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Our country is still dealing with the ever-increasing impacts of the novel coronavirus (COVID-19), and though Anson County has still not reported any confirmed cases, the threat to our community is as real as ever. The Town of Wadesboro will always strive to serve our community effectively while balancing the safety and health of our employees as a top priority. To that end, on March 16th and 20th we announced several measures being implemented to help with that, and effective immediately the following is a comprehensive list of actions being taken:

- Town Hall will be limited to a drive-thru only operation and will be closing on Fridays until further notice. All utility bills can be paid Monday through Thursday from 08:30 – 5:00 by using either the drive-thru or calling Town Hall for payment via phone at (704) 694-5171. The outside drop box is also still available 24/7 for your convenience.
- Public entrances to the Police and Fire Stations will be closed until further notice. Please call (704) 694-2167 for information on how to access police reports, accident reports, etc. These services will be pickup only and should be arranged in advance via phone.
- Garbage collection will remain on normal operation, no schedule changes are anticipated at this time. However, limb, leaf, and furniture pickup will be suspended until further notice.
- All Town parks will continue to remain open and available at this time. However, all playground equipment and public restrooms are closed and we will not be renting park shelters for public gatherings until further notice.
- Cut-off for nonpayment of utility bills is suspended until further notice. Please note – all usage will still be billed and due as normal, and cut-off will resume at some point in the near future. At that time to be determined by Council the full balance due will be required to avoid cut-off.
- Any further changes to Town services or operating conditions will be communicated via the Town's website (townofwadesboro.org) and our Facebook page.

Thank you,

David Edwards

Town Manager