

COVINGTON COUNCIL NEWS

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Covington Government Center 1 South High Street

Hours 8 A.M. – 4:30 P.M.

Monday – Friday

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Council Meetings 7:00 P.M. 1st and 3rd Mondays of each

month.

Planning & Zoning Meeting 7:00 P.M.

4th Tuesday of each month.

Large Item Pickup

The Village will again provide curb-side pickup of large items. This service will be provided to residential trash customers at no additional cost the week of June 1 through June 5.

Summer Construction Projects

The Villages' 2020 paving program is underway. This year we are working paving the alley East of Harrison Street between Bridge and Thompson Streets. The Village is also paving Wenrick Street from Bridge Street to Walnut Street as well as Ludlow Street North of 36.

Finfrock Construction has replaced a sewer line on High Street in front of the Government Center and is currently replacing the water lines on Pearl Street between Walnut and Wright Streets.

Engineering work on High Street is continuing. The phase 2 design has been submitted to ODOT and we are currently working on R/W (Right-of-Way) acquisition

Zoning Permits

Summer residential construction projects are already well underway. Residents are reminded to contact the Government Center before beginning any projects to determine if a zoning permit is required. Please remember to call 811 (Ohio Utilities Protection Service) to have your utilities marked before doing any digging.

Mosquito Control

If you have been watching the news you are probably aware of the growing concern for diseases such as West Nile and Zika which can be transmitted by mosquitos. The Village of Covington is continuing its mosquito fogging program again this year, but fogging alone is not enough. Standing water becomes a breeding ground for disease carrying mosquitos. Items such as used tires, buckets, or unused swimming pools may become a haven for thousands of mosquitos. We ask that each property owner check his or her property to be sure that all items or areas that allow standing water are eliminated. With your help, we can work to control the mosquito population in Covington.

Spring Hydrant Flushing

Village staff will be flushing fire hydrants the week of June 8th. This activity is likely to cause low pressure and discolored water during that time. Residents are encouraged to refrain from washing clothes during hydrant flushing.