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### **Ground Breaking Ceremony for Passaic County Courthouse Plaza**

The Passaic County Board of Chosen Freeholders and the Passaic Vicinage will join local and county officials on Tuesday, May 19 to break ground on the new County Courthouse Plaza. The ceremony will take place at 11 a.m. on Hamilton Street between Lee Place and DeGrasse Street in Paterson. The project will provide a new pedestrian plaza for visitors and employees using the courthouse and Social Services Building while helping promote Paterson's historical downtown district.

The plaza is a "green" project that will use only LED lighting, along with curbing and planters. It will also feature decorative rain gardens. In the middle of the plaza there will be a cast metal sculpture of a relief map of the county.

Funded by Passaic County, the new plaza will be maintained as part of the county's park system.

The public is invited to attend the ceremony.

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