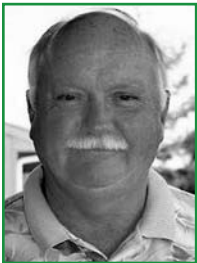


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Mayor's Report

MAYOR JOSEPH C. HUBBARD | jhubbard@glendaleohio.org

Another year has flashed by since I became your Mayor. Wow! At my age I was hoping things would slow up by now, not speed up. These past two years have been very gratifying and I thank each of you for giving me the honor of being your Mayor. I am happy to report that the Village is in excellent condition. The Fire Department is developing into an excellent department. We recently added two new Captains, Tony Poll and Brian Messmore. In addition, because of demonstrating outstanding performance in making fire runs, we have cancelled our contract with Woodlawn's Fire Department. I should add that Woodlawn's Fire Department will still be making runs in Glendale as part of our mutual aid agreement. Lastly, the inauguration of our first responder program under the oversight of Glendale's own Dr. Sabrina Leach will add to the services provided by the fire department. Chief Moore has put together a first rate team to serve us.

The Police Department, under the leadership of Chief Warman, continues to provide excellent service to the residents. I am constantly amazed at the professionalism and caring of the members. In the future, when you see a Glendale police car, don't automatically slow down and look the other way in hopes that they won't see you. Instead put a smile on your face and give them a hearty wave of thanks.

The Streets Department keeps the Village looking great! We tend to take for granted the fact that Glendale is a beautiful place to live. Well, Ron Hafner and his crew have to work very hard in the background to make it happen. Many of us realized how dedicated they were when Hurricane Ike hit us last year. They do an outstanding job.

The Utility Department provides excellent drinking water and takes it away later. Wally will talk about some of the things going on at the water and waste-water plants later in this issue. The waste-water plant upgrades are almost completed and the water plant upgrades are progressing on schedule. Mike Heuer and his crew have been

busy with the upgrades and we owe them many thanks for a job well done.

Finally, **the Village Office**, which is the "face of the Village" for many of us, runs the administrative part of your Village. Wally Cordes, supported by Phyllis, Sally and Don, administers the Village, which includes Financial, Public Works, Parks, Recreation, Utility, Building and Post Office services. We couldn't do it without them. We are lucky to have such dedicated and outstanding employees serving us.

Antique Car and Motorcycle Show : June 28, 11a-4p

The Fifth Annual Glendale Antique Car and Motorcycle Show is scheduled for Sunday, June 28, from 11AM to 4PM in your Village Square. It promises to be bigger and better than ever before. Awards will be made for Mayor's Choice, People's Choice, Best Motorcycle, Best Pedal Car, Best Bicycle, Best GM, Best Ford, Best Made Car, Best Chrysler, Best Foreign, Best Jaguar, Best Military Vehicle, Best Police Specialty Vehicle and Best Work-In-Progress (push-pulled or trailered). Registration is \$5 per vehicle before June 16th and \$10 the day of the show.

During the show, many of the stores will be open in the Village Square. A very active committee of Steve Locker, Brian Clipson, Bob Oliver, Roger Brown, Zach Sweeney, Pete Chronis, Andrew Bowen, Chief Dave Warman, Allen Bowen and Tom Todd have been working hard to make this a fun event that will present the best of Glendale to all in attendance. Lifelong resident William Cooper Procter's 1933 Packard, which he used for many years to drive to P&G, is being delivered to our event for a special viewing.

Concert In The Square on June 28th at 6pm

Shortly after the Car and Motorcycle show, residents Lawrence (Conductor) and Hildy Bonhaus (Cellist) will perform with the Cincinnati Civic Orchestra in the Village Square. This concert is again being sponsored by the Village of Glendale. We encourage everyone to bring a lawn chair.

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Administrator's Project Updates

Sidewalks – (*J. Kilgore, Chair*) Glendale will again walk and inspect all public sidewalks this year and make repairs as needed. We

will inspect for trip hazards in the spring and make repairs in the late summer. As we have done for the past four years, the Village will again pay for these repairs from its general fund operating budget.

Sewer Plant Project – (*A. Hoeweler, Chair*) We are 99% complete in the building of your new \$5,300,000 sewer plant. It is essentially complete and operating except for a sophisticated computer system that will oversee all operations and system communications (this is being installed May). There have been no cost overruns. The Utility Committee is again looking into the discounting of sewage rates for those that use large amounts of water due to irrigation. This program was well received last year when we tried it as a pilot program. More will be posted on rates as the committee reviews our revenue / expense reports.

Water Plant Project – (*A. Hoeweler, Utility Committee Chair*) Our Phase I rebuilding of the Glendale Water Treatment Plant is now finished and includes new high service pumps and related accessories and plumbing. Phase II is now being planned that will include replacing the aged filtration system, chlorine and softening systems. We are most fortunate to have such pure underground well water in Glendale and we will continue to provide this unique product to you at the lowest possible rate. As always, our utilities are required to operate as a non-profit enterprise.

Tree Planting 2009 Project – (*T. Carruthers, Park Board Chair*) Over the past two years our street and park trees have suffered stress from two unusual events. First, in 2007 the severe draught killed many large trees and crippled many others. Then, in 2008 Hurricane Ike ripped off limbs and toppled many beautiful and mature trees. In total, the Village removed a record 135 mature trees that were either dead or toppled. It has long been the goal of the Glendale Park Board to replace dead trees at the rate of 125%. As a result, 160 large and varied tree species were ordered in March from Bzak Landscaping (lowest bidder) and were planted in April. If the Village's area in front of your property received a new tree, please keep an eye on it for us and water as may be needed in the heat of the summer. Together we will succeed in keeping a lush and treasured tree canopy over our historic community.

Brush Chipping

The Village of Glendale again provided a Spring Clean Up that ended April 26th. After this date, we ask that no leaves be put out to the curb until the Fall cleanup begins. Brush, however, may still be put out on the curb in manageable bundles. Your Service Department crews will chip them about every two weeks and our brush program will remain in operation until late fall! Please remember - no foreign matter may be mixed with brush as it will severely damage our chipper machine. Please call the Village Office at 771-7200 if you should ever have questions about when and what items are picked up at the curb. Your observance of our curb pickup policies will continue to keep Glendale a beautiful community.

400 Free Trees Given to Glendale Residents

As many of you know, we purchased 400 seedlings and gave them away to Glendale residents in mid-March. All were picked up by residents visiting our Village Office within five days! This year we provided 200 Shag Bark Hickory seedlings and 200 American Sycamore seedlings. Please feel free to forward your suggestions for future species. This is our way to celebrate Arbor Day and to work toward our 14th year as a Tree City USA. These free seedlings were made possible by your generous donations to the Glendale Park Board and will someday add to our unique Glendale tree canopy cover. This year we are planting trees to recognize the newborns of our community. Please consider supporting your Glendale Park Board each year by making a tax deductible contribution. Please call the Village Office for more information about our Park Board programs 771-7200.

Grant Writing 2009

We have been very busy writing grants this Winter... and with some success!

Village Square Grant \$416,160 - First, after receiving feedback from merchants in the Square, we requested a grant to remodel and streetscape the Village Square (\$520,000). We were recently advised by OKI (Ohio, Kentucky and Indiana Council of Governments) that they have awarded us \$416,160 (80/20 grant) toward this project. Design meetings with the public have taken place to finalize the improvements desired. Some of the improvements include new sidewalks, café style tables and seating on the sidewalk system, new curbs, paving, new trees with expandable planters, new benches, trash cans, new lights, an electrical system to support

holiday events, two drinking fountains with dog features, and more. Please plan to attend at least one of the future public meetings...your input counts!

Sharon Avenue Restoration (RR Tracks to Morse) \$260,000 - When word of stimulus money first surfaced, we quickly submitted four projects that we felt met the federal and state standards as "shovel ready". One of the projects was for the restoration of Sharon Avenue from the Railroad track to Morse Avenue. We received word from the State of Ohio that Glendale will indeed receive stimulus money and that the entire project will be paid for in the amount of \$260,000 (100% grant). This project includes grinding out the old pavement, leveling, adding new cement curbs and addressing drainage issues. We have begun engineering and must have this project underway in 90 days. We will!

Suggestions & Feedback Welcome!

We value your opinion and ask for your feedback on how we are doing and what we can do to better serve you.

Please send comments to our Administrator Wally: wcorde@glendaleohio.org

or Administrative Assistant Phyllis: pdepeel@glendaleohio.org

Of course you can also call (771-7200) or stop by... we have an open door policy and no appointment is necessary. All comments and suggestions will be forwarded to the Mayor and appropriate Council Committee. Thank you!

Timely Reminders

Glendale has renewed the half-price Glendale resident contract with **Queen City Racquet, Pool & Fitness Club**

Single Plan	Family Plan
One Time Initiation Fee of \$100	One Time Initiation Fee of \$150
\$25/Month	\$45/Month

Call 771-2835 to join! For a limited time the activation fee for new members is \$49 for either the single and/or the family plan as a promotion... please call for details.

Satellite TV Dishes

Satellite TV dishes are allowed in Glendale... but there are certain conditions. Basically, modern Dish antennas are allowed when they are not visible from the street and not mounted on the roof. If you are ordering satellite TV, let your installer know this!

Fire Chief's Chat



Fire Department Report

DAVID MOORE

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Your Glendale Fire Department has been hard at work over the winter and spring. In addition to making fire runs, fire inspections and training sessions, we have been working on several new initiatives that allow us to increase the

services we provide to you, our citizens.

During the first week of April we began an EMS First Responder program. Under the medical direction of Village resident Dr. Sabrina Leach, when there is an emergency medical run in the Village, the fire department will respond with trained emergency medical personnel to initiate care prior to the arrival of the paramedic unit from Woodlawn. The fire department now carries basic life support equipment as well as an AED, Automated External Defibrillator. This new program will allow us to begin providing essential emergency medical care to our residents in a more timely manner and enables us to utilize the skills and backgrounds of our firefighters more fully.

Throughout the summer, the fire department will be hosting wellness checks in Village Square. In addition, we will be conducting two fire extinguisher trainings for citizens. Stay tuned to the Village calendar for dates of these events. As always, the fire department has smoke detectors and will deliver and install them for you at no cost. If you would like to schedule an appointment to have your smoke detectors checked, please call the Glendale Fire Station at 771-7864 or stop by and we will be happy to set up a time to do so.

Since the time of Hurricane Ike, the various departments throughout the Village have been evaluating ways to even better respond to a catastrophic incident that occurs in the Village. As a result, we have improved upon the existing emergency response plan and had natural gas generators installed in the Village Office, the Police Station and the Fire Station. They were funded by a grant. These new generators will allow the Village buildings to remain operational in the event of a power outage. By maintaining operations at Village facilities, we will be better able to serve you in the event of a power outage or other major emergency.

Fire Training Grants - The Glendale Fire Department received a \$960 grant from the State Fire Marshal's Office to provide initial firefighter training and certification. This funding covered the cost of training six new firefighters.

ODNR Grant - The department also received a grant of \$400 from the Ohio Department of Natural Resources to train firefighters in wildland firefighting. This funding allowed us to send three firefighters to 40 hours of training at the Ohio Fire Academy.

Fire Equipment Grant - In February of this year the Glendale Fire Department received a grant for \$15,388 from a local philanthropic fund to purchase a portable fire pump to be installed on the back of the fire department pickup truck. This new pump will allow us versatility and flexibility in how we respond to outdoor fires in the Village and adds additional pumping capacity to the fire department fleet.

Last but not least, I am pleased to report that the process of rebuilding the Glendale Fire Department has reached another major milestone. The fire department has met and exceeded the criteria set forth by Village Council regarding response times and staffing. As a result, we have discontinued our supplemental fire protection contact with the Village of Woodlawn. The Woodlawn Fire Department will continue to provide assistance at major incidents on a mutual aid basis, however we will not be paying them to do so as had been the case under the contract. I would like to thank the Woodlawn Fire Department for all of their assistance in the rebuilding of the Glendale Fire Department.

If you have any questions about the fire department or the services we offer please feel free to contact at the Village Office at 771-7200 or by email at DMoore@glendaleohio.org. Have a great summer!



D.A.R.E. CORNER

FROM D.A.R.E. OFFICERS DAVE LECOMPTE AND CRAIG WALSH

D.A.R.E. 2009 is winding down! We began our 2009 classes at Glendale Elementary School in January. We had a class of eager fifth grade students at Glendale who really embraced the program. The D.A.R.E. curriculum was completed at Glendale in March, with graduation scheduled for May, 2009. There were 21 students in this class. They have completed their entries for the D.A.R.E. essay competition and are looking forward to having the chance to display their knowledge of healthy decision making when it comes to the use of drugs, alcohol and tobacco.

Just as eager are the 43 sixth grade students in our two D.A.R.E. classes at St. Gabriel Consolidated School. We began at St. Gabe's on February 20th and we are already headlong into the curriculum. One of the many reasons that we are always so excited about starting D.A.R.E. with each new class is that we see the real commitment that these students have to learning skills that they can use throughout their lives to help them to make good decisions based on real, solid information. Nowhere is this more important than in the area of drug, alcohol and tobacco use!

Parent Alert : According to a recently completed Partnership Attitude Tracking Survey, while the use of illegal drugs seems to be declining, statistics on teen abuse of legal prescription drugs show these disturbing trends:

- One in three teens reports having a close friend who abuses prescription pain relievers to get high.
- One in four has a close friend who abuses over-the-counter cough medicine to get high.
- Nearly one in five teens has used a prescription medication that was not prescribed to them.
- Most teens who abuse pain relievers obtained the drugs from a friend or relative for free, while about ten percent took the pain relievers without asking.
- New teen abusers of prescription drugs now outnumber the new users of every illegal drug with the exception of marijuana.

We as parents need to be aware of these trends. Information shows that the majority of the legal prescription drugs abused by teens are obtained from within their homes or from the homes of friends or relatives. Know what you have in your home and take steps to keep it secure!

If you have any D.A.R.E. questions or need any information in the areas of drug, alcohol and tobacco abuse prevention, please contact Officer Walsh or Lt. LeCompte at the Glendale Police Department, 771-7645. Also, when you have an opportunity, visit the D.A.R.E. America website at www.dare-america.com. You'll find a wealth of helpful information!



PROTECTING AGAINST IDENTITY THEFT

We have touched on the issue of identity theft in the past, but this rapidly growing crime is becoming so pervasive in today's tough economic climate that it bears revisiting. This crime occurs when a criminal obtains and uses a consumer's personal information such as credit card numbers, bank account numbers, insurance and Social Security information and uses that information by purchasing goods or services fraudulently. Generally, the criminal will use this information to open new accounts in your name, purchase products and then leave you with the bill.

While one can not guarantee that their personal information will never end up in the hands of a criminal intent on using that information to commit a fraud, there are a number of basic things you can do to significantly reduce the chances of this occurring:

- Once each year, order a copy of your credit report from each of the three national credit reporting agencies (Trans Union, Experian and Equifax) to check for inaccuracies and fraudulent use of your accounts. Monitoring your credit card statements and credit report are the most important steps you can take to protect your credit identity.
- Remove your name from the marketing lists of the three credit reporting agencies, thus limiting the number of pre-screened credit offers you receive by mail. Call the Credit Reporting Industry numbers to accomplish this - (800) 353-0809 or (800) 567-8688.
- Do not put credit card or bank statements, bills, insurance information or other items containing your personal information out in your household garbage without shredding the paper.
- If you use a credit card to make a purchase and the retailer is not using carbonless forms, always get the carbon and destroy it. Most retailers now use a system where only the last four numbers of the credit card appear on the receipt. If you notice a retailer does not use a system with this security feature, consider shopping elsewhere. Never throw an ATM or credit card receipt in a public trash container.
- Reduce the number of credit cards you use and carry only one or two cards in your purse or wallet. Cancel all unused credit card accounts.
- Keep a list of all credit cards, bank accounts, account numbers, customer service phone numbers and fraud departments in a secure place. If your cards are lost or stolen, you will be able to quickly contact your banks and creditors.
- Never give out personal or financial information over the phone to anyone who is soliciting a purchase or donation.
- When making an on-line purchase, be sure that you are using the authentic, secure site for the retailer requesting your credit card or other personal information.
- Thoroughly review your credit card statements, bank statements, utility bills, insurance statements and other monthly receipts, looking for any unusual or suspicious activity. Contact the

company immediately if anything looks suspicious or if there is a purchase you don't recall making.

- Do not keep your Social Security card in your purse or wallet. Keep it at home in a secure place. Also, when you renew your Ohio driver's license, have your social security number removed from the license.
- Do not open e-mails from senders you can not identify or mark as "safe".

Should your wallet or purse be lost or stolen, immediately contact the police and file a police report and send copies of the report to your bank, credit card companies and insurance company. Cancel all credit cards and bank accounts and have new account numbers issued. Report the lost or stolen credit cards to the credit reporting agencies, Trans Union, Experian and Equifax in writing. If you feel that your personal information has been compromised, request that a "fraud alert" be placed on your credit file by the three credit reporting agencies. This will ensure that any attempts to open credit in your name will be blocked unless you give personal approval.

There are numerous resources available which provide additional information on the crime of identity theft. One of the best available appears on the web site of the Ohio Attorney General at www.ag.state.oh.us. Visit this site or call the AG Consumer Protection Line at (800) 282-0515. You may also contact the Federal Trade Commission through their website at www.ftc.gov or by phone at (877) FTC-HELP. As always, you may also contact your Glendale Police Department at (513)771-7645 with any questions you may have.

SPRING CLEANUP

This time of year also brings with it the need to remind the members of our community of the importance of maintaining one's property in compliance with Village ordinances. The primary property maintenance issues that come to our attention fall into these general categories: trash/debris, junk vehicles, improperly parked vehicles and high grass. The Police Department takes a proactive stance on these types of violations and property owners may be cited to Magistrate's Court if the violations are not resolved within the time specified in the appropriate ordinance. We will be as flexible as is possible when dealing with property owners on these matters, but unfortunately, if compliance is not voluntarily achieved, a citation to court is the only effective way to resolve the matter. You may review the ordinances in detail by accessing the Village website at www.glendaleohio.org.

These types of violations have a negative impact on the Village in many ways. The most obvious is the blight upon a neighborhood that results when a property owner fails to maintain their property. Additionally, this may cause tension between neighbors, which can and often does result in other problems arising. We respectfully ask that all property owners do your part to maintain Glendale's reputation throughout the area as a uniquely beautiful Village!

As always, please feel free to contact me at any time if you have any questions or concerns about these or any other issues.

Council Committee Reports

Fire and Safety Updates

Nikki Alles-White, Council Chairperson

- The Village is terminating the supplemental fire contract with Woodlawn effective April 25, 2009 and the Glendale Fire Department will become the primary fire protection for our community. Village Council's Fire committee established withdrawal criteria last year and has been monitoring the department's progress each month. Congratulations go out to Chief David Moore and all the GFD officers and firefighters for their hard work in responding to the withdrawal criteria and make this goal a reality!
- After Hurricane Ike, the Village Fire and Police committees began looking at how we responded to residents needs after the hurricane force winds and lengthy power outages. We identified the need for more back-up generators for Village operations and to assist our residents. The Village is pleased to announce that we now have four generators in operation in the event of power outages. The four public buildings that have generators installed are: Town Hall, Police Station, Village Office and the Service Department. Residents will be able to come to these locations during power outages to charge cell phones and other misc. tasks. These generators are to supplement, not replace, a resident's plan for electricity for their medical needs during a power outage.
- The week of April 1st, the Glendale Fire Department implemented an EMS First Responder Program. This certification allows trained staff from the fire department to respond on a medical scene until EMS services (currently from Woodlawn) arrives. This service should greatly benefit the health and safety of our Village residents. Thanks to Captain Tucker Palmatier and resident and Medical Director Dr. Sabrina Leach for getting this valuable service operational!

Streets, Public Improvements & Lights

Jenny Kilgore, Council Chairperson

Glendale Residents Recycled 139 Tons in 2008!

Congratulations Glendale residents! In 2008, you recycled 139 tons of metal, glass, plastic, and paper. Residents saved resources, conserved energy, and reduced pollution by recycling.

The recycling efforts in Glendale:

- Saved 1,225 trees.
- Conserved enough energy to power 24 average homes for an entire year.
- Avoided the need for 10 tons of iron ore, limestone, and coal.
- Reduced greenhouse gases equivalent to removing 89 cars from the road for a year.

Recycling reduces pollution so the air we breathe is cleaner, conserves natural resources so we will have them to use in the future, and decreases the energy needed to make new products. Recycling also boosts our local economy by creating 169,000 jobs and \$6 billion in annual wages just in the State of Ohio. On average, each household in Glendale recycled 296 pounds in 2008. That's 8.14% of all the waste you generate. If you would like to see even more material recycled in 2009, check out the list to make sure you include all these materials when you recycle. Don't recycle? Start dropping off you recyclables at 528 E. Sharon Road today.

Good Work, Glendale, your recycling efforts made a big difference! The Street Committee will be meeting April 30th at 6PM in the Village Office conference room to discuss ways to improve our recycling. This meeting is open to the public. Send your ideas to jkilgore@glendaleohio.org

Free Household Hazardous Waste Drop-Off Program

Hamilton County is once again offering free disposal of hazardous waste through November 14th. Household hazardous waste should never be disposed of with normal household waste; neither in the garbage or placed at the curb. When collected along with garbage and disposed of in landfills the hazardous waste become environmental contaminants that ultimately leach into ground water and aquifers. Some of these that will be accepted are:

Batteries	Fire extinguishers
Propane tanks	Mercury
Driveway sealer & paints	Antifreeze & motor oil
Gasoline	Paint solvents/thinners
Prescription drugs	Fluorescent bulbs
Pesticides & fertilizers	Lawn & pool chemicals

The following sites are accepting hazardous waste drop-offs through Saturday, November 14, 2009:

Environmental Enterprises, Inc.

4650 Spring Grove Avenue | Cincinnati, Ohio 45232
Tuesdays: 2 to 6PM, Saturdays: 9AM to 1PM
(Closed 5/23, 7/4, & 9/5)

Environmental Enterprises, Inc.

10163 Cincinnati-Dayton Road | Cincinnati, Ohio 45241
Wednesdays: 2 to 6PM

Glendale Water Report

2008 Annual Quality Report

We are pleased to provide you the 2008 Annual Water Quality Report. This report is designed to inform you about the quality and services we deliver to your home or business each day, every day.

We work hard to protect our water resources and to continually improve the water treatment process. Our goal is to provide you with a safe and dependable water supply, by protecting and improving water quality.

Our water source is known as the Little Miami Aquifer. Water is supplied from two wells, located in the Glendale Water well field at 2779 East Sharon Road. The well field has a high susceptibility rating based on a study by the Ohio EPA. This is based on the thin discontinuous layer of low permeability material overlying the aquifer and the potential contaminant sources around the well field. The likelihood of any contamination is minimized, by using appropriate measures.

We want our valued customers to be informed about their water utility. If you have any questions about this report or concerning your water utility, please contact Mike Heuer at (513) 771-6860. If you want to learn more, please attend any of our regularly scheduled meetings. Our City Council meets the first Monday of each month at the Town Hall located at 80 East Sharon Road, Glendale, Ohio at 7:00PM.

At **Glendale Water** we work around the clock to provide top quality water to every tap. We ask that our customers help us protect our water sources, which are the heart of our community, our way of life and our children's future.

The sources of drinking water, both tap water and bottled water, includes rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs and wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the (*Water Report, continued on p. 6*)

(Water Report, continued from p. 5) ground, it dissolves naturally occurring minerals and in some cases, radioactive materials, 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 results from urban storm water 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 storm water 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 storm water runoff, and septic systems;

E. Radioactive contaminants, which can come 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, EPA prescribes regulations, which limit the amount of certain contaminants in water provided by public water systems. FDA regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water, which must provide the same protection for public health.

Some people may be more vulnerable to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immune-compromised persons such as persons with cancer undergoing chemotherapy, persons who have undergone organ transplants, persons with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly, and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health providers. EPA/CDC guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by cryptosporidium and other microbiological

contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline 1-800-426-4791.

Glendale Water routinely monitors for contaminants in your drinking water according to Federal and State laws. This table shows the results of our monitors for contaminants in your drinking water for the period of January 1 to December 31, 2008.

Definitions for Table:

MCL = Maximum Contaminant Level - The highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water.

MCLG = Maximum Contaminant Level Goal The level of contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected risk to health.

AL = Action Level - The concentration of a contaminant which triggers a treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow.

ppm = parts per million

AA = below detectable levels

ug/l = micrograms per liter

ppb = parts per billion

Test Results

Contaminant	Violation	Level Detected	MCL	MCGL	Range of Detection	Date	Likely Source of Contamination
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Regulated Inorganic Contaminates

Fluoride	None	1.02 ppm	4	4	.28 ppm - 1.28 ppm	1/16/08	Erosion of natural deposits: water additive which promotes strong teeth; discharge from fertilizer and aluminum plant
Nitrogen, Nitrate + Nitrate	None	0.417 ppm	10	10	0.417 ppm	1/16/08	Runoff from fertilizer use; leaching from septic tanks, sewage; erosion of natural deposits
Arsenic	None	3.38 ppb	10	10	3.38ppb - AA ppb	4/25/08	Erosion of natural deposits

Copper

Copper	None	0.280 ppb	1.300 ppb	1.300 ppb	0.280 ppb - AA ppb	9/4/08	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural deposits, Leaching from wood preservatives
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Regulate Volatile Compounds

TTHM	None	AA ppb	80 ppb	0	80 ppb	8/22/06	Disinfectant byproducts
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Lead

Lead	None	AA ppb	A1 = 15	0	AA ppb	9/4/08	Corrosion of household plumbing systems; Erosion of natural deposits
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MCLs are set to the very stringent levels. To understand the possible health effects described for many regulated contaminants, a person would have to drink two liters of water every day at the MCL level for a lifetime to have a one-in-a-million chance of having the described health effect.

All 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 the water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the Environmental Protection Agency's Drinking Water Hotline at 1-800-426-4791.

In our continuing efforts to maintain a safe and

dependable water supply it may be necessary to make improvements in your water system. The cost of these improvements may be reflected in the rate structure. Rate adjustments may be necessary in order to address these improvements.

Tier 3: Monitoring Violation Notice

DRINKING WATER NOTICE - Monitoring requirements were not met for Glendale Village Public Water System during February, 2009. We are required to monitor your drinking water for specific contaminants on a regular basis. Results of regular monitoring are an indicator of whether or not your drinking water meets health standards. During February 2009, we "did not complete all monitoring or testing" for total coli form bacteria and therefore cannot be sure of

the quality of your drinking water during that time (an employee missed the end of the month bacterial testing by one working day).

What Should I Do?

- There is nothing you need to do at this time. You do not need to boil your water or take other corrective action.
- This notice is to inform you that the Glendale Village PWS did not monitor and report results for the presence of total coli form bacteria in the public drinking system during the February 2009 time period, as required by the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency.

What Is Being Done?

Upon being notified of this violation, the water supply was required to have the drinking water

analyzed for the above mentioned parameters. The water supplier will take steps to ensure that adequate monitoring will be performed in the future. For more information, please contact **Mike Heuer, Chief Utility Operator at (513)771-7200** or the Village of Glendale:

30 Village Square, Glendale Ohio 45246. (MHeuer@glendaleohio.org)

Please share this information with all the other people who drink this water, especially those who may not have received this notice directly

(for example, people in apartments, nursing homes, schools and businesses). You can do this by posting this notice in a public place or distributing copies by hand or mail.

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2008 CCR Data for Greater Cincinnati Water Works (GCWW) Wholesale Customers

Regulated Contaminants: Contaminants subject to a Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL), Action Level (AL) or Treatment Technique (TT)*

Substance	Unit	Maximum Allowed (MCL, AL, TT)*	MCLG*	Miller Water				Bottom Water				Typical Source of Contaminant
				Highest Compliance Level Detected	Range of Detections	Violation	Year Sampled	Highest Compliance Level Detected	Range of Detections	Violation	Year Sampled	
Fluoride	ppm	4	4	0.97	0.79 - 1.03	No	2008	0.98	0.83 - 1.09	No	2008	Additive which promotes strong teeth. May come from erosion of natural deposits.
Nitrate	ppm	10	10	1.10	048 - 1.10	No	2008	3.33	2.05 - 3.33	No	2008	Runoff from fertilizer use, leaching from septic tanks, sewage, erosion of natural deposits.
Gross Beta	pCi/L	50	0	24	nd - 24	No	2008	6	nd - 6	No	2008	Decay of natural and man-made deposits. (Epaconsiders 50 pCi/L to be the level of concern).
Turbidity	NTU	TT1<1NTU Max and TT2<0.3NTU 95% of the time	na	0.11 100%<0.3NTU	0.05 - 0.11	No	2008	nr	nr	na	na	Soil runoff.
Total Organic Carbon		TT1	na	2.34	1.75 - 3.04	No	2008	nr	nr	na	na	Naturally present in the environment.
Barium	ppm	2	2	0.0359	na	No	2008	0.0203	na	No	2008	Erosion of natural deposits; Discharge of drilling wastes; Discharge from metal refineries.
Chromium	ppb	100	100	1.38	na	No	2008	1.79	na	No	2008	Erosion of natural deposits; Discharge from steel and pulp mills.
Selenium	ppb	50	50	nd	na	No	2008	2.05	na	No	2008	Erosion of natural deposits; Discharge from petroleum and metal refineries.

Unregulated Contaminants for which EPA requires monitoring

Substance	Unit	MCLG*	Miller Water				Bottom Water			
			Average Level Detected	Range of Detections	Violation	Year Sampled	Average Level Detected	Range of Detections	Violation	Year Sampled
Chloroform	ppb	na	2.03	0.83 - 3.17	na	2008	2.03	1.76 - 2.31	na	2008
Bromodichloromethane	ppb	0	3.98	2.77 - 7.36	na	2008	3.91	3.23 - 4.43	na	2008
Dibromochloromethane	ppb	60	6.78	2.60 - 17.2	na	2008	6.33	5.44 - 8.4	na	2008
bBromoform	ppb	0	3.84	0.45 - 13.7	na	2008	4.04	3.05 - 6.05	na	2008
Sulfa	ppm	na	79	57 - 119	na	2008	50	48 - 52	na	2004

¹The value reported under "Highest Compliance Level Detected" for Total Organic Carbon (TOC) is the lowest ratio between percentage of TOC actually removed to the percentage of TOC required to be removed. A value of greater than one (1) indicates that the water system is in compliance with TOC removal requirements. A value of Less than one (1) indicates a violation of the TOC removal requirements.

Results of GCWW Voluntary Monitoring For Cryptosporidium

GCWW has tested for Cryptosporidium (Crypto) in treated water and has never detected it. Crypto is a microorganism that, when ingested, can result in diarrhea, fever and other gastrointestinal symptoms. GCWW also tested for Crypto in the Ohio River surface water and it was not found during 2008. The organism is found in the surface waters and comes from animal and human wastes which enter the watershed. Crypto is eliminated by an effective combination including sedimentation, filtration, and disinfect ion.

Sodium: GCWW has tested for sodium in treated water as it leaves the treatment plants and has found 32 mg (milligrams) per liter in the Miller water and 28 mg per liter in the Bottom water. There are approximately four cups in a liter.

Turbidity: We are required to report on the turbidity as an indication of the effectiveness of our filtration system. Turbidity is a measure of the cloudiness of water. The turbidity limit set by the EPA is 0.3 NUT in 95% of the daily samples and shall not exceed 1 NTU at any time. As reported in the table above, GCWW's highest recorded turbidity result for 2008 was 0.11 NTU (Miller Water) and the lowest monthly percentage of samples meeting the turbidity limits was 100%.

Definitions

Maximum Contaminant Level Goal or 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 or MCL: The Highest level of a contaminant allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.

Abbreviations

ppb: parts per billion

ppm: parts per million

na: not applicable

NTU: Nephelometric Turbidity Unit, used to measure clarity in drinking water

nd: not detectable at testing limits

pCi/L: picoCuries per liter, a measure of radioactivity in water.

Action Level or AL: The concentration of a contaminant, which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system shall follow.

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

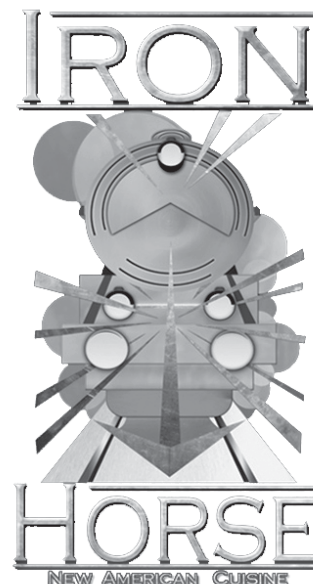
The < Symbol: A symbol which means less than. A result of <5 means that the lowest level that could be detected was 5 and the contaminant in that sample was not detected.

THE IRON HORSE WELCOMES NEW CHEF

The Exciting news on the square is The Iron Horse has announced their new chef – Nathaniel Blanford, former “Chef de Cuisine” at Mesh Restaurant in West Chester. Nat has seventeen years of experience with the last seven working directly with Paul Sturkey.

New menus and management will be in place for the Grand Re-Opening, which will take place on Thursday, May 7th. The restaurant will be closed on Tuesday and Wednesday, May 5th and 6th, for preparation.

In addition to the Re-opeing of the restaurant, owner Robin Thomas will have tours of the Glendalia Hotel. She will also be opening the new Glendalia Consignment Shop located next to the hotel. The consignment shop will be carrying antiques, high end reproductions and slightly used upscale furniture. Stop in and see all the beautiful items in stock with more to come.



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