



Chamber Connection

Trotwood Chamber
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To all of our Chamber Members and the Community:

As the Chamber, through our outstanding Executive Director, Marie Battle, and our Board of Directors, continue to work remotely every day to help share information and resources with our businesses and the community, we want to express our full support and enthusiasm for Trotwood Strong and the tireless efforts being led by the Mayor, City Council and City Manager to get us through this unprecedented crisis we are currently in the throes of. We know that if we all pull together and help one another get through these trying times, we will come out on the other side even stronger and more resilient.

We have, unfortunately, been dealt some powerful challenges in the past year, but we are a strong community dedicated to the success of our residents and businesses. Please keep your family safe and strong and help your neighbor particularly if they are in the higher risk category and have no one to check on them. We anxiously look forward to the Stimulus money from the U.S. Treasury Department flowing to our small businesses, the unemployed and our residents to help bridge the gap until the economy can reopen.

Please take advantage of this time to shelter in place with family and loved ones and practice all of the social distancing requirements to help get us through this Coronavirus as soon as possible. Please also, if you have to go out for necessary items, that you frequent and support our hard working and essential local businesses that are still open. Banding together and keeping our faith strong we will get through this!

Sincerely,
James W. Pierce, President

Your Chamber is working diligently to keep you informed; however, it is difficult because updates seem to be changing hourly. If we are constantly sending you emails it is because the previous information sent has changed. We will continue to keep you informed as best we can via email. We have not updated our website with Coronavirus information because of the constant changes. Below are some links that may be of help to you:

[Coronavirus.Ohio.gov/JobSearch](https://www.coronavirus.ohio.gov/jobsearch); Workforce@OWT.Ohio.gov.

Please regularly visit [Coronavirus.Ohio.Gov/BusinessHelp](https://www.coronavirus.ohio.gov/businesshelp). Also visit [www.Coronavirus.Ohio.gov](https://www.coronavirus.ohio.gov) for the most up-to-date information from the Ohio Department of Health.

Some Symptoms of Coronavirus

1. It will first infect the throat, so you'll have a sore throat lasting 3/4 days
2. The virus then blends into a nasal fluid that enters the trachea and then the lungs, causing pneumonia. This takes about 5/6 days further.
3. With the pneumonia comes high fever and difficulty in breathing.
4. The nasal congestion is not like the normal kind. You feel like you're drowning. It's imperative you then seek immediate attention.

Information provided by **Stanford hospital board internal message.**

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News You Can Use

Real ID Deadline

The U.S. Department of Homeland Security extended the deadline for Real ID a year as a result of the Coronavirus Pandemic. The new deadline is October 1, 2021.

The planned grand-opening of the Trotwood Branch Library has been postponed until further notice. Contact Jayne Klose, Community Engagement Manager, Dayton Metro Library, phone number 937.496.8508, email DaytonMetroLibrary.org for more information.

City of Trotwood

Because of the COVID-19 the City is asking citizens to limit face-to-face contact, Visit www.trotwood.org for more information.

Tax Abatements

For information call Chad Downing at 937.854.7214 or email cdowning@trotwoodcic.org

Tuesday, March 17th, 2020 for the Primary Election ([03/17/2020](#)) **NOTE: DUE TO THE CORONAVIRUS, THIS ELECTION HAS BEEN EXTENDED**

Tuesday, August 4th, 2020 for the Special Election ([08/04/2020](#)) - Tuesday, November 3rd, 2020 for the General Election ([11/03/2020](#)). For more information visit www.sos.state.oh.us/elections/

T-M Educational Foundation Gala

The Gala has been cancelled for this year. We will be conducting an online silent auction. Details will be submitted later. Calvin Heard President, Trotwood Madison Educational Foundation



New Members

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Dayton OH 45402

Contact: Brian Joslyn—937-356-3969
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Right Choice Pest Management

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Thank you for renewing your membership:

Maria-Joseph Nursing & Rehab
North Dayton School of Discovery

IRS Tax Extension

The deadline to file income tax returns has been extended from April 15, 2020, to **July 15, 2020**. Payment relief for individuals and corporations: Income tax payment deadlines for individual and corporate income returns with a due date of April 15, 2020, are extended until July 15, 2020.



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BWC

To provide Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation updates to you and your members, here is a link to the Frequently Asked Questions on our website that provides information about the coronavirus' (COVID-19's) impact on BWC operations. Most noteworthy, Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation announced that unpaid insurance premium installment amounts due for March, April, and May for the current policy year can be deferred until June 1, 2020. At that time the matter will be reconsidered. Right click on the hyperlink below.

<https://www.bwc.ohio.gov/downloads/blankpdf/COVID-19-BWCFAQs.pdf>

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Ohio Stay at Home Order Extended Through May 1

(COLUMBUS, Ohio)— Ohio Governor Mike DeWine announced today that Ohio's Stay at Home order has been extended until 11:59 p.m. on May 1, 2020.

Ohio Department of Health Director Dr. Amy Acton, MD, MPH, signed the updated order this afternoon. It goes into effect at midnight on Monday.

"We understand that this is tough - it is very difficult. But, I would not be making these decisions if it wasn't a matter of life and death," said Governor DeWine. "We have to keep this monster down. It's not dead - it's very much alive."

The full Stay at Home order can be found [here](#) or on coronavirus.ohio.gov. (Highlight the document you want to view and right click to open.)

Please find below a list of all of our most recent guides to the aid and programs being made available to assist businesses during the ongoing pandemic, including [our newest guide to the paid sick and FMLA programs](#).

[NEW - Guide to Coronavirus Paid Leave Programs](#)

[Coronavirus Emergency Loans Small Business Guide and Checklist](#)

[Economic Injury Disaster Loan \(EIDL\) Program Guide](#)

[Employee Retention Tax Credit Guide](#)

[Coronavirus Small Business Guide](#)

[Coronavirus Response Toolkit](#)

Governor DeWine, Lt. Governor Husted Create Ohio Office of Small Business Relief

Ohio Governor Mike DeWine and Lt. Governor Jon Husted today announced the creation of the Office of Small Business Relief within the Ohio Development Services Agency. The Office will coordinate state efforts to identify and provide direct support for Ohio's nearly 950,000 small businesses.

The Office will initially focus on three key areas:

- It will serve as the state's designated agency for administering federal recovery funds awarded to Ohio for small business support and recovery.
- It will work with federal, state, and local partners to evaluate and determine possible regulatory reforms that encourage employment and job creation.

It will coordinate efforts of the Ohio Small Business Development Centers and Minority Business Assistance Centers at local levels.

Resources for small businesses are available online at coronavirus.ohio.gov/businesshelp. New services and support identified by the Office of Small Business Relief will be added to the site.

Link for Church Leaders

<https://churchleaders.com/news/373920-paycheck-protection-program-pastors.html>



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