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Dear Friends and Neighbors,

I hope you have found a bit of solace in your new daily routine. It is important to support those close to you with positive actions and thoughts. It will make you feel good to do good. A positive attitude will help calm our younger citizens who are looking to you for understanding and support.

While traveling home from Town Hall yesterday I saw a number of cars stopped in the roadway. Approaching what I thought was a car accident I was pleased to see people helping round up a goat that had wandered from its farm. All went well and traffic continued on. How nice it was to see a few people helping a neighbor's pet. A bright spot in a trying day for me. These are trying times but, with continued understanding and cooperation in the true spirit of Wall Township we will see a brighter tomorrow soon.

If you know of a senior neighbor or other residents that may be ill or alone, please give them a call and see that they are doing well. Avoid personal contact for their safety and yours. Embrace this technology age-call, text, face-time and use all the amazing other online capabilities there are available to keep in touch.

Finally, please be advised that all playground equipment in our parks and all basketball courts are now closed until further notice. During these times we must take unconventional steps to combat and slow the progression of this highly contagious virus.

We currently have a positive case in Wall. As we are all aware HIPAA regulations prevent us from gathering and disseminating any information regarding this case. Be assured that our Health Department is in contact with the patient and frankly if you are involved or need to be personally concerned you would have been contacted by health officials by now.

Please keep in mind that under the current state of emergency all Township communication will be offered through the OEM, Office of Emergency Management, EOC, Emergency Operation Center under control of our Police Department. This is per NIMS, National Incident Management System, guidelines. Please look to Wall Police Facebook page as well as the Township's web site Wallnj.com for local information.

These are trying times but with continued understanding and cooperation we will get through this together.

Stay Well,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'George K. Newberry', is written over a horizontal line.

George Newberry Mayor