

Summer 2024

I am ready to sponsor another successful year of *Project Backpack 2024*.

Last year, we distributed approximately 1,000 backpacks to students across the 17th Legislative District thanks to the friends, neighbors, and members of our community. The demand far exceeded the supply and I ask everyone to join me again this year.

As inflation rises, families continue to face tough choices – backpacks and supplies for their children, or food, medicine, and gas. I would like to ease the burden of difficult choices in this new economic reality.

Your partnership and contribution will raise awareness to help children reach their full potential to kick off the school year with a backpack and supplies.

This initiative depends in large part on the support of the community, including businesses, residents, social organizations, and education organizations.

Public service is the cornerstone of our community that fosters unity and progress in the 17th Legislative District. **I am grateful to all of you!**

My staff and volunteers will be collecting backpacks and supplies through August 31st. Desired donation items and drop-off locations are noted.

If you have any questions or need more information, please call my office at (732) 247-3999. Thank you.

Always at your service,



Joe Danielsen
NJ Assemblyman, LD-17

PROJECT BACKPACK 2024

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Suggested Donations:

- ▶ Backpacks
- ▶ Colored pencils, crayons, or pens
- ▶ Glue sticks
- ▶ Personal size hand sanitizer
- ▶ Highlighters
- ▶ Pencil cases/pouches
- ▶ Solid color pocket folders
- ▶ Single subject notebooks
- ▶ Rulers
- ▶ Personal size tissues
- ▶ Store gift cards *only*



Deadline:
August 31, 2024

Drop-off Locations:

- ▶ 17th Legislative District Office
334 Elizabeth Ave., Somerset NJ
- ▶ Franklin Twp. Public Library
Main & Franklin Park branches
- ▶ New Brunswick Municipal Building
- ▶ North Brunswick Public Library
- ▶ Piscataway Public Library
Kennedy & Westergard branches
- ▶ South Bound Brook Borough Office