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City Department of Public Works Offering “No Contact” Service to Residents & Businesses

*Agency will continue to sell recycle bins and distribute
leaf bags, only now delivered directly to customers*

NEW BRUNSWICK, NJ (March 29, 2020) – The Department of Public Works of the City of New Brunswick is again making recycling bins and leaf bags available to the public for purchase. Using the “no contact” transaction guidelines where social distancing is maintained, some useful items can once again be acquired in a safe and responsible manner.

Those looking to purchase recycle bins or leaf bags must call the Department of Public Works at 732-745-5105 to place their order. Twenty-gallon recycling bins are available for \$9.70 each, 32-gallon bins are \$14.68. Payments must be made by check or money order only. Once the payment is processed, a delivery appointment will be arranged to deliver the order to the purchaser. The item(s) will then be left at the address where the customer can claim it without having any contact with the deliverer.

Each household in New Brunswick is also eligible to receive 20 free leaf bags each year, with the option to buy additional bundles of 10 bags for \$5.00 each.

Access to the DPW buildings on Jersey Avenue has been restricted since mid-March due to the COVID-19 outbreak.

The City of New Brunswick is the county seat for Middlesex County and home of Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey, the world headquarters for Johnson & Johnson and two globally-renowned hospitals. New Brunswick is an educationally-focused City as well as “The Healthcare City.”

All of New Brunswick’s developments provide seamless access to major transportation lines and an extensive dining scene and an arts district, located in its bustling downtown. The City is focused not only on bringing in new residents and businesses, but also on improving the lives of every one of its residents.

For more information, please visit www.cityofnewbrunswick.org.