COMMISSIONERS:

Peter Colao, Chairman Ralph Calabrese, Vice Chairman Janet Merrill, Commissioner Harry Guttilla, Commissioner Vito Candela, Commissioner Vincent Conforti, Commissioner



Mayor Thomas Calabrese

Joseph Capano, PHM Executive Director

James Santasiero, PHM Assistant Executive Director

Borough of Cliffside Park Housing Authority at the Gerald A. Calabrese Complex

February 2021

Dear Tenants:

I hope this letter finds you and your families well and safe.

As 2020 came to a close, and 2021 has begun, we are all experiencing the effects of the COVID-19 pandemic on our quality of life. We are confident that the second half of 2021 will be better for everyone.

With the launch of the vaccine, we have been getting many calls and inquiries regarding when the Cliffside Park Housing Authority will begin administering it. We have been working very hard with the State and County officials to get the vaccine to us.

It is not easy, but I can assure you that the Mayor and Council along with the Cliffside Park Housing Authority Staff are working tirelessly to make this happen. We will keep everyone up to date with any information that we receive.

In the meantime, the State, County with local hospitals and pharmacies have begun to administer the COVID-19 vaccine.

Mayor Calabrese will be appointing a Health and Social Services Ambassador to assist our seniors in getting appointments at Bergen County vaccination sites. The Senior Activity Center will be offering transportation for anyone that may need a ride to a vaccination location.

Effective February 22, 2021 you may call our Senior Activity Center at 201-943-3768 and speak with our Health and Social Services Ambassador who will gather your information and assist you in finding a vaccination site.

I ask that everyone please be patient while we implement this new service to our senior population. I am confident, that with the Mayor's assistance, we can start getting our tenants and senior residents vaccinated before long.

We will also be re-opening our Senior Activity Center on March 1, 2021. Please call the Senior Center for more information.

As always, please reach out with any comments, questions or concerns.

Respectfully,

Mayor Thomas Calabrese Borough of Cliffside Park

Joseph Capano, PHM Executive Director, CPHA