

Sign Up for Somerset County's Free E-Newsletter

If you'd like to receive free updates on Somerset County programs, services and issues in a convenient email format, you can sign up for the twice-monthly e-newsletter published by the Board of Freeholders.

Go to www.co.somerset.nj.us/newsletter to view back issues and to sign up for future editions. The next e-newsletter will be coming to subscribers' inboxes on Jan. 28 and will feature an update on the county Energy Council and solar initiative.

"Our e-newsletter has been extremely popular," said Freeholder Director Jack M. Ciattarelli. "In addition to allowing us to get information to the public in a timely manner, it has saved the county about \$50,000 over the cost of printed newsletters.

"We want to encourage more people to opt in to receive the e-newsletter, which has become a key vehicle for communication with our residents," he said, adding that all subscribers' emails are kept confidential.

The e-newsletter features reports on priority issues such as shared services, open-space preservation, economic recovery and renewable energy, as well as ongoing programs such as Leadership Somerset, recycling and hazardous-waste drop-offs, and flu-season information.

You also can sign up to receive free email updates on more than 90 items on the county Web site – from recycling schedules to meeting agendas and minutes – by going to www.co.somerset.nj.us/subscribe.html