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KETTERING STATE OF THE CITY PRESENTATION



Please make plans to join us for Mayor Patterson's annual State of the City presentation.

**Tuesday January 24, 2017 -7:30 PM
Kettering City Council Chambers
3600 Shroyer Road - Kettering, Ohio 45429**

Together we will celebrate the successes Kettering enjoyed in 2016 and the Mayor will announce the major projects which will take place in 2017.



Did you know that in addition to our [City of Kettering Facebook page](#) and [Twitter posts](#) the City of Kettering uses a system called Code Red to notify our residents of emergency incidents and critical community alerts?

[Please take a moment to enroll.](#)

CITY FINANCIAL INFORMATION

We want you to have information about how your tax dollars are spent to maintain & improve the Kettering community. We believe in financial transparency and making city information accessible for our residents is a priority for City Council and administration. [Our website features searchable databases for city expenditures and city salaries.](#)

MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. WRITING CONTEST



In order to encourage Kettering residents to reflect on the life and teachings of Dr. King and to promote his dream and legacy for America, the Board of Community Relations is sponsoring a writing contest for Kettering students. The deadline for submissions is February 10, 2017.

Students participating should identify a relevant current topic and then write about how they think Dr. King would respond.

The purpose of the writing contest is to look at current events and use the teachings and life of Dr. King to determine if we are living up to his legacy.

For the application for the BCR MLK Writing Contest 2017 please visit www.ketteringoh.org.

SILVERLINK

When you enroll in Code Red, you may opt to receive alerts on your home or cell phone, by email and by text. Please note that because of the emergency nature of some alerts, notices may be received at all hours. Should you wish, you can easily decide later to [opt out from receiving future alerts.](#) Please be aware that if you opt out, you will not receive any future notifications including communication about interruptions in service or news that is relevant to you.

CITYWORKS RESIDENT SERVICES VIDEO SERIES

Please enjoy the latest edition of our popular CityWorks video series focused on snow plowing.



IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT KETTERING SNOW REMOVAL AND ICE CONTROL SERVICES



The City of Kettering has established primary snow routes that provide a connected, continuous system, enabling traffic flow throughout the City.

Primary routes include major thoroughfares, hills, curves, emergency vehicle access, bus routes and school access. During winter weather these routes will receive attention first because they are

The City of Kettering is a proud partner in the new SilverLink service. SilverLink is a free and confidential information and referral service for seniors administered by the United Way of Greater Dayton. Just dial 2-1-1 or call 225-3000 to reach help 24 hours a day. For more information about the City of Kettering's extensive services for seniors [click here](#).

PRCA WINTER ACTIVITIES GUIDE



[Click here to view the new Play Kettering Winter Activities Guide.](#)

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critical for citywide safe travel.

While snow continues to fall, operations will focus on the primary snow routes only. Only after 2" of accumulation, and cessation of snowfall, will the residential side streets in the City be addressed.

While residents can expect their street to be plowed to remove accumulation of snow on the roadway, please keep in mind that plowing will not always result in clear, dry pavement.

To assist us in efforts to plow all streets as soon as possible, please remove parked vehicles from street.

The City of Kettering does not clear sidewalks. Sidewalks are the responsibility of the property owner. Carefully clear your sidewalks as soon as practical.

Stay informed about pending weather conditions. The best place to up to the minute Kettering news is our official Facebook page: [City of Kettering, Ohio - Government](#) and [@Kettering OH](#) Twitter account.

Snow plowed across driveways is unavoidable. When shoveling, you may consider placing the snow on the right side of your driveway (as you face the street) to lessen the amount of shoveling due to snow plow deposits.

For more detailed information please call the City of Kettering Snow & Ice Information Line: (937) 296-3255.

JOIN OUR TEAM!



Do you thrive in a fast paced and challenging work environment? Do you enjoy working outdoors? Do

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you like working with a team? A position working in Kettering's Parks Recreation & Cultural Arts Department may be a perfect fit for you! We are now hiring for a variety of year round and summer positions. Please visit www.playkettering.org to learn more.

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