

Candice Thompson

Attachment #1

From: William Rigby <wrigby@chesterfire.net>
Sent: Wednesday, April 08, 2020 10:41 AM
To: Candice Thompson
Cc: Aigner Cleveland
Subject: Council Report

- As of 10AM this morning, there are 14 cases in the City of Chester, which accounts for 0.04% of the population. There have been no recorded deaths. The City of Chester is one of the lowest in the county in terms of infection rates. The county has 898 cases with 20 deaths.
- There have been no reports of widespread cases in in any of our senior living facilities, which is a testament to the early preventive measures of social distancing the city and the senior facilities took.
- None of our police officers or firefighters have been diagnosed with COVID-19. While a handful of our police officers and firefighters have taken COVID-19 tests solely as a precaution, as of 10AM they all have come back negative. I believe a large contributing factor in this is due to the change in operations of both departments, the use of PPE and the overall low numbers of confirmed COVID-19 cases in the city.
- Acquiring PPE is still a continued struggle as it is in short supply. We have received limited amounts from the county however the county is receiving limited amounts.
- Models used to predict the extent of the virus have been updated twice and are thankfully showing less fatalities than originally estimated. These models do predict that the “peak” of the virus for Pennsylvania will be on or about April 16th.
- Tracking of the virus in epicenters like New York City are statistically showing that, due to early interventions like social distancing, the “curve” may be flattening sooner than anticipated.
- The Chester County Health Department is the first in the state to be approved to test for COVID-19 antibodies. This test will show if a person that was asymptomatic was infected and recovered from COVID-19. There are 10,000 test kits available and 10,000 more to be delivered. These tests will be performed on healthcare workers and first responders.
- All information for residents is provided on the city’s website and in the daily press releases

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Attachment #2

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From: Aigner Cleveland
Sent: Wednesday, April 08, 2020 11:43 AM
To: Candice Thompson
Subject: FW: Question for Council

Question for 4/8 Council Meeting.

From: Eugene Fleming <fleminghurricane1@gmail.com>
Sent: Tuesday, April 7, 2020 1:53 PM
To: Aigner Cleveland <acleveland@chestercity.com>
Subject: Fwd: Question for Council

Good morning my name is Eugene Fleming, I live at 1005 Kerlin Street, Chester, PA

My question today - Is the city going to receive any money from the federal stimulus bill and if so what is the plan to help residents and businesses?

thank you