Great Oaks Institute of Technology and Career Development Live Oaks Campus

Great Oaks, one of the largest career and technical education districts in the United States, has been providing career development, workforce development and economic development services to individuals, business, industry, labor, communities and other organizations in southwest Ohio since 1970.

Great Oaks provides a very broad spectrum of services. They range from the coordination of career development services to students in grades K-12 in their thirty-six affiliated school districts; to technical foundations courses, co-op programs and other classes that they offer in many of their affiliated high schools; to the career technical programs for high school juniors and seniors that are available at their four campuses.

The Clermont County campus, Live Oaks, is located in Miami Township and serves Batavia, CNE, Goshen, Milford, and West Clermont school districts.

5956 Buckwheat Road Milford, OH 45150 Phone: 513-575-1900

The map on the following page shows the location the Live Oaks campus.



Excerpts from Great Oaks Live Campus: http://www.greatoaks.com/Pages/default.aspx

University of Cincinnati - Clermont College & UC East Clermont County is home to Two Regional Campuses

UC Clermont College is located in the center of Clermont County on 91 beautiful wooded acres in Batavia Village. Opened in 1972, Clermont College is an accredited, open-access college offering more than 50 associate degrees and certificate programs. The college began offering a technical bachelor's degree in 2011 – the Bachelor's Degree in Applied Administration. The Applied Administration program is designed for people who already hold a technical associate degree, such as an Associate of Applied Science or an Associate of Applied Business (from a regionally accredited institution).

UC East, a Clermont County expansion in the former Ford plant in Batavia Township, opened in 2010. It is home to UC Clermont College's Allied Health programs including: Surgical Assisting, Respiratory Therapy, Physical Therapist Assistant, EMS-Paramedic Certificate, Medical Assisting, and Multi-Skilled Health Technician. On the second floor of UC East, UC's College of Nursing offers a Bachelor of Science in Nursing degree program. The College of Education, Criminal Justice and Human Services also offers Bachelor Degree completion programs.

These regional colleges are part of the nationally recognized University of Cincinnati. Students who attend UC Clermont College and UC East have full access to UC's Uptown campus libraries, student support services, student clubs, fraternities, sororities, intramural sports and athletic events.

The map on the following page shows the locations of UC Clermont College and UC East.





Excerpts from and Pictures: University of Cincinnati Clermont http://www.ucclermont.edu/

OSU Agricultural Research & Development Center

The Clermont County OSU Extension office is your front door to Ohio State University. The OSU Extension Service is the world's largest non-formal educational system. Their practical educational programs combine the needs of local citizens and communities with new research and technical information.

OSU Extension is made up of several different program focus areas: Family & Consumer Sciences, 4-H Youth Development, Agriculture and Natural Resources, and Community Development.

Through these program areas, OSU is constantly looking for innovative ways to partner with community groups and organizations to extend their resources to the residents of Clermont County.

Overall, OSU Extension's mission is to help improve and strengthen the lives of Ohioans and that starts right here in Clermont County. Their clients are Ohioans - rural, urban, all ages, sizes and races.

The Ohio State University Extension is funded through the U.S. Department of Agriculture, Ohio State University, and Clermont Board of County Commissioners.

Clermont County Office: 1000 Locust St., PO Box 670 Owensville, Ohio 45160 Phone: (513) 732-7070 Fax: (513) 732-7060





Excerpts from and Pictures: OSU Clermont Extension http://clermont.osu.edu/

Clermont County Public Libraries

In 1955, the Clermont County Public Library began with a bookmobile and a tiny office. Today, they have become a powerful library system with 10 convenient locations, offering an extensive collection of print, digital and online resources and services.

The maps on the following pages show the locations of Clermont County's public libraries including their addresses.

The mission of the Clermont County Public Library is to foster lifelong learning by providing resources that inform, programs that engage and ideas that inspire. The Clermont County Public Library has a Strategic Plan 2013-2015 that focuses on:

- Access: Striving to meet the needs and interests
 of our patrons by promoting and providing access to
 library resources and programs.
- Service: aiming to anticipate individual needs and exceed expectations in delivering quality customer service.
- Diversity: respecting the needs and points of view of individuals in our communities and are committed to diversity in our collections and programs.
- Education: supporting the educational and literacy goals of our communities and individuals engaged in lifelong learning.
- **Integrity**: responsible of the library's assets and follow ethical practices to accomplish goals.

The complete strategic plan can be downloaded at: http://www.clermontlibrary.org/pdf/strategicplan.pdf

Library Future Goals

Goal 1: Clermont County residents will have timely access to a wide variety of materials, resources and services that support lifelong learning and meet their informational and entertainment needs.

Goal 2: Clermont County residents will have opportunities to participate in engaging library programs that relate to the needs and interests of all age groups.

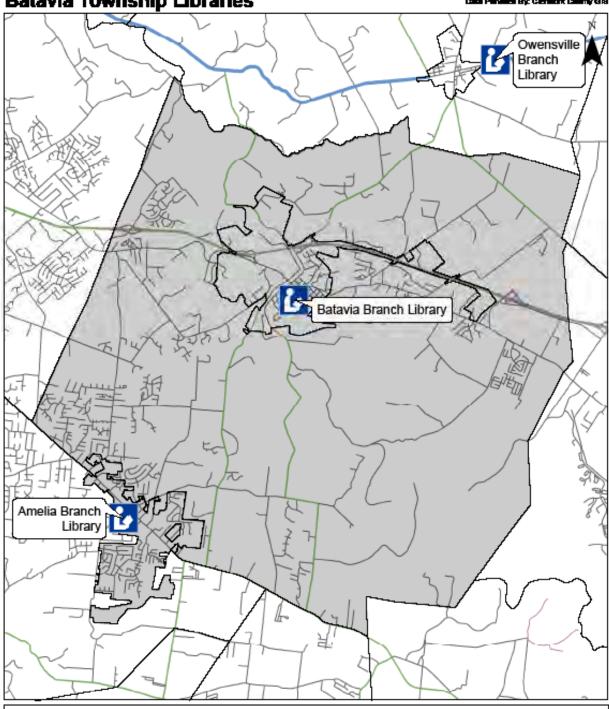
Goal 3: Clermont County residents will have access to current and emerging technologies necessary to support their informational, social and entertainment needs and interests.

Goal 4: Clermont County residents will receive excellent customer service from competent, well-trained and well-resourced staff members.

Goal 5: Clermont County residents and library staff members will have well-maintained, up-to-date, safe and cost effective facilities.

Goal 6: Fund-raising, marketing and partnering opportunities will be investigated to promote the library and its mission.



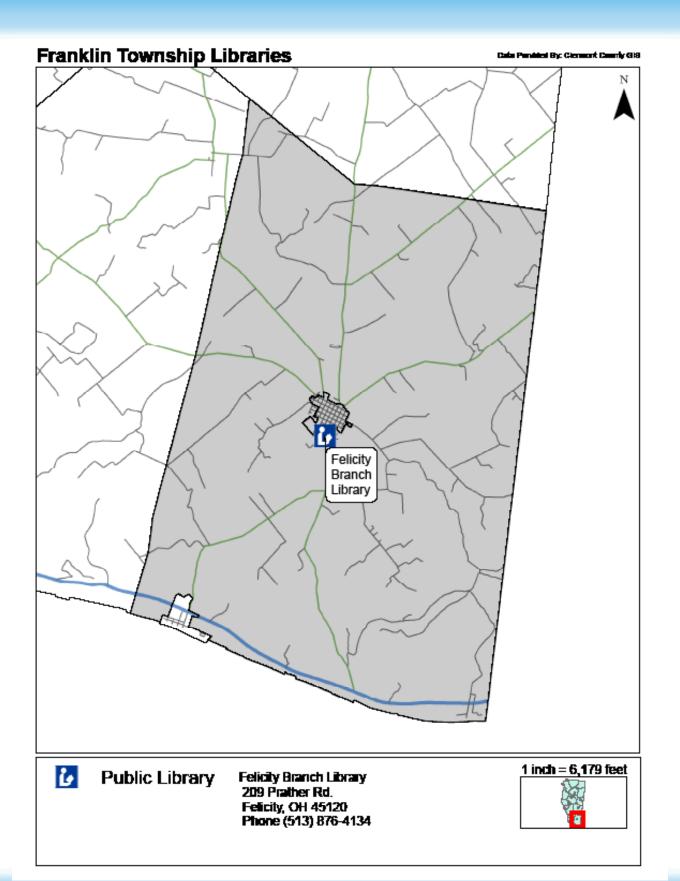


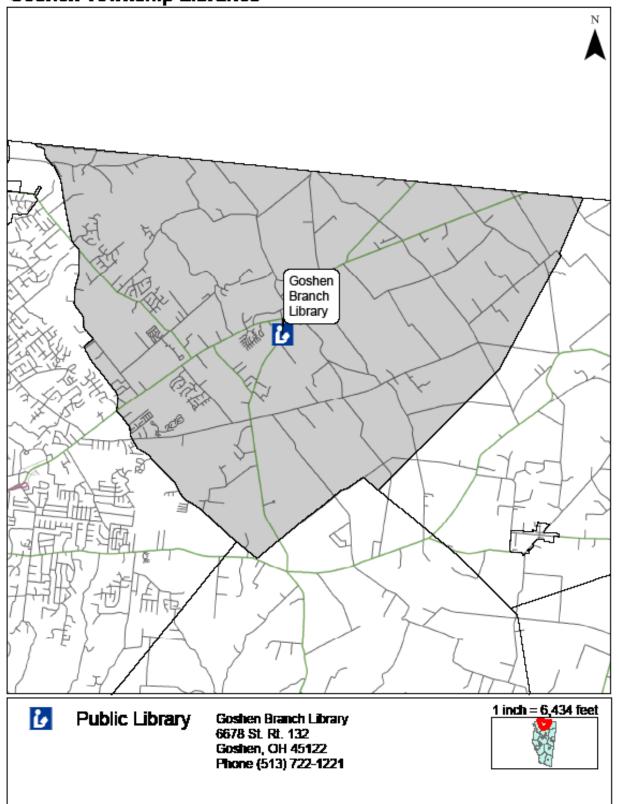


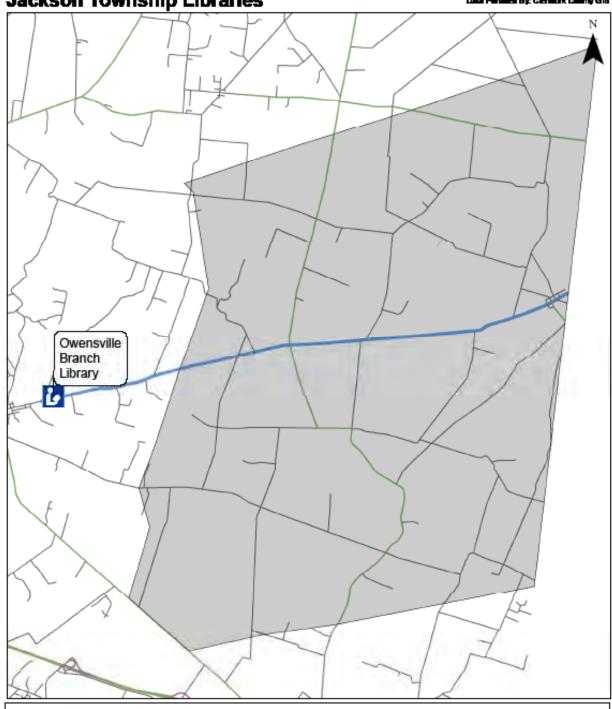
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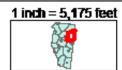
Amelia Branch Library 58 Maple Street Amelia, Ohio 45102 Phone (513) 752-5580

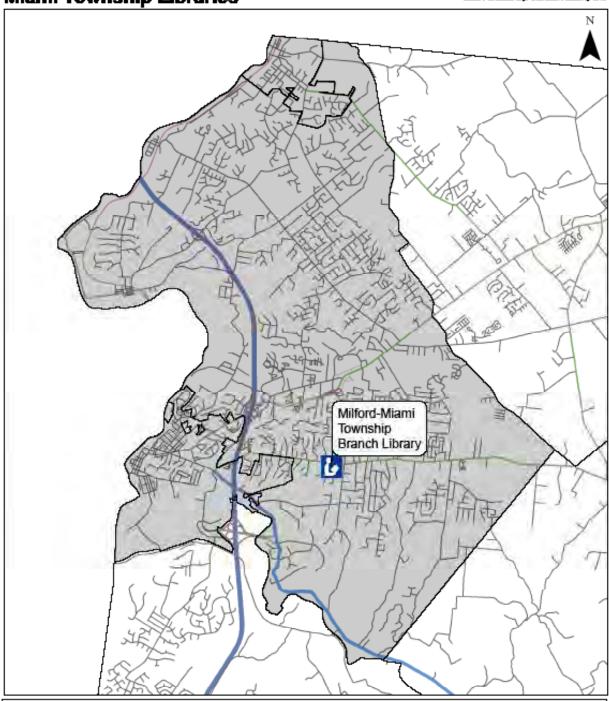












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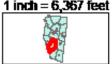
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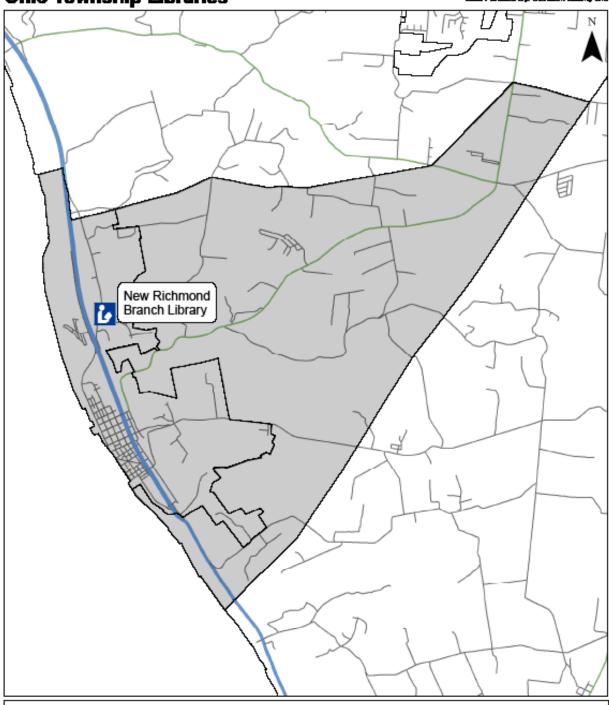
Milford-Miami Township Branch Library 1099 State Route 131 Milford, OH 45150 Phone (513) 248-0700



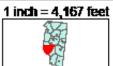
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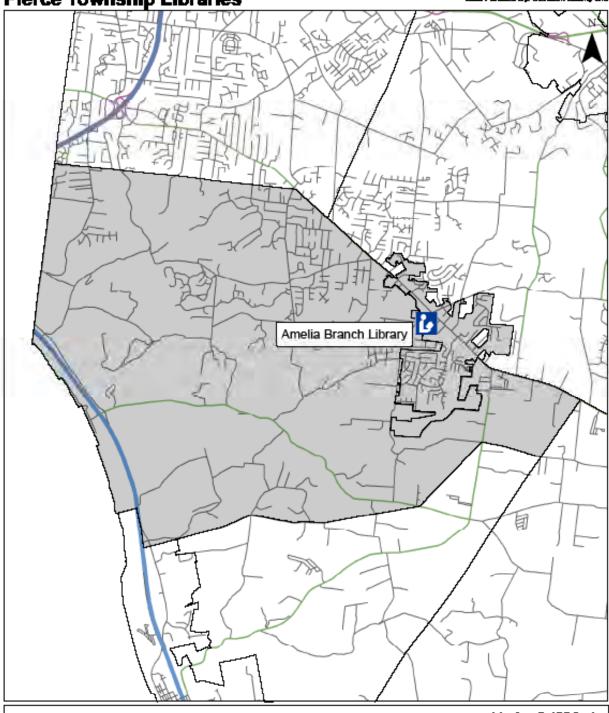
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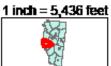


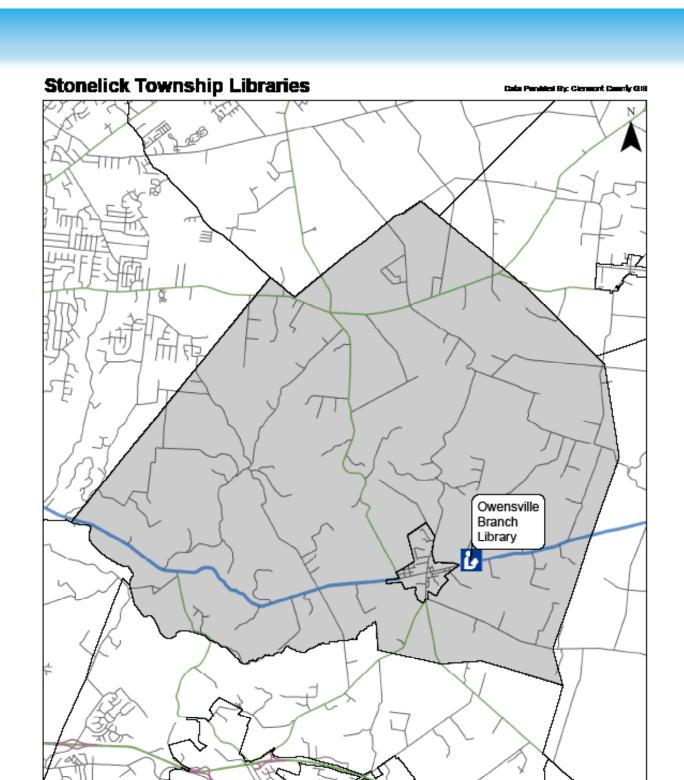
New Richmond Branch Library 103 River Valley Blvd. New Richmond, OH 45157 Phone (513) 553-0570





Amelia Branch Library 58 Maple Street Amelia, OH 45102 Phone (513) 752-5580





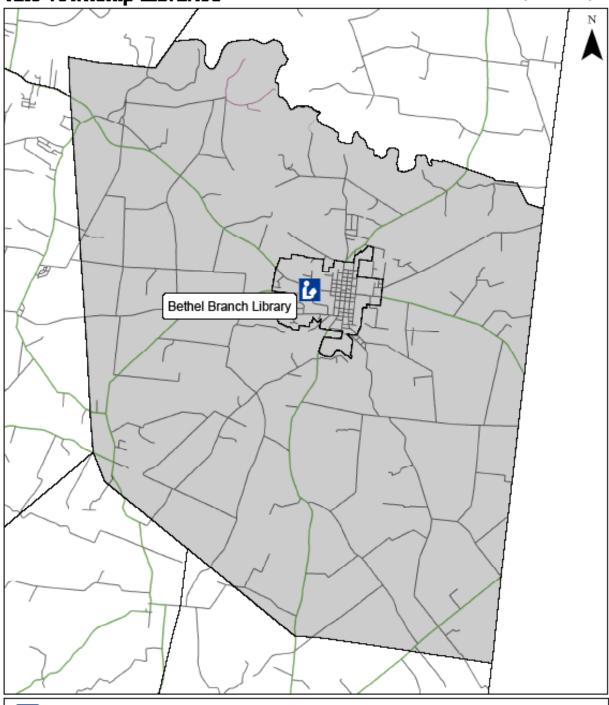
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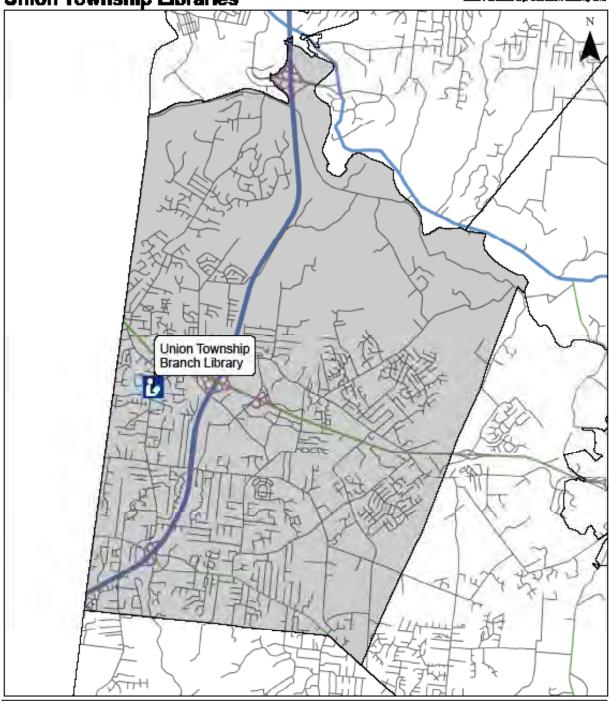
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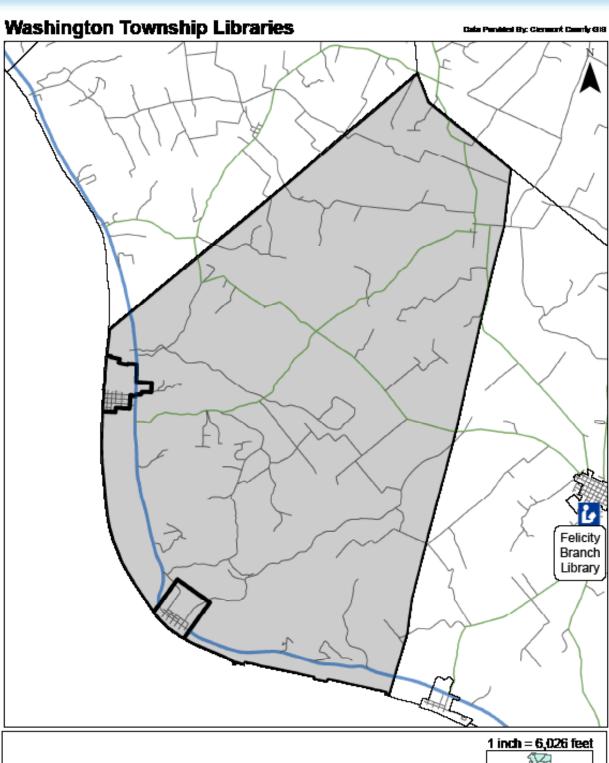


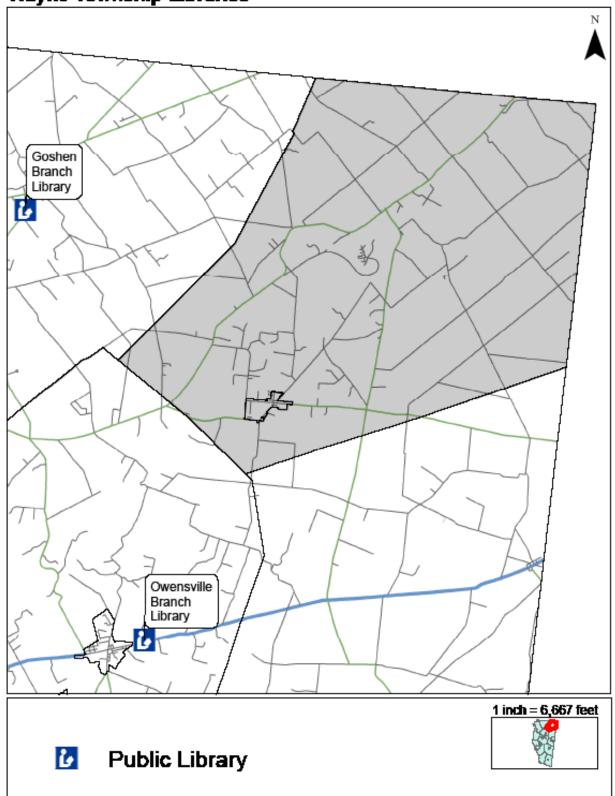
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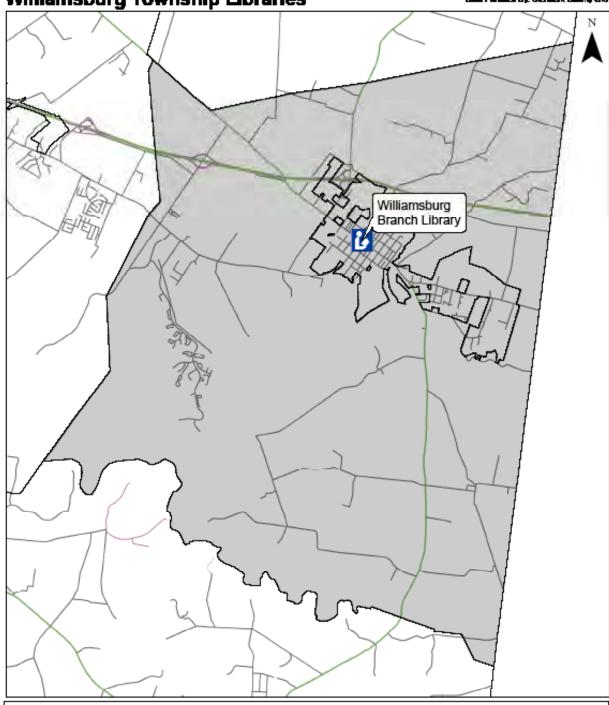
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Union Township Branch Library 4450 Glen Este-Withamsville Road Cincinnati, OH 45245 Phone (513) 528-1744





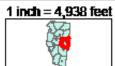




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Public Library

Williamsburg Branch Library 594 W. Main Street Williamsburg, OH 45176 Phone (513) 724-1070



Clermont County Sheriff's Office

Clermont County has a full service county law enforcement agency managed by the Clermont County Sheriff's Office including: Patrol, Criminal/Narcotics Investigations, Court Services & Security, Civil Process, and County Jail. There are 76 deputy sheriffs that serve Clermont County.

Clermont County Sheriff - 513-732-7500 Clermont County Narcotics Unit - 513-625-2806

Clermont County Jail

The jail employs approximately 100 trained civilian and security personnel. Necessary services are provided by certified or, in applicable cases, licensed professional personnel. The jail processes about 7,000 inmates a year, and has an average daily population of about 300 inmates.

Criminal Operations and Special Programs

Canine Unit

The Sheriff's Office currently has three canine units. All the canines and handlers attend training programs meeting State of Ohio canine certification criteria.

Special Response Team

The Sheriff's Office SRT is tasked with the responsibility of responding to critical, life-threatening incidents within Clermont County. Examples of SRT operations include: hostage situations or barricaded subjects, tracking fugitives, and high-risk search warrants.

CBRNE Response Transporter

The CBRNE Transporter Unit is operated and maintained by the Clermont County Sheriff's Office, and can be activated for any chemical, biological, radiological or nuclear threat within the region.

Commercial Vehicle Enforcement Unit

Once a violation is detected, the Deputy stops the vehicle, and then escorts the suspected overweight vehicle to a safe location where he uses the portable scales to weigh the vehicle.

School Safety

Investigative Deputies are assigned to make periodic visits to and contacts with the schools within the Sheriff's Office area of operations. This helps address situations within the schools before they become serious problems.

Dive Team

Partnership was formed between the Clermont County Sheriff's Office and Task Force One, a Hamilton County, Ohio underwater search and rescue unit consisting of personnel from the Loveland-Symmes Fire Department and Hamilton County Sheriff's Office.

Color Guard Unit

The Color Guard has distinguished itself as a professional, precision unit through participation at several community and civic events.

Senior Visitation Program

The program involves on-duty Road Patrol Deputies visiting the homes of senior citizens throughout Clermont County who live alone or who have special needs. Deputies are assigned a senior to visit on a weekly basis, schedules permitting.



Excerpts from Clermont County Sheriff's Website: http://www.clermontsheriff.org/

County Police Departments

While the Sheriff's Office serves all townships in Clermont County, some township board of trustees have contracted directly with the Sheriff's Office for full-time coverage of their township, rather than having their own department. Those townships include Batavia, Monroe, Tate and Washington.

Additionally, several communities manage their own police departments.

Police Departments

Amelia Village - 513-753-4747 Batavia Village - 513-732-5692 Bethel Village - 513-734-2256 Felicity Village - 513-876-2621 Goshen Township - 513-722-3200 Loveland Village - 513-583-3000 Miami Township - 513-248-3721

Milford Village - 513-248-5084 New Richmond Village - 513-553-3121

Owensville Village - 513-732-1171

Pierce Township - 513-752-4100 Union Township - 513-752-1230

Williamsburg Village - 513-724-2261

Ohio State Patrol

Ohio State Patrol - 513-732-1510

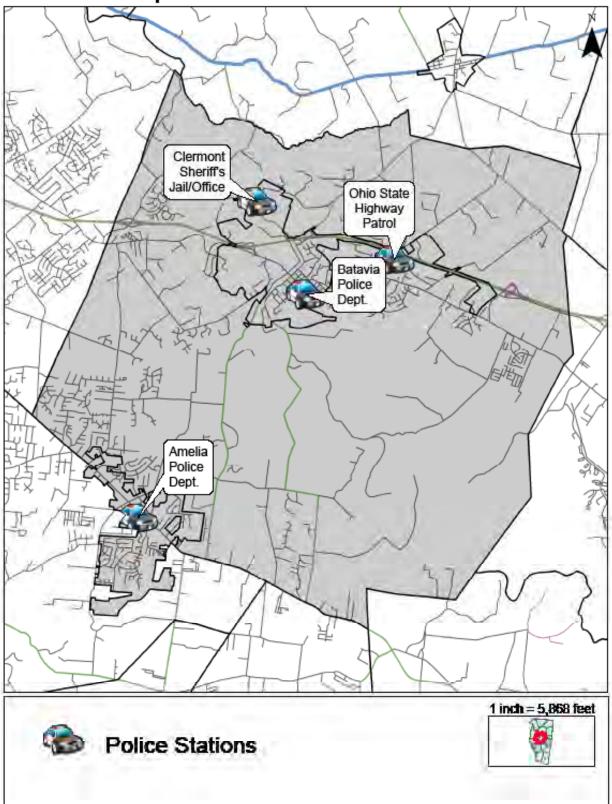
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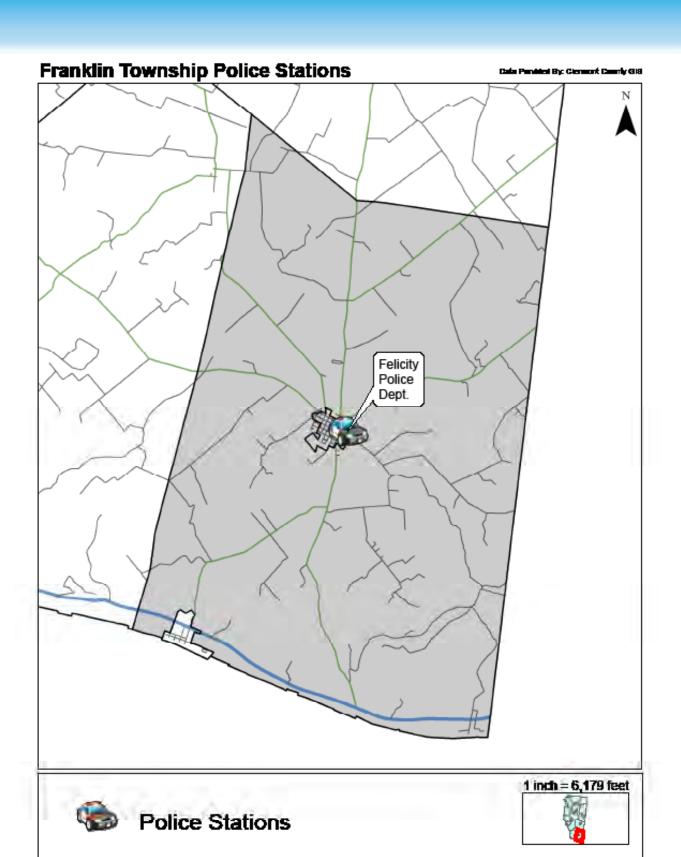
Operational units include the Office of Field Operations, units specializing in Aviation, a Special Response Team, Crash reconstruction, Inspections, Mobile Field Force, and Criminal Patrol; Human Resource Management, includes Labor Relations, Career Development and the Administrative Investigation Unit.

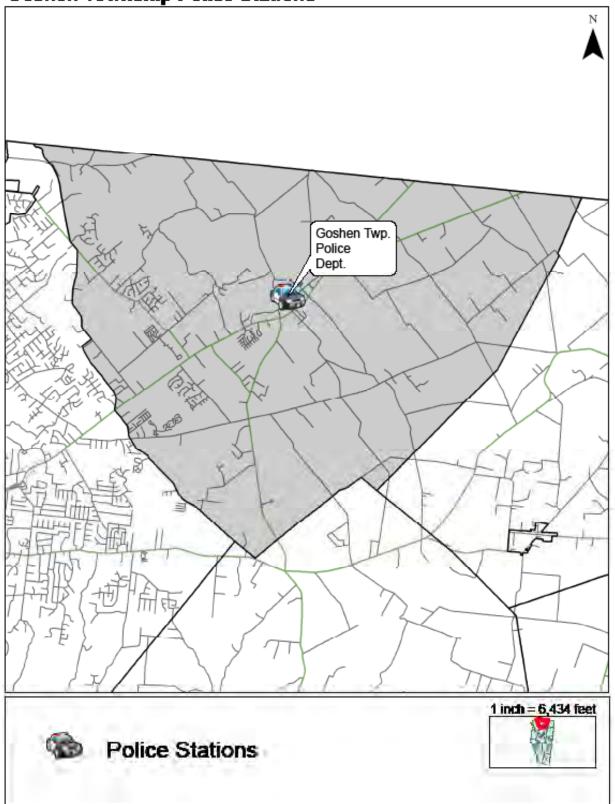
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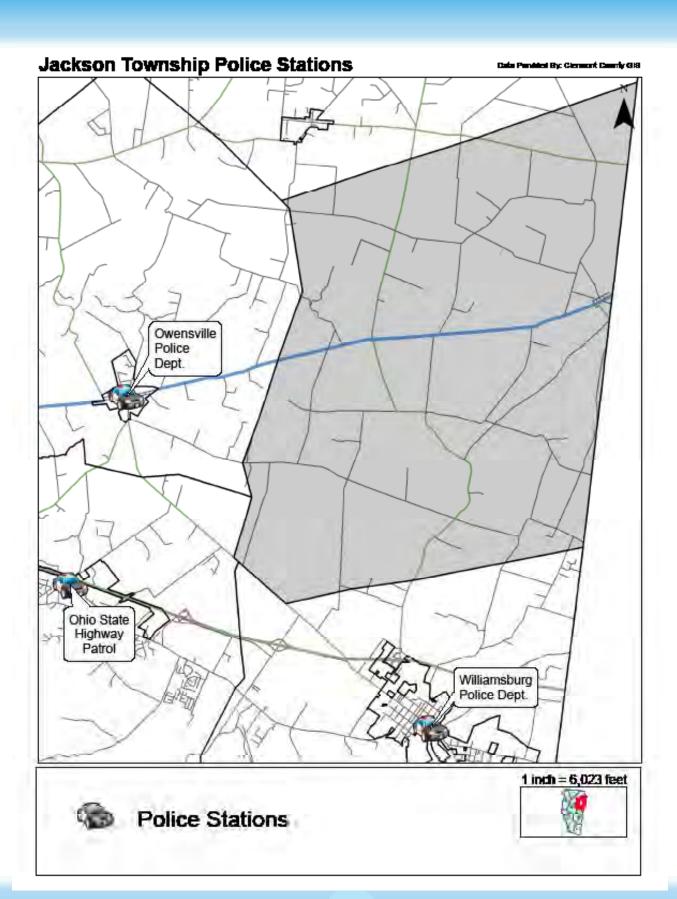


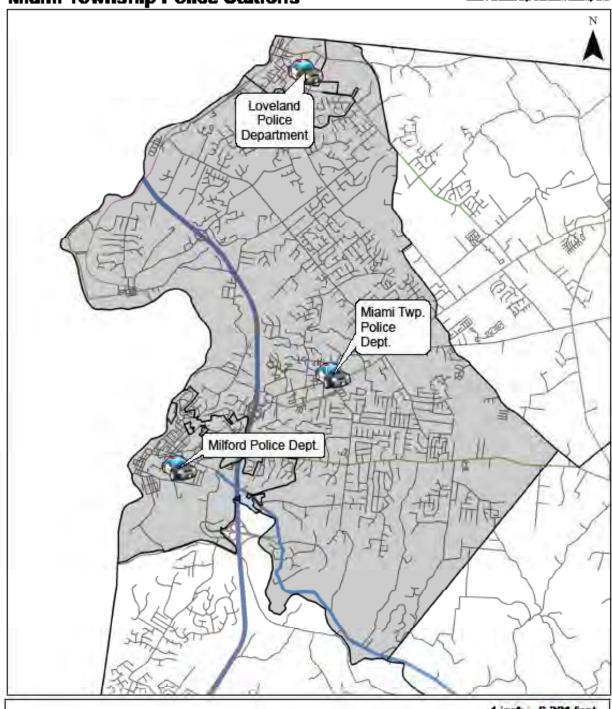
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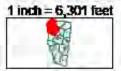


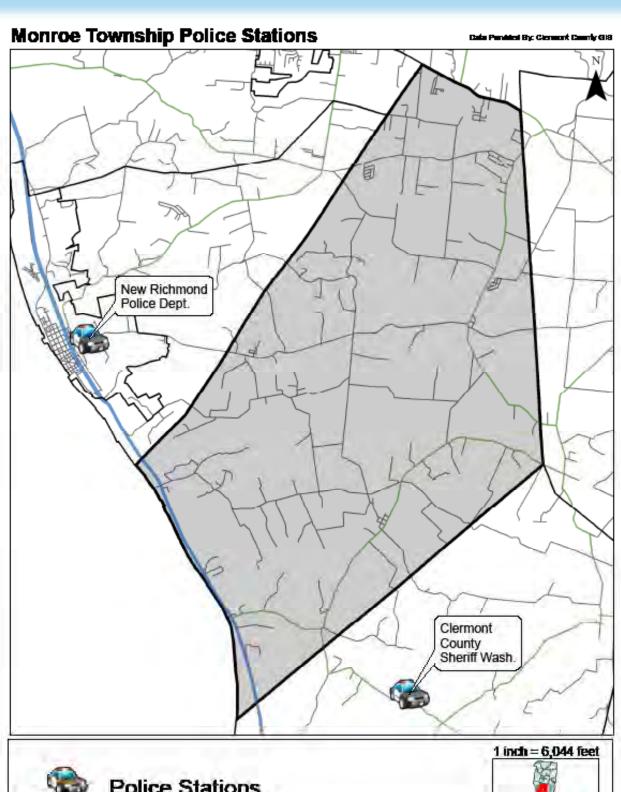




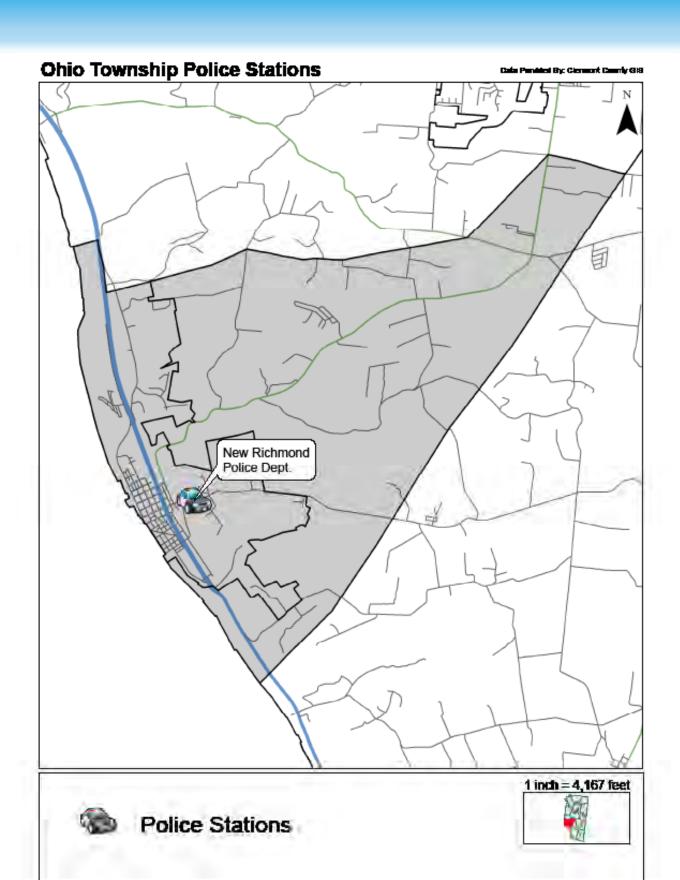


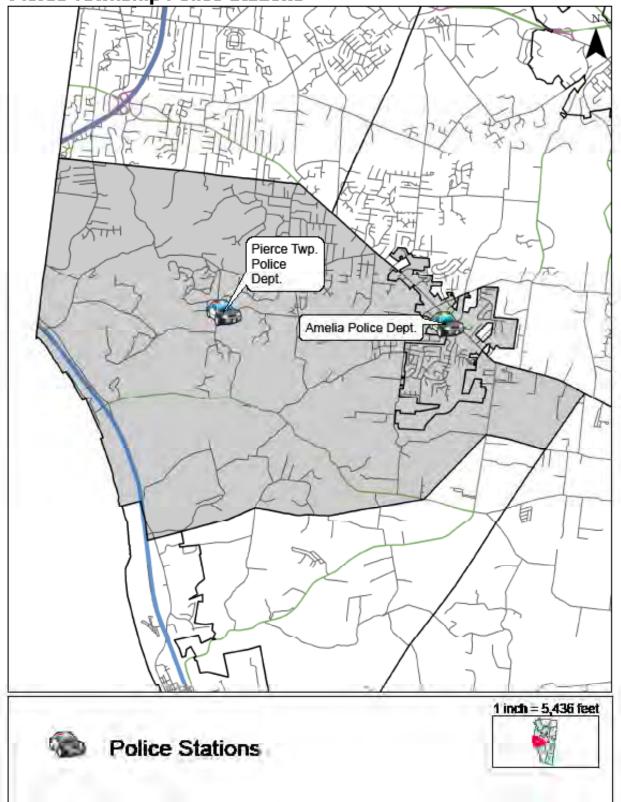
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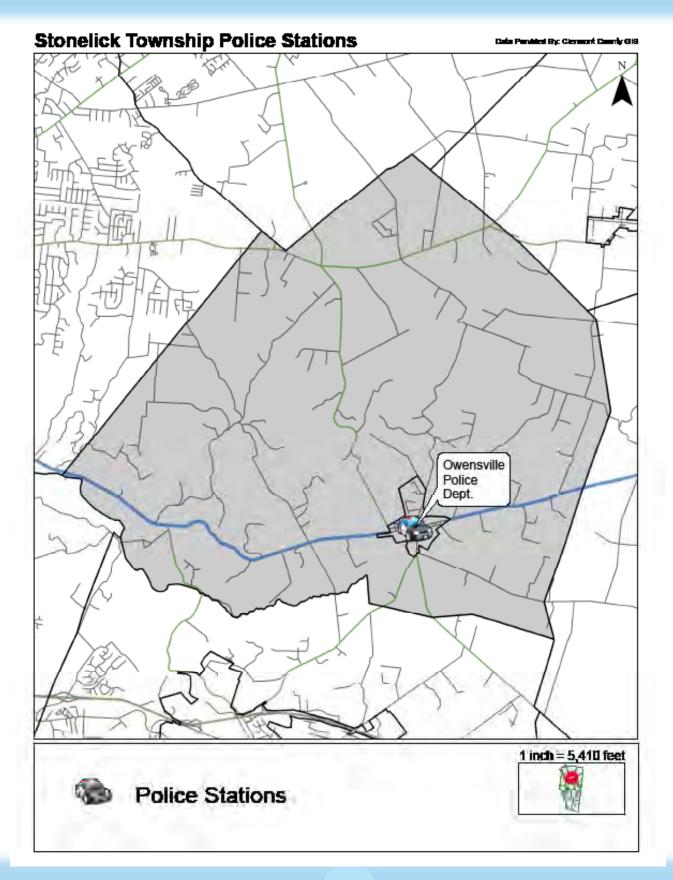


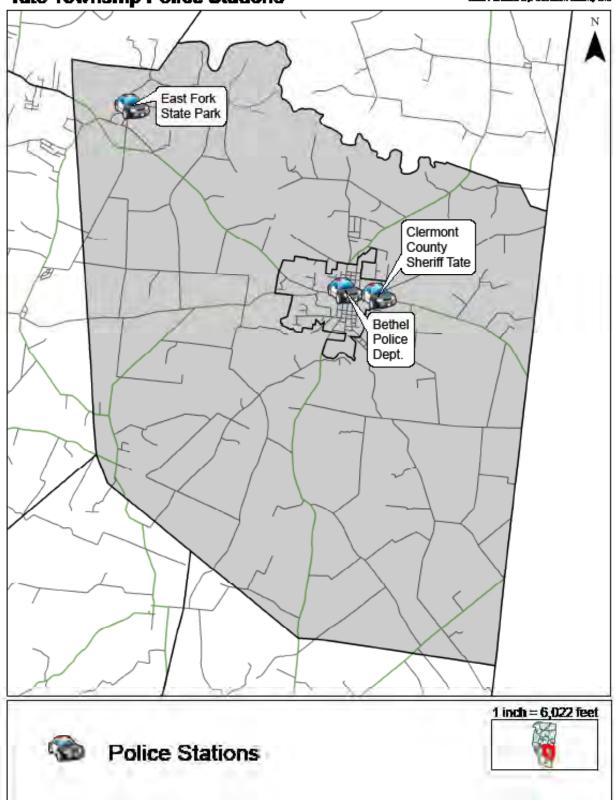


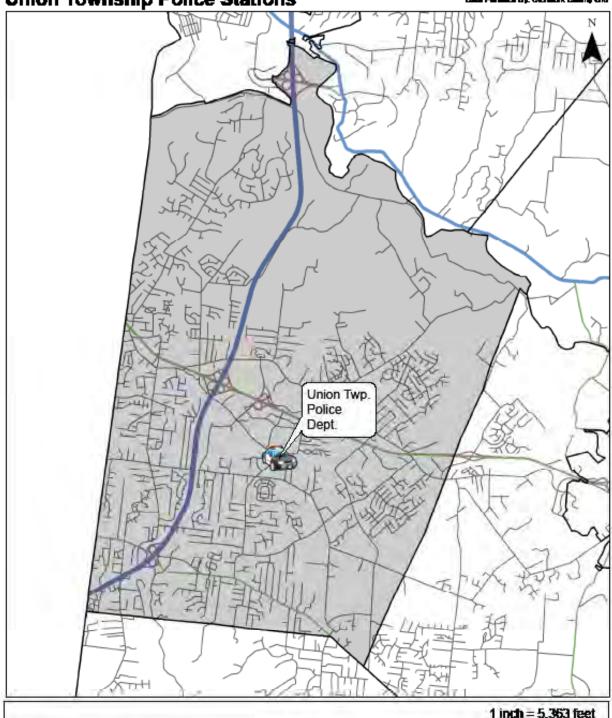






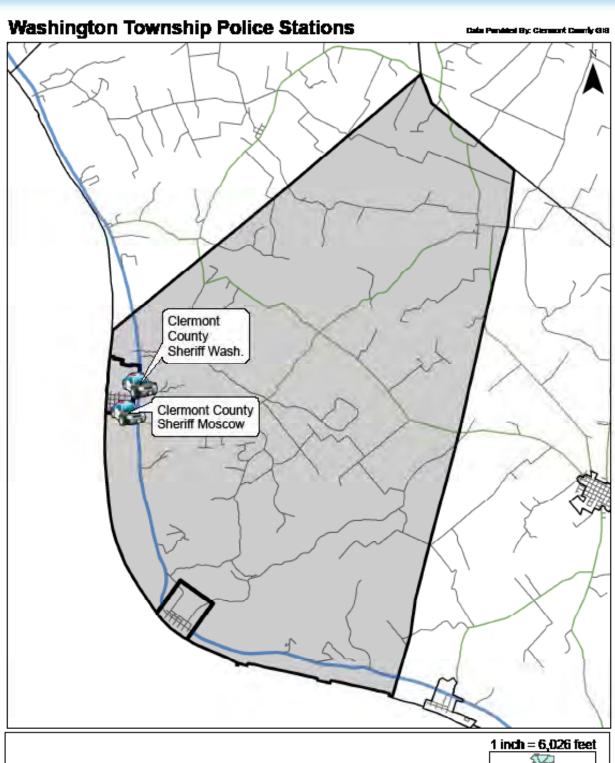




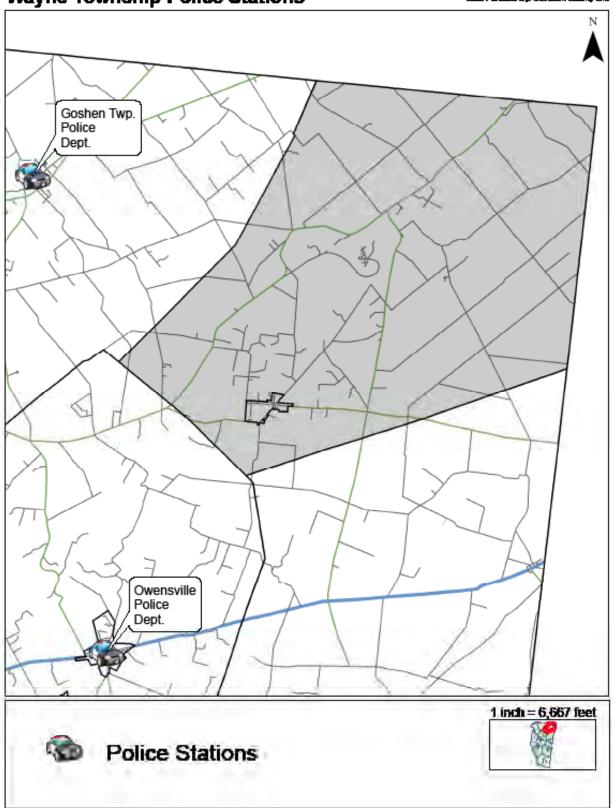


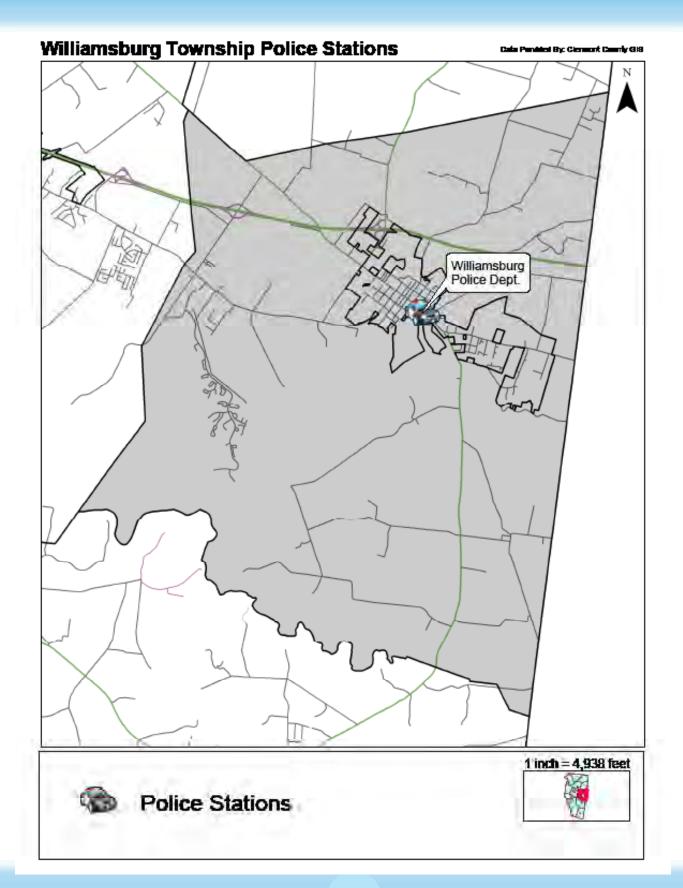
Police Stations











Clermont County Fire & EMS

Batavia Township

Central Joint Fire and EMS District 2401 Old State Route 32 Batavia, OH 45103 Phone: (513) 732-3876

Amelia

Central Joint Fire-EMS District 1776 State Route 125 Amelia, OH 45102

Central Joint Fire and EMS District 377 East Main Street Batavia, OH 45103 Phone: 513-732-3876

Franklin Township

Felicity-Franklin EMS 979 Hopewell Road Felicity, OH 45120 Phone: (513)-876-2996

Felicity-Franklin Fire Department 718 Market Street Felicity, OH 45120 Phone: (513) 876-2200

Goshen Township

Goshen Township Fire and EMS 1849 State Route 28 Goshen, OH 45122 Phone: (513) 722-3500

Jackson Township

Jackson Township FIre & Rescue 3261 US Route 50 Williamsburg, OH 45176 Phone: 513-625-1333

Miami Township

Miami Township Fire & EMS 6492 Branch Hill Guinea Pike Loveland, OH 45140 Phone: (513) 248-3700

Loveland

Fire and EMS

City of Milford

Milford Community Fire Dept. 5888 McPicken Drive Milford, OH 45150 Phone: (513) 248-3700

Monroe Township

Monroe Township Life Squad 2828 SR 222 Bethel, OH 45106 Phone: (513) 734-4151

Miami Township

1963 Laurel Lindale Road New Richmond, OH 45157

Milford

687b Lila Ave, Milford, OH Phone: (513) 831-7777

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New Richmond

New Richmond Fire and EMS 300 Hamilton Street New Richmond, OH 45157 Phone:(513) 553-2117

Pierce Township Fire Department

Address: 950 Locust Corner Road

Cincinnati, OH 45245 Phone: (513) 752-6273

Stonelick Township Fire and Rescue

2541 US Route 50 Batavia, OH 45103 Phone: (513) 732-1136

Tate Township

Bethel-Tate Fire Department 149 N East Street Bethel, OH 45106 Phone: (513) 734-4444

Union Township

Union Township Fire Department 860 Clough Pike Cincinnati, OH 45245

Washington Township Fire and Rescue

2817 Mill Street Moscow, Ohio 45153 Phone: (513) 876-3740

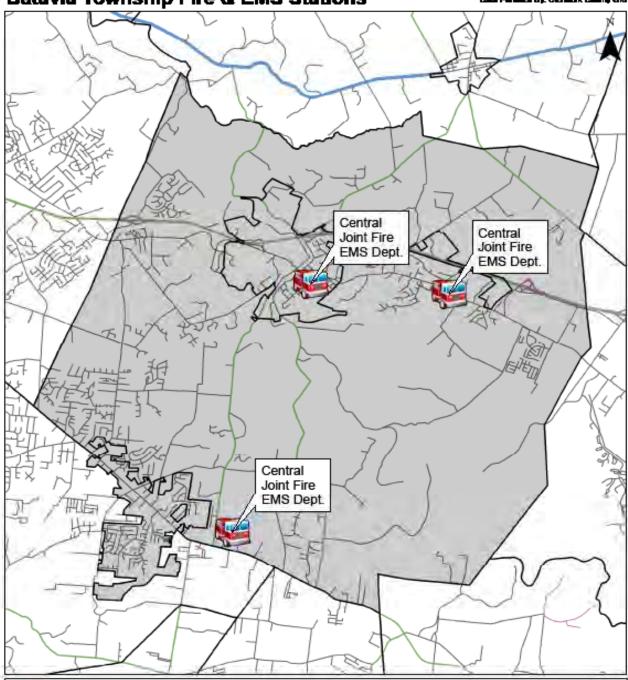
Wayne Township Fire and Rescue

Address: 797 Wright Street Newtonsville, OH 45158 Phone: (513) 625-4212

Williamsburg Township Emergency Services

915 W Main St Williamsburg, OH 45176 Phone: (513) 724-7382

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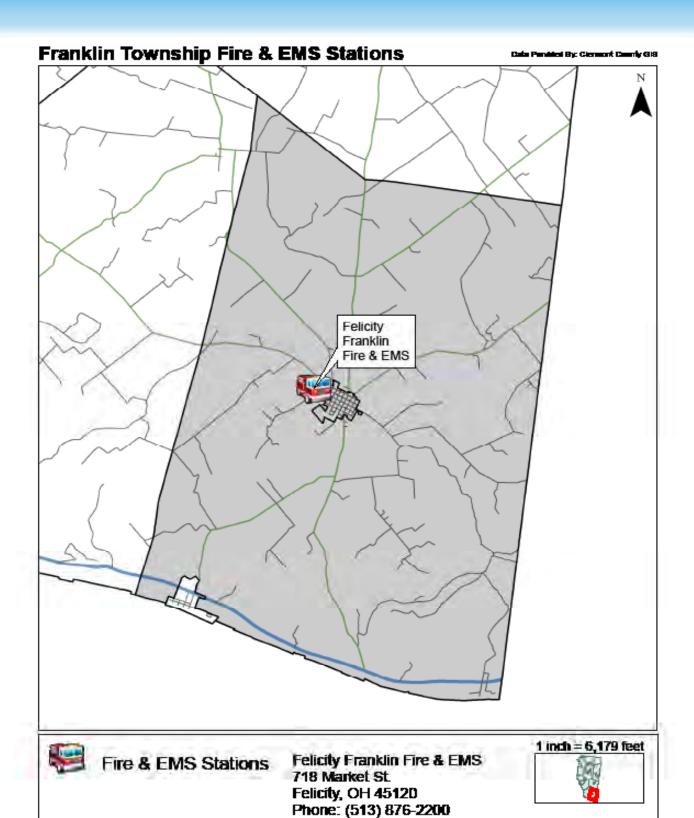
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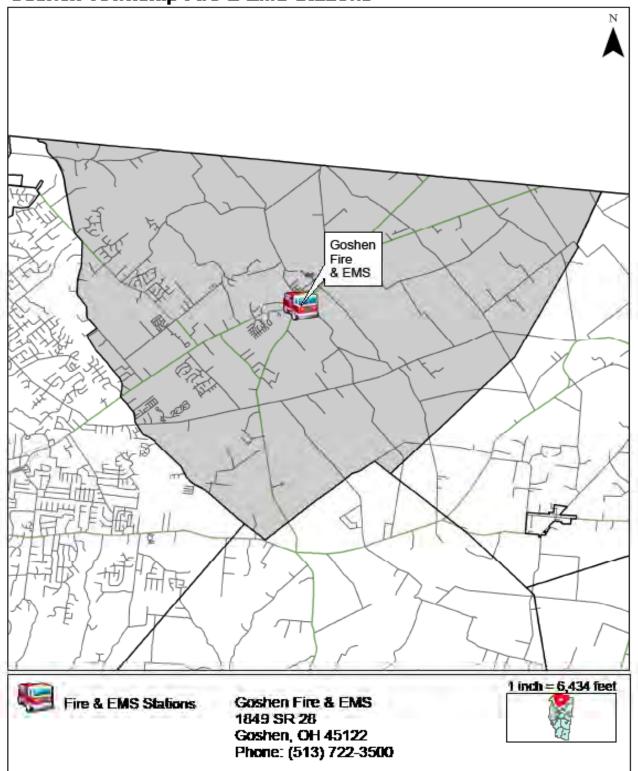
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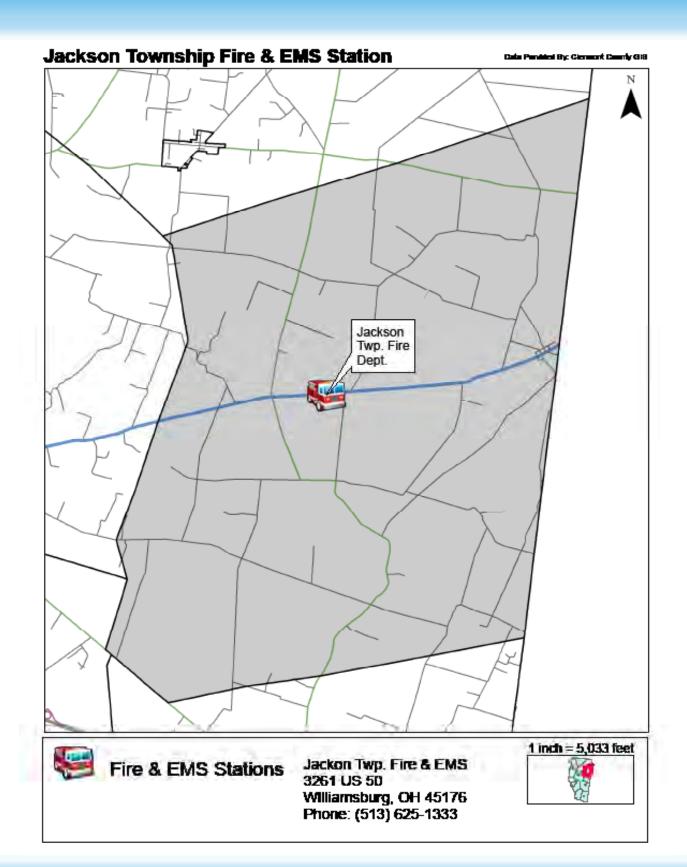
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299 E. Main St Batavia, OH 45103 Phone: (513) 797-4520



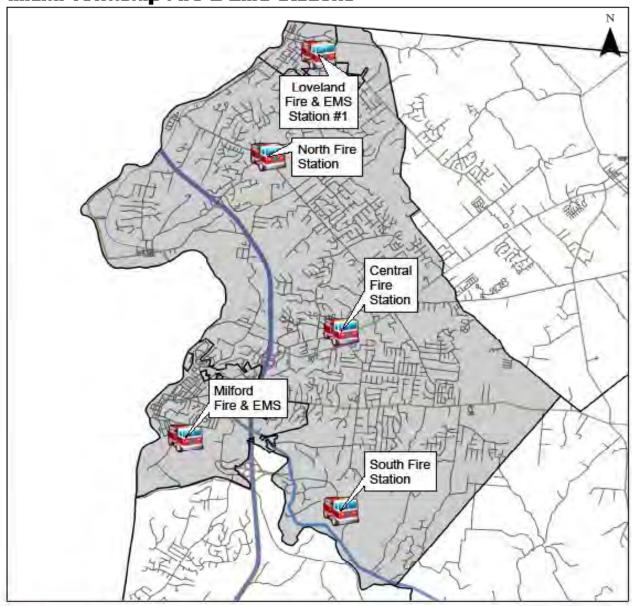






Miami Township Fire & EMS Stations

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Fire & EMS Stations

North Fire Station 6492 Branchhill-Guinea Pike Loveland, OH 45140 Phone: (513) 248-3700

Central Fire Station 5888 McPicken Drive Milford, OH 45150 Phone: (513) 248.3700 South Fire Station 1154 Hwy 50 Milford, OH 45150 Phone: (513) 248-3706

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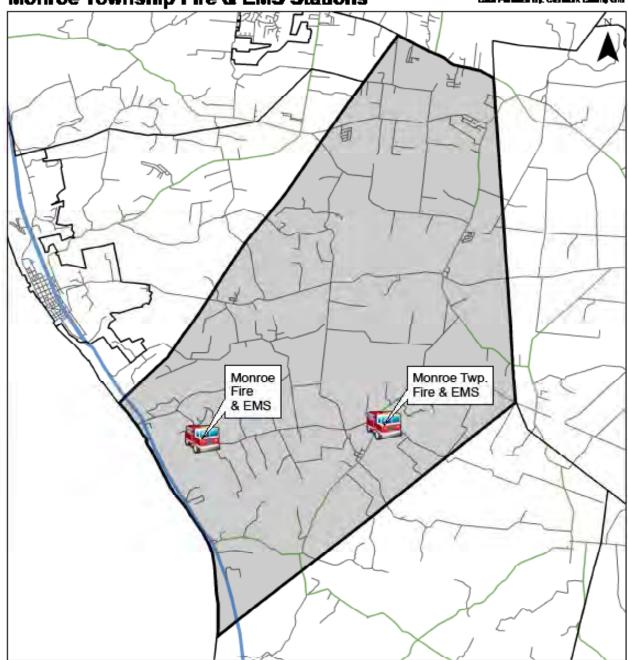


Milford Community Fire & EMS 687 US 50 Milford, OH 45150

Phone: (513) 831-7777

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Phone: (513) 553-3000

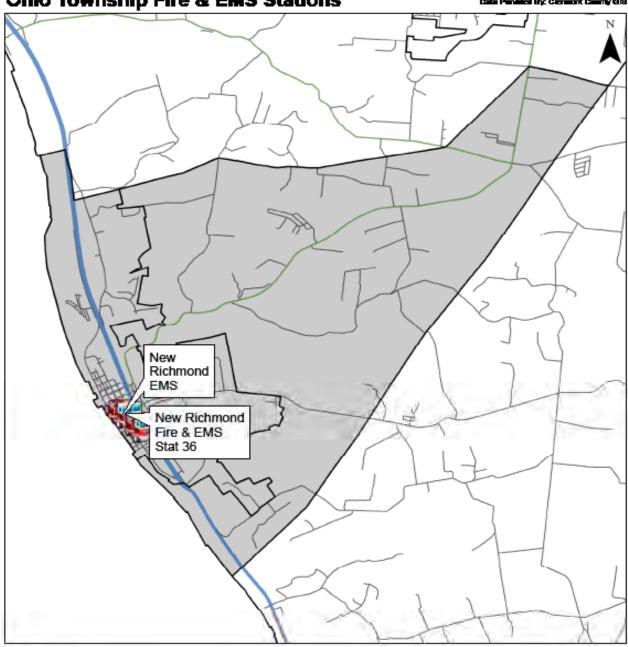
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Phone: (513) 553-3033



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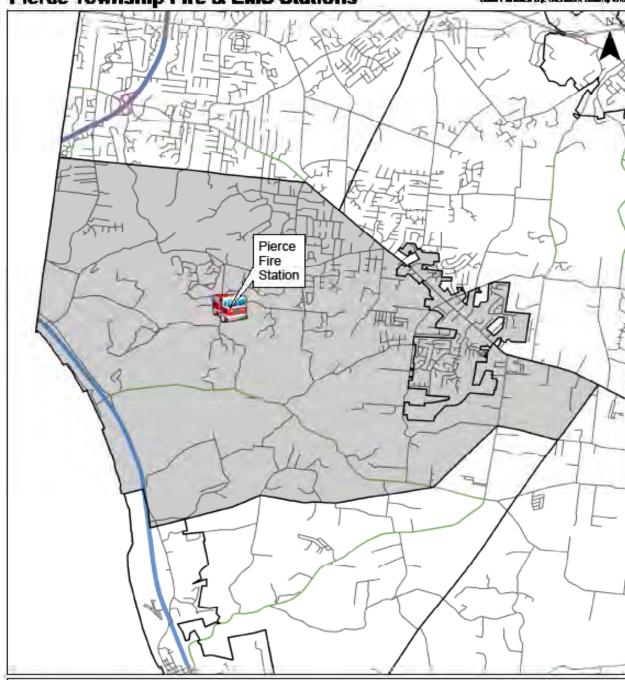
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New Richmond, Ohio 45157 Phone: (513) 553-2117

New Richmond Fire & EMS Station 37 104 Market Street New Richmond, OH 45157 Phone: (513) 553-2000



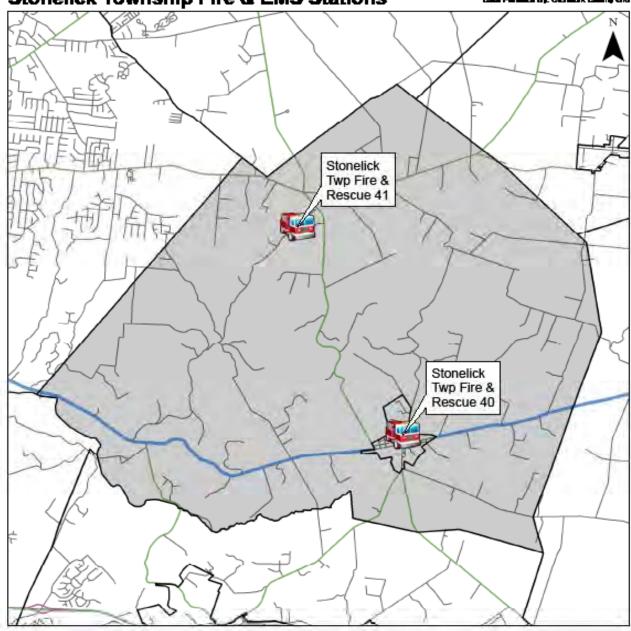


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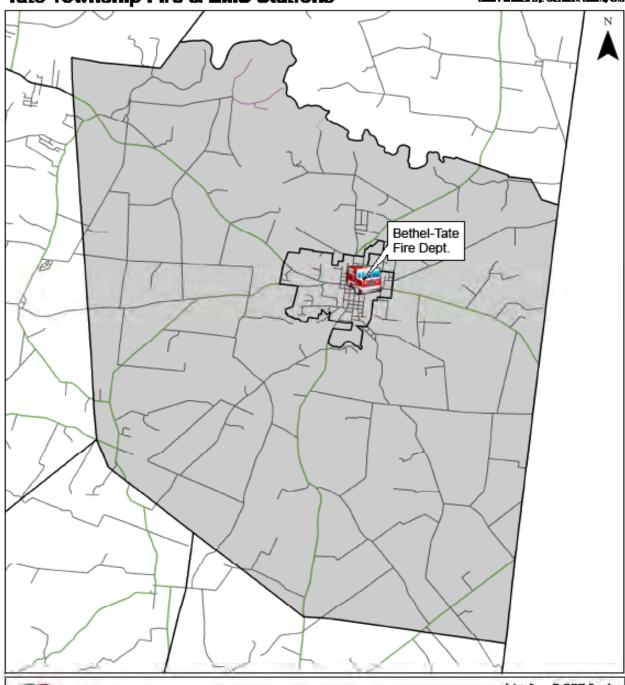


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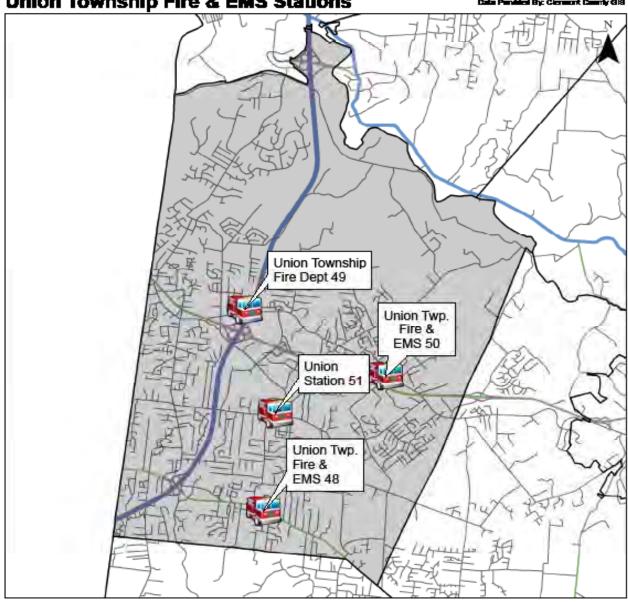


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Union Township Fire & EMS Stations

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Fire & EMS Stations

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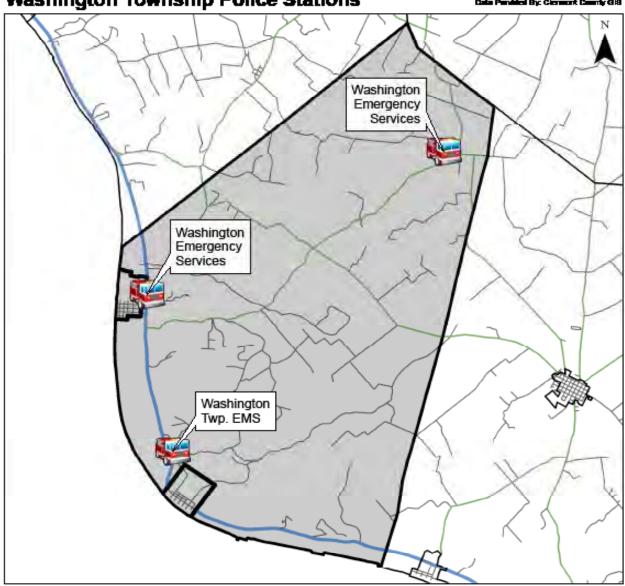
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860 Clough Pike Cincinnali, OH 45245 Phone: (513) 528-4444



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Fire & EMS Stations

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Washington Emergency Services 2817 Mill Street

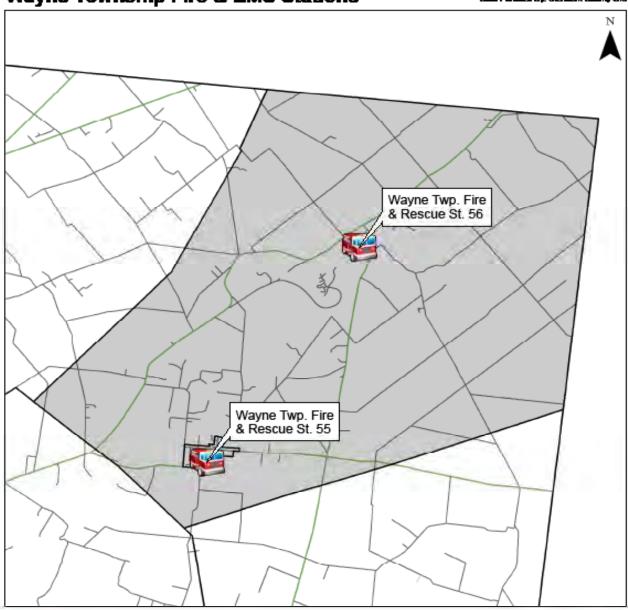
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Phone: (513) 876-4790



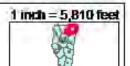
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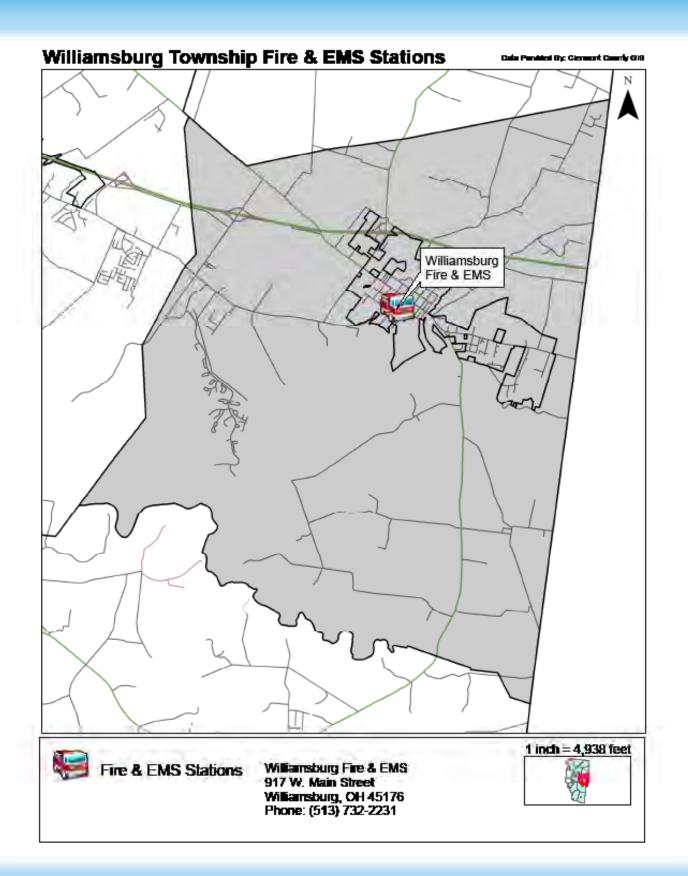
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Clermont County Hospitals

Clermont Mercy Hospital

Clermont Mercy Hospital, located in Batavia Township, was established in 1973 and since that time, has served as Clermont County's only hospital, offering advanced, convenient medical care. Clermont Mercy Hospital features one of the region's newest and largest intensive care units, one of the region's first dedicated wound care centers, 24/7 emergency care and inpatient/outpatient surgery.

Services Offered:

- Bariatrics & Weight Management
- Palliative Care Patient-Centered Medical Homes
- Behavioral & Mental Health
- Cardiology & Heart Care
- Chiropractic Care
- Dermatology
- Diabetes Care & Endocrinology
- Ear, Nose & Throat
- Emergency Services
- Imaging Services
- Lab Services Life Management Systems
- Lung & Pulmonary
- Neurology & Neurosurgery
- Occupational Health
- Oncology & Cancer Care
- Orthopaedics & Sports Medicine
- Osteoporosis & Bone Health
- Pain Medicine
- Primary Care & Family Medicine
- Rehabilitation & Therapy
- Rheumatology
- Senior Living
- Sleep Center
- Women's Health & OB/GYN
- Wound Care

Clermont Mercy Hospital

3000 Hospital Drive Batavia, OH 45103 Phone: (513) 732-8200





Excerpts and pictures from: Mercy Health http://www.e-mercy.com/clermont-hospital.aspx

Clermont County Hospitals

HealthSource of Ohio

HealthSource of Ohio is a not-for-profit primary care organization consisting of medical, dental, and behavioral health services. HealthSource strives to bring to the people of Southwest Ohio access to comprehensive quality health care that responds to the needs of the community.

Vision: Philanthropy provides community members a means to participate in the tradition of giving and sharing that is primary to quality of life; it is a means to impact issues larger than we could do alone.

Mission: The HealthSource Foundation is committed to providing opportunities and encouraging expressions of support to impact the mission of HealthSource of Ohio.

Values: The HealthSource Foundation engages the philanthropic community in an honest, fair, and ethical manner. Integrity is the basis of each donor relationship.

HealthSource accepts private insurance plans, Medicare, Medicare Advantage, Medicaid Managed Care and offers a discounted fee program to those patients who are uninsured.



HealthSource of Ohio has four locations:

Batavia Township

2055 Hospital Drive Batavia, OH 45103 Phone: (513) 732-0870

Goshen Township

1507 State Route 28 Loveland, OH 45140 Phone: (513) 575-1444

Ohio Township/New Richmond

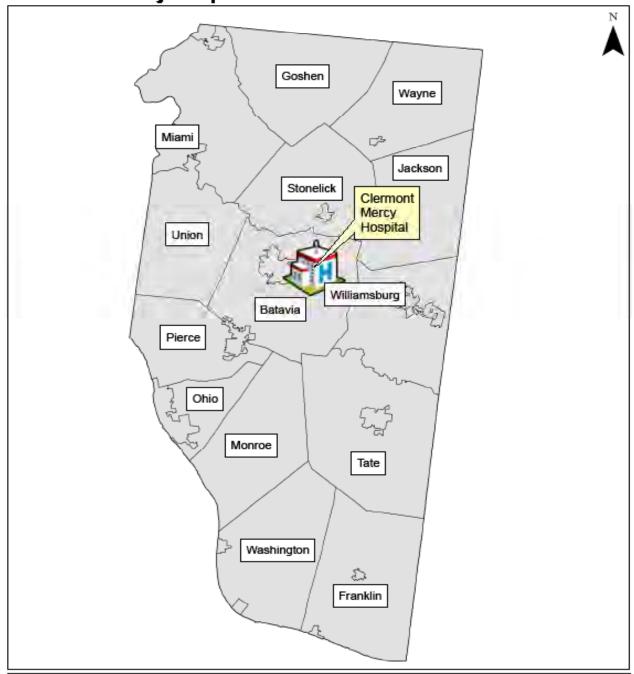
100 River Valley Blvd. New Richmond, OH 45157

Union Township 559 Old State Route 28 Cincinnati, OH 45288 Phone: (513) 753-2820

Services Offered:

- Family Practice
- Internal Medicine
- Pediatrics
- Ob/Gyn
- Dentistry
- Behavioral Health
- Pharmacy

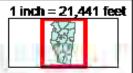
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Clermont Mercy Hospital 3000 Hospital Drive Batavia, OH 45103 Phone: (513) 732-8200



Radio Communications and Dispatch Operations

Clermont County has provided an 800 MHz mixed mode simulcast voice radio communications system conforming to the Association of Public Safety Communications Officers (APCO) Project 16 standards since 1999.

This system supports the communications requirements for all Public Safety and service organizations serving the citizens of the County. This includes traditional first responders such as Fire, EMS, Law Enforcement, ODNR Rangers and State Highway Patrol. Additional service agencies include; County Engineer, Community Transit operations, School Districts, and Local Township and Village operations. Regional mutual aid agencies providing service between counties are also served by this communication system.

Currently several components of the original P16 system are at or beyond their end of life cycle and are no longer being supported by the manufacturer. The overall system is in the process of being replaced with a new APCO Project 25 voice radio system which will be operational in 2014. The P25 system will provide increased reliability and interoperability between regional and statewide users as it will be directly linked into the State of Ohio's statewide communications system known as MARCs.

As part of the overall emergency communications systems in operation within the County, Clermont County currently provides a Very High Frequency (VHF) paging system as a service to the fire and EMS agencies serving the citizens of Clermont County.

This paging system functions as an initial alert to the particular fire department of the EMS squad which is being assigned to handle a particular call for service. This paging system was acquired by the county at the same time as the 800 MHz public safety voice system in 1999. The paging system has not only reached its end of life cycle, but the FCC has mandated that all radio systems operating in this frequency range must come into compliance with the FCC narrow banded with band widths from 25 KHz to 125 KHz.

A crucial part of the countywide communications system is a microwave sub-system. The microwave sub-system is a key system supporting both the voice and paging operations. This system has reached its end of life cycle and is being replaced along with the P25 Voice system and Paging system.

All of the components of the Countywide Communications system are in the process of being replaced and the entire system will be activated in 2014. Total cost of the upgrades and replacements is estimated to be \$10M and is being paid for by existing Clermont County capital funds dedicated to this project.



Picture: http://www.clermontcountyohio.gov

Clermont County Water Resources

The Water Resources Department includes six divisions:

1. Water Supply Division

The Water Supply Division of the Clermont County Water Resources Department is responsible for comprehensive daily oversight of the operation of our water system. They operate and maintain three drinking water treatment plants with a combined daily capacity of 27.2 million gallons per day (MGD).

In addition, they operate and maintain four pumping stations, and twenty four storage tanks. The department provides after hours emergency phone service for both water and sewer customers, and monitor computer control systems for the water and sewer systems.

Water system 5-year Capital Improvement Maps for each township are included in the Comprehensive Plan Appendix.

2. Wastewater Treatment Division

Responsible for the treatment and reclamation of domestic and industrial wastewater. This division operates and maintains eight wastewater treatment facilities, 105 lift stations and over three million linear feet of sanitary sewer. The eight wastewater facilities have a total treatment capacity of nearly 27 MGD.

Wastewater system 5-year Capital Improvement Maps for each township are included in the Comprehensive Plan Appendix.

3. Maintenance Division

Responsible for maintaining underground piping systems, pumping equipment, mechanical and electrical facilities for the utility.

4. Engineering Division

Responsible for the design, construction, and administration of county-wide water and sewer Capital Improvements.

5. Office of Environmental Quality (OEQ) Coordinates activities related to surface water quality monitoring, watershed planning and solid waste management, including recycling and waste reduction. OEQ also manages the Clermont County Sewer District laboratory and industrial pretreatment program.

6. Customer Service Division

Supports over 43,000 customers by maintaining account data, meter reading, and generating bimonthly bills, among other things.

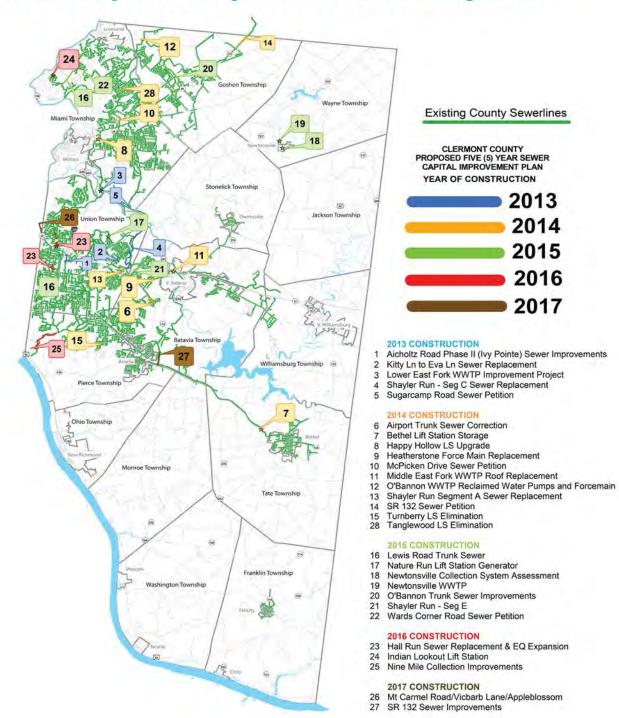
In Clermont County, maintenance of the drainage systems within the road right-of-way, whether storm sewers or open channels, are the responsibility of the government entity in charge of maintaining the road.

The Ohio Department of Transportation maintains the storm sewer infrastructure along state highways in Clermont County, while the Clermont County Engineer's Office cares for the systems that serve county roads. Storm sewer systems within the right-of-way of township and municipal roads are the responsibility of the respective township, city or village.

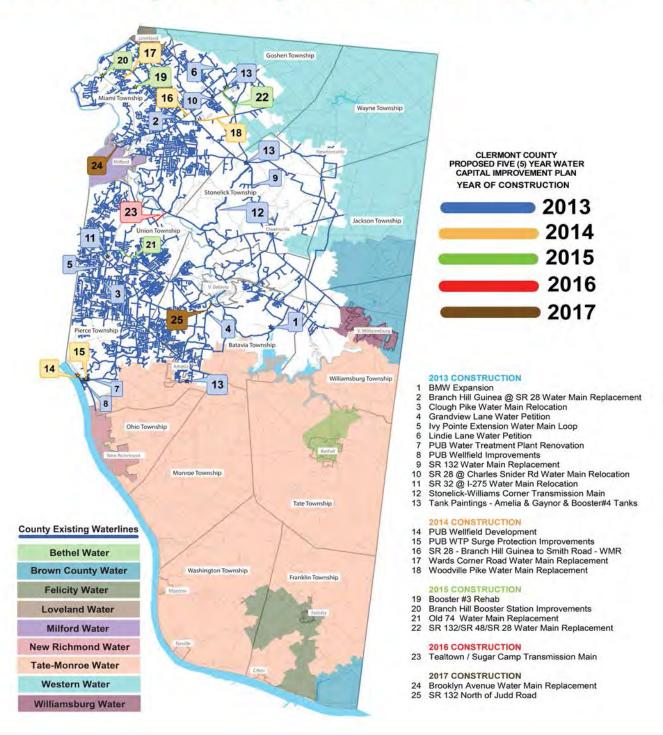
Outside the public right-of-way, private property owners are responsible for the maintenance of storm sewers or open channels on their own lots, regardless of the size of the system or the area served. While no government entity currently has the ability or authority to conduct improvements on private property, the Clermont Soil & Water Conservation District will provide guidance and technical assistance to land owners interested in improving drainage on their property.

Excerpts from Clermont County Water Resources Website: http://wrd.clermontcountyohio.gov/

Sewer Capital Improvement Projects



Water Capital Improvement Projects



Clermont County Parks and Recreation

The Clermont County Park District was formed in 1970 as a separate political subdivision of the State of Ohio. The probate judge appoints a volunteer three member board of commissioners who serve three years without pay.

Mission Statement

To acquire, plan, develop, program, and maintain park property in the county for residents and nonresidents alike. To secure the preservation of open space and places of scenic or historic value.

In 2014, the Clermont County Park District adopted its first comprehensive Master Plan. The plan was developed to address existing concerns for shrinking budgets and expanding responsibilities for the District. In addition, this plan serves as a tool for planning future park properties, services, programs, staffing and finances.

The Master Plan was developed through research of the current conditions, input from Park District leadership, and feedback from the Clermont County community.

The Clermont County Park District Master Plan is part of the Clermont County Comprehensive Plan and can be found in the Appendix.

The map on page 161 shows all of the parks that are located in Clermont County and their locations.



Virginia Bluebells are one of many wildflowers that bloom along the trails at Sycamore Park during April and May.



Larger Blue Flag (Iris versicolor) is a native iris. A wetland plant, it can be found blooming in May at the wetland at Chilo Lock 34 Park in Clermont County Ohio.

Excerpts from Clermont County Park District Pictures: Clermont County Park District Flicker

Clermont County Parks and Recreation

The Clermont County Park District operates six parks, three nature preserves, and five greenspaces with a total of 520 acres.

Chilo Lock 34 Park

The park is located on the site of a former US Army Corps of Engineers lock and dam. The highlight of the park is the Chilo Lock 34 Visitor Center and Museum, which offers three floors of exhibits and interactive displays focusing on the history of the Ohio River and locks and dams.

Crooked Run Nature Preserve

Crooked Run is owned by the Ohio Department of Natural Resources, Division of Natural Areas and Preserves. Its location along the Ohio River provides several scenic views and is an excellent location for bird watching and nature enthusiasts. Over 180 species of birds have been observed in the preserve.

Hartman Log Cabin

The Hartman family were early residents of Jackson Township and built this log home in 1838. CECOS International donated the cabin to the Park District in 1993 after it was restored.

Lake Harsha

Lake Harsha's beautiful natural environment provides visitors with a wealth of outdoor recreation activities.

Kelley Nature Preserve

Given to the Park District by Virginia Kelley as a memorial to her husband, Walter A. Kelley, the 42 acre nature preserve is located along the scenic Little Miami River. Over one mile of hiking trails are present.



The powerhouse of the old Lock and Dam #34 on the Ohio River. The powerhouse was the focal point of the 14 acre lock and dam site on the Ohio River from 1925 - 1964. The building and grounds are now owned by the Clermont County Park District, which operates a Visitor Center and hands-on interpretive museum in the old lockhouse.



Hartman Log Cabin located on the corner of Aber Road and US Route 50 in Jackson Township, Clermont County, Ohio.

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Clermont County Parks and Recreation

Pattison Park

A gift from the late Aletheia Pattison, this 45 acre park features a fishing lake that is open year round and provides easy fishing access. The park contains one picnic shelter available for rent, and a playground.

Sycamore Park

The oldest park within the Clermont County Park District, Sycamore Park is a popular place for summer picnics. The park expanded in 2003 when 30 acres of land was purchased and added to the existing 23 acre parcel. The Park recently expanded again in 2009 with the addition of the 105 acre "James L. and Frances Wilson Nature Preserve" making it the largest park within the Clermont County Park District.

Shor Park

Dedicated in October 2010, the park is named in honor of S. David Shor. The 53 acre parcel of land was donated to the park district in 2003 by Sylvia Shor.

Williamsburg to Batavia Hike Bike Trail

Bike trail that connects the Village of Williamsburg to the Village of Batavia. Section 2 was completed in October 2013. Total of 3 sections.

Wilson Nature Preserve

The nature preserve encompasses 105 acres along the East Fork of the Little Miami River. The preserve is adjacent to the 53 acre Sycamore Park. Over three miles of hiking trails are available and provide challenging hiking opportunities.

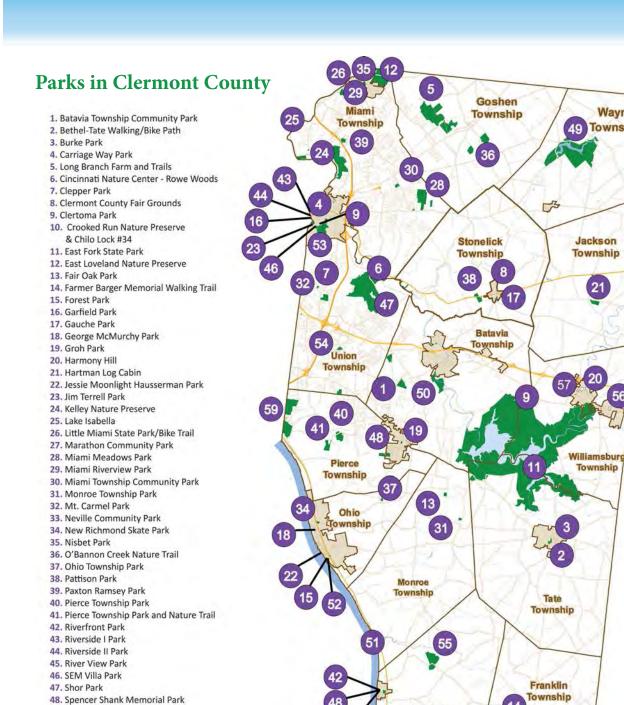


Sycamore Park offers easy access to the East Fork of the Little Miami River



The gazebo at Pattison Park is a popular place for many outdoor weddings.

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58. Willow Park 59. Woodland Mound Park

49. Stonelick State Park

51. U. S. Grant Memorial Park 52. Union Square Park 53. Valley View

54. Veterans Memorial Park 55. Washington Township Park 56. Williamsburg Community Park 57. Williamsburg-Batavia Hike/Bike Trail

50. Sycamore Park/Wilson Nature Preserve

Washington

Township