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COVID-19 UPDATE

Since Friday, January 8, 155 Residents have Tested Positive, 110 More have Recovered, and

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Health Department Distributes Demographic COVID-19 Data;

Weekly Food Resource Guide During Current COVID-19 Surge

- **Since Friday, January 8, 155 residents have tested positive, 110 more have recovered, and the City learns of three new fatalities associated with COVID-19:** The number of people in the City who have tested positive for COVID-19 is 5,577. With 4,106 recovered and 190 fatalities, Framingham currently has 1,281 active cases. The Framingham Health Department contacts the people who were potentially exposed and the owners of the businesses or places of employment where the potential exposures occurred to inform and counsel them on next steps (contact tracing). In addition to the active cases, the Health Department is following 572 residents in quarantine.
- **The City's Department of Public Health distributes demographic COVID-19 data on all confirmed cases in Framingham since March 1, 2020:** Data includes information on confirmed cases by age, gender, race/ethnicity, fatalities, nursing homes, and residential settings. Reference today's data release [here](#).
- **Weekly food resource guide during current COVID-19 surge:** To better manage the food demand during the current COVID-19 surge, the coordinators of Framingham's Emergency Food Line have developed a weekly guide about food availability for residents. View this week's guide in English, Portuguese, and Spanish, [here](#).
- **COVID-19 in Framingham:** Information on COVID-19 in Framingham can be found [here](#). To receive information from the City on a mobile device, text "Join FraminghamMA" to 30890. Residents also can find updates on [Facebook](#) and Twitter - @Framingham_MA. For questions regarding COVID-19 in Framingham, please call the City's informational line at (508) 532-5411, Mon-Fri., 8:30 a.m.- 3:30 p.m. If there is an urgent update, the City will employ the "Alert Framingham" phone messaging system, otherwise known as Rave. To sign up for the City's Rave system, please go here: <https://www.smart911.com/>

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