



## STATEMENT FROM THE TOWNSHIP OF MAPLE SHADE

April 24<sup>th</sup>, 2020

It is with a heavy heart that we report our first fatality due to COVID-19. The Township received notification today from the Burlington County Board of Health that the resident, a 56 year old male, succumbed to this terrible virus on Saturday April 18<sup>th</sup>, 2020. Our thoughts and prayers are with his family and friends as they deal with this tragedy.

This news is not easy to report as we continue to wage a war against this disease. Please continue to do your part to keep yourself and your neighbors safe by social distancing, wear a mask in public, remain at least 6 feet away while exercising and refrain from congregating in parking lots and in driveways.

Take care of one another. Stay safe and stay healthy. Together—we will get through this as the strong community we are!

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