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CENSUS PUSH WEEK

The New Jersey Secretary of State's Office is conducting **Census Push Week** in New Jersey from the period of July 27 through August 2.

The Census is a requirement of the United States Constitution, Article 1, which requires that Congress conduct a Census every 10 years for the purpose of determining representation in the House of Representatives. The Census is also utilized to determine representation in the New Jersey Legislature.

Census data is utilized to disburse more than 45 billion dollars of annual federal funding in the state of New Jersey as well as for the development of future state and community planning efforts. An accurate count is imperative to ensure that Warren Township residents receive proper representation and our fair share of state and federal grant funds.

As of July 26, 2020, only 77.3% of Warren Township residents have completed the Census form. The Township Committee urges the remaining 23% to go to <https://2020census.gov/> or call (844) 330-2020 and complete the census.

Federal law mandates that the Census Bureau cannot disclose any personal information to any government agency.

The Township Committee thanks you for your cooperation in completing the census and ensuring an accurate count.