



Tippeca *news*

A monthly summary of municipal affairs and activities in Tipp City, Ohio



Tipp City Electric Sends Mutual Aid to Homestead, Florida

Tipp City Electric has been assisting the City of Homestead Florida with power restoration after Hurricane Irma made landfall on September 9. Tipp City Electric crews began restoration work on September 13 and plan to stay in Homestead until September 26. As part of this effort, Tipp City sent four linemen and three trucks to assist. During this time Tipp City has been receiving many comments from Homestead residents on our social media pages. One Florida resident said “Thank you Tipp City for sending your crews down here to help us. I met some of them today as they fixed two broken light posts behind my house and helped restore power to our neighborhood. After 4 days and night of no power we can sleep comfortably tonight with air conditioning thanks to you guys. I am truly grateful for your help!” ●

Message from City Manager Eggleston

In 2006, the Tipp Schools entered into an agreement with the City of Tipp City to oversee the stadium. The last major update to the stadium was over 20 years ago. The stadium is outdated and does not meet current safety standards. This poses numerous problems, one of which is safety of those using the facility, whether as a participant or spectator. A group of citizens came together known as *Tipp Pride* in an effort to reach out to the community to raise funds to build a new stadium. *Tipp Pride* is a 501(c)3 organization, which means your contribution, is tax deductible. The stadium is a joint project between the City and the Schools as the City owns the property and the two entities share the restroom facility. Upgrades include a building that will house the restrooms (which will be heated for winter events and use), concession stand, storage, ticket booths and spirit store. The current stands accommodates approximately 1,800 spectators. The new grand stands will be increased to seat 2,100 spectators. The press box will be updated to allow cameras to be mounted and to better provide separation between coaching staff. One of the major changes is to provide concessions and restrooms on the visitor side. You can learn more by going to the *Tipp Pride* website: www.tipppride.com for additional information. This will continue to be a community facility and the City and Schools will prepare a schedule of events, which will include the Mum Festival, marching band competitions, and Fourth of July events. The City is appreciative of Tipp Schools for keeping this facility in City Park. ●



Tipp City Leaf Pickup Schedule for 2017

The Tipp City Street Dept. will be starting the leaf pickup program soon. There are a few important guidelines to follow. Residents are asked to rake leaves into the street, one foot from the curb, so that storm water will drain. Please, **NO limbs, sticks, bricks, rocks or yard debris should be placed with the leaves in the street.** These items cause damage to the equipment, create down time for repairs, and add delay to the leaf pickup schedule.

**Oct. 16 – Oct. 20 and
Nov. 13 – Nov. 17**

Areas throughout the City as needed. Areas between I-75 and N. Hyatt St. (north of W. Main St.)

**Oct. 23 – Oct. 27 and
Nov. 20 – Nov. 24**

All areas East of Hyatt St. (north and south of Main St.) No pickup on Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 23

**Oct. 30 – Nov. 3 and
Nov. 27 – Dec. 1**

Areas between I-75 and S. Hyatt St. (south of W. Main St.)

**Nov. 6 – Nov. 10 and
Dec. 4 – Dec. 8**

Areas West of I-75 (north and south of Main St.)

Dec. 11 – Dec. 15

Clean up throughout the City as needed ●



Beggar's Night

Beggar's Night for Tipp City and Monroe Township has been set for **Tuesday, October 31 from 6-8 pm.**

trick or treat



Yuletide Winter's Gathering



The Downtown Merchants will host the 2017 Yuletide Winter's Gathering on Saturday, November 11 and Sunday, November 12.

This traditional shopkeeper's open house kicks off the holiday shopping season. Visitors will be delighted with the festive atmosphere and will enjoy finding unique gifts, holiday décor, and much more from the downtown merchants. ●

Tax Facts – Did You Know???

The Tipp City income tax code requires all Tipp City residents age 18 and older to file an annual income tax return. Residents who are 16 or 17 years of age are also required to file if their income is not subject to Tipp City tax withholding by their employer, or if their income is subject to a municipal income tax at a rate less than 1.5 percent. Tipp City residents who are retired, permanently disabled, or have any other form of disability that keeps them from working, can be exempted from filing the annual return by completing a Certification Form. Certification Forms are available at the Government Center in the Income Tax Department or online at www.tippcityohio.gov. Questions can be directed to the Tipp City Department of Taxation at crosss@tippcity.net or by calling (937)667-8426 Monday through Friday from 8 am to 5 pm. ●

Operating Budget Workshop

The Operating Budget workshop will be reviewed by City Council on Monday, October 30 beginning at 3 pm in Council Chambers. This meeting is open to the public and all interested persons are encouraged to attend. ●



Important City Contacts

**Automated Attendant/
Direct Connect**
(937)669-TIPP

Police, Fire and EMS (EMERGENCY)
9-1-1

**Miami County Communications
Center (Non-Emergency)**
(937)440-9911

Police (Non-Emergency)
(937)667-3112

Fire and EMS (Non-Emergency)
(937)667-9199 or (937)667-1680

Utility Billing
(937)667-8424

Planning/Zoning
(937)667-6305

Tax Department
(937)667-8426

Engineering and Utilities
(937)667-6305

**Residential Refuse Collection
(Rumpke)**
(866)522-3712

**Service Center
(Parks and Streets)**
(937)667-8234

City Manager's Office
(937)667-8425

Clerk of Council
(937)667-8425

Construction Notice Update
(937)667-6293

Calling All Photographers!



The City of Tipp City is seeking submissions of original photography for use on the Tipp City website and other municipal media outlets. We're looking for your original

perspective on life in Tipp City and encourage images that depict the vibrancy, vitality, and livability of our City. Selected entries will be featured on the City's social media channels, and may be posted on the City's website. People of all ages are welcome to participate. The City requires that the photographs are taken within the corporate limits of Tipp City and not have been previously published. For additional information and requirements please visit www.tippcityohio.gov/photos or contact us at (937)667-6305. ●

Call for Artists

If art is a passion, pastime or profession, this is a great opportunity to showcase your talent!

We are currently seeking artwork from Tipp City residents to display in the Government Center. Interested persons should contact Janice Bates at (937)667-8425 or batesj@tippcity.net for further information. ●

