

Village of Bluffton Council Meeting Agenda

July 25, 2022 at 7:00 PM



Opening Ceremonies

Call to Order, Mayor Johnson presiding

Pledge of Allegiance



Minutes

Approval of the minutes for the Village Council meeting held on Monday, July 11, 2022

Bills

Committee Reports

Streets, Alleys, Lights & Sidewalks – 7/13

Streets, Alleys, Lights & Sidewalks – 7/21

Boards & Commissions

LEGISLATION:

RESOLUTION NO. 16-2022

1st Reading

Emergency

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION OF A FISCAL YEAR 2023 OHIO AIRPORT MATCHING GRANT APPLICATION FOR THE FAA FY 2022 FUNDED GRANT PROJECT ALONG WITH ACCEPTING FUNDS AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

Village Administration Report:

Mayor:

Safety Services Reports:

-EMS-

-Fire Dept.-

-Police Dept.-

Meeting Dates (meetings held at the Town Hall unless otherwise noted*)

Village Council – Monday, July 25 at 7:00 pm

Public Comment

Adjournment – Motion and Second

Village of Bluffton – Regular meeting July 11, 2022, at 7:00 p.m.

Mayor Johnson presiding. Messrs: Cupples, Kingsley, Stahl, and Steiner, present.

Cupples motioned, seconded by Kingsley, to approve the minutes from the regular council meeting held on June 27, 2022, and the special council meeting on June 29, 2022. Roll Call: Yes (4) Messrs: Cupples, Kingsley, Stahl, and Steiner. No (0), Abstain (0), motion approved.

Steiner motioned, seconded by Kingsley, to approve the bills as presented. Roll Call: Yes (4) Messrs: Cupples, Kingsley, Stahl, and Steiner. No (0), Abstain (0), motion approved.

Steiner motioned, seconded by Cupples, to approve the 2023 budget. Roll Call: Yes (4) Messrs: Cupples, Kingsley, Stahl, and Steiner. No (0), Abstain (0), motion approved.

Stahl motioned, seconded by Steiner, to approve the special event request from Bluffton University to close Bentley Road from 8:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. on October 15, 2022. Roll Call: Yes (4) Messrs: Cupples, Kingsley, Stahl, and Steiner. No (0), Abstain (0), motion approved.

Kingsley motioned, seconded by Cupples, to approve the special event request from Greenhorn to close Vine Street from Main to the alley on July 19, 2022, from 6:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. Roll Call: Yes (4) Messrs: Cupples, Kingsley, Stahl, and Steiner. No (0), Abstain (0), motion approved.

Kingsley motioned, seconded by Cupples, to approve the special event request from Greenhorn to close Vine Street from Main to the alley on August 6, 2022, from 4:00 p.m. – 2:00 a.m. Roll Call: Yes (4) Messrs: Cupples, Kingsley, Stahl, and Steiner. No (0), Abstain (0), motion approved.

Cupples motioned, seconded by Stahl, to approve the special event request from Greenhorn to close Vine Street from Main to the alley on August 20, 2022, from 4:00 p.m. – 2:00 a.m. Roll Call: Yes (4) Messrs: Cupples, Kingsley, Stahl, and Steiner. No (0), Abstain (0), motion approved.

Kingsley motioned, seconded by Cupples, to approve the special event request from St. John's UCC to close West College Ave. between Jackson St. and Lawn Ave. on August 12, 2023, from 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Steiner motioned, seconded by Cupples, to table the action until the next council meeting with all members present. Roll Call: Yes (4) Messrs: Cupples, Kingsley, Stahl, and Steiner. No (0), Abstain (0), motion approved.

Cupples motioned, seconded by Kingsley, to approve the hire of Keith Hohenbrink to both the Fire and EMS squads at the pay rates established by prior Ordinance. Roll Call: Yes (4) Messrs: Cupples, Kingsley, Stahl, and Steiner. No (0), Abstain (0), motion approved.

Cupples motioned to adjourn the meeting.

The following meetings/events were included on the agenda and/or scheduled during the meeting.

Streets, Alleys, Lights and Sidewalk Committee on Wednesday, July 13 at 5:45 p.m.

Streets, Alleys, Lights and Sidewalk Committee on Thursday, July 21 at 5:30 p.m.

Village Council on Monday, July 25 at 7:00 p.m.

MAYOR

FISCAL OFFICER

VILLAGE OF BLUFFTON
 VOUCHER REPORT 7/25/2022

VENDOR	AMOUNT	DEPARTMENT	DESCRIPTION
ACCENT BUSINESS COMMUNICATIONS	828.38	Administrative	PHONES
ALL TERRA INC	10,128.75	Capital Improvements	WATER MAIN PROJECT - UNIVERSITY
ALLEN COUNTY RECORDER	500.00	Administrative	RECORD VILLAGE DOCUMENTS
ALLOWAY TESTING	25.00	Multiple	TESTING
ALLOWAY TESTING	25.00	Multiple	TESTING
ALLOWAY TESTING	81.00	Multiple	TESTING
ALLOWAY TESTING	25.00	Multiple	TESTING
ALLOWAY TESTING	413.00	Multiple	TESTING
ALLOWAY TESTING	81.00	Multiple	TESTING
ALLOWAY TESTING	85.00	Multiple	TESTING
ALLOWAY TESTING	91.00	Multiple	TESTING
ALLOWAY TESTING	85.00	Multiple	TESTING
ANTHEM BLUE CROSS BLUE SHIELD	802.68	Multiple	HEALTH INSURANCE
ANTHEM BLUE CROSS BLUE SHIELD	175.65	Multiple	LIFE INSURANCE
ANTHEM BLUE CROSS BLUE SHIELD	18,746.32	Multiple	HEALTH INSURANCE
BAILEY'S EQUIPMENT & APPAREL	1,141.00	Police	UNIFORMS
BAILEY'S EQUIPMENT & APPAREL	75.00	Police	UNIFORMS
BLUFFTON DIESEL SERVICE	1,448.55	Street	TRUCK REPAIR
BLUFFTON PAVING, INC.	31,500.00	Park	VILLAGE PARK PAVING
BLUFFTON RILEY CREEK SPORTSWEAR, LLC	243.00	Pool	UNIFORM SHIRTS
CHARTER COMMUNICATIONS	43.40	Multiple	CABLE
CHARTER COMMUNICATIONS	39.99	Multiple	CABLE
CHARTER COMMUNICATIONS	134.98	Multiple	CABLE
CHOICE ONE ENGINEERING	1,750.00	Water	BIDDING - LAWN & JACKSON WATER MAIN
COUNTY ELECTRIC LLC	281.20	Park	RE-ATTACH POWER LINE @ PARK
DEGEN EXCAVATING CO., INC.	980.00	Sewer	SR 103 LIFT STATION
DOMINION EAST GAS	202.08	Multiple	NATURAL GAS
GARY'S REPAIR	23.45	Park	MOWER/GROUNDS SUPPLIES
HACKENBERG, FEIGNER, BISHOP & WERTH, LLC	1,000.00	Administrative	SOLICITOR FEES
HANCOCK-WOOD ELECTRIC CO-OP	165.45	Multiple	ELECTRICITY
HANCOCK-WOOD ELECTRIC CO-OP	48.00	Multiple	ELECTRICITY
JOELLEN LEHMAN	225.00	Police	NNO SUPPLIES - FOLLEY FACES
KLEEM	906.63	Street	STREET PAINT
LEGACY FARMER COOP	4,393.73	Multiple	GENERATOR FUEL
LEIBER GARAGE	68.75	Police	PD AUTO REPAIRS
LEIBER GARAGE	63.17	Police	PD AUTO REPAIRS
MILLSTREAM-KENNEDY INC.	1,510.00	Administrative	ENVELOPES
MONKEY AROUND RENTALS	815.00	Police	NNO SUPPLIES
MOTOROLA SOLUTIONS, INC.	2,042.50	Police	EXTENDED WARRANTY
PELTON ENVIRONMENTAL	6,500.00	Sewer	GEAR BOX
RHONDA HOHENBRINK	147.63	Administrative	OML CONFERENCE MILEAGE & FOOD
RUMPKE	23,157.90	Refuse	TRASH SERVICES
RUMPKE	2,390.40	Refuse	TRASH SERVICES - VILLAGE CLEAN UP
SAM'S CLUB	1,354.03	Pool	POOL SUPPLIES
SMARTBILL	859.59	Multiple	BILLING SERVICES
STAPLES BUSINESS ADVANTAGE	76.57	Multiple	SUPPLIES
STAPLES BUSINESS ADVANTAGE	696.95	Multiple	SUPPLIES
STATE OF OHIO UST FUND	1,100.00	Airport	AIRPORT FUEL TANK COVERAGE
TIME WARNER CABLE	159.98	Multiple	CABLE
VANCE'S OUTDOOR INC.	186.96	Police	AMMUNITION
VANCE'S OUTDOOR INC.	68.69	Police	TASER
VANCE'S OUTDOOR INC.	964.05	Police	TASER
VERIZON WIRELESS	87.84	Multiple	CELL PHONES
VILLAGE OF OTTAWA	45,817.91	Water	WATER
INCOME TAX REFUNDS	1,673.96	Administrative	INCOME TAX REFUNDS
	166,436.12		
BIWEEKLY PAYROLL 7/15/22	54,793.46		
MEDICARE	756.23		
OPERS	3,468.29		
OP&F	2,408.55		

Council Signature : _____

Date: _____

July 13 & July 21, 2022 Streets Meeting Minutes

July 13, 2022 Meeting

Streets, Lights, Alleys & Sidewalks Committee

Start: 5:45 pm End: 6:30 pm

Present: Joe Sehlhorst, Jerry Cupples, Admin. Jesse Blackburn, Mayor Rich Johnson; Guest: Kira from Luke's

Topic 1: Luke's Vestibule

- Kira is asking for council to consider extending the use of vestibule until May 1, 2023.
 - o Committee has no issues with request.

Topic 2: Jackson St. by Elementary/Middle School and First Mennonite Church

- Administration presented public request for options to consideration to help improve the safety in this area.
- Issues/concerns under advisement. More information and discussion needed with parties before action taken.

Topic 3: County Line Rd. / College Ave. Intersection

- Lighting improvements at intersection expected to cost around \$2,200. Improvements include extension of post top lights on College ending at County Line intersection.
- Project to begin when sidewalks and County Line Rd. pathway is installed (2023).

July 21, 2022 Meeting

Streets, Lights, Alleys & Sidewalks Committee

Start: 5:30 pm End: 6:00 pm

Present: Joe Sehlhorst, Jerry Cupples, Admin. Jesse Blackburn, Guests: Todd & Jill Schmutz

Topic: Corner Lot Main & Parkview

- Bentley Road Re-alignment and ODOT SR 103 Paving Projects
- Administration discussed driveway access for corner lot. For a corner lot, driveway access to be placed on non-primary road.
- Administrator to discuss with Solicitor to address concerns Schmutz's presented.

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WHEREAS: The Bluffton Airport Advisory Commission has been made aware of opportunities to apply for grant funding through the Ohio Department of Transportation, Office of Aviation where ODOT provides substantial funding, and;

WHEREAS: An emergency exists in that the grant process is time sensitive and such grants are needed for efficient maintenance of Village infrastructure all for the benefit of the health, safety and welfare of the Village of Bluffton, Ohio, and;

IT IS THEREFORE RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF BLUFFTON, OHIO (the requisite number voting in the affirmative) THAT:

SECTION 1: Village Administrator is hereby authorized to submit a Fiscal Year 2023 Ohio Airport Grant Application and accept funds for improvements at the Bluffton Airport.

SECTION 2: That an emergency exists for the reasons set forth herein.

SECTION 3: That it is found and determined that all formal actions of the Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this ordinance were made in open meeting of this Council and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public in accordance with all legal requirements of the Open Meetings Law including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Passed and adopted this ____ day of _____, 2022 by the Council of the Village of Bluffton, Ohio by the following vote:

Ayes: _____ Nays: _____ Abstain: _____

Attest:

Clerk

Mayor

Approved as to form:

Village Solicitor

Village of Bluffton

Administration's Report

To: Mayor Johnson & Council Members



07-25-22

Complete Streets Task Force

- Survey to engage the Bluffton community has been prepared and is being distributed.
- Survey will be open until Aug 12.

Comprehensive Plan – Steering Committee:

Project Title: **Bluffton Beyond**

Tomorrow

As of Friday, July 18, the survey had over 460 respondents.

Bentley Rd. Intersection Improvements:

See following document for bidding schedule.

EAP Comments:

Recommend that these benefits are extended to Mayor and Village Council. Discussion was delayed until full number of Council members were in attendance.

- Orientation meetings:
 - Tuesday, July 28th at 7:00 pm at EMS Building
 - Thursday, August 4th at 3:00 pm at Town Hall

Council Committee Meetings: Request for meetings with:



NEW SURVEY ABOUT OUR STREETS

HEY BLUFFTON, GOT 6 MINUTES?

WE WANT TO HEAR FROM YOU ABOUT CHANGES YOU WOULD LIKE TO SEE AS WE WORK TO MAKE BLUFFTON A COMPLETE STREETS COMMUNITY!



FOLLOW THIS LINK TO TAKE THE SURVEY!!

WHAT IS COMPLETE STREETS?
Complete Streets is the thoughtful creation of streets to improve safety and facilitate movement for all users in the Bluffton community including pedestrians, cyclists, and motorists.

ALLEN COUNTY

Allen County Combined Health District

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ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Village of Bluffton
Bentley Road Intersection Improvements

Bids for the Bentley Road Intersection Improvements project will be received by the Village of Bluffton at the Bluffton Town Hall, 154 N. Main Street, Bluffton, Ohio 45817, until Thursday, August 18, 2022 at 10:00 a.m. local time. At that time the Bids received will be publicly opened and read.

The Project includes the following Work: The intersection re-alignment at Bentley Road (S.R. 103) and Main Street including the installation of storm and pedestrian improvements. In addition, 453' of 8" water main replacement between Harmon Road and Main Street.

Information and Bidding Documents for the Project can be found and downloaded at the following website: choiceoneengineering.com/projects-out-for-bid. All official notifications, addenda, and other Bidding Documents will be offered through the designated website. Neither Owner nor Engineer will be responsible for Bidding Documents, including addenda, if any, obtained from sources other than the Issuing Office of Choice One.

For all further requirements regarding bid submittal, qualifications, procedures, and contract award, refer to the Instructions to Bidders that are included in the Bidding Documents.

Owner: Village of Bluffton
By: Jesse Blackburn
Title: Village Administrator
Date: July 28, 2022
August 4, 2022



BLUFFTON POLICE DEPARTMENT
154 N. MAIN STREET
BLUFFTON, OHIO 45817
(419) 358- 2961
FAX (419) 358-2963



Police Activity Summary
June 2022

Police Calls for Service – 420
Traffic Stops – 56
Citations – 7

Complaint Reports

Driving Under Suspension	-	4
Miscellaneous	-	3
Total	-	7



Incident Breakdown By Month Report

Print Date/Time: 07/13/2022 14:07
 Login ID: rburkholder
 Year: 2022

Bluffton Police Department
 ORI Number: OH0020100
 Incident Type: All

Incident Type	January		February		March		April		May		June		July		August		September		October		November		December		Yearly Totals		
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%			
Accident Property	5	15.6	5	15.6	5	15.6	6	18.8	4	12.5	6	18.8			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	32	
Accident w/Injuries	2	28.6	1	14.3	0	0	0	0	1	14.3	3	42.9			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	
Administrative	89	28.2	106	33.5	69	21.8	0	0	0	0	20	6.3			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	316	
Aiding Other	23	19.5	24	20.3	13	11	11	9.3	18	15.3	20	16.9			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	118	
Alarm	9	14.3	6	9.5	8	12.7	8	12.7	12	19	16	25.4			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	63	
Animal Complaint	2	14.3	2	14.3	1	7.1	3	21.4	0	0	5	35.7			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	
Assist Police	4	6	6	9	6	9	13	19.4	15	22.4	21	31.3			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	67	
B&E	0	0	1	33.3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	
Civil Complaint	0	0	1	11.1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	
Court	1	25	1	25	2	50	0	0	0	0	0	0			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	
Criminal Damage	2	33.3	0	0	2	33.3	0	0	1	16.7	1	16.7			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	
Deceased	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	100	0	0	0	0			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
Domestic	1	16.7	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	33.3	2	33.3			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Drug Abuse	1	20	2	40	1	20	0	0	0	0	1	20			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	
Escort	1	14.3	1	14.3	0	0	1	14.3	3	42.9	1	14.3			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	
Fight Complaint	1	16.7	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	50	1	16.7			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	
Follow Up	7	12.7	12	21.8	21	38.2	2	3.6	7	12.7	5	9.1			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	55	
Forgery	0	0	1	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
Hazmat	0	0	2	33.3	4	66.7	0	0	0	0	0	0			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	
Hit Skip	2	25	0	0	0	0	3	37.5	2	25	1	12.5			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	
House/Building	287	24.3	260	22	240	20.3	97	8.2	92	7.8	140	11.8			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1183	
Intoxicated Driver	0	0	0	0	1	100	0	0	0	0	0	0			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
Intoxicated Person	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	100	0	0			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
Investigate Vehicle	19	13.1	35	24.1	26	17.9	10	6.9	21	14.5	30	20.7			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	145	
K9 Request	1	33.3	0	0	1	33.3	0	0	0	0	0	0			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	
Lock Out	7	15.6	6	13.3	6	13.3	6	13.3	11	24.4	8	17.8			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	45	
Menacing	2	50	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	25	1	25			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	
Mentally Ill Person	1	6.7	4	26.7	3	20	3	20	1	6.7	3	20			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	
Miscellaneous	50	16.8	43	14.5	54	18.2	32	10.8	55	18.5	46	15.5			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	297	
Motorist Assist	5	15.6	5	15.6	5	15.6	6	18.8	4	12.5	5	15.6			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	32	
Paper Service	2	18.2	1	9.1	2	18.2	3	27.3	1	9.1	1	9.1			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	
Pedestrian Stop	1	11.1	3	33.3	1	11.1	1	11.1	1	11.1	2	22.2			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	



Ticket Statistics

Print Date/Time: 07/11/2022 16:14
 Login ID: rburkholder
 Statute: All

From Date: 06/01/2022
 To Date: 06/30/2022
 Ticket Type: All

Bluffton Police Department
 ORI Number: OH0020100

Traffic	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	Totals
4511.21B2 Speed 25 MPH	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
4511.42A Failure to yield the right of way when turning left	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
4503.11A Expired License Plates	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
4511.12A FAILURE TO OBEY TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICE	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
73.10(B)(3) Speed 35 MPH	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
4510.12A1 No Drivers License (NO OL)	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Traffic Totals	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Totals	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	6



Ticket Summary

Print Date/Time: 07/11/2022 16:15
Login ID: rburkholder

Bluffton Police Department
ORI Number: OH0020100

As Of Date: 07/11/2022

Statute Description	Current Month		Year to Date	
	This Year	Last Year	This Year	Last Year
1 TAIL LIGHT REQ./ LIC. PLATE LIGHT REQ.	0	2	0	2
2 HEADLIGHTS REQUIRED/ 1 HEADLIGHT ON MOTORCYCLE	0	1	1	1
ACDA Assured Clear Distance Ahead	0	0	0	1
Defective Exhaust	0	0	0	1
Driver's View and Control to be Unobstructed	0	0	0	1
Driving Under Suspension	0	0	0	1
Driving Under Suspension - FRA	0	0	4	3
Driving Under Suspension - License Forfeiture	0	4	0	4
Driving Under Suspension - OVI	0	0	1	0
Driving Left of Center	0	1	0	2
Expired License Plates	0	3	6	3
Expired Plates	0	0	1	0
Fail to Obey Traffic Control Device	0	1	0	3
Fail to Yield Stop Sign	0	0	4	2
FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH ORDER OR SIGNAL OF PEACE OFFICER - ELUDE OR FLEE	0	1	0	1
FAILURE TO OBEY TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICE	0	2	8	5
Failure to Reinstate	0	0	1	1
Failure to Yield - Yield Signs	0	0	0	1
Failure to Yield the Right of Way - any other place	0	0	0	1
Failure to Yield the Right of Way - passing stopped vehicle	0	1	0	1
Failure to yield the right of way when turning left	0	0	1	1
Lanes of Travel - Driving on the Right	0	0	0	2
Left of Center	0	1	0	1
Lights required at Dark	0	0	0	1
Marijuana Drug Paraphernalia	0	0	1	0
Motor Vehicle Stop Lights	0	0	0	1
No Drivers License (NO OL)	0	1	5	6
Nuisance Operation (Rapid Acceleration, Loud Noise, Squealing Tires, Reving Engine)	0	0	0	1
Obedience to Traffic Control Devices	0	0	1	1
OVI	0	0	1	1
OVI Over .17 - Breath	0	0	1	0
PARKING FACING ONCOMING TRAFFIC	1	0	2	1
Passing on the right (driving off roadway to pass)	0	0	0	1
Plates from Another Vehicle	0	1	0	4
Prohibition Against Parking On Streets or Highways	0	0	0	1
Reasonable Control	0	0	2	1
Req. to move to left for stopped public safety vehicle	0	0	0	1
Right-of-Way at Highway From Any Other Place Other Than Roadway	0	0	0	2
Rules for Starting and/or Backing	0	0	1	1
Safety Belt - Driver	0	0	0	1
Sharing Half the Roadway	0	0	0	1
Speed - 20 MPH (School Zone)	0	0	1	2
Speed - 70MPH Freeway	0	0	1	0
Speed 25 MPH	0	6	5	27
Speed 25 MPH	0	3	2	4
Speed 35 MPH	0	5	3	12
Speed 35 MPH	0	0	4	2
Speed 50 MPH (also 45 MPH)	0	0	1	3
SPEED/ACDA	0	1	0	4
Stopping Vehicle, Slow Speed, Posted Minimum Speeds	0	0	0	1



Ticket Summary

Print Date/Time: 07/11/2022 16:15
Login ID: rburkholder

Bluffton Police Department
ORI Number: OH0020100

As Of Date: 07/11/2022

Statute Description	Current Month		Year to Date	
	This Year	Last Year	This Year	Last Year
Turn Signals Required within 100 ft of Turn	0	0	0	1
Two Lights on Front of Vehicle	0	0	0	4
WHITE LIGHTS PROHIBITED ON REAR	0	0	0	1
WINDOW TINT	0	0	0	1
Grand Totals	1	34	58	125



988 SUICIDE & CRISIS
LIFELINE

Someone to talk to. Someone to respond. A place to go.

What You Need to Know

Beginning on July 16, 2022, the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline (1-800-273-8255) will transition to the **988 Suicide & Crisis Lifeline**. Ohioans who are experiencing a mental health or addiction crisis, and their family members, will be able to call, chat, or text the 988 number in order to reach a trained counselor who can offer help and support.

Moving to the easy-to-remember, 3-digit number will provide greater access to life-saving services, and the Ohio Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services (OhioMHAS) has been planning for this transition over the last 18 months to ensure Ohio is ready for 988.

988 builds on the existing National Suicide Prevention Lifeline system and will provide 24/7, free and confidential support to Ohioans in a behavioral health crisis. It is a direct connection to compassionate, accessible care and support for anyone experiencing mental health related distress – whether that is thoughts of suicide, mental health or addiction concerns, or any other kind of emotional distress.

Research shows that most calls to the Lifeline can be managed and resolved through a consultation on the phone; however, if a person needs an emergency, in-person response, 988 counselors are trained to connect the person in crisis with a mobile response team, which may be a behavioral health team or first responder team (or a combination of both) who will meet the person at their place of crisis.

What You Can Do to Prepare

For Individuals

- Before July 16, 2022, continue to call the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline at 1-800-273-8255.
- When you call, lifeline counselors are trained to reduce the stress of your challenge, provide emotional support, and connect you with local resources.
- If you or someone you know is in imminent danger, call 911. Familiarize yourself with the differences between 911 and 988 with this helpful [“When to Call 911/When to Call 988” Fact Sheet](#).



For Behavioral Health Providers

- Begin conversations with staff in your agency about the transition to 988.
- Continue to provide the 10-digit number (1-800-273-8255) to clients until July 16.
- Begin to plan for incorporating 988 into your resource materials. SAMHSA has provided various communications and outreach materials to help communities understand what 988 is and how it will work at <https://www.samhsa.gov/find-help/988/partner-toolkit>. A national marketing campaign from the federal government is not expected this year.

For County and Municipal Governments

- Engage your local partners such as your local ADAMH board, behavioral health providers, law enforcement agencies, schools, and 911 centers to discuss how your community will use 988.
- Lifeline centers will transfer a 988 caller/contact to a county's crisis response or emergency response teams if the person consents and desires more services than the Lifeline center can provide.
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For 911 Centers

- The National Emergency Number Association has a 911-988 Interoperability Standards Workgroup that this summer will release best practice recommendations on 911 and 988 interactions.
- Ohio has a 911-988 Interoperability Committee that has been ensuring ongoing communication between the state's 911 operators and call centers and the National Lifeline regional call centers in Ohio. Sample agreements to establish call transfer protocols have been developed.



Ohio 988 Fast Facts

- In 2020, Congress designated the new 988 dialing code to operate through the existing National Suicide Prevention Lifeline. **Ohio convened a broad and diverse stakeholder planning group** to prepare the state for this transition. Ohioans with lived experience, family members, veterans, multi-cultural, and other special population groups participated in the planning process along with law enforcement, local ADAMH boards, providers and telecom operators.
- **988 will accept calls, texts, and chats from anyone who needs support for a suicidal, mental health, or addiction crisis.** People can also call 988 if they are concerned about a loved one in crisis.
- Ohio's 988 implementation plan is **part of the state's larger commitment to providing quality, person-centered crisis supports in communities** across the state. The state's crisis system is being built to enhance our Connect, Respond, Stabilize and Thrive supports in all communities.
- **Ohio has increased the number of in-state Lifeline approved call centers** from 12 to 19 in preparation for the transition to 988. These call centers are actively providing call coverage to the entire state. Ohio has also established secondary, back-up, and chat and text providers so that the state can achieve its goal of all calls, texts, and chats made to 988 being answered in-state.
- In 2021, there were approximately 90,000 calls to the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline from Ohio.
- Ohio's Lifeline counselors are trained to listen and support callers who are in distress with a focus on de-escalation and coping skills. Ohio's Lifeline call centers will offer language translation services when needed. Spanish language counselors can be reached by pressing "1" after the voice prompt. Other languages are available based on a caller's needs.
- 988 in Ohio is supported by the Ohio Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services, and its **first year of operations is fully funded** with federal dollars that the Department has dedicated to the launch of 988. The DeWine Administration and the Ohio Legislature are evaluating ongoing use and needs and determining an appropriate, sustainable funding plan to ensure the long-term success of 988 in Ohio.
- In addition to the state-operated Ohio CareLine, many communities offer local crisis and support lines. **The Ohio CareLine and local support and response lines will not go away** when 988 launches and will continue to provide support to Ohioans who use them.



