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## PUBLIC NOTICE [issued March 20, 2020, 6:00PM]

As concerns rise over the Coronavirus (COVID-19), town officials would like to take this opportunity to provide Southborough residents, town employees, businesses and the general public with an update on some of the measures that have been taken to date in regards to COVID-19.

Information about the coronavirus is evolving, and the situation remains dynamic. The Town of Southborough continues to be in contact with state officials, emergency management teams and board of health representatives to discuss plans daily and would like to share the following information:

# Are there any cases of COVID-19 in Southborough?

As of March 20, 2020, at 4:00 PM, there is one positive case of COVID-19 for a resident of Southborough. The resident is currently residing in a Boston hospital. With the reported case, the Town reminds residents to adhere to DPH and CDC guidelines with regards to hand washing and social distancing. We need to do all we can to curb the spread of the virus.

## Where can I find more information?

The official source of information from the Town of Southborough is the Town website [https://www.southboroughtown.com/] and Town Twitter account [@17Common]
Go to https://www.southboroughtown.com/subscribe to sign up for E-alerts through the Town website.
Go to https://www.southboroughtown.com/home/pages/code-red to register for CodeRed through the Town website

The Board of Health page can be found at: <a href="https://www.southboroughtown.com/board-health">https://www.southboroughtown.com/board-health</a>. You can also call the Board of Health to speak to the Public Health Nurse or one of the other nurses on staff at (508) 481-3013.

- CDC COVID 19 Information
- $\bullet \ COVID \ 19 \ Fact \ Sheet \ \underline{https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/downloads/2019-ncov} \\ \underline{factsheet.pdf}$
- COVID 19 FAQ'S https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/faq.html
- CDC Guidance on Stigma and Resilience
- World Health Organization COVID 19 Information
- Massachusetts Department of Public Health's New Coronavirus Website
- Talking to Children About Covid-19--National Association of School Psychologists

We will continue to monitor this situation closely and provide ongoing updates on the town website and on social media outlets.