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mGAP Update Week of Dec 5, 2022

This mGAP newsletter includes timely updates for Montclair's community of older residents.

[mGAP in the News; SmartSeniors/SmartTECH Training; ASK ALEXA; Discount Diving; Help with Winter Heating Bills; Free Transportation for Montclair Seniors](#)

Please note: the deadline for submission of [NJ Anchor](#) tax relief has been extended to January 31, 2023.

[Join Our Campaign to Make Montclair Age Friendlier](#)

On Thursday, December 1, 2022, the [Montclair Local](#) headlined an article reflecting the work of mGAP to recruit a brigade of volunteers to confront community issues. We must all take action to identify service GAPS that frustrate **smart and active** aging in place. Share your thoughts by filling out [Opinion Survey](#) now.

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Montclair Good Governance Update: Dec. 6th Council Meeting will begin at 6:15 with petitions for County Development Block Grants from non-profit organizations. Regular business will follow. ADU Ordinance will not be on the Agenda; as a result of Planning Board review, the ADU Task Force will be reconvened for additional input. (Tomorrow evening several community volunteers will try to capturing Council proceedings on video via [freeradio](#) and [baristanet](#).) [more](#)



Gateway to Digital Equity

* SmartSeniors/TECH© (SS/ST) project: Learn how to navigate in the virtual world. [For More Information](#)

* **Seeking Volunteers** for new Training Program. Learn to use **ALEXA** to manage household activities. [For More Information](#)



Gateway to Housing

In order for 50-plus residents to age in place, they must have a safe and reliable place of residence to reside in.

[For More Information](#)



Discount Diving

Bargain seekers over the age of 60 are eligible for lots of discounts. [Check out resources.](#)



Free EZRIDE for Seniors

Montclair offers **free** EZRIDE transportation [Lyft and Uber] to its seniors, weekdays and Saturdays. [Mon.-Fri, 8-8; Sat. 8-5] Call: (201) 939- 4242 Ext. 4 and tell operator that you are a Montclair resident.



Need Help with Winter Heating Bills?

NJ offers several programs including LHEAP and Winter Termination Program to help offset high winter utility costs. [More](#)

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