#### **HELPFUL LINKS**

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In addition to closing the Senior Center and Recreation Center, city hall has been taking extra precautions to help limit the spread of the Coronavirus by reducing our staff, continuously practicing social distancing, and frequent handwashing.

I want to reassure everyone that we are here for you during this challenging time. City hall is open during regular business hours, Monday – Friday from 8:30 am - 4:30 pm. Our Police and Fire continue to respond to all calls, the Service Department is fully operational, and my staff continues to work on daily tasks. My priority is the health and wellness of all residents in Broadview Heights. I am in my office and available to address any questions or concerns. Please do not hesitate to call or email me.

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## NOTICE REGARDING THE QUARTERLY BROADVIEW HEIGHTS UTILITY BILL:

Due to the pandemic, THE CITY WILL <u>NOT</u> BE ISSUING THE 1<sup>ST</sup> QUARTER 2020 BILLS. The 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter 2020 Broadview Heights Utility Bills <u>WILL BE COMBINED TO ONE BILL</u>. The next bill will be issued as of 6/30/2020 and the due date will be 7/31/2020. The 1<sup>st</sup> quarter portion will appear as "PREVIOUS BALANCE". <u>NO 1<sup>ST</sup> QUARTER PENALTY WILL BE ASSESSED</u>. Should you have any questions, please call the Finance Department at 440-717-4025 or email <u>utilitybilling@broadview-heights.org</u>.

THE CITY OF BROADVIEW HEIGHTS is taking precautionary measures to protect the health and safety of our residents. The City Hall will remain open during our regular hours of 8:30AM – 4:30PM, M-F. Human Services will continue to deliver Meals on Wheels and provide transportation to all scheduled medical appointments. All other activities within the Senior Center are canceled until at least April 3. The Human Services staff will be available for any questions. Please call 440-526-4074 if you have any questions. The Recreation Center is closed through at least Friday, April 3. Please view the <a href="UPDATE AND EMERGENCY ACTION">UPDATE AND EMERGENCY ACTION (PDF)</a> for detailed information. We ask that you do your part to slow the spread of germs:

- Stay home if you are sick
- Avoid close contact with people who are sick
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth
- Cover your cough or sneezes with a tissue & properly dispose of the tissue
- Clean and disinfect frequently touched surfaces
- Wash your hands often, for at least 20 seconds

**At-Risk Individuals:** The Center for Disease Control (CDC) is advising vulnerable individuals to limit outings, avoid large gatherings, telecommute if possible, stay home if they are sick, and avoid people who are sick. Vulnerable individuals are those who are 60 years old and older; or have health conditions such as heart disease, lung disease, diabetes, kidney disease and weakened immune systems.

The City of Broadview Heights will also like to provide the following update: Coronavirus Update from Cuyahoga County Board of Health

Information regarding the Coronavirus can be found at:

Centers for Disease Control: www.cdc.gov

Cuyahoga County Board of Health: www.ccbh.net

CITY MEETING CANCELATIONS: Please Note: Planning Commission Meetings, GPZ Meetings and BZA Meetings have been canceled, at least, through the month of April.

A MESSAGE FROM THE SERVICE DEPARTMENT: Please note, that disinfectant wipes (for example Clorox, Lysol...) are not to be flushed down toilets. These wipes are not made to breakdown. Please dispose of in your garbage. Thank you!

A MESSAGE FROM NORTH ROYALTON CITY SCHOOLS: The health, safety and well-being of the students and staff at North Royalton City Schools is a priority and we are closely monitoring the spread of COVID-19. We will continue to update this page with updates and resources for our school families as it is released. Please check this page regularly as it will change: <u>NR Schools Coronavirus Update</u>.

<u>A MESSAGE FROM THE ATTORNEY GENERAL</u>: Warning regarding an outbreak of scams related to the Coronavirus.

**CORONAVIRUS: RESOURCES FOR PROPERTY OWNERS:** Resource to provide property owners with assistance during the COVID-19 crisis.

OHIO DEPARTMENT OF JOB & FAMILY SERVICES on how to file for Coronavirus & Unemployment Insurance Benefits: Ohio Department of Health Coronavirus and Unemployment Insurance Benefits

## PLEASE CONSIDER SUPPORTING YOUR LOCAL BROADVIEW HTS.

RESTAURANTS during the COVID19 pandemic. For a full list of local restaurants and links to their websites, <u>please visit this link</u>. Here is the direct link in case you need it: <u>Support your local Broadview Heights Restaurants</u>

## **UPCOMING EVENTS - SAVE THE DATE!**

- **COMMUNITY SHRED DAY** Sat., April 4 from 9:00AM-12:00PM at Broadview Heights City Hall
- HABITAT FOR HUMANITY Sat., April 11 from 9:00AM-1:00PM at the Broadview Heights Community Center (West Parking Lot)
- **RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE** Mon., April 13 from 1:30PM-6:00PM at the Broadview Heights Community and Recreation Center
- <u>SAFETY TOWN REGISTRATION</u> Fri., May 1 from 4:00PM-5:30PM at the Broadview Heights Kloka Training Facility (Across from the Police Department)
- GREENE ACRES COMMUNITY GARDEN GENERAL MEETING Sat., May 9 from 10:00AM-12:00PM at Broadview Heights City Hall
- <u>SENIOR TRIP "JAWS WITH PAWS, VINEYARDS AND HORSEIN" AROUND"</u> <u>Tentative date</u> set for Fri., May 15 (Please contact Human Services if you are interested)

**WEEKLY UPDATE ON THE S.R. 82-WIDENING PROJECT**: The City of Broadview Heights intends to provide updates on a weekly basis regarding the status of the Route 82 Widening Project in a commitment to be as transparent as possible within our community.

Current details: <a href="Project Update March 20">Project Update March 20</a>, 2020 (PDF)

**GREEN ACRES COMMUNITY GARDEN** in Broadview Heights is an organic garden since 2013. The 2020 garden season has available plots which are 4 x 10' and are \$30 for the first plot and \$20 for a second plot, based on availability. Visit the website <a href="www.GreeneAcres.org">www.GreeneAcres.org</a> and download the 2020 Registration Packet. Complete and mail in as soon as possible. For further information, email Noreen at <a href="https://www.MsNoreen@att.net">MsNoreen@att.net</a>.

#### RECREATION DEPARTMENT

The OUTDOORS ARE OPEN! While visiting our outdoor facilities, please be aware of the following: The use of playgrounds is STRONGLY discouraged. Use at your own risk. While our team is working diligently to help ensure public safety, it's not feasible to clean and sanitize these structures effectively. Please practice social distancing and avoid close contact with others. The CDC recommends a minimum of 6 feet distance to help reduce the risk of spread between individuals. More info <a href="https://www.cdc.gov">www.cdc.gov</a>. Do not congregate in groups of 10 people or more. While we pride ourselves on being a friendly community, please avoid social gatherings at our outdoor facilities at this time. We need your help to keep our outdoor facilities safe to you and others. Please stay home if you are sick and practice good hygiene. Wash your hands after touching surfaces. Avoid touching your face. Sneeze or cough into a tissue or the inside of your elbow. Place garbage in trash

receptacles. Please check <u>www.bhrec.org</u> for new updates regarding closures and restrictions. Visit <u>www.cdc.gov</u> for information on COVID-19.

**2020 CENSUS INFORMATION:** We are excited to announce that we have partnered with the U.S. Census Bureau to support the 2020 Census. Visit the **2020 Census website** to learn about the upcoming 2020 Census, how the data collected will be used and what to expect.

**REMINDER NO OVERNIGHT PARKING ON CITY STREETS:** Codified Ordinance section 452.05(c) (1) prohibits parking on city streets between the hours of 3:00AM and 6:00AM. Per Codified Ordinance section 452.20 (a), signs are posted at city limits.

#### MILITARY DISPLAY

The Broadview Heights Community and Recreation Center is proud to house a military display, recognizing Broadview Heights residents who have served or are currently serving in the U.S. armed forces. We are truly proud of our residents and their selfless dedication, bravery, and sacrifice to our nation. If you are a veteran and would like your military information to be included, please advise your Rank, Name, Branch of Service, Years of Service, and if you are a War Veteran, please indicate the war you served in. You can provide your information to <a href="mailto:cityhall@broadview-heights.org">cityhall@broadview-heights.org</a>.

NO MAYOR'S OPEN HOURS until further notice. Thank you!

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