



## **Board of County Commissioners**

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## **Hunterdon County Human Services Director Presents**

### **Mid-Year Update to Commissioner Board**

Hunterdon County Human Services Director Meagan Q. O'Reilly presented a mid-year update to the Commissioners, with information about Senior Programs, NJ Family Care Programs, and the need for volunteer drivers, Commissioner Board member Jeff Kuhl reported at the August 16<sup>th</sup> Board meeting.

Commissioner Kuhl, the Board's Human Services liaison, said, "Gardening courses, Medicare coverage information, Italian lessons and in-person Scrabble games are a fraction of some of the existing programs, events, and workshops available to residents at the County's Senior Center. Now that the Senior Center has fully re-opened, it's become a wonderful resource and a way to beat the heat of summer."

The Senior Center is home to several divisions, committees, and councils.

The Division of Senior, Disabilities and Veterans Services is home to programs, activities and opportunities for seniors, Veteran resources and outreach, and services and referrals to the disabled in the community to help them live as independently as possible.

Division of Senior, Disabilities and Veterans Services Division Director, Laine Nauman, said, "All activities are built around the needs and wishes of our participants and the staff share a commitment to offer activities and events that are appealing to everyone who comes through our doors."



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Director O'Reilly reported to the Board that the Division of Social Work Services aids the most vulnerable members of the community so that they can overcome the challenges of daily living and the Division of Social Services offers a range of public services that help at-risk individuals in the community.

Director O'Reilly said, "Human Services is home to more than a dozen divisions, councils, or committees and each serves a different purpose, but all of them exist to improve the quality of life of Hunterdon County residents.

The Senior Center has established itself in the community as a dependable resource to help county individuals and families and the staff are committed to helping."

"Ms. O'Reilly and her staff are to be commended for their development and maintenance of programs that serve several different segments of the population in Hunterdon County. The Board and I commend the Center's staff for their diligence," Kuhl concluded.

For a listing of all updates presented at the August 19<sup>th</sup> Board meeting, click [here](#).

To visit the Human Services website, click [here](#).