



# The Village of Wayne Lakes Newsletter



December 2025

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## DOG WARDEN 937-547-1645

## OHIO EPA HOTLINE

1-800-282-9378

or 1-614-224-0946

## DRUG TASK FORCE

937-548-4150

(Kept confidential)

SHERIFF 937-548-2020

EMERGENCY 911

SUICIDE LIFELINE 988

**NO FEEDING OF  
WATERFOWL**

**NO SWIMMING or  
ICE SKATING  
ON ANY OF THE LAKES**

## From the Office of Our Mayor

*Warmest wishes for the season. May we all spend time with family and friends during the next couple weeks and truly make the best memories. We are very blessed in this small community, and each day brings a new opportunity to give thanks. Thank you, neighbor, you mean to the world to me.*

**Brice with Access Engineering and the Wayne Lakes Sewer committee.** Sewer rate change for 2026. We projected \$65 to \$80 per month. We came in at \$65 per month. All sewer issues, please call the sewer line at 937-564-2866, 24hr service line.

Ordinance 2025-11-05-001 Add Asst Maintenance position. Second reading.

Resolution 2025-12-02-005 A Resolution authorizing membership in the Ohio Utilities Protection Services (OUPS), execution of the Ohio Water/Wastewater Agency Response Network (OHWARN), Mutual Aid Agreement and completion of the utility profile and registration. Second reading.

Resolution 2025-12-15-002 Authorizing the Mayor and Fiscal Officer to enter and execute 2026 Liability Insurance Renewal Agreement with Hylant Group and an agent for the Ohio Plan Risk management. Waive 3 reading rule, Declare an emergency, adopt.

Ordinance 2025-12-02-003 2026 Annual Appropriation Budget. First reading.

See the upcoming agenda items by submitting your public records request at our village office.

**Fishing Pass Prices....** Nonresident pass \$80 per year (online sales) Senior Citizen passes \$60 per year (in office purchase). Resident pass remains \$5 per year. Guest passes have been increased to five per resident household. The guest pass cost remains \$25 per pass (in office purchase). Daily passes online remain \$8.50 per day (online sales).


The council administrative meeting is Friday, Jan. 2, 2026, at 7:00pm in the council meeting room. Next meeting, Monday, Jan. 19, 2026, 7:00pm in the council meeting room.



Respectfully Submitted,  
Linda Clark, Mayor  
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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	December 2025 Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>14</b>  Holiday outdoor decorating	<b>15</b> Village Office Hrs. 8:30-11:30am Council Mtg Vlg Office 7p  Holiday outdoor decorating	<b>16</b> Village Office Hrs. 8:30-11:30am  Holiday outdoor decorating	<b>17</b> Village Office Hrs. 8:30-11:30am <b>Holiday Outdoor Decoration Voting</b>	<b>18</b> Village Office Hrs. 8:30-11:30am <b>Holiday Outdoor Decoration Voting</b>	<b>19</b> Village Office Hrs. 8:30-11:30am <b>Holiday Outdoor Decoration Voting</b>	<b>2</b> <b>Holiday Outdoor Decoration Vot- ing</b>
<b>21</b> <b>Holiday Outdoor Decoration Voting</b>	<b>22</b> Village Office Hrs. 8:30-11:30am  <b>Turn in the Vote Deadline</b>	<b>23</b> Village Office Hrs. 8:30-11:30am	<b>24</b> Village Office Hrs. 8:30-11:30am <b>Christmas Eve At Ft. Jeff.UMC</b>	<b>25</b> 	<b>26</b> Village Office Hrs. 8:30-11:30am	<b>27</b> Neave Twp Trash 8a-12
<b>28</b>	<b>29</b> Village Office Hrs. 8:30-11:30am Maintenance Mtg 6pm -Neave Twp Trustee Mtg 7pm	<b>30</b> Village Office Hrs. 8:30-11:30am	<b>31</b> Village Office Hrs. 8:30-11:30am 			
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				<b>1</b> 	<b>2</b> Village Office Hrs. 8:30-11:30am Council Admin. Mtg 7:00 pm	<b>3</b>
<b>4</b>	<b>5</b> Village Office Hrs. 8:30-11:30am Tree Com Mtg 3p	<b>6</b> Village Office Hrs. 8:30-11:30am	<b>7</b> Village Office Hrs. 8:30-11:30am	<b>8</b> Village Office Hrs. 8:30-11:30am	<b>9</b> Village Office Hrs. 8:30-11:30am	<b>10</b> Neave Twp Trash 8a-12
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**FT. JEFFERSON AND NEAVE TWP INFO**  
**Food assistance** is available at Ft. Jefferson UMC for anyone in Neave Township. Call 937-423-6118, leave your name and number for a return call. 

**Christmas Eve Candlelight Service at Ft. Jefferson UMC**  
Wayne Lakes and surrounding community are invited to our annual community Christmas Eve service at 8:00 pm at Fort Jefferson UMC. The service includes traditional scriptures, songs, special music and lighting of the candles. Please join us as we celebrate the birth of our Lord Jesus Christ.

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**Dear Wayne Lakes Homeowner/Tenant:**

To help keep our community's *sewer system* running smoothly, we're sharing the **Sewer Homeowners DO's and DON'Ts pamphlet**. This guide highlights simple steps you can take to avoid blockages, protect your property, and reduce costly repairs.

✓ **DO's** include proper disposal of household waste, regular maintenance tips, and eco-friendly practices.

✗ **DON'Ts** outline common mistakes such as flushing inappropriate items, pouring grease down drains, or ignoring early warning signs.

Please take a few minutes to review the attached pamphlet and share it with your household. Together, we can ensure a cleaner, safer, and more efficient sewer system for everyone.

Thank you for your cooperation.

To vote for your 3 best **Holiday lights** in **Wayne Lakes** on **12/22**, call or stop by the village office, or email [waynelakesnews2016@gmail.com](mailto:waynelakesnews2016@gmail.com). Make sure to submit the addresses of your 3 choices!!



HOP IN AS STRANGERS  
HOP OUT AS FRIENDS

1054 MAIN DR  
GREENVILLE, OH 45331  
**CALL AHEAD  
FOR CARRY-OUT  
937-808-4013  
HOURS:**

**TUESDAY - THURSDAY:**  
11AM-1PM  
5PM-10PM

**FRIDAY:**  
11AM - 1PM  
5PM - MIDNIGHT

**SATURDAY:**  
11AM - MIDNIGHT

**SUNDAY**  
12PM - 10PM