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From the Office of the Mayor
Jerry N. Hruby

During today's Wind Weather Alert we have had only a few incidents involving electric wires, but I must remind you for your own safety, and the safety of your families, do not approach down lines but rather notify our safety forces at 440-526-8900. If your power goes out and you see down lines in your yard, please call the Illuminating Company directly at 1-888-544-4877.

We have now received a National Weather Service Flood Warning that will be in effect from Thursday, February 17th to Friday, February 18th, late evening. Major flooding is forecasted and may be record flooding of the Cuyahoga River at Independence and Valley View. Do not drive through flooding on roadways, and of course, do not drive upon closed roadways. This is a serious forecast, they are predicting the flooding of the Cuyahoga River as high as 4-5' above flood stage. If your normal route to work is through that of Independence and Valley View we strongly recommend you take a different route beginning tomorrow and continuing well into Friday evening. Of course, flooding can take place anywhere in our community under certain circumstances, but Vaughn Road at the river, and Riverview Road north and south of Route 82, are most impacted by the Cuyahoga River. We also caution our residents along the Cuyahoga River, especially in the Mill Road area. Please report any emergencies to 911, and feel free to seek assistance from our Safety-Service forces. Please monitor National Weather Service reports via local television, and social media. Please use caution when confronting these predicted weather and flooding conditions.



God Bless,
Jerry N. Hruby
Mayor



