

The Village Paper

We are all neighbors in Seven Mile!

Summer 2022

VILLAGE CONTACTS

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Council Members

David Martin 513-465-8104

Todd Fryman 937-608-4757

Sarah White 513-525-8335

Lara Askill 513-726-4949

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Police and Fire Departments

Emergency dispatch 911

Non-emergency dispatch 513-785-3095

Fire non-emergency vm 513-726-4261

Police non-emergency vm 513-726-4091

Water Operations

Manager 513-726-9000

SAVE THE DATE EVENTS FOR 2022

Annual Garage Sale June 10—June 11

51st Fire Association Fish Fry June 11

Route 127 Yard Sale August 4-7

Seven Mile Oktoberfest August 19-20

Thank you but not good bye... we would like to take this opportunity to thank Mr. Mick Foley for his many years of dedicated service on our street department. Our clerk, Mrs. Laura Oliver will be retiring soon after more than 20 years with the village. We are so appreciative of her professionalism, guidance and knowledge over the years and will be sorely missed. Thank you to Mr. Jaime Cook, our water operator for many years of service, too.

Have you had a chance to meet our new Chief of Police, Mr. Chris Niesen? Here is a great opportunity to do so during the "Coffee with a Cop" on June 5 and August 7 from 11am-1pm at the Village Perks on Main Street. Some other new faces on the block are Mr. Garrett Kehr, clerk and Mrs. Julie Flanagan on the streets and grounds department.

We have several open positions throughout the village; including police, fire, life squad, streets and grounds, Board of Public Affairs and water operator. If you are interested in receiving more information on any of these positions, contact a council member or Mayor Gorsuch.

The mission of the Village of Seven Mile is to protect the general welfare of its residents; provide services to enhance the quality of life for all residents; and seek to nurture a sense of community thereby empowering citizens to be involved in creating a better life.

Questions regarding the Village of Seven Mile?

*Village contacts are listed above.

*Monthly council meetings dates/times and updates are posted on board outside of council room at 201 S. High St. and at the Post Office. We are happy to answer your questions and encourage residents to attend the regular monthly council meetings.

Weather emergency? In the event of a Village wide emergency, listen to WMOH, Channel 9 and Channel 12.

Summer clean up notes!

- *All property buildings and yards are to be maintained in a reasonable tidy manner and grass must be mowed by June 1.
- *Assist our village street dept by keeping your section of the street clear of debris for water to have access to street drains.
- *ORD. 2019-19—do not blow leaves or grass clippings into street.
- *If your property has a public sidewalk, it is **your** responsibility to maintain it for safe access for all. Broken sidewalks need to be repaired by the property owner.
- *The Butler County Health Department provides “dunkits” for preventing mosquitoes in standing water.

What’s been going on in the village? It is hard to include everything that our hardworking village personnel do in a couple of sentences...but here are some recent highlights:

Our Streets and Grounds department has been very busy patching pot holes, clearing drainage ditches and picking up trash throughout the village. The police department’s leaky roof has been repaired. Both bathrooms in the fire house have new floors, toilets and grab bars to help bring them up to code. Our village engineer, Mr. Terry Dalrymple has been attending multiple meetings and making hundreds of phone calls to help find solutions to the complex flooding issues throughout the village. Our Fire and Life Squad departments have been very busy updating medical equipment and training volunteers to help keep us safe. Please make sure your house address is **visible** from the street to better help them respond quickly in an emergency. Don’t forget the annual Fish Fry on June 11. Entertainment will be Justin Back and Jimmy Rogers. Price is \$15 for adults and \$8 for children. If you don’t fancy fish—there will be hot dogs available, too.

Like with many things recently, our water rate will increase in June to reflect the additional charges from our water supplier. When making payments, please include your payment stub and write your account number on your check.

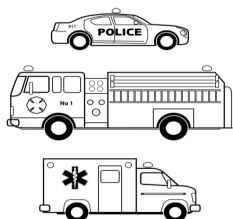
Mayor Gorsuch wants to reiterate that communication is important with everyone in the village. If you have questions about maintenance, safety concerns or ordinances, please call her or attend one of the monthly council meetings.

Every five years, we ask our residents to approve a renewal tax levy for operating expenses. Without these funds, some of our Village departments would cease to exist. Please vote yes to renew our Village operations levy on November 8, 2022.



Did you know that Rumpke offers curbside recycling service in the Village of Seven Mile? If interested, please call 1-800-828-8171 for more information to do your small part in keeping our village clean. Contact Butler County Recycling and Solid Waste at 513-887-3653 or at butlercountyrecycles.org for info about recycling tires, hazardous waste, batteries, computers and televisions.

Have you heard the good news? Your personnel and elected officials have been working hard at creating a website for the village of Seven Mile. Once it is up and running, we will post the website information around town and invite everyone to take a look.



Want to become a Seven Mile Police officer? Leave a message for Chief Niesen at 513-726-4091. Officers must be OPOTA certified, complete a resume and application.

Interested in being a member of the Seven Mile Fire Department or Life Squad? Please contact Captain Kathy Allen at 513-739-1320 for more information.