07201

Vicinage Chief Probation Officer

Jennifer L. Edwards EXT 21488

Adult Supervision, Vicinage Assistant Chief Probation Officer

Edward Russo EXT 21487

Child Support & Juvenile Division, Vicinage Assistant Chief Probation Officer

Patrick Keller EXT 21486

Satellite Branch Office

311 East Front Street, Plainfield, NJ 07060 EXT 21617

Autonomous Agencies

All area codes 908

Industrial Pollution Control Financing Authority of Union County

10 Elizabethtown Plaza, Elizabeth NJ 07207. 527-4140
Fax 527-4143
Commissioner Liaison - James E. Baker 527-4110
Provides financing to help businesses construct facilities to comply with federal and state mandates in eliminating water, air and solid pollutants. Call for meeting schedule.

Rutgers Cooperative Extension of Union County www.ucnj.org/rce

300 North Avenue East, Colleen Fraser Building, 2nd Floor Westfield, NJ 07090
Main Number. 654-9854
Fax 518-7925
Dr. Karen M. Ensle, Department Head Ext. 1
Tamisha Hopkins, Office Manager. Ext. 2
Jim Nichnadowicz, 4-H Youth Development/Community Forestry Ext. 3
Madeline Flahive-DiNardo, Agriculture/Home Horticulture/Pesticide Safety. . . Ext. 4
Michele Bakacs, Environmental Protection and Natural Resources Ext. 5
Master Gardener Helpline. 654-9852
Kathleen Malkiewicz, Senior Congregate Nutrition Program 527-4877
Commissioner Liaison - Bette Jane Kowalski 527-4111

Rutgers Cooperative Extension provides unbiased, research based educational programs, services and resources in the areas of Agriculture, Home Horticulture, Environmental Management, Youth Development and Healthy Lifestyles. A joint program of the New Jersey Agricultural Experiment Station, Rutgers University, Union County Commissioners, and the United States Department of Agriculture.

Union County College

Dr. Margaret M. McMenamain, Ed.D., President. 709-7100
Fax 709-7018

MAIN CAMPUS

1033 Springfield Avenue, Cranford. 709-7000
Fax (Admissions) 709-7018

CAMPUS BRANCHES

40 W. Jersey Street, Elizabeth 965-6000
Fax 965-6079
232 East 2nd Street, Plainfield 412-3599
Fax 791-4965

Union County College is a public comprehensive community college providing quality, affordable, accessible educational programs that serve the greater Union County region. It is the oldest of New Jersey's 19 Associate Degree Colleges, serving both career-minded and transfer-oriented students since 1933. The college enrolls almost 30,000 credit, non-credit and continuing education students and is accredited by the Middle States Commission on Higher Education. Many programs lead to the Associate in Arts, Science and Applied Science degrees.

Union County College Board of School Estimate

Contact: Jaime Segal 709-7501
Commissioner Liaison - Lourdes Leon 527-4117
Commissioner Liaison - Kimberly Palmieri-Mouded. 527-4115
Commissioner Liaison - Rebecca Williams 527-4112

Appropriates operating and capital funds for the County College.
Call for meeting schedule.

Autonomous Agencies

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Union County Improvement Authority

www.ucimprovementauthority.org

10 Elizabethtown Plaza, 5th Floor, Elizabeth, NJ 07207

Bibi Taylor, Project Manager 908-527-4025

Fax 908-558-3486

Commissioner Liaison - Sergio Granados 527-4114

Assists Union County and its 21 municipalities in arranging financing for public projects. *Meets 1st Wednesday of every month.*

Union County Superintendent of Schools

300 North Avenue East, Westfield, NJ 07090

Daryl Palmieri, Interim Executive UC Superintendent 654-9860

Karen M. Dunn, Interim Executive UC Business Official. 654-9864

Tania Mongioi, UC Supervisor of Child Study 654-9867

Maria Mendez, UC Education Program Development Specialist 654-9860

Marilyn Perez, Certification Examiner, Education Credentials 654-9863

Fax 654-9869

Ensures a thorough, efficient education for the more than 85,000 kindergarten through 12th grade students in Union County. Oversees compliance with state and federal laws related to spending for schools in Union County.

Union County Utilities Authority

www.ucua.org

1499 Routes 1 & 9 North, Rahway, NJ 07065

Daniel P. Sullivan, Executive Director 732-382-9400

Fax 732-382-5862

Commissioner Liaison - Christopher Hudak 527-4113

Implements and enforces the Union County District Solid Waste Management Plan. *Meets 3rd Wednesdays, 5:30 p.m.* in the William and Grace Wolf conference room.

Vocational-Technical Schools, Union County

www.ucvts.tec.nj.us

1776 Raritan Road, Scotch Plains, NJ 07076

Gwen Ryan, Superintendent 889-8288, ext. 120

Fax 889-4336

Provides vocational and technical educational opportunities to acquire the marketable skills necessary to enter into and compete in a challenging labor market.

Vocational-Technical Schools, Board of Education of Estimates

Contact: Gwen Ryan 889-8288, ext.120

Commissioner Liaison - Dr. Angela Garretson 527-4109

Commissioner Liaison - Sergio Granados 527-4114

Commissioner Liaison - Christopher Hudak 527-4113

Meets 4th Mondays, 6 p.m.

Administration Building Board Room, 1776 Raritan Road, Scotch Plains, NJ 07076

Operational Boards

All area codes 908

Board of Elections

www.ucnj.org/ucboe

ucboe@ucnj.org

271 North Broad Street, Elizabeth, NJ 07207

Main Number 527-4123

Commissioner - Mary Ellen Harris, Chair

Commissioner - Debra Varnerin

Commissioner - James M. Foerst, Esq.

Commissioner - Mary Ellen Harris

Commissioner - Clara Hareluk, Esq.

Commissioner - Dennis Kobitz

Commissioner - Tony Teixeira

Administrator - Nicole L. DiRado, CMC, MPA 527-4128

Deputy Administrator - Linda Wise 527-4792

Chief Coordinator - Bridget Sloane 527-4122

Fax 527-4127

Board of Taxation

www.ucnj.org/taxation

271 North Broad Street, 3rd Floor, Elizabeth, NJ 07207

Main Number 527-4775

Fax 527-4774

Commissioner/President - Elizabeth Urquhart

Commissioner/Vice President - Peter B. Lijoi, Esq.

Commissioner - Maureen McLeer-Morin, Esq.

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Commissioner - Kevin O'Brien, P.P.

Commissioner - George T. Wagenhoffer

County Tax Administrator - Christopher R. Duryee, M.P.A., C.T.A.

Advisory Boards

All area codes 908

Advisory Council on Aging

Contact Person - Frances Benson 527-4867

Commissioner Liaison - Lourdes Leon 527-4117

Meetings: 2nd Tuesday, every other month, 2 p.m.

Air Traffic and Noise Advisory Board

Commissioner Liaison - Angela R. Garretson 527-4109

Call for meeting schedule.

Local Advisory Committee on Alcoholism and Drug Abuse (LACADA)

Contact Person - Gene Tavera 527-4844

Commissioner Liaison - James E. Baker 527-4110

Call for meeting schedule.

Community Development Block Grant Revenue Sharing Committee

Contact Person - Brandon Givens 527-4462

Commissioner Liaison - Lourdes Leon 527-4117

Meetings: 3rd Wednesday, 4:00 p.m. except Aug.

Construction Board of Appeals, Union County

Contact Person - Christopher M. Howard, Esq. 527-4250

Commissioner Liaison - Christopher Hudak 527-4116

Call for meeting schedule.

Cultural and Heritage Programs Advisory Board

Contact Person - Amy Wagner 558-2550

Commissioner Liaison - Bette Jane Kowalski 527-4111

Call for meeting schedule.

Disabled, Advisory Board on the

Commissioner Liaison - Kimberly Palmieri-Mouded 527-4115

Call for meeting schedule.

Emergency Management Council

Commissioner Liaison - Angela R. Garretson 527-4109

Call for meeting schedule.

Fire Services Advisory Board

Commissioner Liaison - Alexander Mirabella 527-4112

Call for meeting schedule.

Green Brook Flood Control Commission

Commissioner Liaison - James E. Baker 527-4110

Call for meeting schedule.

Homeless Trust Fund Advisory Board

Commissioner Liaison - James E. Baker 527-4110

Call for meeting schedule.

Advisory Boards

Continued

Human Services Advisory Council

Main Number 527-4232
Commissioner Liaison - Sergio Granados 527-4114
Meetings: 1st Wednesdays, 9 a.m.

Labor Advisory Board

Commissioner Liaison - Alexander Mirabella 527-4116
Call for meeting schedule.

Meadowlinks

Commissioner Liaison - Kimberly Palmieri-Mouded 527-4115
Call for meeting schedule.

Mental Health Board (MHB)

Marilucy Lopes, Mental Health Administrator/Behavioral Health Director . 527-4846
Commissioner Liaison - James E. Baker 527-4110
Call for meeting schedule.

Minorities, Advisory Board on the Status of

Commissioner Liaison - Dr. Angela Garretson 527-4109
Call for meeting schedule.

Motion Picture & Television Advisory Board

Commissioner Liaison - Rebecca Williams 527-4112
Call for meeting schedule.

Parks and Recreation Advisory Board

Commissioner Liaison - Sergio Granados 527-4114
Call for meeting schedule.

Planning Board, Union County

Contact Person - Kamal Saleh 527-4268
Commissioner Liaison - Christopher Hudak 527-4113
Meetings: 2nd Wednesday, 7p.m.

Prevention of Youth Violence Advisory Board

Commissioner Liaison Sergio Granados 527-4114
Call for meeting schedule.

Raritan Valley Rail Coalition

Commissioner Liaison - Kimberly Palmieri-Mouded 527-4115
Call for meeting schedule.

Senior Citizen & Disabled Resident Transportation Advisory Board

Contact Person - Salonia Saxton 659-5000
Commissioner Liaison - Lourdes Leon 527-4117
Meetings: 1st Tuesday every other month, 5:30 p.m.

Advisory Boards

Continued

Shade Tree Advisory Board

Contact Person - James Kelly 789-6027

Commissioner Liaison - Lourdes Leon 527-4117

Meetings: 3rd Tuesdays, 7 p.m, except for July, August.

Solid Waste Advisory Council (SWAC)

Jeff Hummel 732-382-9400

Commissioner Liaison - Christopher Hudak 527-4116

Call for meeting schedule.

Union County Transportation Advisory Board

Contact Person - Liza Betz 527-2273

Commissioner Liaison - Bette Jane Kowalski 527-4111

Call for meeting schedule.

Union County Performing Arts Center

Commissioner Liaison - Alexander Mirabella 527-4112

Commissioner Liaison - Kimberly Palmieri-Mouded 527-4115

Call for meeting schedule.

North Jersey Transportation Planning Authority

Commissioner Liaison - Bette Jane Kowalski - Delegate 527-4111

Commissioner Liaison - Lourdes Leon - Alternate 527-4117

Call for meeting schedule.

Veterans Affairs Committee

Commissioner Liaison - Alexander Mirabella 527-4112

Call for meeting schedule.

Women, Commission on the Status of

Commissioner Liaison - Kimberly Palmieri-Mouded 527-4115

Call for meeting schedule.

Workforce Development Board (WDB)

Contact Person - Antonio Rivera 558-2567

Commissioner Liaison - Sergio Granados 527-4114

Call for meeting schedule.

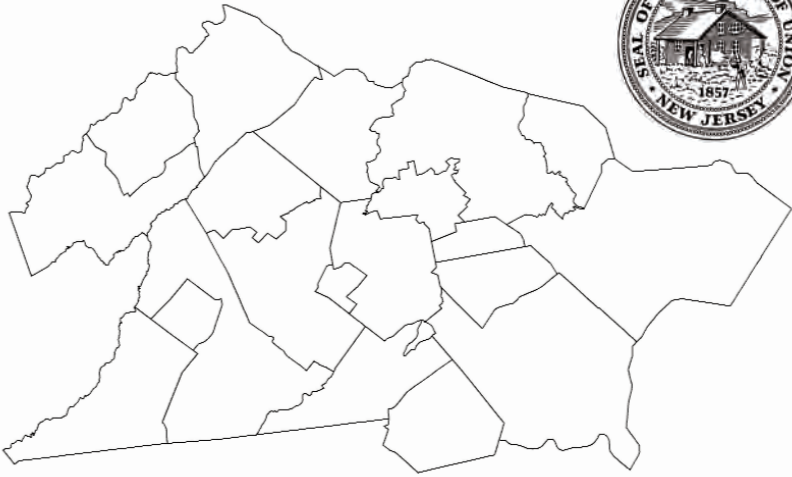
Youth Services Commission

Contact Person - Barbara Ziobro 558-2381

Commissioner Liaison - Kimberly Palmieri-Mouded 527-4115

Call for meeting schedule.

The 21 Municipalities of Union County



Township of Berkeley Heights

Population 13,407

Area 6.9 square miles



Municipal Building • 29 Park Avenue

Berkeley Heights • 07922

www.berkeleyheights.gov

908-464-2700 • fax 908-464-6081

MAYOR

Angie Devanney

COUNCIL MEMBERS

Gentiana Brahimaj

Jeanne Kingsley, Council President

Manuel Couto, Council Vice-
President

Paul Donnelly
Jeffery Varnerin

Meets two Tuesdays a month at 7 p.m.

Check website for meeting schedule.

Use 908 area code unless otherwise noted.

Emergency - Police, Fire, Ambulance	911
Administrator - Liza Viana	464-2700, ext. 2232
Assessor - Howard Van Salisbury	464-2700
Attorney -	973-200-0806
Board of Education	464-1601
Building and Code Enforcement - Robin Greenwald	464-2700
Clerk - Ana Minkoff	464-2700, ext. 2220
Engineering - Thomas Solfaro	464-2700
Fire - Chief James Hopkins	464-1111
Health Official	277-6465
Judge - John DeMassi	790-9444
Library - Stephanie Bakos	464-9333
Municipal Court - Macrina Carra	743-1055
Police - Jason Massimino	464-1111
Prosecutor - Moshood Muftau.	464-2700
Public Works - Joseph Graziano	464-2700
Recreation Office - Carolyn George	464-0550
Recycling Coordinator	464-2700
Rescue Squad - Ori Sternberg	464-1111
Tax Collector - Rachele San Fillippo	464-2700
Zoning - Tom Bocko	464-2700

Township of Clark

Population 15,550

Area 4.5 square miles



Municipal Building • 430 Westfield Avenue

Clark • 07066

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732-388-3600 • fax 732-388-3839

MAYOR

Sal Bonaccorso

COUNCIL MEMBERS

James Minniti, Council President, At-Large

Angel Albanese, Vice -President, At-Large

Bill Smith, At-Large

Steve Hund, Ward 3

Frank Mazzarella, Ward 1

Brian Toal, Ward 4

Pat O'Connor, Ward 2

Meets 1st and 3rd Mondays at 7:30 p.m.

Use 732 area code unless otherwise noted.

Emergency - Police, Fire, Ambulance	911
Administrator - Jim Ulrich	388-3600
Aging - Ralph Bernardo	428-8400
Assessor - Michael Ross	388-1943
Attorney - Mark Dugan, Esq.	(908) 709-1700
Board of Education	574-9600
Building Inspector - Mike Khoda	428-8401
Clerk - Edie Merkel	388-3669
Construction Official - Mike Khoda	428-8401
Fire Chief - Frank Cerasa	381-1158
First Aid	388-0001
Health Official - Nancy Raymond	428-8405
Judge - Antonio Inacio	381-5395
Library - Megan Kociolek	388-5999
Municipal Court	381-5395
Police Chief - Pedro Matos	388-3495
Prosecutor - Jon Henry Barr, Esq.	388-3434
Public Safety, Director - Carmen Brocato	388-3434
Public Works	428-8402
Recreation - Ralph Bernardo	428-8400

Township of Cranford

Population 22,578

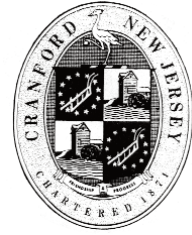
Area 4.9 square miles

Municipal Building • 8 Springfield Avenue

Cranford • 07016

www.cranfordnj.org

908-709-7200 • fax 908-276-4859



MAYOR

Kathleen Miller Prunty

DEPUTY MAYOR

Jason Gareis

COMMISSIONERS

Gina Black

Brian Andrews

Mary O'Connor

Call for schedule 709-7210

Use 908 area code unless otherwise noted.

Emergency - Police, Fire, Ambulance	911
Administrator - Jamie Cryan	709-7205
Assessor - Bryan Flynn	709-7212
Attorney - Ryan Cooper, Esq.	514-8830
Board of Education - Dr. Scott Rubin	272-9100
Building Inspector - Richard Tunison	709-7215
Clerk - Patricia Donahue	709-7200
Construction Official - Frank Genova	709-7355
Emergency Medical Services - Dan Czeh	709-7360
Engineer - Colliers Engineering & Design	709-7206
Fire - Daniel Czeh	709-7360
Health Official - Monika Jencik	709-7225
Judge - Mark Cassidy	709-7242
Library - Michael Maziekien	709-7272
Municipal Court - Lorraine Powell, Administrator	709-7242
Police - Chief Ryan Greco	709-7340
Prosecutor - Norman Albert, Esq..	709-7242
Public Works - Erik Hastrupl	709-7217
Recreation - Stephen Robertazzi	709-7283
Recycling Coordinator - Erik Hastrup	709-7217
Community Center - Stephen Robertazzi	709-7283
Tax Collector - Karyn Kinane	709-7230

City of Elizabeth

Population 137,298

Area 11.7 square miles



City Hall • 50 Winfield Scott Plaza

Elizabeth • 07201

www.elizabethnj.org

908-820-4000 • fax 908-820-0112

MAYOR

J. Christian Bollwage

COUNCIL MEMBERS

Nelson Gonzalez, Council President, Ward 2

Carlos L. Torres, Ward 1

Frank O. Mazza, Ward 6

Kevin Kinery, Ward 3

Frank J. Cuesta, At-Large

Carlos Cedeno, Ward 4

Manny Grova, Jr., At-Large

William Gallman, Jr., Ward 5

Patricia Perkins-Auguste, At Large

Meets 2nd and 4th Tuesday, 7:30 p.m.

Use 908 area code unless otherwise noted.

Emergency - Police, Fire, Ambulance	911
Administrator - Bridget S. Anderson	820-4280
Office on Aging - Alonzo Jones	820-4044
Assessor - Enrico Emma	820-4140
Attorney - William R. Holzapfel, Esq.	820-4009
Board of Education	436-5000
Building Inspectors	820-4728
Clerk - Yolanda Roberts	820-4131
Construction Official - Raywant Sarran	820-4091
Municipal Court	558-6800
Fire - Main Number (Non-Emergency)	820-2805
Fire - Main Number (Emergency)	820-2800
Health Official - Mark Colicchio	820-4056
Information Line	820-4124
Library - Mary Faith Chmiel	354-6060
Police - Director Earl J. Graves	558-2020
Presiding Judge - Roman Montes	558-6822
Prosecutor - Anabela DaCruz-Melo	558-6855
Acting Public Information - Ruby Contreras	820-4124
Public Works - John Papetti, Jr.	820-4100
Recreation Office - Stanley Neron	820-4226
Recycling Coordinator - Pasquale Vella	820-4154
Tax Collector - Paul Lesniak	820-4111
Urban Enterprise Zone - Dan Devanney	289-0262

Borough of Fanwood

Population 7,318

Area 1.3 square miles



Borough Hall • 75 North Martine Avenue

Fanwood • 07023

www.fanwoodnj.org

908-322-8236 • fax 908-322-7178

MAYOR

Colleen M. Mahr

COUNCIL MEMBERS

Anthony Carter, Council President

Jeffrey Banks

Katherine Mitchell

Erin McElroy Barker

Patricia Walsh

Francine Glaser

1st and 3rd Mondays of the month, 7 p.m.

Use 908 area code unless otherwise noted.

Emergency - Police, Fire, Ambulance	911
Administrator - Rayna Harris.	322-8236
Assessor - Michael Ross.	322-8236
Attorney - Russel J. Huegel.	313-1136
Board of Education	232-6161
Building Inspector - Frank Spallone.	322-5244
Clerk - Kathleen Holmes	322-8236
Construction Official - Frank Spallone.	232-5244
Fire - John Piccola	322-7020
First Aid - Jamie Pedinoff.	322-9000
Health Official - Megan Avallone	789-4070
Judge - Susan MacMullan	322-6750
Library - Daniel Weiss	322-6400
Municipal Court - Catherine Frank	322-6750
Police - Director Michael Bramhall	322-5000
Prosecutor - Daniel Antonelli	322-6750
Public Works - Clinton H. Dicksen	322-7404
Recreation - Robert Budiansky	370-7092
Recycling - Clinton Dicksen	322-7404
Tax Collector - Colleen Huehn.	322-8236

Borough of Garwood

Population 4,153

Area .75 square miles



Municipal Building • 403 South Avenue

Garwood • 07027

www.garwood.org

908-789-0710 • fax 908-789-7978

MAYOR

Sara Todisco

COUNCIL MEMBERS

Jen Blumenstock, Council President

Heather Loffredo

Marc Lazarow

Vincent Kearney

Russ Graham

Kimberly Salmon

*Meets 2nd and 4th Thursdays, 7:00 p.m.
Use 908 area code unless otherwise noted.*

Emergency - Police, Fire, Ambulance	911
Assessor - Jennifer Sherman	789-0710
Attorney - Adama S. Abramson, Esq.	789-0710
Board of Education	789-0332
Building Inspector - Frank Genova	789-7213
Administrator - Kyle Harris	789-0710
Clerk - Catherine D. Cameron	789-0710
Construction Official - Frank Genova	709-7213
Deputy Municipal Clerk - Catherine D. Cameron	709-7213
Fire Chief - John Scalzadonna	789-8877
First Aid - Glen Costello, President	789-0300
Health Official - Megan Avallone	789-4070
Judge - Gary Bundy	789-0780
Library - Maryanne Duffy	789-1670
Interim Municipal Court - Yasmilca M. Reyes Villafana	789-0780
Police - Chief James H. Wright	789-1500
Prosecutor - Russel J. Huegel	789-0780
Public Works - Clint Dickson	789-1522
Recreation - Ralph Bernardo, Director	789-0710
Recycling Coordinator - Clint Dickson	789-1522
Tax Collector - Sandra Bruns	789-0710

Township of Hillside

Population 22,456

Area 2.7 square miles



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MAYOR

Dahlia Vertreese

COUNCIL MEMBERS

Craig M. Epps, Council President, At-Large

Christopher Mobley, Council Vice President, Ward 2

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Lisa Bonanno, At-Large

Donald DeAugustine, Ward 3

Robert Rios, At-Large

Gerald Pateesh Freedman, Ward 4

Call main number for schedule.

Use 973 area code unless otherwise noted.

Emergency - Police, Fire, Ambulance	911
Assessor - Michael Ross	926-2222
Attorney - Ellen Harris, Esq.	926-3002
Business Administrator, Hope Smith	848-666-0744
Board of Education	908-352-7664
Township Clerk's Office	681-7155
Construction Official - Artur Figueiredo	926-5100
Fire Chief	908-352-1700
Health	926-4535
Library - Kassundra Miller, Director	923-4413
Mayor's Office	926-3002
Municipal Court - Jessica Ciuia	926-1881
Police - Chief Vincent Ricciardi	926-5800
Prosecutor	926-1881
Public Works - Anthony Russomanno	848-666-2889
Recreation Office - Al Hardy	926-2219
Senior Center, Mary Dawkins	355-8928
Tax Collector - Sonya Wingate	926-5502

Borough of Kenilworth

Population 7,675

Area 2.1 square miles



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MAYOR

Linda Karlovitch

COUNCIL MEMBERS

Fred Pugliese, Council President

Kay Ceceri

Mark David

Joseph Finistrella

Scott Pentz

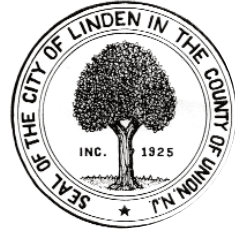
John Zimmerman

Meets 1st and 3rd Wednesdays, 6:00 p.m.

Use 908 area code unless otherwise noted.

Emergency - Police, Fire, Ambulance	911
Assessor - Kevin Palumbo	276-6190
Attorney - Mark Semeraro, Esq.	276-9090
Board of Education - Vincent Gonnella	276-5936
Borough Clerk - Laura Reinertsen	276-9090
Building Department - Anthony Monguso, Inspector.	276-5802
Fire - William Krueger	276-8935
First Aid - Kenilworth Rescue Squad	276-3465
Health Official - Marconi Gapas	276-2740
Judge - Hon. J. Rosenbluth	276-1104
Library - Lorraine Ruiz, Director	276-2451
Municipal Court - Eileen Keating.	276-1104
Police - Chief Fred Soos	276-1700
Prosecutor - Anthony Prieto, Esq.	276-1104
Public Works - Michael Calixto, Acting Superintendent	276-5073
Recreation - Kristin Boyle	272-4995
Recycling	276-5073
Senior Citizen Center - Kathleen Wierzbinski	272-7743
Tax Collector - Jill Goode	276-5801

City of Linden
Population 40,499
Area 11.5 square miles



City Hall • 301 North Wood Avenue
Linden • 07036
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MAYOR

Derek Armstead

COUNCIL MEMBERS

Michele Yamakaitis, Council President

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|----------------------------|--------------------------|
| Lisa Ormon, Ward 1 | John F. Roman, Ward 6 |
| Barry Javick, Ward 2 | Ralph Strano, Ward 7 |
| Monique Caldwell, Ward 3 | Garnett Blaine, Ward 8 |
| Alfred D. Mohammed, Ward 4 | Armando Medina, Ward 9 |
| Rhashonna Cosby, Ward 5 | Gretchen Hickey, Ward 10 |

Meets every third Tuesday of the month, 7 p.m.
Use 908 area code unless otherwise noted.

Emergency - Police, Fire, Ambulance	911
Assessor - Michael Frangella	474-8544
Attorney - Daniel Antonelli, Esq.	474-8468/688-9303
Board of Education	486-2800
Chief Financial Officer - Alexis Zack	474-8479
Clerk - Joseph C. Bodek	474-8452
Chief Municipal Prosecutor - Deidre Mason	474-8464
Construction Official - Mark Ritacco	474-8458/8459
Economic Development - Alex Lospinoso	474-8405
Engineer/Comm. Service - Joseph Chrobak	474-8634
Fire - Chief - William Hasko	474-4550
Health Officer - Aimee Puluso	474-8408
Judge - Cassandra Corbett.	474-8635
Library - Dennis Purves	298-3830
Mayor's Office	474-8493
Municipal Court Admin - Lindsey Parker.	474-8429
Police - Chief David Hart	474-8510
Public Works	474-8666
Recreation - Ralph Dunhamn	474-8600
Senior Citizens	474-8627
Tax Collector - Stacey L. Carron.	474-8434
Welfare Office - John Watkins.	474-8620

Borough of Mountainside

Population 6,685

Area 4 square miles



Borough Hall • 1385 Route 22

Mountainside • 07092

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MAYOR

Paul N. Mirabelli

COUNCIL MEMBERS

Deanna Andre

Rachel Pater

Rene Dierkes

Robert W. Messler

Donna Pacifico

Steven Matejek

Meets 1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 7:30 p.m.

Use 908 area code unless otherwise noted.

Emergency - Police, Fire, Ambulance	911
Administrator - Glenn Mortimer	654-7205
Assessor - Michael Frangella	232-2919
Attorney - John N. Post, Esq.	(973) 228-9900
Board of Education	232-3232
Clerk - Martha Lopez	232-2400
Building Inspector, Jerry Eger	232-2919
Finance Officer - Jill Goode	232-2400
Fire Chief - Anthony Pecorelli	232-8100
First Aid - Norma Huber.	232-8100
Health Official - Megan Avallone	789-4070
Judge - Frank Sahaj, Esq.	232-5335
Library	233-0115
Municipal Court - Cynthia West	232-5335
Police - Chief Joseph Giannuzzi	232-8100
Prosecutor - James Foerst, Esq.	232-5335
Public Defender - Joann Neylan, Esq.	232-5335
Public Works - Matthew De Anna	232-2409
Recreation - Frank Masella	232-0015
Recycling - Matthew DeAnna	232-2409
Senior Coordinator - Kim Moriak	232-4406
Tax Collector - Jill Goode	232-2400

Borough of New Providence

Population 12,171

Area 3.5 square miles



Municipal Center • 360 Elkwood Avenue

New Providence • 07974

www.newprov.org

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MAYOR

Al Morgan

COUNCIL MEMBERS

Nadine Geoffroy, Council President

Diane Bilicska

Lisa McKnight

Matthew Cuminsky

Rob Munoz

Peter DeSarno

Call for schedule.

Use 908 area code unless otherwise noted.

Emergency - Police, Fire, Ambulance	911
Administrator - Bernadette Cuccaro	665-1400
Clerk - Wendi B. Barry	665-1400
Assessor - Bryan Flynn	665-8271
Attorney - Paul Rizzo, Esq.	757-7800
Board of Education	464-9050
Building and Code Enforcement	665-1098
Fire Chief - Vincent Wycko	665-1111
First Aid	665-1111
Health Official - Megan Avallone	789-4070
Judge - John DeMassi	665-1454
Library	665-0311
Municipal Court - Macrina Carra	665-1454
Police - Chief Theresa Gazaway	665-1111
Prosecutor - Michael J. Mitzner	665-1454
Public Works - Ralph Parlapiano	665-1076
Recreation - Allison Smith	464-4430
Recycling Coordinator - Ralph Parlapiano	665-4003
Senior Coordinator - Michael Zack	665-0046
Tax Collector - Denise Brinkofski	665-8031

City of Plainfield

Population 49,808

Area 6.25 square miles



City Hall • 515 Watchung Avenue

Plainfield • 07060

www.painfieldnj.gov

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MAYOR

Adrian O. Mapp

COUNCIL MEMBERS

Barry Goode, Council President, Ward 1 & 4, At-Large

Charles McRae, Council Vice-President, Ward 3

Ashley Davis, Ward 1

Joylette Mills-Ransom

Sean McKenna, Ward 2

Wards 2 & 3, At Large

Terri Briggs-Jones- Ward 4

Call for meeting schedule.

Use 908 area code unless otherwise noted.

Emergency - Police, Fire, Ambulance	911
Business Administrator, Acting - Abby Levenson	226-2570
Assessor - Tracey Bennett	753-3203
Corporation Counsel - David Minchello, Esq.	226-4902
Board of Education	731-4200
Building Department	226-2665
Clerk - A.J. Jalloh	753-3222
Code Enforcement - Audrey Counts	753-3386
Fire Director - Kenneth Childress	753-3430
Health Officer - Dr. Atif Nazir	753-3084
Judge - Carl L. Marshall	753-3062
Library - Mary Ellen Rogan	757-1111
Municipal Court - Raymona Iwer-Slaughter	753-3472
Police - Director Lisa Burgess	753-3225
Prosecutor - Dwayne Warren, Esq.	753-3360
Public Works - Oren K. Dabney	753-3699
Recreation - Veronica Taylor	753-3096
Senior Services - Sharron Brown	753-3512
Tax Collector - David Marshall.	226.2101
Economic Development - Valerie Jackson	226-2519
Planning Director - Bill Nierstedt	753-3664

City of Rahway

Population 26,500

Area 4.1 square miles



City Hall • 1 City Hall Plaza

Rahway • 07065

www.cityofrahway.org

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MAYOR

Raymond A. Giacobbe

COUNCIL MEMBERS

Rodney Farrar, Ward 1

Michael Cox, Ward 2

Vannie Delores Parson, Ward 3

David Brown, Ward 4

Danielle "Danni" Newbury, Ward 5

Joseph Gibilisco, Ward 6

Jeffrey Brooks, At-Large

Joanna Miles, At-Large

Jeremy Mojica, At-Large

Meets 1st Monday after 1st Tuesday, 7:00 p.m.

Use 732 area code unless otherwise noted.

Emergency - Police, Fire, Ambulance	911
Administrator, Jacqueline Foushee	827-2001
Assessor - Thomas Mancuso	827-2030
Attorney - Louis N. Rainone, Esq.	827-2100
Board of Education	396-1020
Chief Financial Officer - Frank C. Ruggueri, CMFO, QPA.	827-2020
Chief Law Enforcement Officer - Capt. David DeSordi	827-2111
Clerk - Jeffrey Jotz, RMC	827-2100
Community Development/Engineer - Daniel Lee	827-2176
Construction Official - Richard S. Watkins	827-2087
Fire Department - Chief Michael Roberts	827-2155
First Aid	827-2200
Health Official - Dennis Green.	827-2085
Judge - Roman Montes	827-2039
Library Director - Ian Sloat	340-1551
Mayor's Advisor/Constituent Services- Joe Brown.	827-2004
Municipal Court - Marylene Sheppard, CMCA	827-2039
Planning	827-2193
Police - Jonathan Parham	827-2105
Prosecutor - Carlos E. Jimenez.	827-2039
Public Relations Coordinator - Lauren Ferrigno.	827-2005
Public Works - Mike Smalling	827-2060
Recreation - Anthony Diege, Jr.	669-3600
Recycling	827-2159
Senior Center - Ellen Staunton	827-2016
Tax Collector - Richard Lorentzen	827-2050

Borough of Roselle

Population 22,748

Area 2.5 square miles



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MAYOR

Donald Shaw

COUNCIL MEMBERS

Denise Wilkerson, At-Large, Council President

Richard Villeda, Ward 1

Cindy M. Thomas, Ward 4

Brandon Bernier, Ward 2

John Fortuna, Ward 5

Cynthia Johnson, Ward 3

Meets 2nd and 3rd Wednesdays, 6:30

Use 908 area code unless otherwise noted.

Emergency - Police, Fire, Ambulance	911
Administrator - Rick Smiley	259-3037
Assessor - Pamela Steele	259-3022
Borough Attorney - Mohamed Jalloh	259-3002
Municipal Clerk - Lisette Sanchez	259-3012
Construction Official - William Wilkins	634-4530
Finance Officer, Anders Hassler	259-3025
Fire/EMS - Chief Eric Pearson	245-8600
First Aid	245-2000
Health Official - Andrea Alvare	259-3031
Judge - Carl L. Marshall	259-3040
Library - Jeanne Ryan	245-5809
Municipal Court - Nicole Bailey	245-5588
Police - Chief Stacey Williams	259-4000
Prosecutor - Connie Bently McGhee	259-3040
Public Works, Duane Patterson	245-2920
Recycling	245-2920
Tax Collector - Kendy Thompson	259-3027

Borough of Roselle Park

Population 13,821

Area 1.3 square miles

Borough Hall • 110 East Westfield Avenue

Roselle Park • 07204

www.rosellepark.net

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MAYOR

Joseph Signorello III

COUNCIL MEMBERS

Gregory Johnson, Ward 1

Michael Connelly, Ward 4

Joseph Petrosky, Ward 2

Jay Robaina, Ward 5

Jody Bellomo, Ward 3

Joseph Signorello, Jr., At-Large

Meets 1st and 3rd Thursdays, 7 p.m.

Use 908 area code unless otherwise noted.

Emergency - Police, Fire, Ambulance	911
Assessor - Gail Scaglione	245-2540
Attorney - Carol Berlen	732-709-4182
Board of Education - Pedro Garrido	245-1197
Building Inspector	245-2721
Clerk - Andrew Casais	245-6222
Engineer - Collier's Engineering	877-627-3772
Fire - Chief Raymond A. Parenteau, Sr.	245-6222
Health Official - Megan Avallone	789-4070
Judge - Gary Bundy	241-4631
Library - Kit Rubino	245-2456
Municipal Court	241-4631
Police - Chief Daniel McCaffrey	245-2300
Prosecutor - Russel J. Huegel, Esq.	241-4631
Public Works	245-7676
Tax Collector - Dina Pereira	245-0819

Township of Scotch Plains

Population 22,732

Area 9.6 square miles



Municipal Building • 430 Park Avenue

Scotch Plains • 07076

www.scotchplainsnj.gov

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MAYOR

Joshua G. Losardo

COUNCIL MEMBERS

Elizabeth Stamler, Deputy Mayor

Matthew Adams

Roshan "Roc" White

Ellen A. Zimmerman

Meets: Please check website www.scotchplainsnj.gov

Adjustments made for COVID

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Emergency - Police, Fire, Ambulance	911
Manager - Alexander Mirabella	322-6700, ext. 315
Assessor - Michael Ross	322-6700, ext. 206
Attorney - David Minchello	732-709-4182
Board of Education	232-6161, ext. 41
Bldg & Code Enforcement - Robert LaCosta	322-6700, ext. 310
Chief Financial Officer - Theodore Georgiou	322-6700, ext. 200
Clerk - Bozena Lacina	322-6700, ext. 211
Fire - Chief John Lestarchick	322-6866
Rescue Squad	322-2103
Health Official	322-6700, ext. 309
Judge - Kelly A. Waters	322-6700, ext. 215
Library - Michelle Willis	322-5007
Municipal Court - Martha Marino	322-6700, ext. 216
Police - Chief Theodore Conley	322-7100
Prosecutor - Philip George and Dominic Diyanni	322-6700, ext. 215
Public Works - Frank DiNizo	322-6700, ext. 243
Recreation Office - Julie Buonaguro	322-6700, ext. 221
Tax Collector - Colleen Huehn	322-6700, ext. 207

Township of Springfield

Population 15,000

Area 5 square miles



Municipal Building • 100 Mountain Avenue

Springfield • 07081

www.springfield-nj.us

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MAYOR

Alexander Keiser

COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Erica DuBois

Richard Huber

Chris Weber

Christopher Capodice

Meets: The 2nd & 4th Tuesdays of the Month, 7:00 p.m.

Use 973 area code unless otherwise noted.

Emergency - Police, Fire, Ambulance	911
Administrator - John T. Bussiculo	912-2202
Assessor - Edward Galante	912-2208
Attorney - Kraig M. Dowd, Esq.	200-0805
Board of Education - Michelle Calas	376-1025
Building Inspector - Jerry Eger.	912-2220
Clerk - Linda Donnelly	912-2201
Fire Chief - Carlo Palumbo.	912-2266
Health Official - Michael Fitzpatrick	680-4024
Information Line	912-2285
Judge - Jonathan H. Rosenbluth	912-6402
Municipal Court - MaryJo Banchansky	912-2213
Police - Chief John Cook	376-0400
Prosecutor - Howard Egenberg, Esq.	201-997-9710
Public Library - Dale Spindel	376-4930
Public Works - Robert Boettcher.	912-2225
Recreation - Adam Lieb	912-2227
Recycling - Robert Boettcher.	912-2222
Senior Citizen Coordinator - Adam Lieb	912-2227
Tax Collector - Lauren Cacioppo	912-2204

City of Summit

Population 21,457

Area 6 square miles



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MAYOR

Nora G. Radest

COMMON COUNCIL MEMBERS

Marjorie Fox, Ward 2, President

Susan Hairston, Ward 1

Andy Minegar, Ward 1

Danny O’Sullivan, Ward 1

Greg Vartan, Ward 2

Lisa K. Allen, Ward 2

Beth Little, At-Large

Meets 1st and 3rd Tues at 7:30 p.m. Please call to confirm dates.

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Emergency - Police, Fire, Ambulance	911
Administrator - Michael Rogers	522-3600
Assessor - Timothy J. O’Connor	273-6405
Attorney - Matthew Giacobbe, Esq.	273-6400
Board of Education - Scott Hough, Superintendent of Schools	273-3023
City Clerk - Rosemary Licatase	273-6400
Community Services - Aaron Schrager, Director.	273-6404
Code Enforcement - Ralph Maritato	273-6408
Emergency Management - Joseph Houck	277-1033
Engineer - Aaron Schrager, Interim City Engineer.	277-9440
Fire Director - Eric Evers	277-1033
Health Director - Megan Avallone.	277-6464
Judge - John DeMassi	665-1454
Library - Susan Permahos, Director.	273-0350
Municipal Court - Macrina Carra, Administrator	273-6112
Parking Services - Rita M.McNany.	277-9423
Police - Steven Zagorski, Acting Chief of Police	273-0051
Prosecutor - Michael J. Mitzner, Esq.	322-8585
Communications - Amy Cairns.	277-9418
Public Works -Michael Caputo	277-9458
Recreation - Mark Ozoroski.	277-2932
Recycling	277-9458
Tax Collector - Patricia Dougherty	273-6403
Treasurer - Tammie Baldwin	522-3601

Township of Union

Population 54,405

Area 9 square miles



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MAYOR

Manuel Figueiredo

COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Suzette Cavadas, Deputy Mayor
Michele Delisfort

Joseph Florio
Clifton People, Jr.

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Emergency - Police, Fire, Ambulance	911
Administrator - Donald Travisano	851-8500
Assistant Administrator - William Reyes	851-8500
Assessor - Kevin Palumbo	851-8505
Attorney - Daniel Antonelli, Esq.	247-1511
Board of Education	851-6400
Building Inspector - Anthony Monguso	851-8509
Clerk - Eileen Birch	851-8501
Construction Official - Anthony Monguso	851-8509
Economic Development - Carlos Sanchez	851-5466
Fire	851-5425
Health Official - Marconi Gapas	851-8507
Judge - Jonathan Rosenbluth	851-5400
Library - Karen Jason	851-5450
Municipal Court - Pat Nasta	851-5400
Police - Director Daniel Zieser	851-5000
Prosecutor - Michael Wittenberg, Esq.	851-5400
Public Information Officer, Natalie DaSilva	851-5465
Public Works - Lou Ulrich	686-1922
Recreation - Robert Cowper	686-4200
Recycling - Lou Ulrich	688-4636
Senior Services - Phyllis Monguso	851-5290
Special Improvement District - Fatimah Raymond	851-5466
Tax Collector - Terri Malanda	851-8508

Town of Westfield

Population 30,316

Area 6.29 square miles



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MAYOR

Shelley Brindle

COUNCIL MEMBERS

Emily Root, Ward 1

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Michael Dardia, Ward 2

Mark Parmelee, Ward 2

Mark LoGrippe, Ward 3

David Contract, Ward 3

Dawn Mackey, Ward 4

Scott Katz, Ward 4

Meets: 2nd and 4th Tuesdays, 8:00 p.m.

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Emergency - Police, Fire, Ambulance	911
Administrator - James H. Gildea	789-4041
Assessor - Neil Ribenstein	789-4055
Attorney - Thomas C. Jardim	789-4041
Board of Education - Raymond A. Gonzalez	789-4420
Building Inspector - Frank Vuoso	789-4125
Clerk - Maureen Lawshe	789-4030
Construction Official - Frank Vuoso	789-4125
Engineer - David Battaglia	789-4100
Fire - Anthony Tiller	789-4133
Volunteer Rescue Squad - Non-Emergency	233-2500
Health Official - Megan Avallone	789-4070
Judge - Parag P. Patel	789-4060
Library - Alan McGinley	789-4090
Municipal Court - Vanessa Tovar	789-4060
Police - Chief Christopher Battiloro	789-4000
Prosecutor - Howard Egenberg, Esq.	789-4060
Public Works - Gregory O'Neil	789-4100
Recreation - Don Bogardus	789-4080
Recycling - Richard Eubanks	789-4100
Tax Collector - Henry Wang	789-4051

Township of Winfield

Population 1, 471

Area .17 square miles



Municipal Building • 12 Gulfstream Avenue

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MAYOR

Gary J. Genz

COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Adam D. Koomer

Robert F. Reilly

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Emergency - Police, Fire, Ambulance	911
Assessor - Joseph Colacitti.	925-3850
Attorney - Renaud & DeAppolonio	272-9700
Board of Education	486-7410
Building Inspector - Frank Genova	925-3850
Clerk - June Planas.	925-3850
Construction Official - Frank Genova.	925-3850
Fire - Daniel Stanley.	925-3850
Board of Health	925-3851
Judge - Susan M. MacMullen.	925-3937
Municipal Court - Mary Jo Banchansky	925-3937
Police - Chief Frank Mazarella	925-3855
Prosecutor - Eric M. Bernstein & Associates	925-3937
Recycling Coordinator	925-3850
Tax Collector	925-3850
Volunteer Fire & Ambulance Squad	925-3852
Social Services	925-3851

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IMPORTANT NUMBERS

Area code 908 unless noted

Social Services 24 Hour Hotline	211
Alcohol and Drug Abuse	
NJ Substance Abuse Hotline (IME)	(844) 276-2777
Union County Office on Alcohol & Drug Abuse	527-4844
Union County Municipal Alliance Coordinator	527-4852
Children's Services	
Child Abuse Hotline, DYFS (24-hour)	(877) 652-2873
Community Coord. Child Care (day care)	(973) 923-1433
NJ Family Care (information line)	(800) 701-0710
Parents Anonymous	(800) 843-5437
Runaway Hotline (24-hour)	(800) 786-2929
Consumer Affairs	
Board of Public Utilities	(800) 624-0241
NJ Division of Consumer Affairs	(800) 242-5846
Union County Bureau of Consumer Affairs	654-9840
Economic Development	
Elizabeth Development Company	289-0262
Greater Elizabeth Chamber of Commerce	355-7600
Economic Development Authority	(609) 858-6700
Economic Development Corp. of Union County	527-1166
Education	
Educational Services Commission	233-9317
Kean University	737-KEAN
Rutgers Cooperative Extension	654-9854
Union County College	709-7000
Vo-Tech and Magnet Schools	889-8288
Emergency Management / Environmental	
Environmental Action Line (NJDEP)	(877) 927-6337
Office of Environmental Health	518-5620
Employment	
Union County American Job Centers	
Elizabeth	558-8000
Plainfield	757-9090
Employment Services (N.J. Dept. of Labor)	
Elizabeth	965-3929
Unemployment Information	820-3150
Wage and Hours Questions	317-8611
Union County Workforce Innovation Center	249-4360
Government	
USAGOV	(844) USA-GOV1
New Jersey Government Information	(609) 292-2121
Union County Operator	527-4000
Health and Medical	
Visiting Nurse and Health Services (Holy Redeemer)	(800) 255-8986

Hospitals

Children's Specialized Hospital	233-3720
Overlook Medical Center.	522-2000
RWJ Barnabas Health/Rahway.	(732) 381-4200
Trinitas Regional Medical Center	994-5000

Housing

Homelessness Hotline (Plainfield YMCA)	249-4815
Division of Housing - Section 8	(609) 633-6286

Legal

Domestic Violence 24-hour Hotline.	(800) 572-SAFE
Union County 24-hour Domestic Violence Hotline.	355-HELP
Union County Jury Manager	659-4620
Union County Prosecutor	527-4500
Public Defender's Office	820-3070
Rape Crisis Center (Union County)	233-RAPE
Union County Court Administrator	787-1650
We Are One New Jersey Center	249-4360

Mental Health

Trinitas Regional Medical Center Psychiatric Services	994-7556
Trinitas Regional Medical Emergency Services & Screen Center	994-7131
Caring Contact	232-2880
Union County Mental Health Administrator.	527-4846

Senior Citizens

Aging and Disability Resource Connection (info/referrals)	(888) 280-8226
Social Security Administration.	(800) 772-1213

Taxes / Financial

Internal Revenue Service	(800) 829-1040
Union County IRS Office	301-2112
NJ Income Tax Information (touch tone)	(800) 323-4400

Transportation

Airport, Newark-Liberty International.	(973) 961-6000
NJ Motor Vehicle Commission (General Info.)	(609) 292-6500
NJ Transit Information	(973) 275-5555
Union County Paratransit	241-8300

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