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Governor Mike DeWine has just announced today, at his 3:00 pm press conference, that they are attempting to revise tomorrow's voting to eliminate in person voting and extend the voting date to June 3, 2020. They also propose to have voters vote via mail, or in person at the Board of Elections. He advises there is a pending lawsuit already filed in Franklin County in objection to what he is proposing for Election Day. Please pay attention to the media and the Governor's webpage in regards to voting. <https://governor.ohio.gov/wps/portal/gov/governor/>.

Effective today, March 16th, 2020, the Community Center will be totally closed with the exception if there is voting tomorrow March 17th. The fitness center will no longer be open, nor will any other areas or programs within the Community Center. All Brecksville Travel Leagues have been suspended until at least April 5th. Questions can be directed to Community Center Director Tom Tupa by calling 440-526-2300 or e-mail information@brecksville.oh.us.

The Human Services Center will also be closed with the exception of the "Meals on Wheels" program, or transportation program, and our reassurance call program. Those seeking Human Services assistance, or wishing to meet with Human Services Director Dr. Steve Paciorek, please call 440-526-2499 or e-mail information@brecksville.oh.us.

City Hall will continue to remain open. We encourage you to use our on-line services for our Building Department and Mayor's Court. For questions please call 440-526-4351 or visit:

Building Department – <https://www.brecksville.oh.us/Building/building.html>

Brecksville Mayor Court - <https://www.brecksville.oh.us/Police/clerk.html>

City Council will continue its regular public meetings on the first and third Tuesday of the month, at least for its March 17th meeting tomorrow at 8:00 pm. We remind you that the third and final reading of the legislation relating to the Sherwin Williams agreements is on tomorrow's agenda.

Our local businesses are continuing to remain open, and the restaurants offer take-out food. Please continue to patronize our local businesses who are financially threatened by the many safety measures being taken, rightfully so, by the public. I picked up food at two of our restaurants over the weekend and the meals were outstanding.

Please continue to practice good hygiene, washing your hands, and avoiding contact with your mouth eyes and nose. We will continue these messages as new information becomes available. I will say this in each and every message until this pandemic is over, do your best to stay calm and reduce your anxiety and enjoy what can become very special moments with your families. This will pass, and again these inconveniences are short term with long term results.

