



HILLSBOROUGH
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THURSDAY TOWN TIDBITS

Volunteers needed!

In this unprecedented time, the County is seeking volunteers 60 and under to assist vulnerable members of the community by delivering food or providing other services.

BECOME A VOLUNTEER - MAKE A DIFFERENCE



The County has set up a [SurveyMonkey form](#) for those interested. Be sure to forward the form to your relatives, neighbors and friends who might also be willing to help!

Keep sewer pipes clear - do not flush wipes!

Please do not flush cloth wipes of any type down the toilet. This includes hand wipes, sanitizing counter wipes, baby wipes, Swiffer floor wipes, etc. These cloth wipes can easily snag on to roots or joints in your sewer lateral and eventually cause a sewer overflow onto your property. Wipes can also make their way into the Town's sewer mains and cause sewer overflows.



Please throw all cloth wipes into a trash receptacle for proper disposal.



Hillsborough's Public Works staff is still working hard to ensure the Town's water, sewer, streets and storm drain systems remain operational. Please help them by keeping your sewer laterals clear!

No commercial landscaping or gardening permitted during the shelter in place order for COVID-19

Commercial landscaping and gardening services are **NOT** permitted under the shelter in place order as they are considered non-essential business activities. You may want to consider paying your gardener or other service providers during this time with the knowledge that when the order is lifted your service providers will have extra cleaning, clearing and maintenance to do. Emergency repairs to irrigation are permitted and residents themselves are still allowed to landscape and garden on their own property.



Census 2020 is under way!

San Mateo County is working with the Town of Hillsborough and other jurisdictions to make sure every resident is counted in the 2020 US Census. When logging onto the US Census website, you may have noticed that your address is listed as Burlingame. In early 2018, Hillsborough staff reviewed and corrected the Census Bureau's master address database and also reviewed the Census Bureau's boundary files to ensure that Hillsborough property addresses were included in the Census Bureau database because Hillsborough and Burlingame share a zip code.



Please be assured that the correct address will be used in the Census database to ensure that the proper resources are allocated to Hillsborough.

The following link provides additional information and describes the distinctions between the mailing/postal city that may appear on a mailing label or the US Census website versus the actual legal entity a housing unit is counted in: https://www.census.gov/programs-surveys/geography/guidance/geo-areas/usps_census_city.html.

If you have any questions, please visit the US Census website at <https://www.census.gov> or call the Town offices (650) 375-7409.

