



**March 20, 2020**  
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**UPDATED**

Welcome to the  
**City of Richmond**  
**Heights, Ohio**  
e-newsletter

News, Events,  
Highlights:

**THE  
FOLLOWING  
MEETINGS &  
EVENTS ARE  
CANCELLED OR  
POSTPONED  
UNTIL  
FURTHER  
NOTICE**

**City Council  
Meeting  
March 24<sup>th</sup>**

**Belle Oaks  
Public Hearing  
March 24<sup>th</sup>**

**Shred Day  
March 28<sup>th</sup>**

**Lunch Bunch  
April 2<sup>nd</sup>**

**Kiwanis Pancake  
Breakfast  
April 4<sup>th</sup>**

**Easter Egg Hunt  
April 4<sup>th</sup>**

## MAYOR'S MESSAGE UPDATED



### **Richmond Heights Mayor David H. Roche**

Welcome to our e-newsletter publication. **With all the Coronavirus misinformation being reported, we ask our residents to keep up to date with the latest information through the Cuyahoga County Board of Health's page.** [Please click here to visit their site on Coronavirus.](#)

ALL CITY BUILDINGS ARE CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC and we ask that you call in to each individual office or visit the Website for updated information. Offices are being cleaned daily by a FEMA Certified employee. All City employees' temperatures are taken prior to starting work each morning to ensure their personal safety as well as our community's.

This is a stressful time for all. Ours is a special community and we will pull through this together. In alignment with the governor's declared state of emergency and subsequent orders, including those from the Department of Health and until further notice, the City has cancelled all events and meetings without essential action items on their agenda. Take this opportunity to reach out and support each other, your neighbors, and local social organizations that are in need volunteers or assistance.

Although City offices remain open during business hours to our staff, we continue to advance the important work of the City with some employees working remotely when possible. We remain available to serve the community without interruption. Our highest priority is the health of employees, Council members, Boards and Committee members, and all the community members we serve.

Please beware of SCAMS and know that our Police Department is NOT currently issuing any solicitor permits until further notice. For more information on scams, please visit the [Cuyahoga County Scam Squad website by clicking here.](#)

I wish you all the best during these unprecedented times.

Stay well.

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Senior Citizens  
Police Academy

Cop Scouts

Coffee with a Cop

All Senior Fitness  
Classes

Senior Club

Garden Club

Kiwanis Meetings

Tennis & Pickle  
Ball Courts

In addition to reading our e-newsletter, be sure to visit our [website](#) regularly to see public notices, news and other items of interest.

**NEWS, EVENTS, HIGHLIGHTS**

**[CORONAVIRUS INFORMATION](#)** – Please click here for the Cuyahoga County Board of Health's website.

**2020 Census – Respond Your Way**

The 2020 Census is happening now. Help shape your future, and your community's future, by responding to the 2020 Census. Homes began receiving their invitation to respond to the 2020 Census between March 12-20. These official Census Bureau mailings include detailed information and a Census ID for completing the Census online. **You can [complete your questionnaire online, by phone, or by mail](#). Every person counted matters!**

Each individual has a tremendous effect on funding for vital programs and services used by residents of Cuyahoga County. For every person not counted in Ohio, \$1,814 is lost in funds that would go toward these programs and resources. The official census results are also used to determine how many seats Ohio receives in the U.S. House of Representatives. If Cuyahoga County is undercounted, Ohio could receive fewer seats in the House of Representatives as a result.

City and County Planners also use census data to plan for hospitals, nursing homes, and other clinics. Cuyahoga County and State of Ohio agencies rely on census data to build new roads and repair our infrastructure. Cleveland Metropolitan School District and other regional Public School districts even use census information to draw school district boundaries. Visit [2020census.gov](#) or [Cuyahoga County Census Counts](#).

**FOOD PANTRIES**

- [The MACE Islamic Center hosts a monthly food pantry](#) every 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of the month from 5:00pm - 6:30pm in partnership with The Greater Cleveland Food Bank where food distributions will occur on. Please bring an ID. The food pantry is located at the MACE Islamic Center 26901 Chardon Rd., Richmond Heights. ALL ARE WELCOME!
- [Community Partnership on Aging “Produce Plus” program](#) every 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of the month from 10:30am - 3:30pm at South Euclid Community Center, 1370 Victory Dr., Cleveland, OH 44121. Please bring an ID. Program follows income guidelines and sign-in is required.



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