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Morris/Sussex Vicinage Hosts Free Community Day Court Tour

As part of its community outreach program, the Morris/Sussex Vicinage will host its third Community Day court tour on Friday, Sept. 12 from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in Court Room 7 at the Morristown County Courthouse, Washington and Court streets, Morristown.

This event is free and open to the public.

The event will focus on communicating the Judiciary's role in the community. The tour, which will be led by the Office of the Ombudsman, will begin with a historical overview of the Morris County Courthouse and a discussion of basic court process and procedures, guidelines, and resources. Speakers will describe court divisions and programs. Participants will then tour parts of the courthouse and watch a court proceeding. They also will meet a sheriff's officer and learn about the role that sheriff's officers play in the court.

Free informational packets including fact sheets, brochures, handbooks, and bookmarks will be distributed, and court staff will be available to answer questions.

This is an informational event only. No individual cases will be discussed or resolved.

Seating is limited. Reservations should be made by Monday, Sept. 8 by contacting Brenda Soto at 973-656-3997 or by emailing MorrisHelp.mailbox@judiciary.state.nj.us.

A statewide calendar of public education programs can be found at njcourts.com. Click on the Self Help Center tab and look for the "Court Seminars and Public Events" link.