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Ashville's 2015 Utility Report Consumer Confidence Report (CCR)



This is a Special Edition of the Ashville Newsletter. Annually we report on the quality of water provided to our residents. The Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (Ohio-EPA) calls this the CCR or Consumer Confidence Report. All community public water systems are required to prepare a CCR annually and make the report available to their customers. The report contains information on the community's drinking water including the source of the water, contaminants detected, the likely sources of detected contaminants, health effects of the contaminants when violations occur, and availability of source water assessments.

A word from the Water Department

The Village of Ashville pumped 223.709 million gallons in 2015 with 14,858 removed in the process resulting in total finished pumped or 208.851 MG.

Starting August of 2015, the softeners at the water plant were rehabbed by having several valves replaced, new meters installed, and programing work done. This work was completed over three to four months and has allowed us to make the operation of the softeners more efficient resulting in salt conservation and less "water-wasted" during this process. Also, in July we had an EPA inspection that went well with no major issues.

Last year we began the process of connecting the water lines between Ashville and South Bloomfield as an emergency connection. The agreement was made and the work was finished earlier in 2016. The cooperation between the two municipalities will help secure both water systems and has opened the possibilities of more work together in the future.

With several hydrants being replaced, all the softener work at the plant, and multiple projects around town happening at once in 2015, I am proud to say we have had very little to no interruption of service and zero violations.

Again more information is found at www.ashvilleohio.gov.

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The complete CCR can be found by clicking on the above banner on our website: www.ashvilleohio.gov

CCR's are required by the 1996 amendments to the Safe Drinking Water Act. The Federal Rule (40 CFR 141.151-155) was finalized August 19, 1998. We hope this information will provide you comfort and security. We recognize that water quality is a very important area of operation.

Beyond the CCR Report

More month to month information about utility services can be found on our website www.ashvilleohio.gov. Click on the image to the right and at the bottom of the home page



Village Council Meetings Every 1st and 3rd Monday Time: 6:30 pm
Council Committee Meetings Every 2nd Monday at 6:30 pm
- Holiday Mondays will move the meeting forward by one week

Next Month....

- ◆ Gazebo Gatherings

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The Women's Civic Club of Ashville

The Women's Civic Club has launched the first initiative to "Beautify Ashville". Hopefully you have noticed the flower pots that have been placed throughout the downtown area. Civic Club members voted to support this initiative, both financially and by watering the pots.



The Club thanks the following businesses for their support of this effort:

- ◆ Ace Hardware
- ◆ Ashville Grainery
- ◆ Cindi Watkins, Preferred Properties
- ◆ Cutting Edge Family Hair Styling
- ◆ Engels
- ◆ LW Enterprise
- ◆ Oliver-Cheek Funeral Home
- ◆ Southward Apartments
- ◆ Trackside
- ◆ Ashville Apothecary
- ◆ Ashville Propane
- ◆ CornerStone Apartments
- ◆ Dairy Diamond
- ◆ Hummel & Plum Insurance
- ◆ NAPA
- ◆ Royal Car Wash
- ◆ The Seed House
- ◆ Viking Barber Shop

Please thank these businesses with your patronage.

The Club appreciates Coach Weber and the Teays Valley Football players for their muscle and Ronnie Clifton for the use of his equipment to get the planters into position.

The Women's Civic Club of Ashville was organized in 1946. Their Mission is to promote the intellectual, civic and social interests of the members of the community. Meetings are held the first Thursday of the month at 7:00 p.m. at the Younkin Branch Library.

For more information about the Civic Club or to get involved with their effort to "Beautify Ashville", please leave a message on their Facebook page.

"He profits most who serves others best."



ASHVILLE VISION STATEMENT

Remembering our rural heritage, Ashville will be a vibrant and friendly community, offering an enhanced quality of life achieved through planning, progress and collaboration.

It will be a welcoming place where people want to live and businesses prosper.

Mean Hardness
213 mg/L or 213,000 ppb

About your drinking water

The EPA requires regular sampling to ensure drinking water safety. The Ashville Water Department conducted sampling for {bacteria; inorganic; radiological; synthetic organic; volatile organic} during 2014. Samples were collected for a total of four (4) different contaminants most of which were not detected in the Ashville Water Department water supply. The Ohio EPA requires us to monitor for some contaminants less than once per year because the concentrations of these contaminants do not change frequently. Some of our data, though accurate, is more than one year old.

What are sources of contamination to drinking water?

The sources of drinking water, both tap water and bottled water, include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs, and wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally-occurring minerals and, in some cases, radioactive material, 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 result 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 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,

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

How do I participate in decisions concerning my drinking water?

We want our valued customers to be informed about their water utility. If you want to learn more, please attend our regularly scheduled Village Council meetings. They are held at 6:30 P.M. on the first and third Monday of each month at 200 East Station Street.

For more information on your drinking water contact James Welsh or Franklin Christman 740 / 983 - 6367 or email www.ashvilleohio@ashvilleohio.gov.

We are pleased to report that our drinking water is safe and meets federal and state requirements. This report shows your water quality and what it means. Thank you for allowing us to continue providing your family with clean and quality drinking water this year.

Lead and Tier 3 Reporting

If present, elevated levels of lead can cause serious health problems, especially for pregnant women and young children. Lead in drinking water is primarily from materials and components associated with service lines and home plumbing. Village of Ashville's Water Department is responsible for providing high quality drinking water, but cannot control the variety of materials used in plumbing components. When your water has been sitting for several hours, you can minimize the potential for lead exposure by flushing your tap for 30 seconds to 2 minutes before using water for drinking or cooking. If you are concerned about lead in your water, you may wish to have your water tested. Information on lead in drinking water, testing methods, and steps you can take to minimize exposure is available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline or at <http://www.epa.gov/safewater/lead>.

License to Operate (LTO) Information

We have a current, unconditional license to operate our water system.

Fire Hydrant Flushing Sunday, July 31, starting at 8:00 pm & ending by 2:00 am




MONTHLY ACTIVITY REPORT-MAY 2016 & YTD INFORMATION

April 2016 Auxiliary Report

Auxiliary Officers volunteered 157 hours. Preparations are being made for the July 2nd 5K Run/Walk and the annual July 4th celebration. Chief Clark recently underwent surgery and the Unit wishes him a quick and full recovery. Sergeant Rathburn continues as Mayors Court Bailiff relieving a full time unit to patrol duty.

Submitted by Larry Rathburn Unit 54

Description	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD Total	Projection	Ave	Mean	Measure
Incident Report	116	89	111	119	138								573	1,375	114.60	116.00	Report
Logged Calls	3,870	4,949	6,613	6,516	6,780								28,728	68,947	5,745.60	6,516.00	Calls
Criminal Arrest/Charges	19	10	9	13	15								66	158	13.20	13.00	Files
Warrant Served/Arrests	3	1	6	3	4								17	41	3.40	3.00	Each
Traffic Citations	8	9	10	15	5								47	113	9.40	9.00	Each
Parking Tickets	0	0	0	0	1								1	2	0.20	0.00	Each
Warning Citations	29	40	43	48	36								196	470	39.20	40.00	Each
Crash Reports	9	2	6	5	7								29	70	5.80	6.00	Each
Code Violations	0	1	0	0	0								1	2	0.20	0.00	Each
Patrolled Miles	7,022	7,915	7,396	7,307	7,321								36,961	88,706	7,392.20	7,321.00	Miles
Auxiliary Hours	194	218	154	181	157								904	2,169.60	180.80	181.00	Hours

A larger version of the Police Report is available along with the Utility Report as a pdf on our website: www.ashvilleohio.gov

Description	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD Total	Projection	Budget	Ave	Mean
General Revenue Fund Total	\$100,018.65	\$129,605.59	\$214,503.64	\$167,621.45	\$165,945.29								\$777,694.62	\$1,866,467.09	\$1,654,552.00	\$155,538.92	\$165,945.29
Income Tax Revenue	\$66,747.55	\$86,772.15	\$177,666.35	\$104,468.60	\$117,034.45								\$552,689.10	\$1,326,453.84	\$1,022,516.00	\$110,537.82	\$104,468.60
Police Expense 1000-110	\$54,804.77	\$78,089.54	\$65,796.50	\$42,496.98	\$88,919.55								\$330,107.34	\$792,257.62	\$845,274.00	\$66,021.47	\$65,796.50
Balance	\$45,213.88	\$51,516.05	\$148,707.14	\$125,124.47	\$77,025.74								\$447,587.28	\$1,074,209.47	\$809,278.00	\$89,517.46	\$100,148.79
Percentage of General Fund	54.79%	60.25%	30.67%	25.35%	53.58%								42.45%	42.45%	51.09%	42.45%	39.65%
Percentage of Income Tax	82.11%	89.99%	37.03%	40.68%	75.98%								59.73%	59.73%	82.67%	59.73%	62.98%

- DEFINITIONS:** **Incidents Reports (IR):** Reports that contain criminal offenses as stated in the Ohio Revised Code (ORC) chapter 29, and the Codified Ordinances chapter 500. **Logged Calls (LC):** Activities or contacts that do not require a report (court, services of court documents other than warrants, business checks, etc.) ***Incident reports listed below.**
- 5-1-16: Vandalism was reported on Park St.
 - 5-1-16: A juvenile male was charged with aggravated trespass.
 - 5-1-16: An adult male was charged with aggravated trespass.
 - 5-2-16: Suspicious activity was reported on Ashton Woods Dr.
 - 5-3-16: Suspicious activity was reported on Brenton Ct.
 - 5-3-16: An adult female was arrested for violating a protection order.
 - 5-3-16: Two adult males were charged with disorderly conduct.
 - 5-4-16: An animal complaint was reported on Jefferson Ave.
 - 5-5-16: An adult male was charged with drug possession.
 - 5-6-16: Harassment was reported on East St.
 - 5-6-16: An alcohol offense was reported on Long St.
 - 5-6-16: An adult female was arrested for disorderly conduct while intoxicated.
 - 5-6-16: An adult male was arrested on a warrant.
 - 5-6-16: A neighbor dispute was reported on Kraft Dr.
 - 5-7-16: An adult female was arrested on a warrant.
 - 5-7-16: Harassment was reported on W. Main St.
 - 5-7-16: An adult female was arrested for domestic violence.
 - 5-7-16: A sexual assault was reported on St. Rt. 752.
 - 5-7-16: Vandalism was reported on Scioto St.
 - 5-8-16: A burglary/B&E was reported on Jameson St.
 - 5-8-16: A juvenile male was charged as an unruly juvenile.
 - 5-9-16: An adult male was arrested for criminal trespass.
 - 5-10-16: A domestic disturbance was reported on N. Long St.
 - 5-10-16: A theft was reported on May Ave.
 - 5-11-16: A theft was reported on W. Main St.
 - 5-12-16: A theft was reported on Long St.
 - 5-13-16: A theft was reported on Princeton St.
 - 5-15-16: A theft was reported on N. Long St.
 - 5-16-16: A theft was reported on Euclid Ave.
 - 5-16-16: A theft was reported on Long St.
 - 5-16-16: A neighbor dispute was reported on Miller Ave.
 - 5-17-16: An adult female was charged with possession of drug paraphernalia.
 - 5-18-16: An animal complaint was reported on Brenton Ct.
 - 5-18-16: A theft was reported on E. Main St.
 - 5-19-16: A theft was reported Miller Ave.
 - 5-20-16: A burglary/B&E was reported on Hedges St.
 - 5-22-16: Grand theft was reported on W. Main St.
 - 5-22-16: A domestic disturbance was reported on Jefferson Ave.
 - 5-23-16: A burglary/B&E was reported on Miller Ave.
 - 5-24-16: An adult male was arrested on a warrant.
 - 5-24-16: A theft was reported on E. Main St.
 - 5-25-16: A fight was reported on Circleville Ave.
 - 5-25-16: An adult male was arrested on a warrant.
 - 5-25-16: A drug offense was reported on Davidson Dr.
 - 5-25-16: An attempted burglary/B&E was reported on Abbey Ct.
 - 5-26-16: A domestic disturbance was reported on Long St.
 - 5-26-16: theft was reported on Long St.
 - 5-27-16: A fight was reported on Long St.
 - 5-28-16: A fight was reported on Circleville Ave.
 - 5-28-16: A fight was reported on W. Main St.
 - 5-28-16: An animal complaint was reported on Lexington Ave.
 - 5-29-16: A burglary/B&E was reported on Long St.
 - 5-29-16: A burglary/B&E was reported on Circleville Ave.
 - 5-30-16: Suspicious activity was reported on Long St.
 - 5-30-16: A theft was reported on Miller Ave.
 - 5-30-16: Harassment was reported on Long St.
 - 5-30-16: A theft was reported on Mary Pl.
 - 5-31-16: Harassment was reported on Randolph St.
 - 5-31-16: A domestic disturbance was reported on Cromley St.