



# County News Now

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## Cuyahoga County Resources, Services and Information for You



### Celebrating Stage 3 of the Towpath Trail

Looking for a place to spend time with family outdoors while the weather's still nice? The Towpath Trail is the perfect place to enjoy great views of the city, and we just celebrated the completion of Stage 3! This third section is a 1.9 mile stretch of trail between Steelyard Commons and Literary Avenue in Tremont and provides an all-new multimodal transportation corridor and new recreational opportunities. But don't stop there--there's over 101 miles of trail to explore!

[Discover the Towpath Trail](#)



### Help Keep Seniors On Their Feet

Did you know that missing handrails and buckling carpets can pose falling risks for seniors and older adults? To help prevent these falls and potential injuries, the Division of Senior and Adult Services (DSAS) has partnered with The MetroHealth System and Fairhill Partners to develop a proactive falls prevention program, which includes assessing older adults to identify those who may be prone to falling and putting supports in place to lessen the likelihood of a fall that could result in injury.

[Learn How to Keep Older Adults Safe](#)



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Disasters Don't Wait.  
**MAKE YOUR PLAN TODAY.**

### Preparing Your Family to Prevent Disaster

We all know that disaster can strike at any moment. Therefore, creating a disaster plan helps prevent uncertainty and confusion if an incident comes up. During National Preparedness Month, the Office of Emergency Management works to educate residents on how to make an emergency plan and build a kit for families. Another great way to stay prepared is to sign up for [ReadyNotify](#), which is a free, mass notification system used by communities and county agencies to notify targeted audiences.

[Develop Your Family's Disaster Plan](#)



### Census Deadline Extended--Complete NOW

A Federal judge in the U.S. District Court ruled that the Administration cannot end the census until October 31st, its original end date. While residents now have a few more weeks to complete their census, there is no time like the present! There are multiple ways to do it--by phone, online or by mail--and it takes less than 10 minutes to complete. Not to mention, it supports programs and services used by our family, friends and neighbors like healthcare, roads and bridges and disaster preparedness. What more of an incentive do you need?

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