Village of Cuyahoga Heights Newsletter ~ June 2017



Village Bus:

The Village bus operates on a weekly basis for our senior citizens; a schedule of the monthly bus run is usually inserted in with our Village Newsletter. For your convenience, attached with this newsletter is the current calendar. Reservations are required and obtained by calling the Village Hall at 641-7020 prior to 8:30 a.m. on the morning of the trip. For a Saturday trip, please call the Village Hall before 4:00 p.m. on Friday. All trips leave approximately at 9:00 a.m. unless otherwise noted on the calendar. Pick ups and drop offs are made at the resident's home.

Please note that all riders of the Village bus must fill out an emergency contact form. This form was established by Council to promote safety for all residents and organizations that use the Village bus. In case of emergencies, it is very important that he Village be able to call those individuals who you designate as emergency contacts. It not only helps our bus driver, but it helps you too! The bus driver will keep this form on the bus. Please inform your contact person of any medications or conditions that would need to be available in case you were taken to the hospital. Please not that all non-residents who ride the Village bus for special bus trips must pay a \$5.00 fee. The fee may be paid at the Village Hall prior to the trip or paid to the bus driver on that day.

Friendly Reminder:

With the warm weather upon us, please be mindful of the condition of the landscaping on your property. Included below is the Village Ordinance pertaining to weeds and grasses. Working together we keep the Village a beautiful place to live.

660.15 WEEDS AND GRASSES.

- (a) Every owner, occupant or person in control of any lot or land within the Municipality shall cause to be cut and destroyed all Russian, Canadian or common thistle, wild lettuce, wild mustard, wild parsley, ragweed, ironweed and all other noxious weeds growing or being upon such lot or land and shall cut any other weeds or grasses to a height not to exceed six inches within two days of the receipt of notice as hereinafter provided. The Service Director shall issue notice to the owner, occupant or person in control of any lot or land within the Municipality, upon which any of the aforementioned noxious weeds, or grasses or other weeds in excess of six inches, are growing or standing, to cut and/or destroy the weeds and/or grasses within two days. The notice may be served by delivering it by one or more of the following procedures: personally delivering it to the owner, occupant or person in control of the land; delivering it or mailing it by regular or certified mail at the usual place of business or residence of the owner, occupant or person in control of the land; posting it in a conspicuous place on the land involved. A separate offense shall be deemed to have occurred each day on which such weeds or grasses are allowed to stand longer than two days after the receipt of such notice.
- (b) Weeds or grasses which are not removed or cut as required by division (a) hereof are declared to be nuisances. The Service Director shall cause the abatement of the nuisance and shall report the cost thereof to Council which may assess the same on the real estate on which the nuisance existed. Such remedy shall be in addition to the penalty provided in division (c) hereof.
- (c) Whoever violates this section is guilty of a misdemeanor of the fourth degree and shall be subject to the penalty provided in Section <u>698.02</u>. (Ord. 2010-126. Passed 11-10-10; Ord. 2011-40. Passed 6-8-11.)