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PATERSON PUBLIC SCHOOLS ADDS TWO SITES TO MEAL DISTRIBUTION PLAN

PATERSON – District officials today added two additional sites to the food distribution plan that has been implemented while schools are closed due to the COVID-19 (novel coronavirus).

Starting Monday, March 23rd, breakfast and lunch will be distributed from the Paterson Riverside Veterans Recreation Center at 161 Fifth Avenue, and at Temple Shalom at 586 Main Street.

The two new sites will join the other locations in distributing meals from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., Monday through Friday.

In [a Facebook live post](#), Superintendent of Schools Eileen Shafer spoke to the district's students directly.

“We love you. We care about you. And we want to make sure you're educated and your fed,” Shafer said. “We will be coming back to school. We just don't know when.”

The 14 food distribution sites are:

In Ward 1:

Paterson Fire Department (Northside Firehouse), 48 Temple Street
Seminary Baptist Church, 193 Haledon Avenue

In Ward 2:

Paterson Fire Department (Headquarters), 290 McBride Avenue
Paterson Fire Department (Hillcrest Firehouse), 221 Union Avenue

In Ward 3:

Koinonia Christian Ministry, 440 East 36th Street
White House/Recreation, 810 Broadway, Eastside Park
Paterson Riverside Veterans Recreation Center, 161 Fifth Avenue.

In Ward 4:

Paterson Fire Department (Riverside Firehouse), 236 Lafayette Street
St. Luke Baptist Church, 139 Carroll Street

In Ward 5:

Paterson Fire Department (Madison Ave. Firehouse), 850 Madison Avenue
Mighty Sons of God, 77 Park Avenue
Temple Shalom at 586 Main Street.

In Ward 6:

Paterson Fire Department (Lakeview Firehouse), 211 23rd Avenue
Southside Firehouse, 124 Getty Avenue

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