



# County News Now

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## Cuyahoga County Resources, Services and Information for You



### Real Estate Tax Deadline Extended

The 2020 first half real estate tax deadline has been extended by one week to **January 28, 2021**. The deadline is being extended due to potential delays in the postal service preventing tax bills from getting to taxpayers in a timely manner. Bills will be mailed the week of January 4, but tax bills can be viewed online now.

[Ways to Pay Your Real Estate Taxes](#)



### How to Properly Recycle Holiday Lights

The Cuyahoga County Solid Waste District provides helpful info on how to properly dispose of holiday lights: Do not place holiday lights in your curbside recycling, as they will cause problems and shutdowns at your local recycling facility. You can recycle your broken, burned out strings of lights, power strips and cords at the Solid Waste District (4750 East 131 St., Garfield Heights). Some city service departments accept holiday lights from residents in the winter months as well.

[See Recycling Details In Your Community](#)



### **Avoiding Federal Stimulus Scams**

The Department of Consumer Affairs warns residents to brace themselves for a new round of scams related to stimulus payments. The newly approved federal Coronavirus relief payments, popularly known as stimulus payments, are sent automatically, and the amounts are predetermined. You do not need to take action to receive these funds.

**How to Protect Yourself from Scams**



### **Staying Up-to-Date On Vaccination Information**

Leaders at the County Board of Health have received their COVID-19 vaccines and have been out in the community administering vaccines to EMS, first responders and those meeting the State's Phase 1a vaccination qualifications. The Board of Health will continue to keep residents updated on vaccine distribution and has helpful resources on their website so you can stay informed.

**Stay Informed About Vaccinations**

