

City of Mt. Healthy



News & Notes

Winter 2015

"A city with a historic past working toward the future"

You're Invited...

Regularly scheduled
community gatherings
(in alphabetical order):

Beautification Comm.
3rd Thursday
6:30 p.m. @ city hall

Block Watch
3rd Thursday
7 p.m. @ city hall

Board of Education
3rd Monday
7 p.m. @ Board of Ed

Business Association
2nd Monday
11:00 a.m. @ MHCH

Celebrate Mt. Healthy
1st Thursday (none Dec.
& Jan.)
9 a.m. @ city hall

City Council
1st & 3rd Tuesday
7 p.m. @ city hall

Economic Task Force
4th Monday
6:30 p.m. @ city hall

Free Community Meal
Every Tuesday
5 p.m. @ St. Paul UCC

Free Community Meal
Every Thursday
5:30 p.m. @ Trinity LC

Historical Society
1st Wednesday
7 p.m. @ 7612 Perry

Urban Tree Commission
2nd Monday 7 p.m.
Locations vary, so call
931-7373 for more details

Police Levy—Thank You!

Police Levy Passed – Thank you to everyone
who voted on the Police Levy on November 4th.

Mt. Healthy will be able to stabilize its current
police services thanks to the levy passing. We
will be hiring three full-time officers and
updating necessary equipment. This levy frees
up money from the general fund to help the fire
and street departments.



Income Tax Preparation

Last year was our first year with the Regional Income Tax Agency
(R.I.T.A.) processing our income taxes. The majority of residents
filed their return on time. We encourage you to utilize R.I.T.A.'s
electronic filing and payment system as it is fast and simple to use,
and it is secure and free. For those wishing to utilize mail, the
remittance address for our secured lockbox center is R.I.T.A., P.O.
Box 477900, Broadview Hts, Ohio 44147-7900.

For individual and business forms, plus e-file and e-payment service,
visit the R.I.T.A. website at www.ritaohio.com. If you have any
questions regarding your local income tax, please contact R.I.T.A.'s
customer service representatives at (Brecksville Office) 800.860.7482
or (Central Ohio Office) 866.721.7482 (toll free).



Don't Miss

With the approval of the Police Levy this past
November, the local income tax increased effective
January 1, 2015 from 1.5% to 2%. The local tax
credit was increased from 1.25% to 1.6%.

Remember to notify your employer to increase
withholdings if needed beginning January 1, 2015.
If you file estimated quarterly payments, these
would need to be increased as well. This will help
avoid any shortfalls when filing your 2015 return
next year.

Beautification

Think spring! The Community Beautification Committee is meeting January 15 at 6:30 (every 3rd Thursday at city hall) to focus on fund-raising for the uptown and park planters. They welcome your ideas!



Block Watch

The Police Department would like to extend an invitation to attend our monthly Block Watch Meetings. These meetings help educate the community, and organize efforts to keep an extra eye on all of our properties.

Please look to the “Next Door” app. to view weekly blotter reports posted to keep the community informed.



Our Block Watch Meetings are held the 3rd Thursday of each month at city hall at 7 p.m.

Mt. Healthy Library Branch Programs:

Technology Appointments

Ongoing basic computer classes for any age

Make It, Take It Arts & Crafts

2nd Mondays (all day)

Preschool Story Time

Wednesdays at 10:30 a.m.

Family Craft Night

3rd Tuesdays at 6:30 p.m.

Visit them for a complete list of local programs!



Public Works

A friendly reminder from the Public Works Department to put snow on the left side of the driveway (facing the house).



Drive safe, allowing extra time for bad weather conditions.

Road projects on the horizon are East Compton, Perry, Park (to Madison), and North & South Lynndale.

Currently these roads are being rated for possible rebuild with Ohio Public Works

Commission 80/20 funding.



Stay Safe & Healthy in Winter

Winter storms and cold temperatures can be hazardous, but if you plan ahead, you can stay safe and healthy. Prepare your home and cars. Prepare for power outages and outdoor activity. Check on family and neighbors who are especially at risk from cold weather hazards.

Happy New Year 2015