

CITY OF BROADVIEW HEIGHTS

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THIS WEEK!

SATURDAY, APRIL 24 – PRESCRIPTION TAKE BACK DAY 10:00AM – 2:00PM Brecksville Horticultural Building. Please see our website [HERE](#) for more information.

SATURDAY, APRIL 24 - COVID-19 VACCINE CLINIC FOR BROADVIEW HEIGHTS AND BRECKSVILLE RESIDENTS FROM 10:00AM – 5:00PM AT BRECKSVILLE - BROADVIEW HEIGHTS HIGH SCHOOL. Call 211 and get pre – registered. Please see the flyer [HERE](#) for more information.

GREENE ACRES COMMUNITY GARDEN in Broadview Heights will be raffling off three prize packages courtesy of generous donations from Lowes and Home Depot now until May 22. Please see the flyer ([CLICK HERE FOR FLYER](#)) for information on how to buy tickets.

COVID-19 VACCINE Bowtie Medical in Broadview Heights is currently scheduling appointments for the COVID-19 vaccine. Please email them at vaccine@broadviewmedical.com to schedule an appointment.

FOOD TRUCKS Food trucks must be inspected and permitted by the Broadview Heights Fire Department. Please contact them at 440-526-4493 if you plan on having a food truck at a public or private event.

IMPORTANT PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENT REGARDING COVID-19 FUNERAL ASSISTANCE The COVID-19 pandemic has brought overwhelming grief to many families. At FEMA, our mission is to help people before, during and after disasters. We are dedicated to helping ease some of the financial stress

and burden caused by the virus. Under the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act of 2021 and the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021, FEMA will provide financial assistance for COVID-19-related funeral expenses incurred after January 20, 2020. **UP TO \$9000.00 CAN BE REFUNDED TO FAMILIES IF THEIR LOVED ONE'S DEATH WAS COVID-19 RELATED. PLEASE FOLLOW THIS LINK TO LEARN MORE:**

<https://www.fema.gov/disasters/coronavirus/economic/funeral-assistance>

THE CITY OF BROADVIEW HEIGHTS IS ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS

FULL TIME POSITIONS

If interested in this position, please follow the link to our [website](#) to see job details and apply.

FULL TIME BUILDING INSPECTOR – Performs inspections of commercial property and residential dwelling to ensure compliance with approved plans and applicable codes.

FULL TIME FACILITIES MAINTENANCE WORKER – Performs a variety of service department jobs including routine building maintenance and repair work, maintaining and troubleshooting HVAC equipment, plumbing, electrical and carpentry work.

PART TIME/SEASONAL POSITIONS

If interested in any of these positions, please follow the link to our [website](#) to see job details and apply.

RESIDENT SERVICES ATTENDANT This position is responsible for providing excellent customer service by greeting and assisting the public as they call or enter City Hall and/or the Recreation Center. Ensures that visitor logs are completed and information and directions are provided as needed. Performs a variety of customer service and support tasks. Please [CLICK HERE](#) for more information and to apply.

PART-TIME LIFEGUARD/WATER SAFETY INSTRUCTORS – Must have current certification as a Lifeguard and be at least 16 years old. Evening and Weekend shifts are available now, with additional shifts available in the summer. Email Ursula Drinko with any questions at udrinko@broadview-heights.org.

PART-TIME HEAD LIFEGUARD – Must have current certification that includes CPR for the Professional Rescuer and First Aid skills. AED certification required or ability to obtain. Current Lifeguard Instructor, Lifeguard Management, and Water Safety Instructor Certifications required. Email Ursula Drinko with any questions at udrinko@broadview-heights.org.

RECREATION DEPARTMENT

NEW MASK POLICY – effective 4/12/2021

Beginning on Monday, April 12th, any individual under 10 years old is not required to wear a mask in the Recreation Center. All patrons must wear a mask when they enter and exit the facility, but are **NOT** required to wear a mask while engaging in physical activity in the Fitness Center, Gymsnasiums, Track,

Natorium and Group Exercise Classes. Social distancing guidelines are still in effect. In addition, the showers in the locker rooms will be turned on and the sauna and steam room will open within the next few weeks. If you have questions, please contact Director of Parks and Recreation Amanda Hutcheson @ ahutcheson@broadview-heights.org.

SPRING/SUMMER BROCHURE is available online and has been mailed to residents. Registration is open for our Summer Day Camp; Baseball and Softball Registrations are on-going. Group Swim lessons are fully open and you can register online at www.bhrec.org. We are also scheduling private and semi-private lessons, contact udrinko@broadview-heights.org for more information.

ADDITIONAL AMENITIES Beginning Monday, April 19th – the Sauna and Steam room will be available for use. Two patrons only at a time in each unit. You must sign up in advance for the pool to be able to use the Sauna or Steam room. You can do that on the website at www.bhrec.org. The Locker Room showers will be turned back on this week as well.

CURRENT OPERATING HOURS

Monday through Friday 5:30AM – 10:00PM

Saturday and Sunday 7:30AM – 6:00PM

PROGRAMS: Please visit us at www.bhrec.org for information on current programs and activities!

MEMBERSHIPS: For information on joining or renewing your membership, please visit our website at www.bhrec.org or call 440-838-4522.

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

2021 ROADWAY EVALUATION AND PAVING The City evaluates the streets on an annual basis and formulates a repaving program mainly based on the road conditions. The linked map, [CLICK HERE](#), shows the City's annual roadway evaluation. In the legend there is a rating scale A to F (A-best, F-failing). Below the legend, are maintenance related items the City plans on doing in 2021 (e.g. crack sealing) and the list of streets for paving this year.

DIGIOIA SUBURBAN EXCAVATING will be installing sidewalks on the north side of Route 82, weather permitting.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING TRAFFIC LIGHTS ON SR 82 The second set of signal heads in each direction is optically programmed to avoid giving conflicting indications to SR 82 traffic and potentially cause a vehicle to run a red light. Generally, whenever the first set of signals for EB or WB 82 traffic turns green, the second set will turn green as well. At the end of the phase, the first set should go to yellow and then red, while the second optically programmed set will remain green and activate the left turn arrows so as to clear out any traffic remaining between Market Place East and Glenwood. The optically programmed heads should only be visible to those vehicles in between the intersections so that vehicles back at the first set of signals do not mistakenly see green indications and think that they are able to proceed forward. Similarly, in instances where there is only side street demand on either Market

Place East or Glenwood (but not both), the respective side street will be given a green light along with the downstream optically programmed heads so that vehicles turning right out onto 82 will be able to continue on their way through the adjacent intersection. Again, 82 traffic is seeing red at this time at the first set of signals and we do not want them to be able to see the second set of optically programmed signals which will be displaying green as this could cause them to run their red light. The optically programmed heads are a safety measure that is necessary when you have a signalized offset intersection such as this.

[LEARN HOW TO BE A MASTER RAIN GARDNER](#) – Classes start April 26. Share your knowledge and become your community's expert on rain gardens. At the end of this 5-session course, you will become a Master Rain Gardener!

[POINT OF SALE INSPECTION OF SEPTIC SYSTEMS](#) – Please see the ordinance regarding the Point of Sale Inspection for residents with septic systems. [1048.01 ORDINANCE POINT OF SALE INSEPECTIONS OF SEPTIC SYSTEMS](#)

HUMAN SERVICES DEPARTMENT

FREE RTA BUS PASSES FOR REGISTERED COVID VACCINE APPOINTMENTS In addition to the transportation provided by the City of Broadview Heights Human Services, Cuyahoga County Department of Senior and Adult Services provided the City of Broadview Heights Human Services with a limited number of FREE RTA passes to be distributed to individuals who register for a vaccine appointment and need transportation. Please contact Human Services Department at 440-526-4074 if interested.

COVID-19 VACCINE Now that the vaccine is more widely accessible, there are many websites and locations where you can register to receive your vaccine. Please contact the Human Services Department if you need help with registering.

OSHIIP MEDICARE COUNSELING (Ohio Senior Health Insurance Information Program) is a program run by the Ohio Department of Insurance to help people understand Medicare. Jim Langan is a volunteer OSHIIP counselor in Broadview Heights and will continue to offer appointments for individual Medicare counseling in 2021. Jim can help people new to Medicare understand how Medicare works, what benefits Medicare provides, and what options are available, as well as counsel people who are already on Medicare. To make an appointment call the Broadview Heights Senior Center at 440-526-4074.

ACTIVITIES ALERT All Broadview Heights Human Services programming will be offered virtually. Please contact the office at 440-526-4074 for an updated list of virtual programming. Please [CLICK HERE](#) to review the Broadview Heights Human Services Protocol. The Human Services Department has limited programming at this time. Please check out the monthly newsletter which can be found on our website under [Human Services / Department Newsletter](#).

FINANCE DEPARTMENT

ONLINE BROADVIEW HEIGHTS UTILITY BILL ACCESS. Tired of receiving post-card bills - [SIGN UP FOR E-BILLING!](#) Visit our website for more information on how to sign up or call 440-717-4025. You will need to enter your Account number and last name.

For immediate access to your account, use your smartphone to scan this QR Code:



SERVICE DEPARTMENT

DISPOSAL OF FURNITURE, MATTRESSES AND BOX SPRINGS These items are to be disposed of with your regular trash. Upholstered items, mattresses and box springs **MUST BE** wrapped up in plastic (Painter's Plastic works well) to be picked up by Rumpke. Please contact Rumpke to inform them of the large item pick up 24 hours in advance at 1-800-828-8171. Additional information can be reviewed on our website [HERE](#).

GET THE DIRT OF BACKYARD COMPOSTING: FREE HOW-TO WEBINARS OFFERED. The Cuyahoga County Solid Waste District will host informative, free webinars on how to properly compost residential yard waste and food scraps. Please see the following [PRESS RELEASE](#) for more information.

DISCARDING OF DISINFECTANT WIPES 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!

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