Perth Amboy Community Tour Map
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Family Success Center
500 Dobranski Drive

The Family Success Center (FSC) is a neighborhood gathering place where Middlesex County residents can go for support, information, and services with parent leadership at its center. Healthier Perth Amboy partners are collaborating with the FSC to promote family wellbeing, link families to community services, empower and support families, provide culturally-sensitive programs, and help families identify and build on their strengths.

The Proprietary House
149 Kearny Avenue

The Propriety House is one of the most historic buildings in the US, and is the only remaining official royal governor’s mansion still standing in the original 13 colonies. Completed in 1764, it has also served as a stylish hotel, a private mansion, a retirement home, a boarding house, and now a museum. Offices of the Jewish Renaissance Foundation, a Healthier Perth Amboy partner, are now located at The Proprietary House. The Jewish Renaissance Foundation was established in 1995 as a faith-based, nonprofit corporation with central offices in Perth Amboy, New Jersey. Serving more than 2,200 people in Middlesex County each year, they are a leader in providing community coordination, school based services, educational programming, food and nutrition, family development, health services and training.

Raritan Bay Area YMCA
357 New Brunswick Avenue

The Raritan Bay Area YMCA has a prominent presence in Perth Amboy as it is managed by the city, run by excellent staff and volunteers, and cherished by the community. The organization’s large building features two Olympic-sized pools, a theater, a basketball court, and several exercise facilities. It also serves as the primary meeting ground for the Healthier Perth Amboy coalition.

The Y’s Center for Support, Success & Prosperity
392 Smith Street

Since 1912, the Raritan Bay Area YMCA has been reaching out to those in need of shelter in Perth Amboy and the surrounding communities. Today, working together with God’s Army Ministries and other community agencies, the Center for Support, Success & Prosperity assists individuals and families to overcome homelessness. The Center operates with a Housing First philosophy, and sustains programming by engaging participants to “pay it forward” through volunteer service.

Perth Amboy Waterfront
Brighton Avenue Teen Center, 56 Brighton Avenue

The promenade showcases Perth Amboy’s beautiful waterfront where community partners are working to develop 2nd Street Park, a former auto body scrapyard. The waterfront is also the site of other exciting initiatives to improve beach recreation and overall the environment.

The Armory Restaurant and Banquet Hall
200 Front Street

Located directly on Perth Amboy’s historic waterfront, The Armory is a hidden jewel that showcases a unique and beautiful view of the Raritan Bay and the New York borough of Staten Island. This completely restored naval ammunition building was once used during World Wars I & II and is now acclaimed to be one of New Jersey’s finest historical treasures.