

TO: Public File
FROM: Suzy Gigante
DATE: June 30, 2015
SUBJ: Quarterly Report – Second Quarter 2015

Attached is a description of WJW Television news programming addressing the key concerns and issues of this community during the period of April 1, 2015 through June 30, 2015

During the second quarter of 2015 the following issues were addressed by WJW.

Government/Politics
Local Economy
Crime/Safety

A list of Public Service Announcements is also attached.

WJW TELEVISION
Cleveland/Northeast Ohio
Tribune Company
April 1 – June 30, 2015

Newscasts (M-F)
430am-10am
Noon-1pm
4p-5p
5-6pm
6-7pm
7pm-730pm
10-11pm
Weekly total---55 hours

Newscasts (Sat/Sun)
7am
8am
9am
10am (Sun Only)
11am
6-7pm (pre-empted if sports airs)
10-11pm
Weekend Total---13 Hours

Government/Politics

Issue: Powdered Caffeine Bill

News	June 25, 2015	10p	:20	Local
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PURE POWDERED CAFFEINE WILL NO LONGER BE SOLD LEGALLY IN OHIO.
GOVERNOR JOHN KASICH SIGNED A BILL PROHIBITING ITS SALE TODAY.
THE MEASURE FOLLOWS THE DEATH OF 18-YEAR-OLD LOGAN STINER, FROM LAGRANGE, WHO DIED FROM AN OVERDOSE LAST YEAR.
THE BILL WOULD MAKE POWDERED CAFFEINE SALES A MISDEMEANOR OFFENSE.
LAWMAKERS ALSO INSERTED A BAN ON POWERED ALCOHOL INTO THE BILL.

Additional Stories

News	June 26, 2015	430a	:20	Local
News	June 26, 2015	5a	:25	Local

Issue: Responsible Ohio Fresh Start Act

News	June 25, 2015	10p	:25	Local
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A NEW INITIATIVE COULD WIPE OUT CRIMINAL RECORDS FOR PEOPLE WITH MARIJUANA CONVICTIONS, IF THE DRUG BECOMES LEGAL.
THE GROUP 'RESPONSIBLE OHIO' FILED THE "FRESH START ACT" TODAY.
MARIJUANA POSSESSION IS CURRENTLY A MISDEMEANOR IN OHIO.
'RESPONSIBLE OHIO' SAYS IF THE INITIATIVE IS PASSED, IT COULD HELP PEOPLE HAVE A CLEAN SLATE FOR THEIR FUTURE.
THE ATTORNEY GENERAL HAS UNTIL JULY 6TH TO REVIEW THE ACT FOR APPROVAL.

Additional Stories

News	June 26, 2015	5a	:25	Local
News	June 26, 2015	6a	:25	Local

Issue: Teen Driving Laws

News	June 25, 2015	4p	1:40	Local
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THIS NEW LAW GOES INTO EFFECT ON JULY 1ST.
AND WILL ONLY IMPACT TEEN DRIVERS WHO'VE HAD THEIR LICENSE FOR LESS THAN A YEAR. THEIR CURFEW IS GOING TO BE CHANGING.

THEY WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO DRIVE BETWEEN MIDNIGHT AND SIX A-M,
UNLESS A PARENT OR GUARDIAN IS IN THE CAR WITH THEM.
IF THEY DID NEED TO DRIVE ALONE DURING THAT TIME FOR SCHOOL, WORK
OR CHURCH, THEY'D HAVE TO GET WRITTEN PERMISSION.
ALSO -- EVERYONE IN THE CAR MUST WEAR THEIR SEATBELTS.
DRIVERS WE TALKED TO SAY THEY'RE LOOKING FORWARD TO THE NEW
RULES.
AND THINK THEY'LL HELP MAKE THE ROADS A LITTLE SAFER.

Additional Stories

News	June 25, 2015	5p	1:25	Local
News	June 25, 2015	6p	2:15	Local
News	June 25, 2015	10p	:45	Local
News	June 26, 2015	5a	:25	Local
News	June 26, 2015	6a	:25	Local
News	June 26, 2015	7a	:25	Local
News	June 26, 2015	8a	:25	Local
News	June 26, 2015	9a	:25	Local
News	June 26, 2015	Noon	:25	Local
News	June 27, 2015	8a	:45	Local
News	June 27, 2015	10p	:45	Local
News	June 28, 2015	7a	:45	Local

Issue: Ohio E-Cigarette

News	June 25, 2015	6a	:25	Local
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OHIO STATE LAWMAKERS PASS A BILL.. THAT CALLS FOR CHILDPROOFING
THE LIQUIDS USED IN E-CIGARETTES.
THE FLUID COMES IN ALL KINDS OF FLAVORS ... SOME ARE EVEN MADE TO
TASTE LIKE ICE CREAM.... AND THE ARGUMENT IS, THAT'S JUST TOO
ENTICING FOR KIDS.
SUPPORTERS SAY THE LIQUID CAN HARM CHILDREN IF IT'S INGESTED ...
OR ABSORBED THROUGH THE SKIN.
THE SENATE ALREADY PASSED A SIMILAR BILL.
THE MEASURE HAS TO CLEAR BOTH CHAMBERS BEFORE IT BECOMES LAW.

Additional Stories

News	June 25, 2015	7a	:25	Local
News	June 25, 2015	8a	:25	Local
News	June 25, 2015	9a	:25	Local

Issue: Ohio Pot Vote

News	June 24, 2015	Noon	1:25	Local
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THE HOUSE IS SET TO VOTE TODAY ON A PROPOSAL THAT MANY SAY WILL BLOCK AN EFFORT TO LEGALIZE MARIJUANA IN THE STATE. THE GROUP 'RESPONSIBLE OHIO' IS LOOKING TO LEGALIZE MARIJUANA AND CREATE 10 DESIGNATED GROW SITES IN THE STATE.

Additional Stories

News	June 24, 2015	4p	1:40	Local
News	June 24, 2015	7p	1:27	Local
News	June 24, 2015	10p	:55	Local
News	June 25, 2015	7a	:55	Local
News	June 25, 2015	Noon	:55	Local
News	June 25, 2015	6p	:25	Local

Issue: Ohio Court/Same Sex Marriage

News	June 16, 2015	10p	1:15	Local
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AFTER YEARS OF DEBATE AND COURT FILINGS, WE'RE NEARING A U-S SUPREME COURT DECISION.

IT COULD COME AS SOON AS THE END OF THIS MONTH.

IF THE JUSTICES SAY YES TO SAME SEX MARRIAGE, OHIO PROBATE COURTS MUST BE READY TO ISSUE MARRIAGE LICENSES TO 'ALL' COUPLES.

AND CUYAHOGA'S PROBATE COURT SAYS EVERYTHING'S IN PLACE.

Issue: Same Sex Marriage Passed

News	June 26, 2015	Noon	1:10	Local
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A SWEEPING NEW RULING BY THE SUPREME COURT STATES MARRIAGE EQUALITY MUST BEGIN IN ALL 50 STATES!

Additional Stories

News	June 26, 2015	4p	1:40	Local
News	June 26, 2015	5p	1:40	Local
News	June 26, 2015	6p	2:15	Local
News	June 26, 2015	7p	2:10	Local
News	June 26, 2015	10p	2:30	Local
News	June 27, 2015	7a	2:25	Local
News	June 27, 2015	8a	2:25	Local
News	June 27, 2015	9a	2:15	Local

Issue: Ohio Primary

News	June 10, 2015	6p	:25	Local
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GOVERNOR JOHN KASICH IS AGREEING TO PUSH OHIO'S 2016 PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY "BACK" BY A WEEK.

HE SIGNED A BILL YESTERDAY, TO PUSH IT BACK TO MARCH 15th, INSTEAD OF MARCH-EIGHTH.

REPUBLICANS WHO CONTROL THE OHIO-LEGISLATURE SAY THE "DATE-CHANGE" FOLLOWS R-N-C RULES DESIGNED TO DISCOURAGE STATES FROM HOLDING PRIMARIES TOO EARLY, TO BOOST THEIR INFLUENCE IN THE NOMINATING PROCESS.

DEMOCRATS FEAR VOTERS COULD BE CONFUSED, BY THE SWITCH.

Additional Stories

News	June 10, 2015	10p	:25	Local
News	June 11, 2015	430a	:25	Local
News	June 11, 2015	7a	:25	Local
News	June 11, 2015	8a	:25	Local
News	June 11, 2015	9a	:25	Local
News	June 11, 2015	Noon	:25	Local

Issue: Conceal Carry/Active Military

News June 9, 2015 10p :25 Local

OHIO STATE SENATORS ARE PROPOSING A CHANGE TO OHIO'S CONCEALED HANDGUN LAWS.

THEY'VE ADDED A PROVISION TO THE STATE'S BUDGET THAT'LL ALLOW ACTIVE MILITARY MEMBERS TO CARRY A CONCEALED HANDGUN MORE EASILY.

THE PROPOSAL ALLOWS SERVICE MEMBERS TO CARRY A CONCEALED HANDGUN SO LONG AS THEY HAVE MILITARY ID'S AND A CERTIFICATE SHOWING SUCCESSFUL SMALL ARMS TRAINING.

OHIO SENATE AND HOUSE MEMBERS MUST AGREE ON A BUDGET THEN SEND IT ALONG TO GOVERNOR KASICH.

Additional Stories

News June 10, 2015 7a :25 Local

Issue: Goddard's Law/Animal Cruelty

News May 26, 2015 8a :25 Local

A STATE AGRICULTURE-COMMITTEE WILL HEAR TESTIMONY LATER THIS MORNING, FROM SUPPORTERS AND OPPONENTS OF "GODDARD'S LAW."

WHILE IT "FAILED" TO GET THROUGH THE STATE-SENATE LAST YEAR, IT WAS RE-INTRODUCED BACK IN MARCH.

GODDARD'S LAW WOULD MAKE CRUELTY AGAINST HOUSEHOLD-PETS A "FIFTH-DEGREE" FELONY.

IT WOULD "EXCLUDE" LIVESTOCK, AND APPLY PRIMARILY TO DOGS AND CATS.

CLEVELAND-DEMOCRAT BILL PATMON IS SPONSORING THE MEASURE, WITH REPUBLICAN "DAVID HALL" OF MILLERSBURG.

Additional Stories

News	May 26, 2015	9a	:25	Local
News	May 26, 2015	Noon	:25	Local
News	May 26, 2015	6p	:25	Local
News	May 27, 2015	6p	:35	Local

Issue: Goddard's Law Passed

News June 16, 2015 6p :35 Local

"HOUSE BILL 60"..... BETTER KNOWN AS "GODDARD'S LAW" WAS PASSED BY THE STATE AGRICULTURAL COMMITTEE OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

THE NEXT STEP IS A FULL VOTE BEFORE THE HOUSE.
 IF THAT HAPPENS ... IT WOULD MAKE CERTAIN ACTS OF ANIMAL CRUELTY
 A FIFTH DEGREE FELONY!!

DICK WAS JOINED BY MEMBERS OF SEVERAL LOCAL ANIMAL
 RIGHTS ORGANIZATIONS ... INCLUDING PAWS OHIO ... WHICH HAS
 HELPED LEAD THE CHARGE TO GET HOUSE BILL 60 PASSED.

Additional Stories

News	June 21, 2015	8a	:30	Local
News	June 25, 2015	6p	:25	Local
News	June 25, 2015	10p	:20	Local
News	June 26, 2015	430a	:25	Local
News	June 28, 2015	8a	:30	Local

Issue: Guns on College Campuses

News	May 21, 2015	4p	1:40	Local
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HOUSE BILL 48, AS IT IS CURRENTLY PROPOSED WOULD ALLOW
 CONCEALED CARRY IN AREAS WHERE IT IS NOT CURRENTLY LEGAL,
 INCLUDING COLLEGE CAMPUSES AND CHURCHES. THE PROPOSED LAW
 WOULD CONTINUE TO BAN CONCEALED CARRY WEAPONS ON COLLEGE CAMPUSES
 ACROSS OHIO, UNLESS THE UNIVERSITY ITSELF ALLOWS THEM.

AS OF NOW THEY ARE COMPLETELY BANNED UNDER ANY
 CIRCUMSTANCE

PROPOSERS SAY DEFENSELESS STUDENTS ARE ACTUALLY MORE
 VULNERABLE AS TARGETS FOR SOMEONE WITH EVIL INTENT.

Additional Stories

News	May 21, 2015	5p	1:25	Local
News	May 21, 2015	6p	2:15	Local
News	May 21, 2015	7p	1:20	Local
News	May 21, 2015	10p	:50	Local
News	May 22, 2015	6a	:50	Local
News	May 22, 2015	7a	:50	Local
News	May 22, 2015	8a	:50	Local
News	May 22, 2015	9a	:50	Local
News	May 23, 2015	9a	2:25	Local

Issue: Ohio Concealed Carry Bill

News May 13, 2015 10p :20 Local

STATE-LAWMAKERS ARE NOW CONSIDERING A NEW PROPOSAL TO EXPAND "CONCEALED-CARRY" LAWS.

THE MEASURE WOULD ALLOW GUNS IN PLACES LIKE CHURCHES AND DAY-CARES, AS LONG AS THERE IS "WRITTEN AUTHORIZATION" FROM THE PLACE OF BUSINESS.

COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES COULD "ALSO" ALLOW CONCEALED CARRY.

A "SECOND" PROPOSAL WOULD EXPAND CURRENT LAWS TO INCLUDE SCHOOL-ZONES, AS WELL.

Additional Stories

News May 14, 2015 430a :20 Local

Issue: Bike Law SENATE BILL 157

News May 9, 2015 6p 2:20 Local

SHOULD YOUR CHILDREN HAVE TO WEAR A HELMET WHILE RIDING A BIKE?

WELL, ONE STATE SENATOR THINKS SO, AND IS NOW TRYING TO MAKE IT THE LAW. THE BILL, IF PASSED, WOULD ALSO REQUIRE BIKE RENTAL BUSINESSES TO ISSUE HELMETS TO ANYONE UNDER THE AGE OF 16... AND AGAIN, AS WE'VE SAID, THIS IS JUST A PROPOSAL... LAWMAKERS STILL NEED TO VOTE ON IT.

Additional Stories

News	May 9, 2015	10p	2:00	Local
News	May 10, 2015	7a	2:10	Local
News	May 10, 2015	8a	2:00	Local
News	May 10, 2015	9a	2:00	Local
News	May 10, 2015	11a	2:00	Local
News	May 11, 2015	5a	:50	Local
News	May 11, 2015	7a	:50	Local
News	May 11, 2015	8a	:55	Local
News	May 11, 2015	9a	:55	Local
News	May 11, 2015	Noon	:55	Local
News	May 11, 2015	5p	2:00	Local

Issue: Open Container Bill

News April 29, 2015 10p :25 Local

A BILL ALLOWING PEOPLE TO WALK AROUND OHIO CITIES WITH OPEN CONTAINERS OF ALCOHOL ... IS HEADING TO THE GOVERNOR'S DESK.

THE OHIO HOUSE VOTED 87 TO 7 TODAY ... TO ALLOW LARGER CITIES TO CREATE AREAS EXEMPT FROM OHIO'S OPEN CONTAINER LAW.

THE IDEA IS TO ALLOW FOR ENTERTAINMENT DISTRICTS SIMILAR TO BOURBON STREET IN NEW ORLEANS.

SUPPORTERS OF BILL WANT TO CREATE AREAS IN TIME FOR MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL'S ALL-STAR GAME IN CINCINNATI IN JULY.

Additional Stories

News	April 30, 2015	5a	:25	Local
News	April 30, 2015	6a	:25	Local
News	April 30, 2015	7a	:25	Local
News	April 30, 2015	8a	:25	Local
News	April 30, 2015	9a	:25	Local
News	April 30, 2015	Noon	:25	Local
News	April 30, 2015	6p	:25	Local
News	May 1, 2015	5a	:25	Local
News	May 1, 2015	7p	1:01	Local
News	May 1, 2015	10p	2:10	Local
News	May 2, 2015	7a	1:00	Local
News	May 2, 2015	9a	1:00	Local
News	May 7, 2015	4p	1:40	Local
News	May 7, 2015	5p	1:40	Local
News	May 7, 2015	6p	2:15	Local

Issue: Ohio Ruling Same Sex Marriage

News April 27, 2015 4p 1:40 Local

RIGHT NOW, SAME-SEX MARRIAGE IS ILLEGAL HERE IN OHIO. BUT, THAT COULD CHANGE DEPENDING ON THE OUTCOME OF A SUPREME COURT CASE.

THE CASE WILL BE HEARD TOMORROW.

AND MANY ADVOCATES ARE HOPEFUL THE JUSTICES WILL RULE IN THEIR FAVOR.

CRITICS FEEL MUCH DIFFERENTLY ABOUT THIS ISSUE.

AND ARGUE MARRIAGE SHOULD REMAIN BETWEEN A MAN AND A WOMAN.

THEY ALSO THINK IT SHOULD BE UP TO EACH STATE TO DECIDE WHETHER TO ALLOW SAME-SEX MARRIAGE.

NOW, A RULING ON THIS CASE WON'T BE MADE ANYTIME SOON.

WE'RE TOLD THE EARLIEST IT COULD HAPPEN IS JUNE.

Additional Stories

News	April 27, 2015	5p	2:30	Local
News	April 27, 2015	6p	2:30	Local
News	April 27, 2015	7p	1:00	Local
News	April 27, 2015	10p	:50	Local
News	April 28, 2015	430a	:25	Local
News	April 28, 2015	5a	:25	Local
News	April 28, 2015	6a	:25	Local
News	April 28, 2015	7a	:25	Local
News	April 28, 2015	8a	:25	Local
News	April 28, 2015	9a	:25	Local
News	April 28, 2015	Noon	:25	Local
News	April 28, 2015	4p	1:10	Local
News	April 28, 2015	5p	2:20	Local
News	April 28, 2015	6p	2:10	Local
News	April 28, 2015	7p	1:00	Local
News	April 28, 2015	10p	:25	Local
News	May 3, 2015	9a	2:11	Local

Issue: Ohio Passes Budget Reader

News	April 23, 2015	430a	:20	Local
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HOUSE LAWMAKERS ARE GIVING THE THUMBS UP TO A TWO-YEAR, 71-BILLION DOLLAR SPENDING PLAN.

OHIO CONGRESSMEN PASSED IT BY A 63 TO 36 VOTE YESTERDAY.

IT CALLS FOR AN INCOME TAX CUT AND PROVIDES MORE MONEY FOR SCHOOLS.

REPUBLICANS CALL THE BUDGET "PRO GROWTH".. WHILE DEMOCRATS SAY IT DOESN'T HELP OHIOANS.

THE SENATE WILL NOW CONSIDER THE PLAN.

Issue: Open Container Vote

News	April 23, 2015	430a	:25	Local
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THE SENATE IS GIVING THE GREEN-LIGHT TO A PLAN TO ALLOW PEOPLE TO TAKE "OPEN CONTAINERS" OUTSIDE IN CERTAIN "ENTERTAINMENT DISTRICTS."

UNDER THE BILL, CITIES WITH MORE THAN 35-THOUSAND RESIDENTS CAN CREATE AN AREA, LIKE CLEVELAND'S EAST FOURTH STREET AREA, WHERE PEOPLE CAN LEGALLY WALK OUTSIDE WITH OPEN CONTAINERS

IT WOULD ALSO ALLOW SMALLER CITIES TO CREATE ONE DISTRICT, WITH DIFFERENT REQUIREMENTS.

HOUSE LAWMAKERS WILL NOW CONSIDER THIS BILL.

Issue: Gun Lawsuit

News April 22, 2015 6p :35 Local

AN OHIO "CONCEAL CARRY RIGHTS GROUP" IS SUING THE CITY OF CLEVELAND.... OVER ITS NEW GUN CONTROL LEGISLATION. THEY'RE HOPING TO BLOCK A CITY ORDINANCE.. THAT MANDATES GUN OWNERS REPORT PRIVATE SALES... OR LOST OR STOLEN GUNS... TO POLICE. THE ACTION ALSO REQUIRES A GUN OFFENDER REGISTRY... SO THOSE CONVICTED OF A GUN OFFENSE WOULD HAVE TO REGISTER WITH THE CITY. MAYOR FRANK JACKSON ISSUED A STATEMENT IN RESPONSE TO THE LAWSUIT -- WHICH SAYS - IN PART -- "THESE NEW LAWS DO NOT LIMIT THE RIGHTS OF OUR CITIZENS TO OWN FIREARMS. THIS IS AN APPROPRIATE STEP TO ENSURE THAT SECOND AMENDMENT RIGHTS ARE PROTECTED WHILE ENSURING THAT WEAPONS ARE NOT MISUSED.'

Issue: Ohio Pay Raises

News April 22, 2015 6p :20 Local

AN OHIO SENATE COMMITTEE CLEARED A PROPOSAL THAT WOULD ALLOW A COMMITTEE TO SET PAY LEVELS FOR PUBLIC OFFICIALS. BASICALLY, IT WOULD KEEP POLITICIANS FROM GIVING PAY RAISES TO LEGISLATORS, STATE OFFICERS, COUNTY OFFICIALS AND JUDGES. IT WOULD BE UP TO THAT COMMITTEE INSTEAD. IF THE IDEA CLEARS THE LEGISLATURE ... THE PROPOSAL COULD GO BEFORE VOTERS THIS FALL.

Issue: Ohio Primary

News April 21, 2015 10p :25 Local

AN OHIO HOUSE COMMITTEE APPROVED A BILL TODAY TO MOVE OHIO'S 2016 PRIMARY ELECTION BACK A WEEK.

THE BILL WOULD MOVE NEXT YEAR'S PRIMARY TO MARCH 15TH.

REPUBLICAN "MIKE DOVILLA" OF BEREA, WHO SPONSORS THE BILL, SAYS THE DATE CHANGE WOULD MEET NEWLY SET REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE RULES THAT TAKE DELEGATES FROM STATES THAT HOLD THEIR PRIMARIES TOO EARLY.

DEMOCRATS VOTED AGAINST THE BILL.

Additional Stories

News	April 22, 2015	430a	:25	Local
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Issue: Cleveland Marriage Equality Resolution

News	April 21, 2015	4p	:50	Local
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CLEVELAND LAWMAKERS PASS A RESOLUTION SUPPORTING SAME SEX MARRIAGE.

CITY COUNCIL APPROVED THE MEASURE LAST NIGHT BY A VOTE OF 14 TO 2.

IT DOES NOT MAKE SAME SEX MARRIAGE LEGAL.

BUT THE RESOLUTION DOES MARK THE FIRST INSTANCE OF BROAD SUPPORT FROM CLEVELAND CITY LEADERS.

CLEVELAND JOINS COLUMBUS, CINCINNATI, AND DAYTON IN PASSING SIMILAR RESOLUTIONS.

COUNCILMAN JOE CIMPERMAN SAYS HE'S PROUD THAT FELLOW COUNCIL MEMBERS DID WHAT HE CALLS "THE RIGHT THING."

Additional Stories

News	April 21, 2015	5p	:50	Local
News	April 21, 2015	6p	:50	Local
News	April 21, 2015	7p	:50	Local
News	May 18, 2015	4p	1:40	Local
News	May 18, 2015	5p	1:25	Local
News	May 18, 2015	6p	2:15	Local
News	May 18, 2015	7p	1:05	Local
News	May 18, 2015	10p	:50	Local
News	May 19, 2015	5a	:50	Local
News	May 19, 2015	6a	:50	Local
News	May 19, 2015	7a	:50	Local
News	May 19, 2015	8a	:50	Local
News	May 19, 2015	9a	:50	Local
News	May 19, 2015	Noon	:50	Local

Issue: Cleveland City Council Gun Legislation

News	April 20, 2015	430a	:20	Local
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CLEVELAND CITY LEADERS ARE EXPECTED TO VOTE ON A NEW LAW TONIGHT, DESIGNED AT KEEPING "GUNS" OUT OF THE HANDS OF CHILDREN AND CRIMINALS.

THE CITY COUNCIL'S SAFETY COMMITTEE APPROVED THE MEASURE LAST WEEK, SENDING THE PROPOSAL TO THE FULL COUNCIL.

ONE KEY ASPECT INCLUDES A "GUN REGISTRY."

IT WOULD REQUIRE "ALL" GUN SALES TO BE REPORTED TO POLICE, IN ADDITION TO ANY LOST OR STOLEN WEAPONS.

Additional Stories

News	April 20, 2015	5a	:20	Local
News	April 20, 2015	6a	:20	Local
News	April 20, 2015	7a	:20	Local
News	April 20, 2015	8a	:20	Local
News	April 20, 2015	Noon	:20	Local
News	April 20, 2015	6p	:20	Local
News	April 20, 2015	7p	:20	Local
News	April 20, 2015	10p	1:25	Local
News	April 21, 2015	430a	1:05	Local
News	April 21, 2015	5a	1:05	Local
News	April 21, 2015	6a	1:05	Local
News	April 21, 2015	7a	1:05	Local
News	April 21, 2015	8a	1:10	Local
News	April 21, 2015	9a	1:05	Local
News	April 21, 2015	Noon	1:05	Local
News	April 21, 2015	4p	1:40	Local
News	April 21, 2015	5p	1:05	Local
News	April 21, 2015	6p	2:15	Local
News	April 21, 2015	7p	1:00	Local

Issue: Early Voting Settlement

News April 17, 2015 6p :30 Local

A LAWSUIT OVER EARLY VOTING IN OHIO HAS BEEN SETTLED... WITH BOTH SIDES GIVING SOME GROUND.

VOTING RIGHTS ADVOCATES HAD FILED A LAWSUIT, ASKING FOR A "GOLDEN WEEK".. WHERE PEOPLE CAN BOTH REGISTER AND VOTE.

BUT AS A RESULT OF A NEW SETTLEMENT.. THAT HAS BEEN ELIMINATED.

HOWEVER, VOTING OPPORTUNITIES HAVE BEEN ADDED ON SUNDAYS AND EVENINGS.

CIVIL RIGHTS GROUPS HAD ARGUED THAT VOTING-LAW CHANGES HURT LOW INCOME, AND MINORITY VOTERS.

THE STATE CLAIMED THE GROUPS COULD NOT PROVE AN ILLEGAL BURDEN WAS PLACED ON MINORITY VOTERS.

ALL OF THE CHANGES WILL GO INTO EFFECT AFTER THE MAY PRIMARY.

Additional Stories

News April 18, 2015 8a :30 Local

Issue: Budget Proposal

News April 16, 2015 430am :25 Local

HOUSE LAWMAKERS ARE PROPOSING A CHANGE TO THE BUDGET, TO GIVE CITIES USING TRAFFIC CAMERAS "LESS" STATE MONEY.

THE PLAN WOULD REQUIRE THOSE COMMUNITIES TO PROVIDE DETAILS OF FINES COLLECTED TO THE STATE AUDITOR.

THE AMOUNT WOULD THEN BE DEDUCTED FROM LOCAL GOVERNMENT FUND PAYMENTS.

FAILING TO FILE THE REPORT, COULD RESULT IN "ZERO" STATE FUNDING.

OHIO LAW NOW REQUIRES POLICE TO BE PRESENT WHEN TRAFFIC CAMERAS ARE IN USE.

SEVERAL COMMUNITIES ARE CHALLENGING THAT REQUIREMENT.

Additional Stories

News	April 16, 2015	5a	:25	Local
News	April 16, 2015	7a	:25	Local
News	April 16, 2015	8a	:25	Local
News	April 16, 2015	9a	:25	Local

Issue: Akron Speed Camera Ruling

News	April 13, 2015	4p	1:40	Local
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SENATE BILL 342 EFFECTIVELY ELIMINATED MOST OF OHIO'S TRAFFIC CAMERAS WITH REQUIREMENTS THAT INCLUDED HAVING A POLICE OFFICER PRESENT AT EACH CAMERA. AS A RESULT MANY COMMUNITIES SHUT THEIR CAMERAS DOWN. BUT SUMMIT COUNTY COMMON PLEAS JUDGE THOMAS TEODOSIO HAS NOW OVERRULED THE SENATE BILL, EFFECTIVELY SAYING THE STATE CANT TELL LOCAL MUNICIPALITIES HOW TO USE THEIR POLICE OFFICERS, ALSO OVERRULING A REQUIREMENT THAT COMMUNITIES HAVE TO DO TRAFFIC STUDIES BEFORE USING ENFORCEMENT CAMERAS AND OVERRULING ANOTHER REQUIREMENT THAT DRIVERS HAVE TO BE A CERTAIN SPEED OVER THE POSTED LIMIT BEFORE THEY CAN GET AUTOMATED TICKETS.

THE CITY OF AKRON SAYS THAT ALLOWS THEM TO CONTINUE TO USE THEIR SIX PORTABLE CAMERAS IN SCHOOL ZONES BUT IT COULD SET A PRECIDENT THAT IMPACTS OTHER CITIES AS WELL.

Additional Stories

News	April 13, 2015	5p	1:30	Local
News	April 13, 2015	6p	2:15	Local
News	April 13, 2015	7p	1:25	Local
News	April 14, 2015	430a	:50	Local
News	April 14, 2015	5a	:30	Local
News	April 14, 2015	7a	:35	Local
News	April 14, 2015	8a	:35	Local
News	April 14, 2015	9a	:35	Local
News	April 14, 2015	Noon	:35	Local

Issue: Ohio Alternative Testing

News	April 7, 2015	6p	:20	Local
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OHIO'S STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION IS DRAFTING A FEDERAL WAIVER REQUEST.... TO ALLOW 15 DISTRICTS DEVELOP AND ADMINISTER THEIR OWN STANDARDIZED TESTS.

THE IDEA IS TO EASE THE MINDS OF PARENTS... UPSET OVER COMMON CORE.

IF FEDERAL APPROVAL IS GRANTED, NEW TESTS WOULD BEGIN IN THE 2016-2017 SCHOOL YEAR.

Additional Stories

News	April 7, 2015	7p	:20	Local
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Issue: Akron Animal Cruelty Laws

News	April 6, 2015	10p	:25	Local
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AKRON LAWMAKERS HAVE VOTED TO BEEF UP THE CITY'S ANIMAL CRUELTY LAWS.

CITY COUNCIL UNANIMOUSLY PASSED AN ORDINANCE THAT REQUIRES OWNERS TO PROVIDE SHELTER FROM BOTH THE HEAT AND THE COLD.

STRUCTURES MUST BE ENCLOSED, INSULATED AND TWO INCHES OFF THE GROUND.

THE ORDINANCE ALSO BANS THE TETHERING OF ANIMALS FOR MORE THAN SIX HOURS A DAY, THREE HOURS IN A ROW, AND DURING THE OVERNIGHT HOURS.

VIOLATORS WOULD FACE MISDEMEANOR CHARGES.

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News	April 7, 2015	6a	:25	Local
News	April 7, 2015	7a	:25	Local
News	April 7, 2015	8a	:25	Local
News	April 7, 2015	9a	:25	Local
News	April 7, 2015	7p	:25	Local

Issue: Traffic Camera Laws

News	April 3, 2015	6p	:20	Local
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A SECOND OHIO JUDGE BLOCKED THE NEW STATE RULES ON TRAFFIC CAMERAS.... SAYING THE RULES VIOLATE LOCAL GOVERNMENT POWERS THAT CITIES HAVE UNDER THE STATE CONSTITUTION.

A NEW LAW REQUIRES A POLICE OFFICER BE PRESENT IF A TICKET IS ISSUED.

THIS JUDGE SAYS THAT'S TELLING A CITY HOW TO SPEND THEIR MONEY... WHICH ISN'T ALLOWED.

DAYTON AND AKRON HAVE CONTINUED USING PHOTO ENFORCEMENT WITHOUT OFFICERS PRESENT.

Issue: Kasich Veto

News April 1, 2015 10p :30 Local

GOVERNOR KASICH HAS USED HIS LINE-ITEM-VETO PEN TO STRIKE DOWN A CONTROVERSIAL PROVISION IN OHIO'S TRANSPORTATION BUDGET. DEMOCRATS HAD ARGUED THAT A PORTION OF THE BILL WOULD DISCOURAGE OUT-OF-STATE COLLEGE STUDENTS FROM VOTING IN OHIO, BY FORCING THEM TO OBTAIN AN OHIO DRIVER'S LICENSE. THE GOVERNOR AGREED.

MANY FELT THAT THE PROVISION WOULD PUT AN UNDUE BURDEN ON OUT-OF-STATE COLLEGE STUDENTS VOTING IN THE SWING STATE.

KASICH SAYS OHIO LAW ALREADY ESTABLISHES CRITERIA THAT DETERMINE RESIDENCY, WHICH HAVE BEEN USED SUCCESSFULLY.

Local Economy

Issue: Tax Break for Storm Victims

News June 25, 2015 Noon 2:22 Local

IF YOU'RE A PROPERTY OWNER AFFECTED BY RECENT STORMS.. YOU MAY BE ENTITLED TO A TAX BREAK YOU DON'T EVEN KNOW ABOUT. THE TAX BREAK IS PART OF A STATE PROGRAM, BUT MUST BE APPROVED BY THE COUNTY..

FOX 8'S LORRIE TAYLOR EXPLAINS ABOUT THE PROGRAM AND NECESSARY FORMS YOU'LL NEED TO APPLY FOR IT.

Issue: City Parking Fee Increase

News June 12, 2015 6p :15 Local

YOU'RE GOING TO START PAYING MORE TO PARK DOWNTOWN, COME MONDAY. CLEVELAND PASSED LEGISLATION IN APRIL TO INCREASE RATES AT ALL METERS AND LOTS.

THE EXTRA CASH WILL GO TO MAINTENANCE.

METERS WILL GO UP BY A QUARTER..... LOTS BY A DOLLAR.

THIS IS THE FIRST INCREASE SINCE 1989.

Additional Stories

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News	June 12, 2015	10p	:15	Local
News	June 13, 2015	7a	:15	Local
News	June 13, 2015	8a	:15	Local
News	June 13, 2015	9a	:15	Local
News	June 13, 2015	6p	:15	Local
News	June 14, 2015	6p	:15	Local
News	June 14, 2015	10p	:20	Local

Issue: Free Meals/Summer

News June 6, 2015 10p :25 Local

STUDENTS IN OHIO CAN STILL RECEIVE FREE MEALS AFTER SCHOOL GETS OUT.

THE SUMMER FOOD SERVICE PROGRAM PROVIDES FREE AND NUTRITIOUS MEALS FOR CHILDREN AGES ONE THROUGH 18 AND PEOPLE 19 THROUGH 21 WHO HAVE A DISABILITY AND ARE ON AN INDIVIDUALIZED EDUCATION PLAN.

THE MEALS ARE AVAILABLE THROUGH SPONSORING SCHOOL DISTRICTS, LOCAL GOVERNMENT AGENCIES, CAMPS AND PRIVATE NON PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS.

Issue: Salt Price Settlement/Ohio

News June 3, 2015 6p :20 Local

OHIO REACHED AN 11-POINT-5 MILLION DOLLAR SETTLEMENT WITH TWO MAKERS OF ROCK SALT..... WHO SUPPOSEDLY CONSPIRED TO DRIVE UP THE PRICES CHARGED TO STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS.

CARGIL WILL PAY 7-POINT-7 MILLION.

MORTON WILL PAY ALMOST 3-POINT-8.

BOTH COMPANIES DENY ANY WRONGDOING... BUT SAY THEY AGREED TO THE SETTLEMENT... SO THEY CAN FOCUS ON PROVIDING SALT THIS WINTER.

Issue: Lakefront Development

News June 1, 2015 10p :45 Local

CLEVELAND DEVELOPERS ARE LOOKING TO TAKE FURTHER ADVANTAGE OF THE CITY'S BIGGEST ASSET... LAKE ERIE!

PLANS ARE IN THE WORKS TO CREATE LAKEFRONT TRAILS ALONG THE NORTH AND SOUTH MARGINAL ROADS.

THE GOAL IS TO CONNECT GORDON PARK WITH DOWNTOWN CLEVELAND THROUGH A WIDE, MULTI-PURPOSE PATHWAY.

AND IT DOESN'T STOP THERE.

THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE ST. CLAIR SUPERIOR DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION SAYS IT'S ALL ABOUT CREATING EASY ACCESS TO THE THE LAKE AND DOWNTOWN THROUGH NEW TRAILS.

Additional Stories

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News	June 2, 2015	8a	:45	Local
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News	June 2, 2015	5p	:45	Local
News	June 2, 2015	6p	:25	Local
News	June 3, 2015	4p	1:25	Local
News	June 3, 2015	5p	1:05	Local
News	June 3, 2015	6p	:30	Local
News	June 3, 2015	10p	:25	Local
News	June 4, 2015	5a	:25	Local
News	June 4, 2015	6a	:25	Local
News	June 4, 2015	7a	:25	Local
News	June 4, 2015	9a	:25	Local
News	June 4, 2015	Noon	:25	Local
News	June 7, 2015	9a	:25	Local

Issue: Amazon Jobs in Ohio

News	May 30, 2015	7a	:20	Local
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OHIO IS GETTING AN "AMAZON DATA CENTER" THAT WILL BRING A THOUSAND WELL-PAYING JOBS TO THE STATE.

THE DEAL WAS STRUCK BETWEEN A GROUP CALLED "JOBS OHIO" AND AMAZON.

THAT'S THE GOOD NEWS.. NOW HERE'S THE BAD.

BECAUSE OF ALL THIS.. AMAZON DOT COM WILL BEGIN COLLECTING SALES TAXES FROM OHIO CUSTOMERS STARTING MONDAY.

IT'S ALL PART OF A TRADE OFF FOR INVESTING SO MUCH MONEY IN OUR STATE.

Issue: Amazon Sales Tax/Ohio

News	May 29, 2015	10p	:30	Local
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IF YOU ORDER FROM AMAZON, IT WILL SOON COST YOU A LITTLE MORE. THE ONLINE RETAIL GIANT IS SET TO BEGIN CHARGING SALES TAX IN THE STATE OF OHIO.

AMAZON MADE THE ANNOUNCEMENT TODAY, AS PART OF A PLAN TO ADD 1-THOUSAND JOBS TO THE BUCKEYE STATE.

AN AMAZON DATA COMPUTING CENTER IS SET TO BE BUILT NEAR COLUMBUS.

OFFICIALS SAY IF ONLINE PURCHASES ARE SIMILAR TO OTHER STATES, OHIO SALES TAX COLLECTIONS WOULD BE BETWEEN 150 AND 300 MILLION DOLLARS.

Additional Stories

News	May 30, 2015	8a	:25	Local
News	May 30, 2015	6p	:25	Local
News	May 30, 2015	10p	:25	Local
News	June 1, 2015	5a	:30	Local
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News	June 1, 2015	8a	:25	Local
News	June 1, 2015	9a	:25	Local
News	June 1, 2015	Noon	:25	Local
News	June 1, 2015	5p	:25	Local
News	June 1, 2015	6p	:15	Local
News	June 1, 2015	7p	:25	Local

Issue: Oh Sales Tax Holiday

News	May 29, 2015	10p	:25	Local
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BACK-TO-SCHOOL SHOPPERS.. GET READY FOR A TAX HOLIDAY.
OHIO'S SALES TAX WILL BE LIFTED FOR SOME SELECT ITEMS BEGINNING
AUGUST 7TH AND GOING THROUGH THE 9TH.

THOSE ITEMS ARE CLOTHING PRICED UNDER 75-DOLLARS.. SCHOOL
SUPPLIES THAT ONLY COST 20-DOLLARS OR LESS.. AND SCHOOL
INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIAL PRICED AT 20-DOLLARS.

Issue: University of Akron Discounted Classes

News	April 16, 2015	5a	:25	Local
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THE UNIVERSITY-OF-AKRON IS LAUNCHING A PILOT-PROGRAM AIMED AT
MAKING COLLEGE MORE AFFORDABLE FOR STUDENTS.

IT'S OFFERING A SERIES OF
GENERAL-EDUCATION-COURSES, FOR 50-DOLLARS PER CREDIT-HOUR.

THE CLASSES ARE CONSIDERED VITAL ACADEMIC STARTING-POINTS...
AND THEY FOCUS ON THE LIBERAL-ARTS, SCIENCE AND MATH.

THE "U-OF-A" SAYS THE PROGRAM IS DESIGNED TO PROVIDE STUDENTS
WITH "EASIER ACCESS" TO MORE AFFORDABLE FOUR-YEAR DEGREES.

Additional Stories

News	April 16, 2015	7a	:25	Local
News	April 16, 2015	8a	:25	Local
News	April 16, 2015	9a	:25	Local

Issue: Parking Prices for Muni Lot/Brown's Games

News	April 14, 2015	4p	1:28	Local
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THOSE WILLING TO PAY, CAN PARK AT THE MUNI LOT THE NIGHT BEFORE A BROWNS GAME.

THE PRICE VARIES DEPENDING ON THE VEHICLE.

SO IF YOU HAVE A CAR OR TRUCK, IT WOULD COST 25-BUCKS.

BUT, IF YOU'RE ONE OF THE DIEHARDS WHO LIKES TO BRING AN R-V, BUS OR TRAILER -- THAT'S 75.

RIGHT NOW, IT'S 20 DOLLARS TO NAB A SPOT IN THE MUNI LOT ON GAME DAY.

AND THE GATES OPEN THERE AT SEVEN A-M.

THE CITY WASN'T ABLE TO TELL US IF THE TIMES WILL CHANGE TOO.

Additional Stories

News	April 14, 2015	5p	2:38	Local
News	April 14, 2015	6p	1:35	Local
News	April 14, 2015	7p	:35	Local
News	April 14, 2015	7p	:30	Local
News	April 15, 2015	430a	:30	Local
News	April 15, 2015	5a	:35	Local
News	April 15, 2015	7a	:30	Local
News	April 15, 2015	8a	:30	Local
News	April 15, 2015	Noon	:40	Local

Issue: Lake Erie Sediment Law Suit

News	April 8, 2015	5a	:25	Local
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THE STATE-OF-OHIO IS SUING THE "U-S ARMY-CORPS-OF-ENGINEERS" OVER "SEDIMENT" FROM THE CLEVELAND-HARBOR AND THE CUYAHOGA RIVER.

THEY PLAN TO CHARGE OHIO NEARLY ONE-AND-A-HALF MILLION DOLLARS TO GET-RID OF THE SEDIMENT AT CONTAINMENT-FACILITIES.. INSTEAD OF DUMPING IT IN THE MIDDLE OF THE LAKE.

THE STATE WANTS A JUDGE TO ORDER THE CORPS TO FINISH THE DREDGING THIS YEAR, "WITHOUT" DUMPING IT IN THE WATER.

BUT THE CORPS WON'T DO IT, UNTIL IT GETS PAID.

Additional Stories

News	April 8, 2015	Noon	:25	Local
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Issue: Casino Revenue

News	April 7, 2015	10p	:20	Local
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OHIO CASINO REVENUES FOR MARCH ARE IN.
STATEWIDE, REVENUES IN THE MONTH WERE DOWN ABOUT TEN PERCENT FROM
MARCH IN 20-14.

BUT REVENUES ACROSS THE STATE WERE UP ABOUT EIGHT
PERCENT IN MARCH COMPARED TO FEBRUARY.

HORSESHOE CLEVELAND WAS THE ONLY CASINO TO BRING IN 'LESS'
IN MARCH THAN FEBRUARY. REVENUES THERE DROPPED ABOUT ONE AND A
HALF PERCENT.

Additional Stories

News	April 8, 2015	8a	:20	Local
News	April 8, 2015	Noon	:20	Local

Crime/Safety

Issue: Gun Buy Back

News	June 27, 2015	6p	:50	Local
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DOZENS OF TOY GUNS ARE NOW OFF THE STREETS OF CLEVELAND.

THE 'RID-ALL' FOUNDATION HOSTED A TOY GUN BUY BACK PROGRAM
TODAY.

THE FIRST 100 PARENTS WHO BROUGHT THEIR CHILDREN TO TURN IN
THEIR TOY GUNS, RECEIVED A GIFT CARD TO DAVE'S SUPERMARKET AND A
COMIC BOOK.

ORGANIZERS SAY THE GOAL IS TO EDUCATE PARENTS AND KIDS, AND TO
PUT AN ALTERNATIVE TO TOY GUNS IN CHILDREN'S HANDS.

Additional Stories

News	June 28, 2015	8a	:50	Local
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Issue: Water Bottle Recall Ohio

News	June 23, 2015	10p	:20	Local
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A CALIFORNIA WATER-BOTTLING COMPANY IS ISSUING A LARGE RECALL..
INVOLVING SOME BRANDS SOLD HERE IN OHIO.

INSPECTORS FOUND "E COLI" IN THE COMPANY'S WATER-SUPPLY.

"NIAGARA-BOTTLING" SAYS ITS RECALLING ITS PRODUCTS OUT OF AN
"ABUNDANCE OF CAUTION."

OHIO IS ONE OF 11 STATES AFFECTED.

Additional Stories

News	June 24, 2015	Noon	:20	Local
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Issue: Boater/Swimmer Warning Lake Erie

News	June 21, 2015	7a	:25	Local
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A WARNING FOR BOATERS AND FISHERS.

THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES IS URGING PEOPLE TO
AVOID HIGH, FAST MOVING WATER.

THE DEPARTMENT SAYS STEADY RAINFALL THIS WEEK HAS LED TO
OVERFLOWED RIVERS AND LAKES.

EXPERTS RECOMMEND 'SCOUTING' A STREAM BEFORE LAUNCHING A BOAT,
OR SWIMMING IN AN UNFAMILIAR AREA.

WATER LEVELS ARE EXPECTED TO REMAIN HIGH THIS WEEKEND, AS MORE
RAIN MOVES THROUGH THE AREA.

Additional Stories

News	June 21, 2015	8a	:25	Local
News	June 21, 2015	9a	:25	Local
News	June 21, 2015	11a	:25	Local

Issue: OH Beach Contamination

News June 11, 2015 10p 1:00 Local

MORE THAN TWO DOZEN OHIO BEACHES ARE UNDER HEALTH ADVISORIES BECAUSE OF E.COLI CONTAMINATION. TWENTY ONE OF THE 28 CONTAMINATED BEACHES ARE LAKE ERIE BEACHES.

TEN IN ERIE COUNTY. FOUR IN LORAIN COUNTY. SEVEN IN CUYAHOGA COUNTY. THE BEACHES WILL STAY OPEN WITH THE POSTED ADVISORIES.

THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES IS WORKING ON WAYS TO LIMIT BACTERIA LEVELS.

Additional Stories

News June 12, 2015 430a :25 Local

News June 12, 2015 Noon :30 Local

Issue: Convicts/OH Employment

News June 1, 2015 6p :25 Local

PEOPLE WHO ARE APPLYING FOR CIVIL SERVICE JOBS IN OHIO.... NO LONGER HAVE TO REVEAL WHETHER THEY'RE A CONVICTED FELON. AS OF TODAY --- OHIO BECAME PART OF THE "BAN THE BOX" MOVEMENT... BY REMOVING THE YES-OR-NO QUESTION THAT'S BEEN ASKED OF ANYONE WHO APPLIED TO ANY STATE GOVERNMENT POSITION... INCLUDING HIGHWAY WORKERS, PRISON GUARDS, SOCIAL WORKERS AND LAWYERS. STATE LEADERS SAY THEY WERE CONCERNED THE QUESTION KEPT PAST OFFENDERS FROM GOING FOR JOBS THEY WERE QUALIFIED FOR.

Issue: Surveillance Cameras/Ward 9

News May 27, 2015 4p 1:30 Local

COUNCILMAN KEVIN CONWELL WOULD LIKE SIX SECURITY CAMERAS INSTALLED ON EAST 105TH BETWEEN ASHBURY AND SAINT CLAIR... HE SAYS THAT AREA OF HIS WARD IS PRETTY DANGEROUS. CONWELL SAYS PEOPLE NEED TO KNOW THEY'RE THERE. NOW, CLEVELAND POLICE WOULD BE IN CHARGE OF MONITORING THESE CAMERAS. AND EACH ONE WOULD COST ABOUT 12-THOUSAND DOLLARS. WE'RE TOLD FEDERAL GRANTS WOULD HELP PAY FOR THEM.

Additional Stories

News	May 27, 2015	5p	1:30	Local
News	May 27, 2015	6p	2:30	Local
News	May 27, 2015	7p	1:05	Local
News	May 28, 2015	5a	:30	Local

Issue: Amber Alert Readiness Program

News	May 20, 2015	10p	:45	Local
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MICHELLE KNIGHT JOINED AUTHORITIES AND COMMUNITY LEADERS TONIGHT, SHARING THE IMPORTANT MESSAGE OF KEEPING CHILDREN SAFE. THE EVENT WAS CALLED "PROTECTING YOUR CHILDREN," A NORTHEAST OHIO AMBER ALERT READINESS PROGRAM.

MICHELLE SERVED AS A SPECIAL GUEST SPEAKER.

SHE SAYS EVENTS LIKE THESE HELP GIVE HOPE TO THOSE WHO ARE SEARCHING FOR A LOVED ONE. THE EVENT ALSO HELPED THOSE IN ATTENDANCE UNDERSTAND THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN AN AMBER ALERT AND MISSING PERSONS REPORT, AND WHAT TO DO IF YOUR CHILD IS LOST OR MISSING.

Issue: Illegal Dumping in Lorain

News	May 18, 2015	4p	1:40	Local
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ILLEGAL DUMPING HAS BECOME A BIG PROBLEM FACING RESIDENTS IN THE CITY OF LORAIN. THE LORAIN SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT HAS AN ENVIRONMENTAL CRIMES UNIT, THAT IS RECEIVING A LARGE NUMBER OF COMPLAINTS ABOUT TIRE DUMPING IN THE CITY OF LORAIN.

IN SOME CASES, THE ILLEGAL DUMPERS ARE LEAVING THE WORN OUT TIRES ON VACANT AND ABANDONED PROPERTIES, SPREADING BLIGHT THROUGH NEIGHBORHOODS.

INVESTIGATORS SAY SMALL COMPANIES THAT NEED TO UNLOAD THE TIRES, ARE CUTTING COSTS BY HIRING UNLICENSED HAULERS TO GET RID OF THEM. AND AUTHORITIES ARE TRYING TO IMPROVE THE SITUATION BY SETTING UP TRAILERS, WHERE TIRES CAN BE DROPPED OFF AND LATER RECYCLED.

Additional Stories

News	May 18, 2015	5p	:55	Local
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News	May 19, 2015	430a	:25	Local
News	May 19, 2015	5a	:25	Local
News	May 19, 2015	6a	:25	Local
News	May 19, 2015	7a	:25	Local
News	May 19, 2015	8a	:25	Local
News	May 19, 2015	9a	:25	Local

Issue: Toy Gun Buy Back/Comic Books

News	May 14, 2015	4p	1:40	Local
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USING COMIC BOOKS TO GET FAKE GUNS OFF CLEVELAND'S STREETS.

LOCAL NON-PROFITS HAVE TEAMED UP TO SEND A STRONG MESSAGE TO KIDS.

THE BOOK USES COLORFUL ILLUSTRATIONS AND STORIES TO TEACH GUN SAFETY... AND PROMOTE TOY GUN BUY BACKS.

SEVERAL PRIVATE FOUNDATIONS CONTRIBUTED TO THE 8-THOUSAND DOLLAR COST OF PRODUCTION.

THE STORYLINE IS BASED ON A TRUE STORY OF A YOUNG CHILD FROM THE EAST SIDE OF CLEVELAND WHO WAS PLAYING WITH A TOY GUN.

THE DIRECTOR OF A LOCAL NEIGHBORHOOD CENTER SAW HIM AND OFFERED HIM A COMIC BOOK IN EXCHANGE.

MANY TOY GUNS LOOK VERY REALISTIC.

THE NON-PROFIT BEHIND THE COMIC JOINED OTHERS FOR A TOY GUN BUY BACK IN DECEMBER.

ANOTHER TOY GUN BUY BACK IS IN THE WORKS FOR SOME TIME IN JUNE.

MEAN TIME -- THE GROUP PLANS TO DISTRIBUTE THESE COMIC BOOKS DOOR-TO-DOOR.. AT CHURCHES AND AT COMMUNITY CENTERS.

Additional Stories

News	May 14, 2015	5p	1:50	Local
News	May 14, 2015	7p	:50	Local
News	May 14, 2015	10p	1:55	Local
News	May 15, 2015	5a	:50	Local

Issue: Cleveland Swimming Safety

News May 12, 2015 10p :35 Local

THE CLEVELAND SAFETY COMMITTEE WILL MEET LATER THIS MORNING, TO DISCUSS SECURITY PLANS AT REC-CENTERS AND POOLS THIS SUMMER.

THE MEMBERS WILL ALSO CONSIDER A SUMMER "POLICE DEPLOYMENT PLAN."

MEANTIME, THE CLEVELAND METROPARKS HAS A PLAN FOR SWIMMING AT EUCLID BEACH THIS SUMMER.

STARTING JUNE SIXTH, A SECTION WILL BE DESIGNATED FOR SWIMMING FROM ELEVEN A-M UNTIL SEVEN IN THE EVENING, ON FRIDAYS, SATURDAYS AND SUNDAYS.

AT LEAST FIVE LIFEGUARDS WILL BE ON DUTY DURING THOSE TIMES.

THE METROPARKS ALSO PLANS TO MAKE SURE THERE ARE IS "NO" SWIMMING IN THE WATER AT OTHER TIMES.

THE SEASON RUNS THROUGH AUGUST NINTH.

Additional Stories

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News	May 13, 2015	6a	:35	Local
News	May 13, 2015	7a	:35	Local
News	May 13, 2015	8a	:35	Local
News	May 13, 2015	Noon	:35	Local

Issue: Water Testing

News May 8, 2015 5p 1:30 Local

A HALF-MILLION PEOPLE COULDN'T DRINK THEIR WATER FOR FEAR THAT IT WAS CONTAMINATED WITH MICROCYSTIN CAUSED BY A HUGE ALGAE BLOOM ON THE LAKE.

MICROCYSTIN IS TOXIC TO HUMANS AND CAN CAUSE LIVER AND OTHER INTESTINAL PROBLEMS.

WE WERE SURPRISED TO DISCOVER THAT NO AGENCY ON THE FRONT LINES OF TESTING THE LAKE'S BEACH WATER AND DRINKING WATER ACROSS NORTHERN OHIO - NOT IN TOLEDO, AND NOT HERE IN CLEVELAND - HAD THE MOST ACCURATE EQUIPMENT FOR TESTING THE WATER FOR TOXINS.

IN FACT, THE EQUIPMENT THAT WAS WIDELY USED COULD BE WRONG 25 PERCENT OF THE TIME - SCIENTISTS HAD TO TEST OVER AND OVER TO MAKE SURE THEIR RESULTS WERE ACCURATE.

THE SEWER DISTRICT TOOK OUR INQUIRY SERIOUSLY, AND NOW HAS PURCHASED THIS - A \$320,000 MASS SPECTROMETER - WHICH IS EASILY FIVE TIMES MORE ACCURATE IN TESTING THE WATER FOR TOXINS...

Additional Stories

News	May 8, 2015	6p	2:42	Local
News	May 8, 2015	10p	2:30	Local
News	May 9, 2015	8a	2:45	Local

Issue: Cleveland Riot/Safety Precautions

News	May8, 2015	430a	1:35	Local
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WITH THE DECISION ON THE MICHAEL BRELO CASE COMING IN A WEEK OR SO, THE CITY AND COMMUNITY LEADERS ARE PREPARING TO HANDLE ANY ISSUES THAT MIGHT COME UP. THURSDAY COUNCILMAN KEVIN CONWELL MET WITH OTHER COMMUNITY ACTIVISTS IN WARD 9 BEFORE HEADING TO A LARGER MEETING AT OLIVET INSTITUTIONAL BAPTIST CHURCH ...WITH OVER 100 TO DISCUSS A SOLID SAFETY PLAN.

THEY SAY, RECENT PROTESTS IN CLEVELAND FOLLOWING SEVERAL POLICE INVOLVED DEATHS WERE PEACEFUL BUT THYE'RE CONCEREND ...THE NATIONAL SPOTLIGHT OVER THE UPCOMING VERDICT IN THE TRIAL OF CLEVELAND OFFICER MICHAEL BRELO..FOR HIS PART IN THE DEATHS 2 UNARMED INDIVIDUALS....COULD CREATE A VOLATILE SITATION,

SOME OF THE STEPS BEING TAKEN INCLUDE ..MONITORING SOCIAL MEDIA SITES AND THE INTERNET AS WELL AS ORGANZING TEAMS TO DISPERSE AND WATCH OVER LARGE GATHERING PLACES

Issue: Craigslist Safe Zone

News	April 29, 2015	4p	1:55	Local
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THE CITY OF AVON HAS OFFICIALLY NAMED ITS POLICE STATION PARKING LOT A "TRANSACTION SAFE PLACE."

THAT MEANS ANYONE CAN GO THERE TO BUY, SELL OR TRADE ITEMS.

THERE ARE ALWAYS POLICE OFFICERS DRIVING IN AND OUT OF HERE.

PLUS, THERE ARE CAMERAS ALL AROUND THE BUILDING.

COUNCILWOMAN TAMMY HOLTZMEIER WAS BEHIND THE IDEA TO NAME IT A "TRANSACTION SAFE PLACE."

SHE SAYS IT'S REALLY THE BEST LOCATION FOR PEOPLE WHO WANT TO BUY, SELL AND TRADE.

AVON'S POLICE CHIEF AGREES.

HE SAYS ANYONE IS MORE THAN WELCOME TO DO BUSINESS AT THE POLICE STATION.

Additional Stories

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News	April 29, 2015	6p	:50	Local
News	April 29, 2015	7p	:45	Local
News	April 29, 2015	10p	:50	Local
News	April 30, 2015	430a	1:55	Local
News	April 30, 2015	6a	1:55	Local
News	April 30, 2015	9a	:45	Local
News	May 2, 2015	8a	1:55	Local

Issue: Ohio Conceal/Carry

News	April 8, 2015	9a	:30	Local
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IT COULD SOON BE EASIER FOR PEOPLE TO CARRY A "GUN" IN THE BUCKEYE-STATE.
REPRESENTATIVE RON HOOD OF PICKAWAY COUNTY.. IS PUSHING FOR A BILL THAT WOULD ALLOW OHIOANS TO CARRY A CONCEALED WEAPON WITHOUT A PERMIT.. WHICH WOULD MEAN TRAINING REQUIREMENTS WOULD ALSO BE DROPPED.
IT WOULD ALSO PROHIBIT POLICE FROM SEARCHING OR DETAINING A PERSON WITH A GUN.. AND LANDLORDS FROM BANNING TENANTS FROM HAVING A WEAPON.
HOOD SAYS HE ALREADY HAS 20 CO-SPONSORS FOR THE BILL.
A SIMILAR MEASURE IN WEST VIRGINIA WAS RECENTLY VETOED BY THE GOVERNOR.

Additional Stories

News	April 8, 2015	Noon	1:40	Local
News	April 8, 2015	5p	1:40	Local
News	April 8, 2015	6p	2:03	Local
News	April 8, 2015	7p	1:05	Local
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News	April 8, 2015	5a	1:05	Local
News	April 8, 2015	6a	1:50	Local
News	April 12, 2015	7a	1:45	Local
News	April 12, 2015	8a	1:50	Local

Issue: Bullet Proof Vests for Cle Firefighters

News	April 2, 2015	4p	1:40	Local
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CLEVELAND FIREFIGHTERS WANT BULLETPROOF VESTS IN TIME FOR THE CITY TO HOST THE 2016 REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CONVENTION. FIREFIGHTERS UNION PRESIDENT FRANK SZABO TELLS FOX 8 IN THE PAST YEAR THEY HAVE HAD TWO FIRE STATIONS SHOT UP ,INCLUDING THIS ONE, FIRE STATION 20 ON PEARL AND ARCHWOOD, AND THERE HAVE BEEN INCIDENTS AROUND THE COUNTRY WHERE FIREFIGHTERS HAVE BEEN AMBUSHED WITH GUNFIRE. SCZABO SAYS CLEVELAND FIREFIGHTERS HAVE BEEN ASKING FOR A FEW YEARS FOR BULLETPROOF VESTS IN CASE THINGS TURN VIOLENT...AND NOW THEY ARE ONCE AGAIN PUSHING FOR THEIR REQUEST DUE TO THE 2016 REPUBLICAN NATIONAL CONVENTION, WHICH WILL BE HELD IN CLEVELAND.

Additional Stories

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CLEVELAND FIREFIGHTERS HAVE WON THEIR BATTLE FOR BULLET PROOF VESTS...

UNION PRESIDENT FRANK SZABO {ZAY-BOE} SAYS THE ADMINISTRATION HAS COMMITTED TO PROVIDING THE LIFE SAVING EQUIPMENT.

AN EXPERT FROM THE POLICE DEPARTMENT IS NOW CONFERRING WITH A REP FROM THE FIRE DEPARTMENT TO DETERMINE WHICH TYPE OF VEST WOULD BEST SUIT THE NEEDS OF FIREFIGHTERS.

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