

Fire District No. 3

TOWNSHIP OF HANOVER, COUNTY OF MORRIS

COVID-19 VACCINATION INFORMATION

The District is urging all members to take advantage of the offer to receive the COVID vaccine which was recently made available to us. We understand that it is an extremely difficult and personal decision that must be made individually and we stand behind you either way. Time is of the essence, the vaccine is currently not offered to the general public only those who fall into the Phase (1A) category which helps mitigate the risk of not having enough vaccines for our first responders later down the line. We will continually update the District's website (htfd3.com) and PowerDMS make sure that all members are provided with the constantly changing information that we receive regarding the vaccine, manufacturers, locations, procedures, and most importantly eligibility for first-responders. Members identified as eligible by the State and CDC Guidelines are currently able to receive the vaccine through FastER Urgent Care and eventually through the Morris County/Atlantic Health Rockaway site once it is up and running.

If you are interested in being scheduled to receive the vaccine please reach out to Administrator Schultz, Lt. Belott, or EMT Mockler and we will get you scheduled and squared away. Guidance will also be offered as to registering for vaccination through the Morris County site and other sites where appointments will be mandatory. It is very important that if you do decide to take the vaccine and set up an appointment that you attend. The vaccine is kept frozen and only the required doses are thawed daily. The amount of vaccines thawed for a particular session are based on your scheduling, and if you miss a scheduled appointment the dose may go to waste.

Please check the website regularly to see what additional information regarding the vaccine has been posted, and when the vaccine is available to certain individuals.

The District has assembled a committee to insure that all aspects are covered, and that sufficient avenues are available to get the information to the members as quickly and efficiently as is possible. The committee includes:

- Commissioner Robert E. O'Hare
- Chief Chad DiGiorgio
- A/Chief Joseph Martin – Fire Liaison
- A/Chief Mary Lou DeSimone – EMS Liaison
- Lt. Timothy Costello
- Lt. Michael Belott
- Administrator Jim Schultz
- EMT Kristel-Lynn Mockler

If you have any questions or comments please let us know.

Be Well and Stay Safe,

Board of Fire Commissioners