



November 2020



In the Loop

Mayor's Newsletter

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Small Business Relief Grant

Utilizing CARES Act funding, the City of Sharonville developed the Small Business Relief Program to assist for-profit companies with expenses directly resulting from business interruption or arising from the decrease in gross revenue in connection with the COVID-19 pandemic. Businesses were eligible to have expenses such as rent/mortgage, utilities, equipment purchase to encourage social distancing and personal protective equipment covered in increments of \$2,500, \$5,000, \$7,500 or \$10,000.

Applicants will be notified of their grant award mid-November. Remember to support our area small businesses and shop local!

DORA on the Loop



The hours of Downtown Sharonville's DORA are:

Monday-Thursday: 5 to 11pm
Friday: 5pm to midnight
Saturday: noon to midnight
Sunday: noon to 9pm

For more information including map & signage, visit www.CityofSharonville.com.

DORA (Designated Outdoor Refreshment Area) on the Downtown Loop of the City of Sharonville allows those 21 years of age and older to purchase alcoholic beverages from a participating establishment within the area and carry the beverage in an approved DORA cup.

Who is selling DORA beverages?

Al's Bar, Alreddy Café, LaRosa's, and the VFW. Each business will have a window cling displaying their choice of participation.

Will people be able to take a DORA beverage into another DORA-authorized establishment?

No. Per law, once a DORA beverage has left an establishment, it must be consumed before entering another liquor permit establishment.

What is a DORA cup?

A single use 16oz clear plastic cup with the official Sharonville DORA square sticker allows a patron to walk within the boundaries of the DORA with their beverage.

Due to COVID-19 concerns, some entities are choosing not to participate or currently have reduced hours. However it is our hope that DORA can help attract people to the Loop to shop small and local!



POLICE STATION CONSTRUCTION FINISHED



Open collaborative meeting space

Construction is complete on the new Police Station at its new location, Kemper Road & 42. This central location within the city will provide excellent access to the interstation and to areas with a large number of service calls. With this location, they can easily avoid railroad blockages.

The new Police Station doubles their size. It allows for ample meeting space options and employees will have their own



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desks and/or office space. One feature is a small community room at the front of the building that is available to reserve for community use.

Exposed high ceilings give it a modern feel without being too industrial. There are ample windows to provide for natural light to give warmth. Well done! The Department looks forward to moving in before the end of the year.



Community Room



Conference Room



RENOVATIONS AT FIRE STATION 87 COMPLETE



Offices

It is move in ready! The renovations and overhaul at Station 87 are finished. This facility which was originally built at the main house for a volunteer fire department is now made functional and equipped to house people 24/7.

Improvements take into account we have men and women on our crews. Bunk areas and offices were moved to the first floor to avoid firefighters navigating steps in the middle of the night. Additionally, a turnout gear room was added to reduce contamination and



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cancer risks to the building area and staff. This area was outfitted to wash and clean turnout gear.

Windows and doors were replaced and updated to improve insulation. Much like the Police Station, windows and skylights were added to increase natural light and warmth. We are ready to welcome back Station 87 crews from their displaced homes. Thank you to Blue Ash Fire Department for housing our fire truck and firefighters!



Dining Area doubles as meeting area

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COVID-19 Update

Please continue to wear face coverings, keep a social distance of 6' from others outside of your household, and wash your hands often! For further information, visit www.hamiltoncountyhealth.org or www.coronavirus.ohio.gov.



Veterans Day Celebration

Due to COVID-19 concerns, Sharonville Elementary school will not have a formal program at Patriots Pointe this year. We invite you to pay your respects and thank our veterans!



Fire Station Mural

Eric Henn Murals will begin painting this mural on the front wall sign this month. The process will take approximately 3 weeks to complete. We look forward to seeing the finished product be an attraction on the Loop!



Ford Donates Face Masks

Sharonville Ford Motor plant generously donated 54,000 face masks! Efforts are being made to distribute them to those in our community to help mitigate the spread of COVID-19. Stay tuned for public pick-up dates. Thank you, Ford!



Fitness Center Capacity

An abundance of precautions are taken to keep you safe while you work out. At no time has the Fitness Center reached its capacity per current state orders. Reserve your workout time at <http://www.supersaas.com/schedule/sharonvillerec>.



Thanksgiving Dinner by Sharonville Convention Center

The Convention Center is cooking so you don't have to! Call 513-326-6040 for more information. Place your order before 11/20 at 5pm to order your Thanksgiving Dinner for pick-up to host at home. Pick-up choices are 11/24-25 at 2pm, 3pm or 4pm.



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