To the residents of Spring Lake Heights,

First and Foremost, to OUR Spring Lake Heights Family... from YOUR Spring Lake Heights Police Officers:

THANK YOU! Thank you for the abundance of support that you have shown us, literally, on a daily basis. We have had many people safely stop by Headquarters with breakfast, lunch and dinners (and desserts) on a frequent basis and the support has been overwhelming! Not to mention many families have sent deliveries of personal protection equipment to Headquarters as well. To that, we thank you from the bottom of our hearts. This is what makes coming to work easier during times of crisis. It is also what makes the Spring Lake Heights Family unique from any other New Jersey communities. We thank you!

That being said, we have taken a few hits locally as some of our residents have suffered infection. We will continue to support those families and wish them a safe and healthy recovery. No one is immune to this virus and we will continue to take every measure within our authority to continue to protect our Spring Lake Heights Family.

The residents of Spring Lake Heights have taken the Governors "Stay at Home" order extremely seriously. We have the same inconveniences as every other person in the State of NJ and I am happy to report that our families and our businesses within Spring Lake Heights have been in compliance.

As a community, we have done a great job of respecting social distancing, limiting our travel, and following CDC recommendations for good hygiene to prevent the spread of the Coronavirus.

In order to continue on this path of leveling the curve, it is necessary to take additional measures to ensure the safety of our community. Therefore, effective Tuesday, April 14, 2020, the Borough of Spring Lake Heights, will prohibit on street parking within the entire town. This measure, in conjunction and in support of Governor Murphy's closure of State Parks, County Parks and recreational facilities, and in accordance with the Spring Lake Heights State of Emergency Parking Ordinance, is the best course of action to continue our fight against COVID-19. This parking ban will be temporary, until which time it is safe to rescind. Again, this measure has been taken to ensure the health and well-being of those of us that live here year-round.

If you have a specific concern, such as a physical handicap or additional family staying with you due to the COVID pandemic and not enough driveway space, call (732) 449-6172 Ext 4919 or email me at Egunnell@springlakehts.com, so that we can discuss options to assist your compliance with this order.

Thank you for your support, stay healthy and stay safe.

Respectfully,

Edward W. Gunnell
Chief of Police