

City of Englewood

Summer 2009 Newsletter

Painting underway

New three-dimensional look for historical mural

Painting is underway to update and refresh the mural at West National Road and Main Street. The new design will depict Englewood, then known as Harrisburg, in the early 1900s. It will also highlight the Old National Road.

Mural artist Keith Hasenbalg has been on site since late May creating his design. He has previously done murals for a downtown project in Fremont, Ohio, the Gene Autry Museum in Kenton, Ohio and the city of Port Clinton, Ohio.

"We were happy with the previous

mural, but it was time for an update," said City Manager Eric Smith. "We're excited about the new, three-dimensional, full-color look that Mr. Hasenbalg is bringing to the mural."

The Randolph Historical Society aided in authenticating the period.

Improvements continue throughout Englewood



Before and after photos of the Arcadia Boulevard Bridge Replacement Project that replaced a 50 year old under-capacity metal culvert with a new, concrete box culvert.

Several projects are underway or completed throughout the City.

Most recently, the bridge replacement on Arcadia Boulevard was completed utilizing Ohio Public Works grant monies to replace the 50 year old metal structure with a new,

concrete box culvert.

Just getting underway is the Sanitary Sewer Rehab project which will recondition and reseal 174 manholes throughout the City. This project was also partially funded through Ohio Public Works grant monies and is due to be complete in October.

Another annual project, the 2009 Street Resurfacing Program, will take place this summer. See the list of scheduled streets on the back page of this newsletter.

New businesses on par

Care for a game of miniature golf? You can now play in Englewood at the Putter's Paradise behind the Englewood Fun Center in the Main on Main plaza (adjacent to the BRD House, Hothead Burrito and TJ Chumps).

Just down the street from Main on Main, a new automotive service center is being opened in



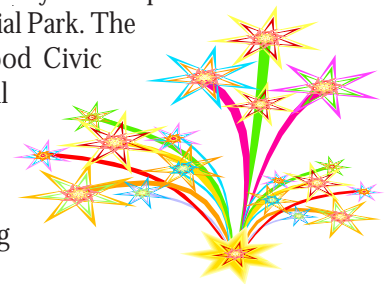
the renovated McNulty Service Center building.

The \$14 million Trilogy Health Services on West National Road is now under roof. This 120-bed nursing facility that will include a memory care facility is due to open in December of 2009.

Walgreens at the corner of West Wenger and Union Boulevard is now complete and will open by the end of July.

Fireworks Celebration!

Once again, the City of Englewood will host the annual fireworks celebration on Saturday, July 4 at 10 p.m. at Centennial Park. The Englewood Civic Band will perform patriotic music beginning at 7 p.m.



The City of Englewood had no drinking water violations during 2008, concerning water provided for the community. Englewood collects all water samples required by the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency and has contracted with laboratories in the area to have the majority of analysis performed. Daily required analyses are performed in the city's laboratory. The list of parameters required by the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency is quite large. Only parameters that exceed the limits set by the EPA are required to be listed herein.

Some people in the community may be more at risk than others if they have health conditions which affect their immune system. Immuno-compromised persons such as those with cancer and undergoing chemotherapy, recipients of organ transplants, persons with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly and infants can be particularly at risk from infection. Anyone concerned about vulnerability should seek advice about drinking water from a health care provider. The City of Englewood water system sampling is under the supervision of the Plant Superintendent, Vernon E. Brown, 836-5106 Ext. 471. In the event that you would like to attend council meetings concerning water issues please contact the Englewood Government Center 937-836-5106 for information concerning regular scheduled meetings.

Englewood's Water Source

Englewood's raw water system consists of three separate well fields located along the Stillwater River. The north well field is on the east side of the river, south of the Englewood Dam. The south well field is at the end of East Wenger Road on the west side of the river and north of Interstate 70. The Heathcliff well field is south of I-70 on the west side of the river.

Englewood currently has seven (7) wells for the production of water for the community. Each of the wells removes ground water from an underground aquifer that follows the Stillwater River through this area.

The cities of Englewood and Union share a connection located at the intersection of State Route 48 and Sweet Potato Ridge Road which, if required, can be activated to provide each community with water in the event of an emergency. Thus far, this interconnect has been used only to provide support for system maintenance. An additional interconnect with Montgomery County is currently available for the City of Englewood to obtain water if needed during emergencies. Montgomery County and Englewood came to an agreement during negotiations for the county to enter the Heathcliff Well Field to install a water line to the east side of the Stillwater River.

Sources of Contamination

The sources of drinking water for both tap water and bottled water vary. Lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs and wells are all sources for obtaining water. As water travels over the surface or through the ground, it dissolves naturally-occurring minerals and, in some cases, radioactive materials. It can also pick up substances resulting from the presence of human or animal activity.

Contaminants that may be present in source water include: (A) Microbial contaminants, such as viruses and bacteria which may come from sewage treatment plants, septic systems, agricultural livestock operations and wildlife; (B) Inorganic contaminants, such as salts and metals which can be naturally-occurring or result from urban storm water runoff, industrial or domestic wastewater discharges, oil and gas production, mining or farming; (C) Pesticides and herbicides which may come from a variety of sources such as agriculture, urban storm water runoff and residential use; (D) Organic chemical contaminants, including synthetic and volatile organic chemicals which are by-products of industrial processes and petroleum production, and can also come from gas stations, urban storm water runoff and septic systems; (E) Radioactive contaminants, which can be naturally-occurring

or be the result of oil and gas production and mining activities.

In order to ensure that tap water is safe for consumption, the EPA prescribes regulations which limit the amount of certain contaminants in the water provided by public water systems. FDA regulations establish limits for contaminants in bottled water which must provide the same protection.

Drinking water, including bottled water, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects is available from the **Environmental Protection Agency Safe Drinking Water Hotline at (800) 282-9378.**

Sampling Requirements

The Environmental Protection Agency requires regular sampling to ensure drinking water safety. The City of Englewood conducts sampling as specified for bacteria, inorganic, radiological, pesticides, and volatile organic contaminant sampling. The information contained herein is from January 1 through December 31, 2008. All monitored parameters indicated results within the EPA guidelines. Parameters required other than annually also have been within the EPA guidelines.

The Ohio EPA requires monitoring for some contaminants less than once per year because the concentrations of these contaminants do not change frequently.

Definitions

While reading this report, you may come across terms with which you are not familiar. The following are some definitions to help consumers understand the report tables and laboratory results contained herein.

Action Level (AL): The concentration of a contaminant which, if exceeded, triggers treatment or other requirements which a water system must follow.

Below Detection Level (BDL): The lowest level that the analysis being performed can be detected by a laboratory.

Maximum Contaminant Levels (MCL): The highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in the drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best available treatment technology.

Maximum Contaminant Level Goal (MCLG): The level of contaminant in drinking water below which there is no known or expected health risk. MCLGs allow for a margin of safety.

Parts per Million (ppm) or Milligrams per Liter (mg/L): Units of measure for concentration of a contaminant. For perspective, one part per million is similar to one second of time in 11.5 days.

Parts per Billion (ppb) or Micrograms per Liter (ug/L): Units of measure for concentration of a contaminant. One part per billion is similar to one second of time in 31.7 years.

The "<" symbol: A symbol which indicates less than. A result of <5 means that the lowest level that could be detected was 5 and the contaminant was not detected.



ENGLEWOOD FESTIVAL

2009

Saturday and Sunday, August 8 & 9
at

Centennial Park

- ◆ 5k Classic begins Saturday at 8:30 a.m.
- ◆ Parade begins Saturday at 9:00 a.m.
- ◆ Food vendors and artisan booths open at 10:30 a.m. on Saturday and at 11:00 a.m. on Sunday
- ◆ Volksmarch Registration begins Sunday at 8:00 a.m.
- ◆ Cruise-in Registration begins Sunday at 10:00 a.m.

MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT

Saturday

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| 12:00 | Northmont High School Marching Band |
| 12:45 | Dayton Letter Carriers |
| 2:30 | Tom Daugherty Orchestra |
| 6:00 | The Blasts from the Past (formerly the Del Satins) |

Sunday

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| 1:00 | Englewood Civic Band |
| 3:00 | The Brian Brenner Show <i>with a special tribute to Elvis</i> |



A Moment with the Mayor

-by Patricia Burnside

Summer is off to a great start. It is so nice to see green lawns and flowers again. If you notice an especially beautiful residence, you can call the city office and nominate that home or business for a City Beautiful Award from the Festival and Arts Commission. You can also find the form on our web site at www.inglewood.oh.us.

July 4th is always celebrated with fireworks at Centennial Park. Some of you can see them from your own back yards, but if you'd like to enjoy a bit of patriotic music beforehand, please come to Centennial Park at 7 p.m. to hear the Englewood Civic Band perform.

Looking forward to August, the annual Arts Festival is slated for Saturday, August 8 and Sunday, August 9 in Centennial Park. You won't want to miss the entertainment, food and especially the arts and crafts. As usual, the 5k race will kick off the event at 8:30 Saturday morning followed by the parade at 9 a.m. I hope to see you there.

Please mark your calendar for Tuesday, November 24. The Annual Englewood Mayor's Prayer Breakfast will be held at Concord United Methodist Church at 7:30 a.m., and I'm very pleased to announce that Dale Huffman, human interest columnist from the Dayton Daily News, will be our guest speaker.

Enjoy your summer in our great city.

Household Hazardous Waste Day

Englewood will co-host a household hazardous waste drop-off day on Saturday, August 1 from 8:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. at Northmont High School. All Montgomery County residents are invited to participate. For more information, call 836-5106. Acceptable materials include:

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| All vehicle fluids | Gas/Propane/Aerosol Cans |
| Batteries | Paints (lates & oil-base) |
| Fertilizers | Fertilizers |
| Fluorescent Lights | Fluorescent Lights |
| Household Cleaners | Household Cleaners |
| Pesticides/Herbicides | Thinners & Strippers |

No Tax Increase Renewal Levy on Ballot in November

A 1.26 mill levy in place since the 1970s but reduced to an effective rate of .34 mills due to rollbacks, is on the November ballot. By law, this levy must be reapproved every five years. A typical homeowner would continue to pay \$9.78 per year.

Yearly Audit Available

The Ohio Auditor of State has issued Englewood's report for 2008, also available online at www.auditor.state.oh.us. The Auditor found the City's book in compliance with standards and no significant deficiencies or material weaknesses.

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2009 Street Resurfacing Program

- Ashoken Road
- Beacon Lane
- Bonnycastle Avenue
- Clearstream Way
- Fallview Avenue
- Five Pines Court
- Haas Drive
- Harrisburg Drive
- Haywood Circle
- Hoke Road (south of I-70)
- Holiday Drive
- Mares Court
- Meadowglen Circle
- Northcreek Drive
- Old Carriage Drive
- Overla Boulevard (Millwood Village side)
- Pauly Drive
- Sunset Drive (901-1014)
- Thistledown Trace
- Windgate Court
- Wintercreek Court

*Residents will be notified by door-to-door flyer when their street is about to be milled or resurfaced.