



The Village of Woodmere



"Gateway to the Chagrin Valley"

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TO: Mayor Benjamin I. Holbert III and Members of Council

SUBJECT: Monthly Report to Council – February 2022
(Reporting Period: 1/13 /22 to 2/9/22)

Meetings: NEOFPA, NLC Future of Cities Summit, Ohio Fire Chiefs Safety Health and Wellness & Policy Committees and CVD Fire Users Group

Fire Prevention: Erie Bank, Fifth Third Bank, Mabel's BBQ, Paladar, and Target

Public Relation: Lift Assist and Smoke Alarms installation

Station: Exhaust system unit damage, Engine 1 (Generator Exterior Switch, Ladder Rack, Pressure Relief Valve are Out of Service; Warning Lights and Jump line Switch are malfunctioning and air pressure leak), SCBA Cylinders (End of life-15years), Suction Unit Battery (End of Life – Lifepak-12 Batteries, portable/apparatus radios nearing end of life/software mandate), need new turn-out gear for new employees, 2 portable radios in for repair (low volume & on/off knob), and Lucas 2 batteries need replacing

Staffing: Scheduling Impact of COVID-19: 5 Home Quarantines, 9 Positive COVID-19 EMS Transports, 4 Members Tested COVID-19 Negative, 11 Members Tested COVID-19 Positive, 3 Members Resigned and 1 New Member Hired

Training EMS: Frostbite, Public Health Response To COVID-19, National Academy of Medicine – The third Year of CoVID-19 Is This The New Normal, Military Support For Clinicians & Hospitals, Lucas Device and Driving Squad 1

Training Fire: Flow MSP Preplan & Incident Response, Knox Fire Prevention and Safety Ohio Department of Public Safety – Radio Messaging Under War Like Conditions, National Fallen Firefighters Foundation – IC to IG Worcester Residential Fire, National Weather Service Major Winter Storm, Pump Operations, Fire Behavior and Structural Collapse

Note:

Ready Cuyahoga County recertification plaque presentation at a Woodmere council meeting on February 9th by Cuyahoga County Office of Emergency Management personnel

<https://ready.cuyahogacounty.us/en-US/Ready-Certify.aspx>

https://ready.cuyahogacounty.us/pdf_ready/en-US/ReadyCertify%20Information.pdf

Received 30 COVID-19 Test Kits from Ohio Department of Health via the Cuyahoga County Office of Emergency Management

Vaccines.gov - Find COVID-19 vaccine locations near you <https://www.vaccines.gov/>

February Safety Tips

Knox Residential Box provides first responders with safe and immediate access to a residential property in the event of an emergency.



Videos - Knox Rapid Access System (knoxbox.com)

<https://www.knoxbox.com/Support/Videos>

(Scroll down to Knox Residential (HomeBox) and click on Watch Now)

Knox Residential Program - Knox Rapid Access System (knoxbox.com)

<https://www.knoxbox.com/News/Knox-Residential-Program>

Replace your alarms after 10 years.

Smoke alarms do not last forever. If your alarms are 10 years old or older, replace them with new alarms.

U.S. Fire Administration | FEMA | City to Sharepower's

The graphic features a circular design with two smoke alarm icons and a large "10 years" text. Blue arrows indicate a cycle. Logos for the U.S. Fire Administration, FEMA, and City to Sharepower's are at the bottom.

Emergency lighting during severe weather

Never use candles for emergency lighting.

Use flashlights and stock up on extra batteries.

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The graphic is split diagonally. The top half shows a person with a candle, marked with a red 'X'. The bottom half shows a person with a flashlight, marked with a green checkmark. Logos for FEMA, U.S. Fire Administration, and City to Sharepower's are at the bottom.

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- Use flashlights for emergency lighting and stock up on batteries.
- Never use candles for emergency lighting. Many things in your home can catch fire if they come too close to a candle's flame.



Never use an oven or stovetop to heat your home.



Keep snow and ice 5 feet away from fire hydrants.

In case of fire, firefighters need to be able to get to the hydrants quickly to protect people and property.

