

**CITY MANAGER'S NEWSLETTER**  
**MAY 17, 2024**

**IMPORTANT COUNCIL DATES:**

May 18, Saturday – “That Day in May”  
May 29, Wednesday, 3 p.m. – Executive Session (30 Park)  
June 3, Monday, 6:30 p.m. – Regular Session (30 Park)  
June 17, Monday, 5 p.m. – Work Session (30 Park)  
July 15, Monday, 6:30 p.m. – Regular Session (30 Park)  
August 5, Monday, 6:30 p.m. – Regular Session (30 Park)  
August 11, Sunday, 3:30 p.m. to 7 p.m. – Ice Cream Social (Shafor Park)  
August 19, Monday, 5 p.m. – Work Session (30 Park)

**BUSINESS UPDATE:**

- “That Day in May”: The big event is tomorrow. Enclosed are *Register* and *DDN* articles about the various activities. Please be at Shafor and Orchard at around 11:15 a.m. for the parade lineup.
- May 29 Executive Session: We are confirmed for an executive session at 3 p.m. on Wednesday, May 29. We will conduct the meeting in the 30 Park conference room. Greg Horn will attend. I am available to attend, if that is council’s wish.
- Saved by the Helmet: Enclosed is a *Register* article about a motorcycle accident involving Zach Gold... and the importance of wearing a helmet.
- Recreational Marijuana: Enclosed is a *DDN* article reporting that license applications will be available no later than June 7 for businesses wishing to sell recreational marijuana. We are working on legislation to prohibit retail dispensaries, cultivators or processors of recreational marijuana in Oakwood. This legislation is planned for a first reading at the June 3 public meeting. It would replace the 1-year moratorium that is set to expire on January 2, 2025.
- Safety Department Report: Enclosed is the April report.
- City Manager Search: Enclosed is the press release distributed on Tuesday announcing that we engaged Management Advisory Group, LLC.
- 2024 Committee Membership: Enclosed is a draft of the 2024 Committee Membership booklet. We will issue a final copy after the June 3 council meeting.
- Dr. Waller: Enclosed is another *DDN* article.
- Parking Lot Sealing: We had a contractor seal and restripe the OCC parking lot last weekend. Over the next few weeks, the contractor will seal and restripe the parking lots at Old River/Lane Stadium, behind the city building and on Orchard Drive.
- Oakwood Rotary Club Awards: I informed Andy Aidt (Civic Leadership), Cindy Stafford (Community Service) and Tracy Martin (Community Service) that they will receive the Rotary awards. They were very appreciative of the recognition. We will select a Friday morning in July to make the presentation.

- Water System CCR: Enclosed is the 2023 Drinking Water Consumer Confidence Report (CCR). Bottom line: We continue to operate our public water system in conformance with all state and federal requirements. We prepare this CCR annually at the direction of the EPA. We reference the report in the June/July *Oakwood Scene* newsletter and will post it to our website next Friday, May 24.
- Gardner Pool: Enclosed is a *DDN* article about the May 25 pool opening. Below is a summary of pool memberships as of yesterday, compared to this time in the previous two years:

Pool membership totals as of May 16 each year:

	Family	Single	Senior	Membership Revenue
2024	454	52	110	\$161,350
2023	439	35	98	\$153,130
2022	387	48	87	\$121,555

Total revenue at end of season for 2023: \$194,647

Total revenue at end of season for 2022: \$166,192

- Street Sweeper: We recently took delivery of the new street sweeper. It will be in the TDIM parade!



- Oakwood Farmers' Market: The annual market opens on Saturday, June 1.

- Bruce Walton Ronald: Enclosed is an email from The Oakwood Historical Society (TOHS) announcing the passing of Bruce Ronald. He and his wife Virginia partnered with TOHS and coauthored our history book: *Oakwood: The Far Hills*. It was originally published in 1983, on our 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary. A centennial update was published in 2008, with a revised Forward.
- Hefty ReNew Program: Enclosed is the press release distributed on Monday. We are working on a website posting with details about the new program.
- Vacation: I will be away from Monday, May 20 through Tuesday, May 28. Carol will be in charge. I will have my 937-608-1608 cell phone with me and should have phone service and access to city email, which I will periodically monitor.

HAVE A GREAT WEEKEND!

TRANSMITTALS NOTED WITHIN NEWSLETTER

*Register and DDN* articles re: “That Day in May”

*Register* article re: Motorcycle Accident

*DDN* article re: Recreational Marijuana

April Safety Department Report

Press Release – CM Search Process

Draft 2024 Committee Membership Booklet

*DDN* article re: Dr. Waller

2023 Drinking Water CCR

*DDN* article re: Gardner Pool

TOHS Email re: Bruce Ronald

Press Release – Hefty ReNew Program

SATURDAY, MAY 18 & MONDAY, MAY 20



SPONSORED BY THE ROTARY CLUB OF OAKWOOD

PARADE · FOOD · BOUNCY HOUSES  
GAMES · AUTO SHOW · 5K/10K · PANCAKES



CARE FLIGHT · DOG SHOW · SILENT AUCTION  
LEMON SHAKE-UPS · GOLF SCRAMBLE

**That Day in May festivities return to Oakwood this weekend, golf outing tees up May 20**

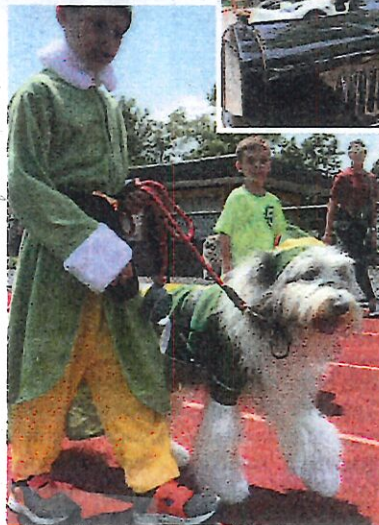
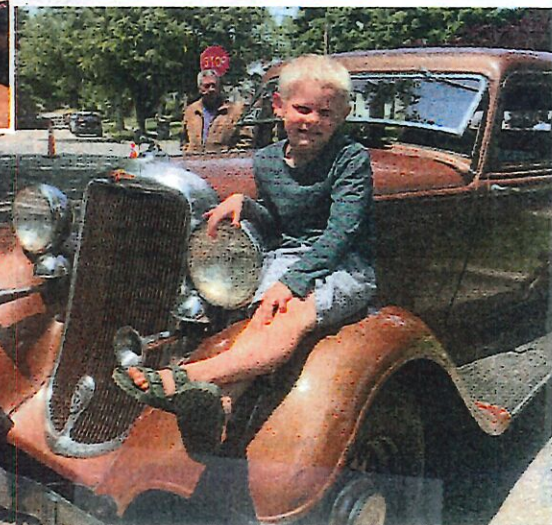


# Best Dog Show Ever, Car Show at That Day in May

Oakwood resident and That Day in May Dog Show Chair Peter Davies and his furry chum Teddy can often be seen exercising each other on the sidewalks of Oakwood, keeping each other in fine company. Teddy won't be at That Day in May with Peter this year, because his "dad" is putting on the Best Dog Show Ever! with prizes like Best Costume, Best Ears, Best Sit and Best in Show with the very topical theme of "Barbenheimer."

Online registration is \$10 through May 17; day-of registration is available at Mack Hummon Stadium, starting at 1:30 p.m., for \$15 cash. The Dog Show starts at 2 p.m. For more information, visit the event website at [www.tdim.org](http://www.tdim.org).

Auto enthusiasts will find a fabulous lineup of cars including a 1963 Jaguar E-Type, 1969 Mini Cooper S, a 1996 Ferrari 550 and a group of four Oakwood-owned Teslas at the That Day in May Car Show. Organizers are hoping for a few surprise visits as well, possibly including a magnificent vintage Packard.



## Calling All Cars!

Do you have a vintage, exotic or special interest automobile?

There are still spaces left for the That Day In May car show. This show is casual, non-competitive and weather permitting.

If you are interested in joining the exhibit of great cars, contact Mark Risley by text or phone at (937) 750-3569 or email [therisleys@ameritech.net](mailto:therisleys@ameritech.net) for details.

That Day in May, Oakwood's eagerly anticipated annual community festival, returns this Saturday, May 18, rain or shine, with all the fun activities that fans have come to expect at this family-friendly event.

The Rotary Club of Oakwood has been the host of That Day in May for more than 40 years and each year, over 4,000 residents and their friends mark this day on their calendars as the unofficial start to summer and make their plans for a day to celebrate.

Saturday begins bright and early as Rotarians arrive at the high school cafeteria, don their aprons and begin to set up the tables, pour the maple syrup, mix up the pancakes and get out the juice in anticipation of the Pancake Breakfast to start at 8 a.m. and the smell of pancakes and bacon that will soon fill the air.

Just outside the high school, near Mack Hummon Stadium, runners will begin to gather for the start of the Fun Run for kids and families at 8:30 a.m. followed by the 5K and 10K races at 9 a.m. This year's running events feature three new courses and newly designed tee-shirts in traditional blue and gold colors.

At noon, Shafor Boulevard from Orchard Drive to Oakwood High School will be filled with floats and groups marching to the high school in Oakwood's Community Parade. Cheer for your community favorites, hear the bands, and marvel at the classic and latest and greatest EV cars to get your interest piqued for the Car Show on Dellwood Avenue.

After the Parade, That Day in May festivities continue at Mack Hummon Field at 12:30 p.m. with games along

Schantz Avenue between the high school and the stadium, plus a gym full of inflatables and bouncy houses inside the Junior High School's famed "The Pit." Check out the dunking booth with your favorite Oakwood personalities ready to take the plunge! There will also be food trucks and scheduled to appear are D Fish D Chicken featuring fish boats and chicken baskets, Bubble Tea, The Wild Banana smoothies and smoothie bowls, Cruisin' Cuisine's gourmet eclectic menu, Dayton favorite Kona Ice, and be sure to make your way to the one and only Lemon Shake-Up tent where Rotarians will shake up the classic TDIM signature lemonade!

Who can resist a pup dressed up in Barbenheimer fashion and accessorized with a wagging tail? No one, so be sure to make your way into the stadium

at 2 p.m. as the pups and their proud owners parade inside the stadium in the Best Dog Show Ever! parade and costume contest. Registration begins inside the stadium at 1:30 p.m. with the Dog Show to follow at 2 p.m. Some of the categories include Best Sit, Best Ears, Best Costume and Best of Show.

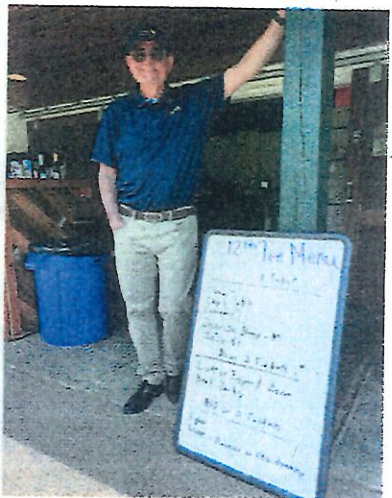
Auto enthusiasts will gather from 1-4 p.m. along Dellwood just outside the stadium for a lineup of cars ranging from rare, vintage editions all the way up to the latest in EVs. Many owners will be in attendance with their cars to answer questions.

That Day in May Golf Outing and Silent Auction follow on Monday, May 20, at the Dayton Country Club and the day is not just for golfers only! The Golf Outing (advanced registration required) with a scramble start at noon

and the Silent Auction is open to the Community at 4:30 p.m. for a chance to bid on over 50 gift baskets featuring unique goods, services and experiences. The community is also invited to come to the Country Club at 4:30 p.m. for the fabulous 19th Hole Cocktail Party and Silent Auction! The \$25 ticket includes access to the party, Silent Auction and two drink tickets for beer or wine.

To register for the Golf Outing, go to the event website [www.tdim.org](http://www.tdim.org); payment can be made by mailing in a check or money order, made payable to Rotary Club of Oakwood, or at the registration table for the event. Run registration and payment are online only. Tickets for the Pancake Breakfast are available at the door or may be purchased at the Oakwood Community Center.

## Golf Outing, Silent Auction, 19th Hole Cocktail Party wrap up That Day In May 2024



Oakwood Rotary has reserved the Dayton Country Club and its legendary golf course for Monday, May 20, for the That Day in May Golf Outing.

The course, designed by world-renowned golf course architect Donald Ross, offers unique elevation changes in a spectacular setting with That Day in May adding fun twists to test your

skills with a chance to win prizes. The course is a pleasure to play for golfers of all levels and if you've never played at the DCC, now's the perfect chance.

Golfers have access to the 19th Hole Cocktail Party following the day of golf for hot hors d'oeuvres, two drink tickets for beer and wine, the awarding of contest hole prizes and a

chance to bid on Silent Auction items. The community is welcome, as well. Tickets can be purchased at the door for \$25 each.

The Silent Auction team has outdone themselves this year and has gathered baskets, items and services with a total value of over \$11,000 for the community to bid

on. Come to the Dayton Country Club at 4:30 p.m. to tour the tables for that special something. Items up for bid include OSU football game tickets, Dayton Dragon baseball game tickets and suite, University of Dayton basketball tickets, jewelry gift cards, golf packages, a hot air balloon ride, restaurant gift cards, lawn care

packages, car wash and detailing, fishing and birding adventures, lottery trees, art classes and blacktop and concrete work.

A portion of proceeds from That Day in May and the That Day in May Golf Outing benefit the Oakwood Rotary Foundation, a charitable arm of the Rotary Club of Oakwood.

## OAKWOOD

### Rotary hosts That Day in May starting Saturday

Oakwood's annual That Day in May celebration, hosted by the Rotary Club of Oakwood, is set for Saturday and Monday.

The Saturday schedule includes:

■ 8-11 a.m.: Pancake breakfast, Oakwood High School cafeteria, 1200 Far Hills Ave.

■ 8:30 a.m.: 1K kids fun, and adults 5K and 10K. Mack Hummon Stadium, behind OHS, East Schantz Avenue.

■ Noon: Parade, Shafor Boulevard from Orchard Drive to the OHS stadium.

■ 12:30-4 p.m.: Games and bouncy houses, on Schantz Avenue and in The Pit, OHS.

■ 1-4 p.m.: Auto show, in the second block of Dellwood Avenue.

■ 1:20 p.m.: Dog show, OHS stadium.

The Monday schedule includes a silent auction inside Dayton Country Club, 555 Kramer Road, at 10 a.m., and the 4th annual golf outing at noon at DCC, with a cocktail hour afterward.

Proceeds from That Day in May support the Oakwood Rotary Foundation, which supports many charitable groups, school events and community projects. Several businesses are sponsoring this year's festivities.

# Oakwood Public Safety Officer takes part in 'Saved by the Helmet' event for Motorcycle Awareness Month

In recognition of May being National Motorcycle Awareness Month, the Oakwood Public Safety Department would like to remind all drivers to expect to see more motorcycle riders on the road as peak riding season is upon us. The state of Ohio has over 500,000 registered motorcycles, and 600,000 endorsed riders, making Ohio one of the top five states in the U.S. for total motorcycle riders.

Recommended minimum safety equipment for every motorcycle rider and passenger includes: a DOT approved helmet, eye protection, over the ankle footwear, long pants, and full fingered gloves. Recent statistics provided by the Center for Disease Control and Prevention show wearing a motorcycle helmet reduces the risk of death by 37 percent for riders, and 41 percent for passengers. Helmets also reduce the risk of severe head injury by 69 percent.

The impact and importance of wearing a helmet while riding a motorcycle was locally highlighted on April 26, when Oakwood Safety Department personnel, Captain Mike Tanner and Public Safety Officer Chris Slone, attended the Motorcycle Ohio, a division of the Ohio Traffic Safety Office, 'Saved by the Helmet' award presentation held on the grounds of Wright-Patterson Air Force Base. Six motorcycle riders were presented with the Saved by the Helmet award recognizing them for surviving serious crashes while wearing a helmet, with one of those riders being Zach Gold.

On July 20, 2021, Oakwood Public Safety Officers responded to the intersection of Far Hills Avenue and Patterson Road on the report of a motorcycle crash. Gold, who was riding his motorcycle and was wearing a helmet at the time of the crash, collided with a vehicle and suffered serious injury as a result of the crash. The fact that Gold was wearing a helmet was credited with saving his life.

Public Safety Officer Slone, who was not only the on-scene paramedic responsible for Gold's patient care, is also a certified accident reconstructionist and was later assigned to investigate the crash said, "It was great to see Zach and his family at the event, and more importantly to see he is doing well. In Public Safety, we don't always get to see the positive results of our work, but this is a moment in my career that I will always remember."

Motorists are encouraged to always check mirrors and blind spots before

changing lanes as motorcycles can be difficult to see. Additionally, motorists are reminded to always keep a safe distance by not following a motorcycle too closely. If you see a motorcycle with a turn signal on, be careful to ensure that the rider is turning before moving ahead. Intersections are danger zones for motorcycles, so motorists should always take a second look prior to making a left-hand turn.



**Pictured from left to right: Zach Gold, Oakwood Public Safety Officer Chris Slone.**



TOP STATE STORY

# Recreational marijuana likely for sale in June

Existing dispensaries also expected to sell non-medical products.

**By Julie Carr Smyth**  
Associated Press

COLUMBUS – Recreational marijuana could be available for sale in Ohio by mid-June, after new licensing rules for dispensaries cleared a key legislative hurdle Monday.

Adult-use sales have been in limbo in the state since December, when an initiated statute approved by voters went into effect. Ohioans over 21 were

immediately able to legally grow and possess cannabis at home, but they had nowhere to legally buy it, prompting concern by Gov. Mike DeWine and some fellow Republicans in the Legislature that openings would be created for a black market.

On Monday, the Joint Committee on Agency Rule Review allowed rules to proceed without objection that clear the way for a dual licensing program that will allow existing medical marijuana dispensaries to also sell non-medical pot products.

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# Marijuana

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Jim Canepa, superintendent of the Division of Cannabis Control, said applications will be available by no later than June 7, as the new law requires.

"I don't want to give anyone false hopes," he told reporters, when asked whether applications might even be available before then. "We're following the timeline in the initiated statute. We have a small but mighty staff, but there's (a) bandwidth (issue) there."

Canepa didn't want to speculate on how long approval of each application might take, saying it will depend on the circumstances.

But Tom Haren, spokesperson for Ohio Cannabis Coalition and a key backer of last fall's ballot effort, said dispensary operators will be ready right away. He said the Division of Cannabis Control has been "working tirelessly" over the last several months to meet the deadlines laid out in the law for getting the program up and running, and his members have been trying to match their speed.

"Our members have obviously been anticipating the rollout of adult-use sales," he said. "They've been working on getting processes in place, making whatever changes they need to procedures. We're really excited."

Haren said he anticipates most of Ohio's existing dispensaries will apply to be dual licensees, allowing them to sell both medical and recreational products.

Canepa said this is one of several rules packages that must be created to fully implement the program by the final deadline, which is Sept. 7. The new law allows adults 21 and over to buy and possess up to 2.5 ounces

of cannabis and to grow up to six plants per individual or 12 plants per household at home.

It gave the state nine months to set up a system for legal marijuana purchases, subject to a 10% tax. Sales revenue is to be divided between administrative costs, addiction treatment, municipalities with dispensaries, paying for social equity and jobs programs supporting the cannabis industry.

Republican state Rep. Jamie Callender, a longtime supporter of legalizing adult-use cannabis, said the speed with which Cannabis Control, a division of the Ohio Department of Commerce, is gearing up the program validates his contention last year that working through the rules process was better than passing a swiftly negotiated legislative package.

DeWine and the Republican-led Ohio Senate struck a deal at the 11th hour on a sweeping rewrite of what voters had approved, angering the issue's backers and alarming both parties in the House.

The bill the Senate passed would have outlawed growing at home, cut the allowable amount of pot that can be possessed to 1 ounce and raised taxes on purchases to 15%.

It would also have eliminated tax revenue funding for social equity programs supporting the marijuana industry and direct most of the tax money raised to a general state government fund. But the House adjourned without taking a vote.

Callender said legislation will still no doubt be needed to address several issues "not inconsistent with what voters voted on," such as child safety packaging, prohibiting marketing cannabis to kids, and assuring business owners are protected.

DDN 5/15/24

**THE OAKWOOD PUBLIC SAFETY DEPARTMENT'S  
REPORT TO THE CITY MANAGER**

**APRIL 2024**

Submitted by Chief Alan Hill

**LAW ENFORCEMENT**

**PART 1 CRIMES:** There were ten Part 1 crimes reported during the month of April. These included seven thefts, two domestic violence, and one endangering children call.

**TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT:** During the month of April, 81 traffic violations were cited, and 64 parking citations were issued.

**DETECTIVE INVESTIGATIONS:**

24-001141	300 Blk Old River Trail	Theft	Under Investigation
24-001169	400 Blk Volusia	Theft	Under Investigation

**LEADS:** The LEADS validation report this month concerned warrant entries. All entries have been validated and the Safety Department remains in compliance with LEADS protocol.

**TEEN COURT:** There were two cases referred to the Oakwood Teen Court and one case was referred to the Montgomery County Juvenile Court during the month of April.

**FIRE**

**FIRE:** There were six total fire responses in April including one AMARS request from the Kettering Fire Department. These included three smell of smoke calls, one natural gas leak, and two odor investigations.

**APPARATUS:** Engine 27 had the braking system repaired during the month of April.

**FIRE INSPECTIONS:** There were two fire inspections conducted during the month of April.

## EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

REMOVALS: There were 38 total calls for emergency medical services in April, including two mutual aid requests from the Dayton Fire Department and one mutual aid request from the Kettering Fire Department. Seven patients refused medical treatment and/or transportation. All other patients were transported to area hospitals for treatment.

## MISCELLANEOUS

DARE: During the month of April, the DARE Officer taught eight classes and held the graduation ceremony at Harman Elementary.

## TRAINING

Public Safety Officers, Lieutenants, and Command Staff completed a total of 432 hours of police, fire, and EMS training during the month of April.

The bulk of the training hours completed this month was accumulated by the semi-annual "fire tower" in-service training. The Dayton Fire Department provided flash over refresher training for all Safety Department members.

During the month of April, monthly EMS training was held with the training topics focused on electrical and eye injuries.

The week of April 8, newly assigned Safety Department SWAT Officers PSO Ryan Wells and PSO Matt Staley attended Basic 40-hour SWAT School, and PSO Cameron McElroy completed 16 hours of monthly SWAT training.

The week of April 15, PSO Greg Ortel attended the annual Fire Department Instructor's Conference in Indianapolis, Indiana.

April 28, 29, and 30, Chief Alan Hill attended the Ohio Association of Chiefs of Police annual in-service training conference in Columbus, Ohio.

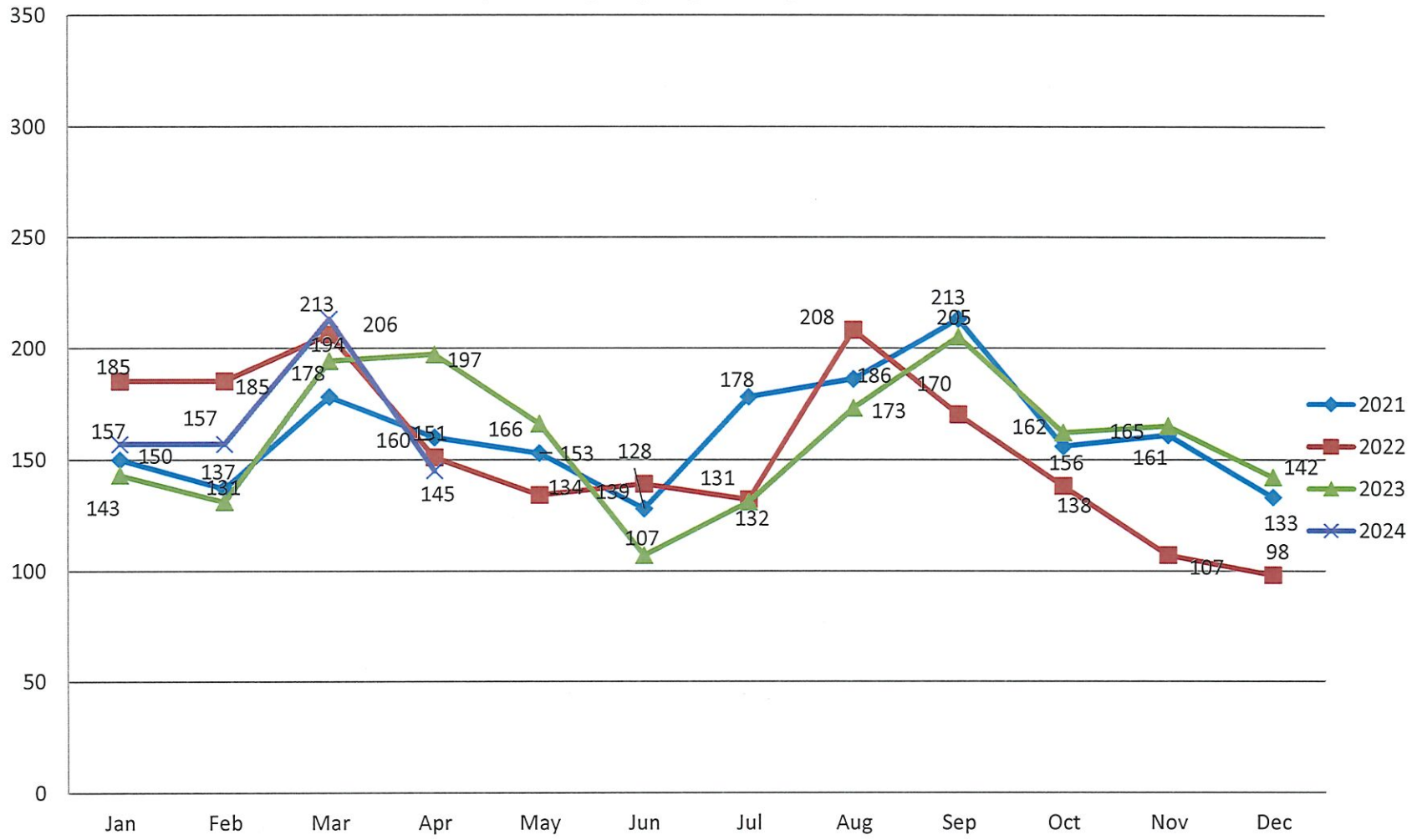
Lastly, during the month of April, Public Safety Officers completed a 2-hour OPOTA Online training covering Arrest, and Search and Seizure.

## OFFICER ACTIVITY

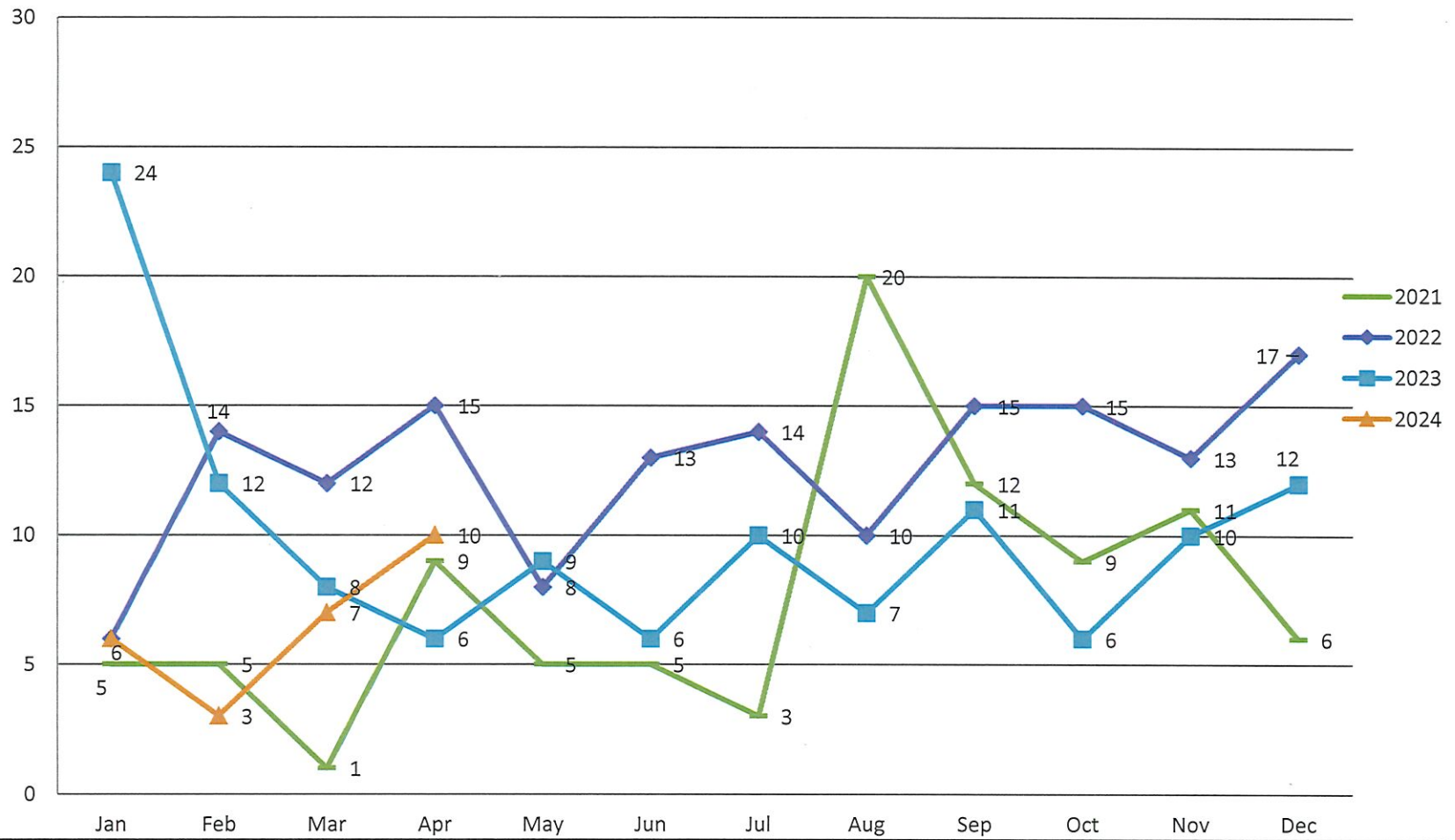
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Staff	0	2	0	0	7	3	8	2	1
1	3	18	1	1	35	30	45	84	4
2	3	36	1	8	20	14	44	110	4
3	5	25	0	2	42	17	41	105	4

TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS CITED		WARNINGS	
White	47	White	90
Black	25	Black	36
Indian	1	Indian	1
Asian	0	Asian	0
Hispanic	1	Hispanic	5
Middle Eastern	0	Middle Eastern	2
Unoccupied Vehicle/Other/Unknown	7	Unoccupied Vehicle/Other/Unknown	4
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>138</b>
FIELD INVESTIGATIONS		ARRESTS	
White	10	White	7
Black	1	Black	2
Indian	0	Indian	0
Asian	0	Asian	0
Hispanic	0	Hispanic	2
Middle Eastern	0	Middle Eastern	0
Other/Unknown	0	Other/Unknown	0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>11</b>

# CITATIONS 2021-2024



# PART 1 CRIMES 2021-2024



## PRESS RELEASE



City of Oakwood  
30 Park Avenue  
Oakwood, Ohio 45419

**Subject:** City Manager Selection Process

**Date:** May 14, 2024

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OAKWOOD, OHIO:

The city of Oakwood has selected Management Advisory Group, LLC to support the search for a new city manager, as mandated by the Oakwood City Charter, which stipulates that the five-person City Council is responsible for this selection process.

During the public meeting on April 1, 2024, City Manager Norbert Klopsch announced his planned retirement in November of this year. In the coming weeks, Oakwood City Council will collaborate with Management Advisory Group to establish the process for identifying and appointing the new city manager.

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT

Mayor William D. Duncan

(937) 298-0600

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# City of Oakwood



## 2024 Committee Membership

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# City of Oakwood - City Council

Name	Address	E-mail	Home/Cell	Office	Appointed	Term Expires
William Duncan Mayor	1101 Hathaway Road Oakwood, OH 45419	duncan@oakwoodohio.gov	(937) 299-4569		Appointed 5/30/03 Elected 11/4/03 Reelected 11/6/07 Reelected 11/8/11 Reelected 11/3/15 Reelected 11/5/19 Relected 11/7/23	12/31/2027
Steven Byington Vice Mayor	24 W. Schantz Avenue 88 CEG/CENM 5151 Wright Ave. WPAFB, OH 45433-5339	byington@oakwoodohio.gov	(937) 361-5466		Elected 11/6/07 Reelected 11/8/11 Reelected 11/3/15 Reelected 11/5/19 Relected 11/7/23	12/31/2027
Robert Stephens	214 Forrer Boulevard Stephens Insurance 51 Park Avenue Oakwood, OH 45419	stephens@oakwoodohio.gov	(937) 344-4810	(937) 293-6760	Elected 11/3/09 Reelected 11/5/13 Reelected 11/7/17 Reelected 11/2/21	12/31/2025
Leigh Turben	204 Forrer Boulevard Oakwood, OH 45419	turben@oakwoodohio.gov	(937) 750-0494		Appointed 2/1/2021 Elected 11/2/21 Relected 11/7/23	12/31/2025
Healy Jackson	118 Lonsdale Avenue Oakwood, OH 45419	jackson@oakwoodohio.gov	(937) 294-1941		Elected 11/7/23	12/31/2027

## City of Oakwood - City Staff

Name	Title	Address	E-mail	Home/Cell	Office	Hire Date
Norbert Klopsch <sup>(1)</sup>	City Manager	265 Volusia Avenue Oakwood, OH 45409	klopsch@oakwoodohio.gov	(937) 750-2055	(937) 298-0600	11/2/1992
Carol Collins <sup>(2)</sup>	Leisure Services Director	401 Hadley Avenue Oakwood, OH 45419	collins@oakwoodohio.gov	(937) 294-2155	(937) 298-0775	8/19/1974
Cindy Stafford	Finance Director	9291 Great Lakes Circle Dayton, OH 45458	stafford@oakwoodohio.gov	(937) 219-6336	(937) 298-0402	6/30/2008
Robert Jacques	Law Director	110 Hadley Avenue Oakwood, OH 45419	jacques@oakwoodohio.gov	(937) 776-7026	(937) 298-0600	8/1/2011
Alan Hill <sup>(3)</sup>	Safety Director	15 Corral Court Springboro, OH 45066	hill@oakwoodohio.gov	(937) 748-9314	(937) 298-2122	7/13/2007
Doug Spittler	Public Works Director	1225 Brainard Woods Drive Centerville, OH 45458	spittler@oakwoodohio.gov	(937) 422-6755	(937) 298-0777	1/6/2020
Chris Kuzma	City Engineer	6871 Lakewood Drive Mason, OH 45040	kuzma@oakwoodohio.gov	(937) 344-3918	(937) 298-0777	8/2/2021
Ethan Kroger	Planning & Zoning Manager	3349 Lenox Drive Kettering, OH 45429	kroger@oakwoodohio.gov	(937) 545-1371	(937) 298-0600	6/22/2015
Sangita Anand	Human Resources Manager	9130 Bennington Way Centerville, OH 45458	sangita@oakwoodohio.gov	(937) 620-3589	(937) 298-0600	7/17/2023

<sup>(1)</sup> Appointed city manager 4/1/02. Served as city engineer from 11/2/92 to 7/2/00, and engineering and public works director from 7/3/00 to 3/31/02.

<sup>(2)</sup> Appointed leisure services director on 3/30/98. Served as city horticulturist from 8/19/74 to 3/29/98.

<sup>(3)</sup> Appointed public safety director on 11/10/17. Served as public safety officer from 7/15/07 to 4/24/11 and public safety captain from 4/25/11 to 11/9/17.

# City of Oakwood - 2024 Council Committee Assignments

Committee	Name	<u>Regional Agencies</u>	
Court Liaison	Leigh Turben, Chair Healy Jackson	Miami Valley Communications Council	Rob Stephens, Vice Chair Leigh Turben, Alternate
Finance	Steve Byington, Chair William Duncan	Miami Valley Regional Planning Commission	Steve Byington William Duncan, Alternate
Law and Minutes	Healy Jackson, Chair Steve Byington	EMA Regional Advisory Council	William Duncan Norbert Klopsch, Alternate
Planning and Zoning	Steve Byington, Chair Healy Jackson	First Suburbs Consortium	Steve Byington Norbert Klopsch
Public Properties	Leigh Turben, Chair Rob Stephens		Leigh Turben, Alternate
Public Utilities/ Waterworks/Sewer	Leigh Turben, Chair Rob Stephens		
Safety and Traffic	Rob Stephens, Chair Healy Jackson	<u>Boards, Commissions and Citizen Ad Hoc Committees</u>	
Streets and Alleys	Rob Stephens, Chair Healy Jackson	Planning Commission	Steve Byington
Community Relations/ Promotion & Appointments	William Duncan, Chair Steve Byington	Beautification Committee	Rob Stephens
		Sister City Association	Leigh Turben
<u>The Mayor also serves as ex-officio member of each council committee.</u>		Historical Society	Healy Jackson

# City of Oakwood - Planning Commission

Meets 1st Wednesday of every month - 4:30 p.m. Term of Office: 4 years						
Name	Address	E-mail	Home/Cell	Office	Appointed	Term Expires
Andrew Aidt Chair	231 Telford Avenue Oakwood, OH 45419	andrew.aidt@ketteringoh.org	(937) 286-7478	(937) 296-2420	6/27/2005	12/31/2024
Harrison Gowdy Vice Chair	151 Aberdeen Avenue Oakwood, OH 45419	stammgowdy@gmail.com	(937) 416-5991		3/3/2008	12/31/2025
Greg Lauterbach	29 Beverly Place Oakwood, OH 45419	greg@gllarchitect.com	(937) 313-7151		11/5/2018	12/31/2026
Kevin Hill	214 Lonsdale Avenue Oakwood, OH 45419	hillkf@yahoo.com	(401) 662-9732	(937) 656-3580	2/5/2024	12/31/2027
Steven Byington Council Liaison	24 W. Schantz Avenue Oakwood, OH 45409	byington@oakwoodohio.gov	(937) 361-5466		1/7/2008	

# City of Oakwood - Board of Zoning Appeals

Meetings - 2nd Thursday of every month - 4:30 p.m. Term of office: 5 years

Name	Address	E-mail	Home/Cell	Office	Appointed	Term Expires
Nick Endsley	66 Harman Terrace Oakwood, OH 45419	nick.endsley@gmail.com	(952) 210-7253	(937) 222-2500	11/5/2018	12/31/2029
Linda Weprin	638 Garden Road Oakwood, OH 45419	lmweprin@sbcglobal.net	(937) 477-4734		7/21/2014	12/31/2024
Don O'Connor	1306 E. Schantz Avenue Oakwood, OH 45419	donald.p.oconnor@gmail.com	(419) 215-8990	(937) 223-1271	4/5/2021	12/31/2025
Christine Yankel	416 Triangle Avenue Oakwood, OH 45419	christine.m.yankel@gmail.com	(937) 671-1400		2/5/2024	12/31/2028
Paul Kavanaugh	132 Lonsdale Ave Oakwood, OH 45419	paul.m.kavanaugh@mac.com	(860) 462-0490	(937) 327-2297	3/4/2024	12/31/2028

# City of Oakwood - Board of Health

Meetings - 4th Tuesday of every other month - 5:30 p.m. Term of office: 5 years

Name	Address	E-mail	Home/Cell	Office	Appointed	Term Expires
William Duncan President	30 Park Avenue	duncan@oakwoodohio.gov		(937) 298-0600		
Dr. David Denka, D.O. Chair	633 Woods Road	ddenka59@yahoo.com	(937) 298-3874	(937) 254-5661	2/7/2005	12/31/2025
Dr. Bill Coyne, D.D.S., Vice Chair	302 Hathaway Road	billcoyne@aol.com	(937) 299-8763		9/19/2016	12/31/2026
Dr. Elizabeth Maimon, DVM, M.P.H.	217 Haver Road	esm@hdvet.com	(937) 260-0673		12/7/2015	12/31/2026
Diane Scott, R.N.	249 Claranna Avenue	scott.diane918@yahoo.com	(937) 231-0918		1/7/2013	12/31/2028
Dr. Elizabeth Hardy, PhD	505 E. Schantz Avenue	elizabethahardyphd@gmail.com	(937) 271-2224		4/3/2023	12/31/2028
<u>Staff</u>						
Dr. Steve Enseleit, MD Health Commissioner	188 Lookout Drive	hc@oakwoodohio.gov	513-267-0154		1/1/2019	
Dr. John Ewing, MD Assistant Health Commissioner and Medical Director	110 Park Road	johnewing@me.com	(937) 321-4023 (C)			
Matthew Tyler, R.S., Environmental Health Director	117 S. Main Street Dayton, OH 45422	mtyler@phdmc.org		(937) 225-4429		
Norbert Klopsch Administrator	30 Park Avenue	klopsch@oakwoodohio.gov		(937) 298-0600		



# City of Oakwood - Personnel Appeals Board

Meetings - On Call Term of office: 3 years

Name	Address	E-mail	Home/Cell	Office	Appointed	Term Expires
Nina Anglin	333 Oakwood Avenue #1G		(937) 838-6599		2/3/2014	12/31/2026
Abby Riedel	42 Forrer Road	riedel@abby@oakwoodschoools.org	(937) 657-0095		4/3/2023	12/31/2025
Phil Wittmer	552 Hathaway Road	pwittmer@gmail.com	(937) 626-8807		4/3/2023	12/31/2025

# City of Oakwood - Budget Review Committee

Meetings - On Call Term of Office: 4 years Legislation: Resolutions 1238, 1280, 1333, 1715, 1890						
Name	Address	E-mail	Home/Cell	Office	Appointed	Term Expires
<u>OAKWOOD A</u>						
Dan Ferneding	332 Northview Road	danr@fernedinginsurance.com	(937) 293-0046	(937) 294-1755	2/26/1996	12/31/2024
John Jervis	335 Maysfield Road	john_jervis@ml.com	(937) 470-1623	(937) 225-6744	1/7/2013	12/31/2025
Sarah Waechter	231 Northview Road	sjwaechter@yahoo.com	(513) 227-4699		1/2/2018	12/31/2025
Amanda Malusky Krauss	269 Volusia Avenue	amanda.k.krauss@gmail.com	(937) 723-7252	(312) 606-3028	2/3/2020	12/31/2024
Kristina Marcus	238 Northview Road	kemmarcus@yahoo.com	(920) 889-8982		2/3/2020	12/31/2024
<u>OAKWOOD B</u>						
David Dickerson, Chair	216 Lookout Drive	dave.dickerson@mvg.com	(937) 294-8451	(937) 528-4000	12/31/1987	12/31/2028
Howard Boose	519 Shafor Boulevard	hboose3@gmail.com	(937) 293-1332		1/17/1994	12/31/2025
Bill Frapwell, Vice Chair	400 Hathaway Road	william.frapwell@ctt.com	(937) 298-7787	(937) 223-8378	2/1/1993	12/31/2024
Frederick Dudding	309 Patterson Road	dudfl@email.msn.com	(937) 294-6611	(937) 294-2228	1/15/1990	12/31/2025
Jeff Woeste	171 Lookout Drive	jwoeste@fhf-cpa.com	(937) 299-3400		5/9/2011	12/31/2028
<u>OAKWOOD C</u>						
Yusaku Kawai	256 Wiltshire Boulevard	ykawai@gmail.com	(937) 369-7272		2/6/2017	12/31/2024
Elizabeth Kussman	226 Telford Avenue	ebiffbrown@gmail.com	(937) 760-7865		6/7/2021	12/31/2025
Megan O'Leary	351 Telford Avenue	kennedmp51@gmail.com	(513) 254-3012		7/19/2021	12/31/2025
Megan Kavanaugh	132 Lonsdale Avenue	maew1981@gmail.com	(708) 336-1976		3/4/2019	12/31/2027
<u>OAKWOOD D</u>						
Michael Vanderburgh	226 Corona Avenue	michaelvanderburgh@yahoo.com	(937) 299-5542	(513) 257-6266	1/7/2008	12/31/2024
Cait Botschner	237 Hadley Avenue	cait.botschner@gmail.com	(937) 299-3827		3/4/2019	12/31/2027
Jeanne Boozell	2 Wiltshire Blvd.	cjbooze@yahoo.com	(937) 684-2139		3/6/2023	12/31/2026
Donetta Johnson	2215 Shroyer Road	donettam65@gmail.com	(937) 671-0358		5/6/2024	12/31/2028

# City of Oakwood - Budget Review Committee

Meetings - On Call Term of Office: 4 years Legislation: Resolutions 1238, 1280, 1333, 1715, 1890						
Name	Address	E-mail	Home/Cell	Office	Appointed	Term Expires
<u>OAKWOOD E</u>						
Michael Hayes	306 Claranna Avenue	mphayes@woh.rr.com	(937) 671-6845		4/1/2002	12/31/2027
Ella Himes	224 Claranna Avenue	ellahimes@yahoo.com	(937) 298-2943		12/20/2004	12/31/2024
Ellen Fodge	356 Claranna Avenue	esfodge@gmail.com	(937) 299-3816		12/20/2004	12/31/2024
Doug Kinsey	315 Triangle Avenue	doug.kinsey@artifexfinancial.com	(937) 367-1060	(855) 752-6644	1/7/2013	12/31/2024
<u>OAKWOOD F</u>						
Susie Elliott	238 Dellwood Avenue	sellott1@udayton.edu	(937) 298-3656		1/6/2014	12/31/2025
William Meyer	400 Lonsdale Avenue	bdmeyer4@juno.com	(937) 298-9405		5/9/2011	12/31/2028
Bill Rieger	20 Dellwood Avenue	rieger.bill@gmail.com	(937) 776-5369		9/19/2016	12/31/2028
Chas Kidwell	1000 Hathaway Road	kidwellc@childrensdayton.org	(937) 672-0212	(937) 449-6739	1/9/2017	12/31/2024
<u>OAKWOOD G</u>						
John Gray	1911 Ridgeway Road	jcg@grayamerica.com	(937) 296-1711	(937) 293-9313	5/5/2003	12/31/2028
Jim Vaughn	1711 Southwood Lane W	jim.vaughn@taylor.com	(937) 272-1167		2/6/2023	12/31/2026
Beth Ritzert	2400 Fairmont Avenue	baritzert@gmail.com	(937) 903-0127		6/13/2011	12/31/2028
Kate Halpin	1320 Far Hills Avenue	halpinmail@yahoo.com	(937) 299-4329		6/6/2022	12/31/2025
<u>OAKWOOD H</u>						
Mike Ruetschle	1020 Little Woods Road	mike@ruetschle.com	(937) 626-5393	(937) 461-5390	5/9/2011	12/31/2028
Mark Risley	635 Far Hills Avenue Apt 11	therisleys@ameritech.net	(937) 750-3569		6/6/2016	12/31/2028
Erika Endsley	66 Harman Terrace	erika.endsley@gmail.com	(952) 334-0764		3/1/2021	12/31/2025
Raya Whalen	143 Wisteria Drive	raya.whalen@gmail.com	(513) 652-7428		2/6/2023	12/31/2026

# City of Oakwood - Beautification Committee

Meetings - 2nd Monday - 7:30 p.m. Term of Office: 3 years Resolutions 857, 870, 951 and Ordinance 3249						
Name	Address	E-mail	Home/Cell	Office	Appointed	Term Expires
Katy Dalrymple, Chair	38 Spirea Drive	kcd@cornell.edu	(937) 474-2667		2/7/2005	12/31/2027
Jacob Fromholt, Secretary	101 Oakwood Avenue	jfromholt@messer.com	(980) 395-2674	(513) 482-5373	2/2/2020	12/31/2026
<u>Members at Large</u>						
Nancy Drozd	237 Telford Avenue	donandnancy@fuse.net	(937) 294-6266		6/13/2011	12/31/2027
Connie Epley	568 Hathaway Road	N/A	(937) 294-2251		3/4/2019	12/31/2026
Gregg Smith, Vice Chair	22 Corona Avenue	gsmith@uscat.com	(937) 689-1721		5/3/2021	12/31/2024
Ted Kircher	522 Volusia Avenue	rekircher@mac.com	(330) 285-2229		6/4/2018	12/31/2024
Evan Brooks	221 Lonsdale Avenue	N/A	(614) 214-2406		5/3/2021	12/31/2024
Sarena Kelley	1126 Oakwood Avenue	sarenakelley@hotmail.com	(775) 548-6100		7/19/2021	12/31/2024
Yury Chorny	342 W Schantz Avenue	ychorny.orion@gmail.com	(937) 543-2380		6/3/2019	12/31/2026
Peter Davies	2700 Hathaway Road	peter.daytonrealtor@gmail.com	(937) 516-7813		6/3/2019	12/31/2026
David Schoeff	115 E. Schantz Avenue	dschoeff@aol.com	(937) 367-3600		7/19/2021	12/31/2024
Andrew Norton	2418 Delaine Avenue	norton0276@gmail.com	(937) 371-1409		7/19/2021	12/31/2024
<u>Ex-Officio Members</u>						
Robert Stephens, Council	214 Forrer Boulevard	stephens@oakwoodohio.gov	(937) 344-4810			
Carol Collins, Staff	105 Patterson Road	collins@oakwoodohio.gov	(937) 294-2155	(937) 298-0775		
Brian Caldwell, Staff	105 Patterson Road	bcaldwell@oakwoodohio.gov		(937) 298-0775		

# City of Oakwood - Property Maintenance Board

Meetings - On Call Term of Office: 5 years Chapter 17						
Name	Address	E-mail	Home/Cell	Office	Appointed	Term Expires
<u>OAKWOOD A</u>						
Brian Wright	349 E. Schantz Avenue	bwright@ficlaw.com	(937) 683-3074	(937) 227-9910	3/7/2022	12/31/2027
Gwyn King	205 Haver Road	drwyn@gmail.com	(614) 562 9972		4/4/2022	12/31/2027
Sidney Bieser	235 Volusia Avenue	sidney.bieser@gmail.com	(937) 684-1022		4/4/2022	12/31/2027
<u>OAKWOOD B</u>						
Chuck Ellis, Chair	529 Hathaway Road	cmin42@yahoo.com	(937) 298-3620		1/6/2003	12/31/2028
Kathy Luckett	34 Shafor Circle	kathy.luckett@yahoo.com	(937) 294-8925		3/3/2008	12/31/2029
Kip Bohachek	86 E. Dixon Avenue	kip.bohachek@ketteringoh.org	(937) 293-0364		1/20/1992	12/31/2026
<u>OAKWOOD C</u>						
Alex Heckman	142 Forrer Blvd.	aheckman@daytonhistory.org	(937) 313-6538		3/12/2018	12/31/2028
Tim Judge	108 Lonsdale Avenue	timothy.judge@wright.edu	(937) 681-1368		3/12/2018	12/31/2028
Judy Caruso	325 Wiltshire Blvd.	judy.caruso@notes.udayton.edu	(937) 232-5518	(937) 229-3368	1/7/2002	12/31/2026
<u>OAKWOOD D</u>						
Jeanne Boozell	2 Wiltshire Blvd.	cjbooze@yahoo.com	(937) 684-2139		3/7/2022	12/31/2027
Bill McCarty	221 Monterey Avenue	william_mccarty@reyrey.com	(937) 603-2064		3/7/2022	12/31/2027
Amanda Koch	1906 Far Hills Avenue	Amanda.koch@ketteringhealth.org	(937) 416-8366		3/7/2022	12/31/2027
<u>OAKWOOD E</u>						
Kirsten Halling	415 Triangle Avenue	kirsten.halling@wright.edu	(937) 672-8762	(937) 775-2641	6/7/2021	12/31/2026
Tracy Staley	316 Claranna Avenue	tracy@greatstoriesllc.com	(937) 477-5851		7/19/2021	12/31/2026
Bruce Reger	432 East Drive	reger.bruce@gmail.com	(937) 414-5677		7/18/2022	12/31/2027

# City of Oakwood - Property Maintenance Board

Meetings - On Call Term of Office: 5 years Chapter 17						
Name	Address	E-mail	Home/Cell	Office	Appointed	Term Expires
<u>OAKWOOD F</u>						
Judy Steiger	420 Lonsdale Avenue	jts121572@gmail.com	(937) 609-3562		6/9/2003	12/31/2028
John Donnelly	222 Beverly Place	jdonna1@woh.rr.com		(937) 367-3623	6/3/2019	12/31/2024
Bill Draper	7 Beverly Place	newdrap@sbcglobal.net	(937) 293-7037	(937) 304-5752	6/3/2019	12/31/2024
<u>OAKWOOD G</u>						
Larry Lamb	66 W. Peach Orchard Avenue	larrylamb1127@aol.com	(937) 298-5651		9/19/2016	12/31/2026
Michael O'Connell	55 Park Road	maoconnell@premierhealthpartners.org	(937) 294-3389		1/7/2002	12/31/2025
<u>OAKWOOD H</u>						
Alison Davis	1100 Ridgeway Road	alisonjoydavis@yahoo.com	(781) 801-8739		4/4/2022	12/31/2027
Katy Tribble	620 Harman Avenue	kathryn.tribble@gmail.com			4/3/2023	12/31/2028
Scott Fischer	220 E. Dixon Avenue	scottfischer13@gmail.com	(937) 270-5702		4/3/2023	12/31/2028
Ethan Kroger, Staff		kroger@oakwoodohio.gov		(937) 297-2920		

# City of Oakwood - Tax, Water & Sewer, Assembly Appeals Board

Meetings: On Call Term of Office: 3 Years						
Name	Address	E-mail	Home/Cell	Office	Appointed	Term Expires
Jan Scheid	47 Spirea Drive	jsscpa78@gmail.com	(937) 293-7462		3/17/1997	12/31/2025
Arik Sherk	1345 Devereux Drive	arik.sherk@thompsonhine.com	(937) 293-0580	(937) 443-6757	1/17/1994	12/31/2024
Ellen Fodge	356 Claranna Avenue	esfodge@gmail.com	(937) 299-3816		11/2/2015	12/31/2025

# City of Oakwood - ADA Compliance Committee

On Call Term of Office: 3 Years Chapter 175						
Name	Address	E-mail	Home/Cell	Office	Appointed	Term Expires
William Stephens	310 Schenck Avenue		(937) 298-6161	(937) 293-6760	1/20/1992	12/31/2024
Dr. Tom Hardy	417 Telford Avenue	doctortom66@yahoo.com	(937) 307-2008		3/2/2020	12/31/2026
William Duncan Mayor	1101 Hathaway Road	duncan@oakwoodohio.gov	(937) 299-4569	(937) 299-4569		



# City of Oakwood - Historical Society Officers

1947 Far Hills Avenue 299-3793 Society Started 1966, Incorporated 1974				
Name	Address	E-mail	Home/Cell	Office
Debra Edwards Ex Officio President	234 E. Dixon Avenue	dedwards@oakwoodhistory.org	(937) 239-1253	
Jeremiah Jenkins President	5 Greenmount Blvd	jjenkins@oakwoodhistory.org	(937) 371-6703	
Open Vice President				
Debra Schenk Treasurer	121 E. Schantz Ave, Apt 4	dschenk@oakwoodhistory.org	(937) 546-8158	
Linda Pearson Business Manager	701 W. Dorothy Lane	lpearson@oakwoodhistory.org	(925) 202-9021	
Karen Bartley Secretary	129 Oak Knoll Drive	kbartley@oakwoodhistory.org	(937) 271-3803	
Healy Jackson Council Liaison	118 Lonsdale Ave.	jackson@oakwoodohio.gov	(937) 294-1941	
Carol Collins Staff Liaison	401 E. Hadley Ave.	collins@oakwoodohio.gov	(937) 294-2155	(937) 298-0775

## City of Oakwood - Sister City Officers

Name	Address	E-mail	Home/Cell	Office
Kirsten Halling President	415 Triangle Avenue	kirsten.halling@wright.edu	(937) 672-8762	(937) 775-2641
Lucy Baker Vice President	400 Monteray Avenue	baker1966@sbcglobal.net	(937) 260-3799	
Rose Lake Membership Chair	333 Orchard Drive	lake.rosemarie@gmail.com	(937) 829-6472	
Bill Campbell Treasurer	220 East Drive	billcam2000@yahoo.com		
Carole Halling Secretary	1025 Broadmoor Dr.	carolehalling45@gmail.com	(937) 267-1247	
Marsha Danzig Chair Inter'l Activites	1211 Far Hills Ave, #305	yogacalm@msn.com	(937) 999-8058	
David Jarvis Technology Chair	234 Rubicon Drive	jarvismpa@hotmail.com	(937) 938-8219	
Erin Terpstra Comm Outreach Chair	331 Wonderly Avenue	erinterpstra@rocketmail.com	(937) 654-2152	
Susan Meindl Fundraising Chair	1309 Shroyer Rd, #1	smeindl48@yahoo.com	(937) 546-4460	
Kirsten Halling Student Exchange Chair	415 Triangle Ave	kirsten.halling@wright.edu	(937) 298-0382	
Erin Terpstra Past President	331 Wonderly Avenue	erinterpstra@rocketmail.com	(937) 294-2155	
Leigh Turben Council Liaison	204 Forrer Boulevard	turben@oakwoodohio.gov	(937) 750-0494	
Carol Collins Staff Liaison	105 Patterson Road	collins@oakwoodohio.gov		(937) 298-0775

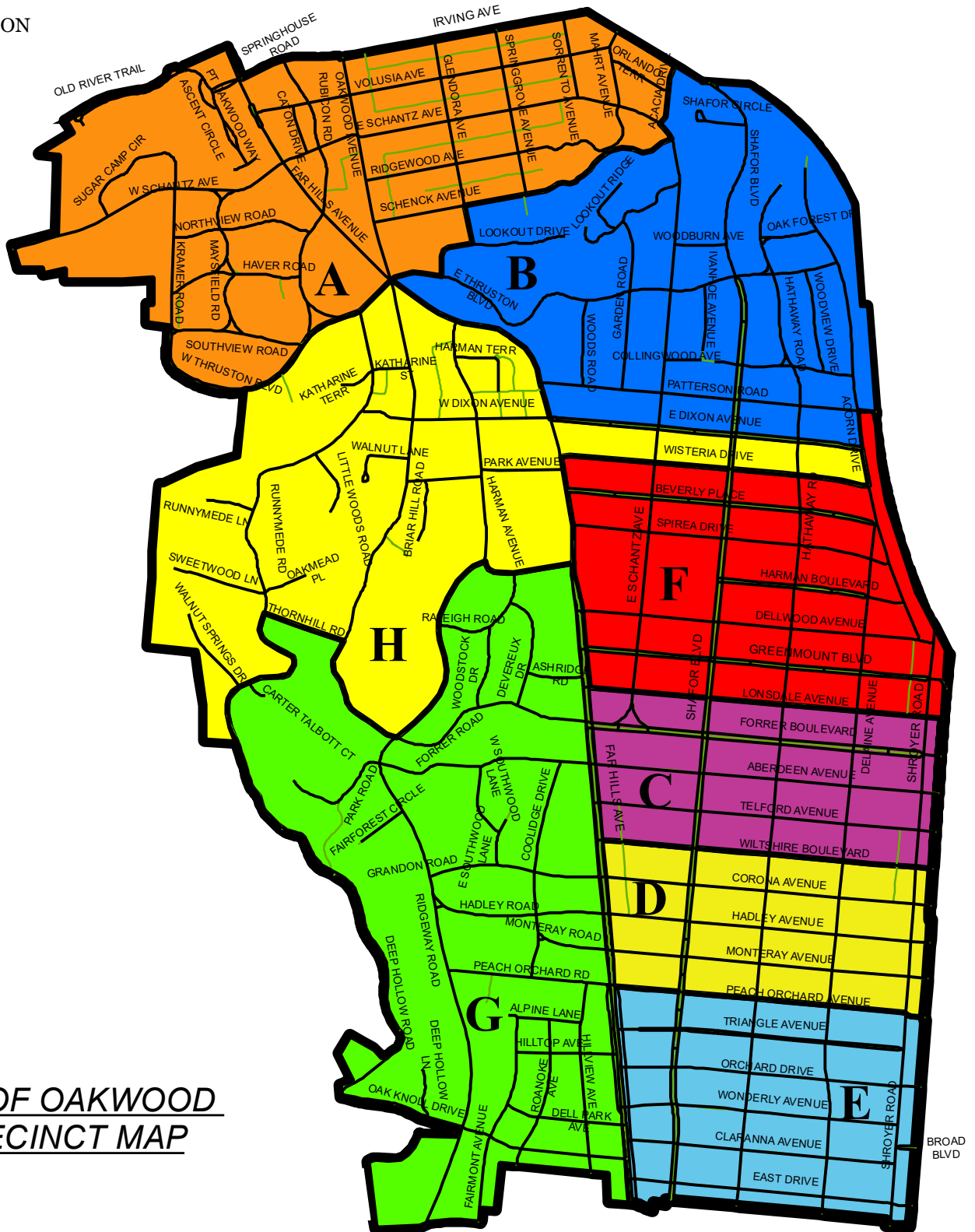
## City of Oakwood - Street, House Number & Zip Codes

Zip & Street	House #	to	House #	Zip & Street	House #	to	House #
45419 Aberdeen Avenue	0	to	499	45419 Oak Knoll Drive	0	to	399
45409 Acacia Drive	0	to	199	45419 Oakmead Place	400	to	499
45419 Acorn Drive	200	to	1299	45409 Oakwood Avenue	0	to	499
45419 Alpine Lane	25	to	125	45419 Oakwood Avenue	501	to	1299
45409 Ascent Circle	0	to	200	45409 Old River Trail	0	to	400
45419 Ashridge Road	0	to	99	45419 Orchard Drive	0	to	502
45419 Beverly Place	0	to	399	45409 Orlando Terrace	600	to	699
45419 Briar Hill Road	0	to	99	45419 Park Avenue	0	to	199
45419 Broad Boulevard	500	to	505	45419 Park Road	0	to	255
45409 Caton Drive	0	to	99	45419 Patterson Road	0	to	407
45419 Claranna Avenue	0	to	499	45419 Peach Orchard Ave E	0	to	499
45419 Collingwood Ave	0	to	399	45419 Peach Orchard Rd W	0	to	199
45419 Coolidge Drive	1700	to	2299	45409 Pointe Oakwood Way	0	to	300
45419 Corona Avenue	0	to	499	45419 Raleigh Road	1200	to	1499
45419 Deep Hollow Lane	2200	to	2614	45419 Ridgeway Road	1100	to	2799
45419 Deep Hollow Road	1800	to	2505	45409 Ridgewood Avenue	200	to	555
45419 Delaine Avenue	1000	to	2817	45419 Roanoke Avenue	2400	to	2701
45419 Dell Park Avenue	0	to	299	45409 Rubicon Road	0	to	399
45419 Dellwood Avenue	0	to	499	45419 Rubicon Road	400	to	599
45419 Devereux Drive	1300	to	1599	45419 Runnymede Lane	1200 block only		
45419 Dixon Avenue, E	0	to	399	45419 Runnymede Road	600	to	1641
45419 Dixon Avenue, W	0	to	299	45409 Russell Place	1 Only		
45419 East Drive	0	to	499	45409 Schantz Avenue, E	0	to	699
45419 Fairforest Circle	300	to	351	45419 Schantz Avenue, E	700	to	1599
45419 Fairmont Avenue	2400	to	2754	45409 Schantz Avenue, W	0	to	399
45409 Far Hills Avenue	0	to	499	45409 Schenck Avenue	200	to	599
45419 Far Hills Avenue	500	to	2817	45419 Schenck Avenue	600	to	699
45419 Forrer Boulevard	0	to	499	45409 Shafor Boulevard	0	to	99
45419 Forrer Road	0	to	140	45419 Shafor Boulevard	100	to	2819
45419 Garden Road	500	to	699	45409 Shafor Circle	0	to	61
45409 Glendora Avenue	0	to	499	45419 Shroyer Road	1255	to	2812
45419 Grandon Road	0	to	299	45409 Sorrento Avenue	0	to	199
45419 Greenmount Blvd.	0	to	499	45419 Southview Road	200	to	399
45419 Hadley Avenue, E	0	to	499	45419 Southwood Lane, E	1821	to	1999
45419 Hadley Road, W	0	to	299	45419 Southwood Lane, W	1701	to	1899
45419 Harman Avenue	600	to	1199	45419 Spirea Drive	0	to	499
45419 Harman Boulevard	200	to	499	45409 Springgrove Avenue	0	to	399
45419 Harman Terrace	0	to	99	45409 Springhouse Road	4	to	120
45419 Hathaway Road	200	to	2801	45409 Sugar Camp Circle	0	to	600
45419 Haver Road	200	to	399	45419 Sweetwood Lane	501	to	575
45419 Hilltop Avenue	0	to	299	45419 Talbott Court	1 Only		
45419 Hillview Avenue	2400	to	2699	45419 Telford Avenue	0	to	499
45409 Irving Avenue*	200	to	798	45419 Thornhill Road	421	to	450
45419 Ivanhoe Avenue	0	to	99	45409 Thruston Blvd., E	0	to	139
45419 Katharine Terrace	100	to	199	45419 Thruston Blvd., E	140	to	399
45419 Kramer Road	200	to	515	45419 Thruston Blvd., W	0	to	299
45409 Ledges Trail		to		45419 Triangle Avenue	0	to	499
45419 Little Woods Road	1001	to	1030	45409 Volusia Avenue	0	to	599
45419 Lonsdale Avenue	0	to	504	45419 Walnut Lane	0	to	99
45409 Lookout Drive	1	to	167	45419 Walnut Springs Dr.	500	to	599
45419 Lookout Drive	168	to	299	45419 Wiltshire Boulevard	0	to	499
45419 Lookout Ridge	432	to	498	45419 Wisteria Drive	0	to	399
45409 Mahrt Avenue	0	to	199	45419 Wonderly Avenue	0	to	499
45419 Maysfield Road	200	to	599	45419 Woodburn Avenue	100	to	199
45419 Monterey Ave, E	0	to	499	45419 Woods Road	600	to	699
45419 Monterey Road, W	0	to	99	45419 Woodstock Drive	1324	to	1599
45419 Northview Road	200	to	399	45419 Woodview Drive	500	to	599
45419 Oak Forest Drive	300	to	399				

\*Even Numbers Only

# CITY OF OAKWOOD PRECINCT MAP

CITY OF DAYTON



CITY OF OAKWOOD  
PRECINCT MAP

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CONTINUING COVERAGE

# Oakwood principal still out 3 months later; district will only say probe continues

By Nick Blizzard  
Staff Writer

It's been more than three months since Oakwood High School's longtime principal was ordered to take paid administrative leave. The region's highest-performing school district has declined interview requests, instead issuing a statement that the investigation continues, fewer than two weeks before graduation



Paul Waller

and the end of the school year.

Principal Paul Waller's suspension came after a Jan. 23 theft involving a male student caught in a girls' locker room stealing clothes, including undergarments, district records show.

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# Principal

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Questions were raised about what discipline the student received.

Since he was placed on leave for an unspecified time by first-year Oakwood Superintendent Neil Gupta on Feb. 2, Waller's professional activities have been restricted, district records show.

They include avoiding "any contact with Oakwood students or their families regarding Oakwood High School business" and other school-related actions unless authorized by Gupta, according to school district documents.

One Waller supporter, Margot Hadley, last month told the district's board of education the move against the 15-year OHS principal has been "without any guidance or timeline set by the district."

The Dayton Daily News has requested interviews with Gupta on the issue. Those requests were declined.

Instead, the district requested written questions. Several questions were



Neil Gupta

taken and if it is expected that Waller would return to his post as OHS principal. We had previously asked what actions Waller took that caused him to be placed on leave.

The district responded with the following statement:

"Oakwood High School Principal Dr. Paul Waller remains on paid administrative leave as the Oakwood School District conducts an internal investigation. The investigation is overseen by an independent external investigator unaffiliated with the Oakwood school district. We are not working on any investigation with Oakwood Safety" (the police department).

"During this period of administrative leave, Dr. Waller is allowed to participate in school and athletic events in his capacity as a

parent. However, it's important to note that he does not represent the district in any official capacity during these occasions.

parent. However, it's important to note that he does not represent the district in any official capacity during these occasions.

"Given that the investigation is still in progress, the district is unable to provide additional comments at this time regarding ongoing investigations."

Several attempts to reach Waller for comment via different means have been unsuccessful. His automated email response has stated "I am currently out on extended leave" and directs inquiries to interim Principal Patrick Masters, a retired administrator from Dayton and Northmont schools.

Since late January, the issue has prompted extensive social media comments and speculation. But few people in the district have publicly raised the matter – either pro or con – at board of education meetings.

The length of Waller's forced leave "seems unprecedented" in that he "had no prior issues as far as a suspension or leave," Hadley told the school board last month. She called Waller one of the district's "most tal-

ented and dedicated employees.”

Since starting as OHS principal in August 2009, Waller has consistently scored in the top two categories in annual evaluations, Oakwood records show. The high school regularly ranks among the top 10 in Ohio on measures of the state report card, as does the Oakwood school district as a whole.

Only one other Oakwood resident has addressed the school board on the topic of Waller. In April, Sean Geehan called the issue “a sensitive matter” that should be resolved “with the best interest of everybody involved.”

Geehan also said he was “highly supportive” of Waller, calling him “accessible, engaged and serious” in key situations, and adding that his children’s feedback on Waller has been “extremely positive.”

Since late January, others have expressed a dif-

ferent view, according to school district documents obtained through public records requests.

One person sent an email to Waller and Gupta the night of Jan. 24, more than 24 hours after the theft occurred. The sender asked about “the steps the school has taken to involve the police in this theft offense and if not, why and what steps the school is taking internally in terms of discipline and safety for the girls.”

The email’s sender was “alarmed that several of the items stolen from the girls over the last few months were returned to the girls today for them to take home.”

The email also stated, “I learned today that the student involved was at the school today as if apparently nothing happened.”

Police were called to the school by Waller the next morning, according to the

Oakwood Safety Department’s incident report.

This news organization has sought subsequent Oakwood police records. But those requests have been denied as “the matter is still a pending law enforcement investigation,” law director Robert Jacques said.

Gupta twice mentioned the girls’ locker rooms investigation in his Feb. 2 letter to Waller notifying the principal that he was on paid leave, school district records state.

On that same day, one basketball player who said she was a victim of theft sent an email to the principal.

“No matter the reason” for the thefts, she wrote, “... It’s still unacceptable for our clothing items to be stolen, and on top of that, trying to create excuses for a child who has single handedly made me and my teammates uncomfortable in the place we come to learn.”



# CITY OF OAKWOOD

## Drinking Water Consumer Confidence Report

### For Calendar Year 2023



## Introduction

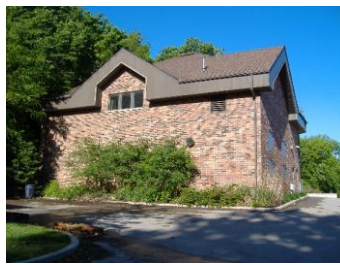
May 16, 2024

The city of Oakwood prepared this report to provide information to you, the consumer, on the quality of our drinking water. This report includes general health information relating to drinking water; a description of the Oakwood water system; general information about water quality; Oakwood water quality test results; information on how to participate in decisions concerning your drinking water; and water system contacts.

The city of Oakwood owns and operates a public municipal water system that serves the residents and businesses throughout the community. The system is comprised of eight production wells, three water treatment plants, 44 miles of underground water lines, 352 fire hydrants and a 1.5 million gallon water tower. The Director of Public Works oversees the operation of the public water system. The Water Plant Superintendent is charged with the day-to-day operation of the wells, water tower and water treatment plants.



Springhouse Water Treatment Plant



Shafor Water Treatment Plant



Softening Units at Shafor Water Treatment Plant

## Source water information

Oakwood receives its drinking water from groundwater pumped through eight production wells. These wells draw water from tributary aquifers flowing towards the Great Miami Buried Valley Aquifer. The city's system produced 100% of the total city water demand in 2023. Had additional water been needed, it would have been supplied from the city of Dayton water system.

Oakwood has two reserve water connections with the city of Dayton and one with Montgomery County. During 2023, Oakwood produced 403.274 million gallons from the eight Oakwood water wells. We purchased no water from the city of Dayton. This report does not contain information on the city of Dayton water quality but a copy of the Dayton Consumer Confidence Report can be obtained by contacting the city of Dayton, Division of Environmental Management, at (937) 333-6093 or by viewing the Dayton website at [www.daytonohio.gov/documentcenter/view/14745/2023-Water-Quality-Report](http://www.daytonohio.gov/documentcenter/view/14745/2023-Water-Quality-Report).

The aquifer that supplies drinking water to Oakwood has a moderate susceptibility to contamination, due to the sensitivity of the aquifer in which the drinking water wells are located and the existence of several potential contaminant sources within the protection zone. This does not mean that the wellfield will become contaminated, only that conditions are such that the groundwater could be impacted by potential contaminant sources. Possible contamination may be avoided by implementing protective measures. For this reason, Oakwood has an Ohio EPA endorsed Source Water Assessment and Protection Program. See page 6 of this report for information on how you can help protect our water supply. More detailed well field protection information can be obtained by calling the Water Plant Superintendent at (937) 298-0777.



## **City of Dayton Source Water Assessment**

The Ohio EPA conducted a source water assessment of Dayton's water source. The assessment concluded that the aquifer supplying water to the city of Dayton's well fields has a high susceptibility to contamination. This determination is based on: the influence of surface water recharge to the aquifer; the presence of a relatively thin protective layer of clay overlying the aquifer; the shallow depth of the aquifer; contaminant plumes in Dayton's well field protection area; the presence of significant potential contaminant sources in the protection area; and the presence of contaminants in treated water. More information about the source water assessment or what consumers can do to help protect the aquifer is available by calling the city of Dayton Division of Environmental Management at (937) 333-3725.

### **What are sources of contamination to drinking water?**

The sources of drinking water (both tap water and bottled water) include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs, and wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally-occurring minerals and, in some cases, radioactive material, and can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from human activity.

Contaminants that may be present in source water include: (A) Microbial contaminants, such as viruses and bacteria, which may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations and wildlife; (B) Inorganic contaminants, such as salts and metals, which can be naturally-occurring or result from urban stormwater runoff, industrial or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining, or farming; (C) Pesticides and herbicides, which may come from a variety of sources such as agriculture, urban stormwater runoff, and residential uses; (D) Organic chemical contaminants, including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals, which are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can also come from gas stations, urban stormwater runoff, and septic systems; and (E) Radioactive contaminants, which can be naturally-occurring or be the result of oil and gas production and mining activities.

In order to ensure that tap water is safe to drink, the United States Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) prescribes regulations which limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water which must provide the same protection for public health.

Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the Federal Environmental Protection Agency's Safe Drinking Water Hotline (1-800-426-4791.)

### **Who needs to take special precautions?**

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immuno-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with immune system disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infection.

These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. USEPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by *Cryptosporidium* and other microbial contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (1-800-426-4791.)



High Service Pumps  
at Springhouse



#8 Well



Control Panel at Springhouse



Chlorine Pump at Springhouse

## About your drinking water

If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with water service lines and home plumbing. Oakwood is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. A list of laboratories certified in the State of Ohio to test for lead may be found at [www.epa.ohio.gov/ddagw](http://www.epa.ohio.gov/ddagw) or by calling (614) 644-2752. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (1-800-426-4791) or at [www.epa.gov/safewater/lead](http://www.epa.gov/safewater/lead).

The EPA requires regular sampling to ensure drinking water safety. Oakwood conducted sampling for bacteria, nitrates, total trihalomethanes (TTHM), haloacetic acids (HAA5), synthetic organic compounds (SOC) and lead and copper during 2023. Over the past three years, samples were collected for a total of 125 different contaminants, most of which were not detected in the city of Oakwood's water supply. The Ohio EPA requires Oakwood to monitor for some contaminants less than once per year because the concentrations of these contaminants do not change frequently. Some of our data, though accurate, are more than one year old.

As the data shows, Oakwood complied with all Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL) standards for drinking water during 2023. Oakwood softens its water from approximately 27 grains per gallon to an average of 12 grains per gallon. In 2023, Oakwood had an unconditioned license to operate the public water system as issued by Ohio EPA.

## Revised Total Coliform Rule (RTCR) information

All water systems were required to begin compliance with a new rule, the Revised Total Coliform Rule, on April 1, 2016. The new rule maintains the purpose to protect public health by ensuring the integrity of the drinking water distribution system and monitoring for the presence of total coliform bacteria, which includes E. coli bacteria. The USEPA anticipates greater public health protection under the new rule, as it requires water systems that are vulnerable to microbial contamination to identify and fix problems. As a result, under the new rule there is no longer a maximum contaminant level violation for multiple total coliform detections. Instead, the new rule requires water systems that exceed a specified frequency of total coliform occurrences to conduct an assessment to determine if any significant deficiencies exist. If found, these must be corrected by the Public Water System.

## **How do I participate in decisions concerning my drinking water?**

Public participation and comments on any city issues, including our public water system, are encouraged. This can be done by contacting city staff or by attending regular meetings of Oakwood City Council. City Council typically meets at the City Building, 30 Park Avenue at 7:30 pm the first Monday of every month. Please check the city website [www.oakwoodohio.gov](http://www.oakwoodohio.gov) to verify meeting dates and times.

For more information on your drinking water, contact Scott Loper, Water Plant Superintendent, or Doug Spittler, Director of Public Works, at (937) 298-0777.

## **Definitions of terms contained within this report**

**Action Level (AL):** The concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements that a water system must follow.

**Maximum Contaminant Level Goal (MCLG):** The level of a contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.

**Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL):** The highest level of contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.

**Parts per Million (ppm) or Milligrams per Liter (mg/L)** are units of measure for concentration of a contaminant. A part per million corresponds to one second in a little over 11.5 days.

**Parts per Billion (ppb) or Micrograms per Liter ( $\mu\text{g/L}$ )** are units of measure for concentration of a contaminant. A part per billion corresponds to one second in 31.7 years.

**Picocuries per liter (pCi/L):** A common measure of radioactivity.

**Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level Goal (MRDLG):** The level of drinking water disinfectant below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MRDLGs do not reflect the benefits of the use of disinfectants to control microbial contaminants.

**Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level (MRDL):** The highest level of a disinfectant allowed in drinking water. There is convincing evidence that addition of a disinfectant is necessary for control of microbial contaminants.

**Treatment Technique (TT):** A required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.

**Not Detected (ND):** The level of contaminant was below the level detectable with current testing technology.

**The < symbol:** A symbol which means less than. A result of <5 means that the lowest level that could be detected was 5 and the contaminant in that sample was not detected.

Listed below is information on those contaminants that were found in the Oakwood drinking water.

## TABLE OF DETECTED CONTAMINANTS

Contaminants (Units)	MCLG	MCL	Level Found	Range of Detections	Violation	Sample Year	Typical Source of Contaminants
<b>Bacteriological</b>							
Coliform Bacteria (% positive/month)	0	5%	0	Not detected	No	Monthly	Naturally present in the environment
<b>Inorganic Contaminants</b>							
Fluoride <sup>1</sup> (ppm) 210 Shafor 120 Springhouse	4	4	0.27 0.22	0.22 - 0.27	No	2021	Erosion of natural deposits; Water additive which promotes strong teeth; Discharge from fertilizer and aluminum factories.
Barium (ppm) 210 Shafor 120 Springhouse	2	2	0.143 0.0554	0.0554 - 0.143	No	2021	Erosion of natural deposits; Discharge from metal refineries; Discharge of drilling wastes.
Cadmium (ppb) 210 Shafor 120 Springhouse	5	5	ND ND	ND	No	2021	Erosion of natural deposits; Discharge from metal refineries; Runoff from waste batteries and paint; Corrosion of galvanized pipes.
Nitrate (ppm) 210 Shafor 120 Springhouse	10	10	1.3 1.3	1.3 - 1.3	No	2023	Fertilizer runoff/natural geology.
<b>Regulated in the Distribution System</b>							
Trihalomethanes (ppb)	N/A	80	18.2	6.2 – 18.2	No	2023	By-products of chlorination
Haloacetic Acids (ppb)	N/A	60	7.2	0 - 7.2	No	2023	By-products of chlorination
<b>Volatile Organic Contaminants – Unregulated</b>							
Bromoform (ppb)	N/A	N/A	4.8	1.0 - 4.8	No	2022	By-products of chlorination
Chloroform (ppb)	N/A	N/A	1.5	0.50 - 1.5	No	2022	By-products of chlorination
Bromodichloromethane (ppb)	N/A	N/A	4.7	1.1 - 4.7	No	2022	By-products of chlorination
Dibromo-chloromethane (ppb)	N/A	N/A	7.9	1.8 - 7.9	No	2022	By-products of chlorination
<b>Residual Disinfectants</b>							
Chlorine (ppm) <sup>2</sup>	MRDL= 4	MRDLG= 4	1.2	0.3 - 1.2	No	Weekly	Water additive to control microbes

**Table of Detected Contaminants Footnotes**

1. The City of Oakwood does not add fluoride supplements to the water it produces.
2. Level found is the highest running annual average.

<b>Lead and Copper</b>						
Contaminants (Units)	Action Level (AL)	90% of test levels were less than	Individual Result over the AL	Violation	Year Sampled	Typical source of Contaminants
Lead (ppb)	15	4.2	0	No	2023	Corrosion of household plumbing material
	0 out of 20 samples was found to have a lead level in excess of the action level of 15 ppb					
Copper (ppm)	1.3	0.27	0	No	2023	Corrosion of household plumbing material
	0 out of 20 samples were found to have copper levels in excess of the action level of 1.3 ppm					

## OAKWOOD

### **Oakwood Community Center pool slated to open May 25**

Gardner Pool at the Oakwood Community Center is scheduled to open May 25 with memberships now available.

For OCC members, memberships are \$120 for seniors, \$210 for singles and \$330 for families. For non-OCC members, those rates are \$165, \$255 and \$415, respectively, according to the city. Membership is limited to Oakwood residents.

The pool membership season generally extends from May 25-Sept. 2. But operations rely on students and other seasonal employees, so dates are subject to adjustment, according to the city.

General operating hours are noon to 8 p.m. daily until school starts in August. After that, operating hours Monday through Friday will be 4 to 8 p.m., the city's website states.

**From:** The Oakwood Historical Society <[membership@oakwoodhistory.org](mailto:membership@oakwoodhistory.org)>

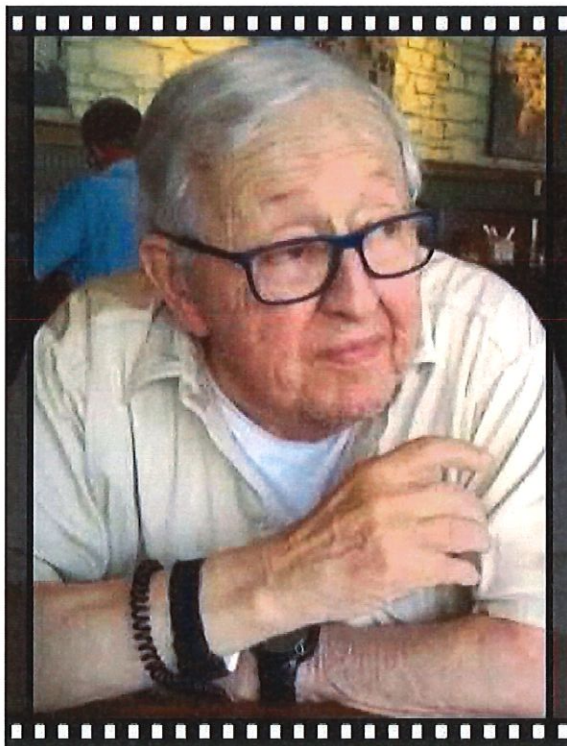
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**Subject:** In Memory of Bruce Ronald



# OAKWOOD HISTORICAL SOCIETY



## In Memoriam

The Oakwood Historical Society was saddened to learn of the passing of Bruce Walton Ronald (92) on April 28, 2024.

Bruce, along with his wife Virginia, partnered with The Oakwood Historical Society and coauthored the history of Oakwood, resulting in the publication of *Oakwood: The Far Hills* in 1983. It was published to coincide with Oakwood's 75th anniversary year.

The book evolved from a modest idea into a comprehensive accounting of almost twice the size of the Ronalds' original proposal—a testimony to their dedication and skill.

Bruce and Virginia were Oakwood residents, and Virginia was both an alumnus and teacher of the Oakwood School system. Virginia once led an excavation at the high school, which resulted in the discovery of what is considered to be the original stone pump drain of Gabriel Harman's farmhouse, now the site of the high school. This stone drain was donated to the Society and is proudly showcased in the House Museum's pump house. Virginia Ronald died in 2017.

*Oakwood: The Far Hills* is no longer in publication, but the book forever remains as an important recording of Oakwood's history, and is an outstanding reference for our members, local historians and the community.

The Oakwood Historical Society remains indebted to the Ronalds' many contributions to the Society's mission.





## PRESS RELEASE

The City of Oakwood  
30 Park Avenue  
Oakwood, Ohio 45419

**Subject:** City of Oakwood Participates in the Hefty® ReNew™ Program

**Date:** May 13, 2024

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OAKWOOD, OHIO:

Rumpke Waste and Recycling recently announced the expansion of their acceptable items by adding hard-to-recycle plastics as part of the Hefty® ReNew™ Program. The city of Oakwood collects recyclables weekly from residential households and delivers them to the Rumpke material recovery facility for sorting and eventual conversion into new materials. The Hefty® ReNew™ Program allows residents to purchase specific orange bags from local retailers and place materials in those bags that were previously unacceptable in the loose co-mingled recyclable container. Once the orange bag is full, simply place it in your current co-mingled container at your home or in the co-mingled recycle container at the Recycling and Yard Waste Drop-Off Facility located at the entrance to the J. David Foell Public Works Center, 210 Shafor Boulevard. The orange bag is delivered to Rumpke where it is removed from the loose recyclables and separated for delivery to specialized recyclers. This program is optional for those residents who wish to further reduce their waste and recover hard-to-recycle plastics. "The Hefty® ReNew™ Program will allow additional materials to be diverted from the landfill and provide another opportunity for residents to continue doing their part in responsible recycling," said Doug Spitler, Director of Public Works.

It is increasingly important that the co-mingled recycling stream contains only recyclable materials. In years past, the guidance was: "when in doubt, throw it in the recycling container". The guidance is now: "learn what is recyclable and what is not, but when in doubt, throw it in the regular trash."

Please visit the city's website for the latest information on acceptable materials for recycling at: <https://oakwoodohio.gov/recyclables/> and visit [HeftyReNew.com](https://HeftyReNew.com) for additional program information.

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT

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