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CITY OF KETTERING ANNOUNCES COVID-19 IMPACT ON 2020 SUMMER PLANS

Kettering, OH – The City of Kettering is disappointed to announce that, due to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic and the guidelines set forth by the state of Ohio, several delays, closures and cancellations were made for the 2020 summer season to ensure the continued health and safety of the community.

- **Fraze Pavilion**
All concerts and events are canceled for the 2020 summer season.
- **All Parks, Recreation and Cultural Arts indoor facilities remain closed until further notice.**
This includes the Kettering Recreation Complex (including Main Pool), Charles I. Lathrem Senior Center, Kettering Fitness and Wellness Center, Habitat Environmental Center and Rosewood Arts Centre. For ideas to stay engaged, keep moving or unwind, visit our Parks, Recreation and Cultural Arts Department at www.playkettering.org and follow our Play Kettering social media outlets.
- **The Adventure Reef Water Park will not open for the summer 2020 season.**
- **The Splash Pad at J. F. Kennedy Park will not open in 2020.**
- **All Summer Camps are canceled.**
- **All Summer Sports Programs are canceled**
- **Go Fourth Fireworks Independence Day Celebration is canceled.**

Refunds for tickets, passes or enrollments will be processed automatically within the next two weeks.

“These facilities programs, events and camps are a big part of what makes Kettering home; and, the care and consideration for the safety of our customers and staff is paramount in making these difficult decisions,” City Manager Mark Schwieterman said. “It is our responsibility to help flatten the COVID-19 curve and keep our community in good health.”

City officials will continue to follow the direction and information provided by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Public Health – Dayton and Montgomery County and the Ohio Department of Health to determine a timeline for re-opening these important facilities.

Updates for all events will be available at www.ketteringoh.org.

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