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Bedford Newsletter

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There will be no change in refuse pick-up.

Recycle your old Holiday Lights

Recycle your broken, burned out strings of lights, power strips and power cords during the District's holiday lights recycling program. The Solid Waste District accepts strands of lights (holiday lights and other strands) at its facility located at 4750 East 131 Street in Garfield Heights. Drop off in our lobby during business hours M-F 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

The recycling program runs December 1-January 15. No bags or boxes in the recycling bin, please. Place items loose in our lobby drop box and take all bags, boxes and containers home with you. Artificial trees are not accepted. Materials collected are recycled by a local Cleveland company.

City of Bedford State of the City Address

The State of the City Address will take place on Thursday, January 25, 2018 at Light of Hearts Villa activities center room, located at 283 Union Street. Doors will open at 11:30 a.m. with lunch being served at noon. Mayor Stan Koci and City Manager Michael S. Mallis will be giving the address at 12:30 p.m.

A luncheon buffet will be available at a cost, with reservations. However, those wishing to attend the State of the City Address without lunch can do so free of charge. To make a reservation for lunch, please RSVP by Tuesday, January 16, at (440) 232-0115 or email director@southeastchamber.org

Recycling in Bedford is easier than ever.

Good news: Most product packaging and paper can be recycled in your home. Cut your trash in half when you combine paper, cans, cartons and glass along with plastic bottles and jugs in your curbside recycling. Recycle more, recycle better.

Learn more at CuyahogaRecycles.org



Empty and Rinse.

Empty and Rinse. Replace Cap.

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Flatten Cardboard.

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Place these items loose – not bagged – in your recycling container.



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Snow Removal

When snow accumulations exceed two inches, a parking ban is put into effect. No parking on any city streets.

It is the property owner's responsibility to clear snow from the sidewalk. In addition, we request residents clear fire hydrants in front of their homes.

When having your driveway and sidewalks cleared of snow, all snow is to remain on your property.

Animal Warden

The Animal Warden can be contacted by calling the non-emergency police number 440.232.1234.

Power Outage

When experiencing a loss of power call 1-888-544-4877 (1-888-LIGHTSS) to report outages.



Prescription Drug Drop Box

A drug Pill Drop Box, supplied by the County, has been permanently installed in the lobby of the Bedford Police Department. Anyone with expired or unused prescription pills can dispose of their medication in the Pill Drop Box 24/7. PILLS ONLY. No needles or liquids.

Prescription opiates are often the gateway to heroin addiction. Prescription opiates are commonly found in many medicine cabinets. It is vital that old prescriptions be properly disposed to keep one's family safe. Pills left unattended in a bathroom or medicine cabinet can be easily taken and misused. Please utilize Cuyahoga County's Rx Drug Drop Box Program to keep your loved ones safe.



3rd Annual Bedford Community MLK Jr. Commemoration Celebration.

Sunday, January 14, 2018 at 5:00 p.m.

Elevation Community Church

234 Center Rd., Bedford, OH 44146

For more information, contact 440.439.1638.

All are welcome !