

FOREWORD

"A government serves well when the public is knowledgeable" — Snave

This second edition of "Know Your Town--Scotch Plains" is presented by the Scotch Plains Unit of the League of Women Voters of the Westfield Area. The purpose of the League of Women Voters is to promote political responsibility through the informed and active participation of citizens in their government, whether that participation is limited to informed voting or extends to running for public office. To further this purpose, this booklet is prepared to inform residents of Scotch Plains as to both the character and structure of township government as well as the variety and cost of its many services.

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