



## September 2018 Newsletter

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**Do you or your employees need welding inspection training? We can help. Contact us to enroll in our October 29th Arc Welding Inspection class.**



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**Did you know we offer custom training? Contact us today to learn more.**



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**Are you looking for some certified welders?**



HIWT graduates certified welders every four weeks. Our students come from all over the United States. Contact us with your open positions and we can get them posted on our job board. Email us at [careerdevelopment@welding.org](mailto:careerdevelopment@welding.org) or call us at 937-332-9500 ext 9601.

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## Bookstore News

### Tools for the Trade



Hobart Institute of Welding Technology offers many tools for the welding trade in our bookstore. In addition to technical guides and pipe welding books, we offer calculators, posters and the popular Pocket Welding

Guide. Visit us at [www.welding.org](http://www.welding.org) or call 937-332-9508 for more information.

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## Dayton Market Update

Top Headlines Impacting Commercial Real Estate in Dayton



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## Dayton Market Update

*Top Headlines Impacting Commercial Real Estate*

**September 11, 2018**

### Hospice care provider moving

- Queen City Hospice Holdings LLC is moving from their current location in Sycamore Township to 4605 Duke Drive in Governor's Point Office Park.
- The new five-year lease for an 11,443-square-foot space will double the size of their office to accommodate recent growth.
- Plans are to move into the new space in December.

**September 17, 2018**

### Rumpke plans expansion with land purchase

- Rumpke Waste Inc. purchased approximately 2.5 acres of land in three parcels on Wagner Ford Road and a 1.67-acre parcel on Webster Street for \$675,000.
- Plans are to move its Dayton container maintenance shop to the acreage on Wagner Ford Road.

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- No plans have been announced for the Webster Street acreage.

### September 18, 2018

#### Shook Construction Company opens new headquarters

- Shook Construction relocated from their previous headquarters at 4977 Northcutt Place to 2000 W. Dorothy Lane in Moraine this month.
- They purchased the 26,000-square-foot building last year from RSM for \$1.85 million.
- Shook spent around \$2.5 million on renovations to the new building before relocating.



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### September 19, 2018

#### Springfield building to be turned into a mixed-use facility

- Myers Market, a historic Springfield building located at 101 S. Fountain Avenue, will be transformed into a mixed-use facility.
- Plans are to include a year-round farmers' market, a shared commercial kitchen, food hall, and co-working space.
- The joint effort between Spring Forward and COhatch is expected to cost around \$1.75 million and plans are to re-open the building in Spring 2019.

#### Matt Castrucci Auto Mall of Dayton purchases land

- The dealership purchased 37 acres near 490 Byers Road for \$5.1 million.
- The dealership has contacted Miamisburg city officials about a possible relocation to the land but no official plans have been submitted.

- The Matt Castrucci Auto Mall is currently located at 3103 Park Drive near the Dayton Mall.

#### **New barbershop to open in Fairborn**

- A&D Barber Shop signed a lease for space in the University Shoppes Shopping Center located at 2812 Colonel Glen Highway.
- Plans for renovations to the 1,600-square-foot space are not complete but they hope to begin within the next two to three weeks.
- This lease will put the University Shoppes at full occupancy.

#### **Local retirement community sold**

- Ohio Living, a non-profit senior housing provider based in Columbus, purchased the Quaker Heights Care Community located at 514 High Street in Waynesville.
- The 30-unit assisted living facility can serve around 158 residents.
- Plans are for the current management team to remain and the name will be changed to Ohio Living Quaker Heights.

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#### **Sources:**

Dayton Chamber of Commerce Report - [www.daytonchamber.org](http://www.daytonchamber.org)  
Dayton Development Coalition - [www.daytonregion.com/media-center/news](http://www.daytonregion.com/media-center/news)  
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Wall Street Journal - [www.online.wsj.com/home-page](http://www.online.wsj.com/home-page)

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### Generational Differences in the Workplace Lunch & Learn

Every employer with more than 1 or 2 employees will eventually encounter challenges over work ethic, how work time is spent, and expectations of staff vs the boss. Some of these challenges relate to age and perspective. Younger employees just view the world a little differently than their more experienced counterparts.

Join us for this Lunch & Learn session on Thursday, October 11 at 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Judy Budi and Kathy Wilson of Bethany Village/Graceworks will speak on "Generational Differences in the Workplace" from 12-1 p.m. This event is co-sponsored by the [South Metro Regional Chamber of Commerce](#). A light lunch will be provided; [Registration](#) is recommended; registration and lunch begins at 11:30 a.m.

## Upcoming Programs and Events:

### Job Seekers

[Surviving and Thriving in a "Gig" Economy](#)

**THU, 10/4 | 9 - 11 AM | [Miami Township Branch Library](#)**

[Open Lab- Library and Online Resources](#)

**WED, 10/10 | 2 - 4 PM | [Northwest Branch Library](#)**

[Your Career Plan: Choice, Not Chance- Session 1](#)

**TUE, 10/2 | 6:30 - 8 PM | [Northwest Branch Library](#)**

**TUE, 10/9 | 6:30 - 8 PM | [Session 2](#)**

**TUE, 10/16 | 6:30 - 8 PM | [Session 3](#)**

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### Is Business Ownership for You?

In this informative presentation, franchise consultant and business expert Bill Powell of FranNet will answer attendees' initial questions on business and franchising basics.

Highlights include: Why consider business ownership? Advantages and disadvantages, Determining your ideal business model: Build, buy or franchise, and Economic overview and business trends. [Registration](#).

**TUE, 10/2 | 6:30 - 8 PM | [Miamisburg Branch Library](#)**

### SCORE Small Business Counseling

The Dayton Chapter of SCORE, a national network of experienced entrepreneurs and corporate managers, offer free one-on-one counseling sessions. Appointments are for anyone who is considering starting their own business or needs assistance with an existing business. Call 937-496-8631 to schedule an appointment with a SCORE counselor.

**FRI, 10/5 | 10 AM - 1 PM | [Main Library](#)**

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## Useful Links

- [Ohio Business Portal](#)
- [U.S. Small Business Administration](#)
- [Dayton SCORE](#)
- [The Entrepreneurs Center](#)
- [SBDC at The Entrepreneurs Center](#)
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**Thursday, October 4**  
**7:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.**

**The Steam Plant**  
617 E 3rd St  
Dayton, OH 45402

**The Business of Aging: Housing, Technology,  
Healthcare**

The Dayton Business Journal will moderate a panel of experts on senior trends in housing, technology, and healthcare as we explore the business of aging in the Miami Valley. During this summit we will hear directly from the people who are change leaders in the senior sector.

Confirmed Panelist:

- Tim Bete, President of St. Mary Development Corporation
- Kate de Medeiros, PhD, Associate Professor Gerontology, Department of Sociology and Gerontology, Miami University
- Kathryn Brod, President/CEO of LeadingAge Ohio
- Scott Collins, President/CEO of Linkage

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# 2018 Workplace Diversity & Inclusion Forum

## Beyond Compliance: Changing The Way We Do Business



The Workplace Diversity & Inclusion Forum is the only regional event focused on BOTH workforce and supplier diversity and inclusion. The event will kick off the application season for the Premier Health Workplace Diversity Award.

### Who Should Attend:

- Small Business Owners
- Minority/Women/Veteran-owned Business Professionals
- CEOs
- HR Professionals
- Procurement/Commodity Professionals
- Diversity & Inclusion Practitioners

### Presenting Sponsor:



**FIFTH THIRD BANK**

Tuesday, October 9, 2018  
7:30 am - 1:30 pm

Sinclair Conference Center  
301 W. Fourth Street, Building 12  
Dayton OH 45402

DACC Chamber Member - \$50  
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For questions, contact Jessica Wagner  
jwagner@dacc.org or 937.226.8258

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# Agenda

7:30 am - Registration/Light Breakfast

8:00 am - Welcome Comments

8:30 am - Session 1

**Track: Workforce Diversity**

How to Leverage Talent: Successful business leaders will share insights & strategies on investing in the unique talents, strengths & needs of their employees for a competitive advantage.

**Track: Supplier Inclusion**

Join a conversation with local buying organizations leading the charge to engage minority-, women- and local-owned contractors and vendors. Supplier Inclusion efforts can vary from healthcare, educational and government sectors. Through this panel discussion, you will understand how supplier inclusion programs can differ yet promote a common aspirational goal.

10:15 am - Session 2

**Changing Practices in Workplace Diversity:** Workplace diversity and inclusion has moved from a line in an HR manual to being central to how businesses operate on a daily basis.

**Beyond Compliance -** Learn how three financial institutions are leveraging their supplier diversity efforts to drive economic development, create jobs and build stronger communities and why their inclusion strategies are essential to how they do business.

11:45 am - Buffet lunch

12:20 pm - Keynote Introduction

12:30 pm - Keynote Address: Brian Lamb, Executive VP, Head of Wealth & Asset Management, Fifth Third Bank

1:15 pm - Closing Comments



## Keynote Speaker

Brian Lamb is executive vice president and head of wealth and asset management for Fifth Third Bank. In this role, he is responsible for line-of-business oversight of wealth management. Brian previously served as chief corporate responsibility and reputation officer, overseeing the comprehensive strategic framework of the Bank's civic commitments and reputation management, including the execution of the Bank's five-year, \$30 billion Community Commitment.



# The Ohio Defense Forum 2018

October 16-17, 2018

The Ohio State University

*With Special Guest Congressman Michael Turner*

**2018 Theme: Ohio's Defense Ecosystem**

**"Connecting Ohio's Defense Installations, Communities and Industries"**

## Congressional Moderators



**Congressman  
Michael Turner,  
Ohio 10th District**  
*The State of  
National Defense*

**Congressman  
Bill Johnson,  
Ohio 6th District**  
*Ohio's Military  
Installations*

**Congressman  
Warren Davidson,  
Ohio 8th District**  
*Using Advocacy to Advance  
Defense Initiatives*

**Congressman  
Brad Wenstrup,  
Ohio 2nd District**  
*DC Insider  
Perspectives*

# Featured Panel:

## DC Insider Perspectives: What Ohio Needs to Know

Leading Washington Think Tank and Industry Representatives will share their viewpoints on military strength, the future of defense, and other topics.

## 2018 Agenda Now Online!

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# OHIO EXPORT ASSISTANCE NETWORK at the Entrepreneur Center Newsletter

Global News and Happenings

September 2018



## **The Ohio Export Internship Program**

**Companies can apply  
NOW!**

The Ohio Export Internship Program (EIP) is designed for companies looking to export for the first time or to enhance their current export initiatives. The program matches businesses with highly motivated students from Ohio universities and colleges who have taken export-focused coursework at The Ohio State University Fisher College of Business. Participating exporters are reimbursed 50% of the intern wages. This program offers mutually beneficial relationship to students and companies by providing real-world experiences in which both can learn and grow.

## **The Advantages**

## **The Ohio Export Assistance Network (OEAN) office has moved!**



The Ohio Export Assistance Network has moved from Wright State University to the Entrepreneur Center. We thank the College of Business of WSU for the years they hosted our organization. Many new programs and services were the results of our partnership. We will miss the staff and faculty of the RSCOB. THANKS for years of commitment to the SBDC programs.

We are now located in the Entrepreneur Center on Monument Street in downtown Dayton. We appreciate the support of the TEC for the smooth transition, warm welcome and collaboration to bring business services to the Dayton business community. We have new programs coming out. WATCH for more details.

### ***New contact information:***

Ohio Export Assistance Network  
714 E. Monument Avenue  
Dayton, OH 45402  
[KMarshalek@tecd Dayton.com](mailto:KMarshalek@tecd Dayton.com)  
937.531.6612



## **Doing Business in Brazil**

- Up to \$3,600 wage reimbursement for intern.

- Trained, full-time summer interns will focus on export development.

- Customized scope of work with specific deliverable.

- Students are mentored and closely supervised by the ODSA and other partnering export assistance providers

### **The Results**

- Building export readiness

- Identifying new markets

- Market-specific research and analysis

- Streamline current export processes & procedures

### **The Commitment**

*Companies participating in the program must provide the following:*

- Strategic commitment to grow an export market

- Compensation for internship position

- Managerial guidance for the intern

- Existing or planned export budget

- Participation in program evaluation



**October 23, 2018**

**9 -11 am**

**The Entrepreneur Center**

Many small and medium-sized exporters are looking at Brazil as a possible new export market. They know that Brazil is the largest country in South America and the eighth largest economy of the world. But it is no secret that Brazil is still recovering from an economic recession and may present challenges for Ohio exporters.

Brazil is a very diverse country and market. Find out if your product, service or technology is in demand in Brazil. By attending this program, you will get to meet the staff of the Ohio Brazil office and learn about Brazil.

You will hear:

- Overview of Brazil - commercial, political and economy at a glance
- An Industrial and Agricultural Giant
- The Three Motors of the Economy: the middle class, the abundant natural resources and the investments in infrastructure
- Advantages and Challenges
- US and Brazil Trade

Despite taxes and high import duties, the US has done very well in Brazil. Brazil is a very important trade market for the United States. It is among the top 10 markets for US goods and services, as well as trade surplus with Brazil, proving that there are real opportunities. In addition, there is an appetite for US goods and services in Brazil. No matter the challenge, Brazil remains too big an opportunity to miss.



The speaker is Ms. Claudia Maria Tomaselli, one of the founders and co-directors of Tomaselli, and Zulatto Consultoria Ltda in Brazil. TVZ Int'l was established in 2004, and is representing the State of Ohio in Brazil. Their expertise is in new business development and foreign partner matchmaking. Claudia has extensive knowledge about the businesses and commercial activity in Brazil.

#### 2019 Program Timeline

August 2018	Company applications open
February 1, 2019	Company applications close
March 2019	Companies notified of acceptance and student match
May – August 2019	Student Internships
August 2019	2018 Ohio Export Internship Program Showcase

For additional information, please contact:  
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To learn more, visit [eip.development.ohio.gov](http://eip.development.ohio.gov)

Contact our office if you have any questions about the EIP internship program. We can assist with identifying projects that can be submitted with you application.

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Ms. Tomaselli also manages the commercial intelligence activities of the company, monitoring, coaching, and guiding the in house projects, guaranteeing the standard and quality of the customized services being offered by the TVZ team.



Join us for a day of networking, education, market updates, and global opportunities.

#### Trade Mission to Brazil and Colombia

Zoe Munro, Program Director for Great Lakes St. Lawrence Governors & Premiers, will be presenting about the Trade Mission to Brazil and Colombia. She will be able to provide details on the mission as well as begin to help with determining if Brazil and Colombia are markets for your products. Come, meet Zoe, and hear more about the trade mission.

#### One-on-one Appointments

The afternoon of October 23, we will be scheduling one-on-one appointments for both Claudia and Zoe. If you have specific questions about Brazil please let us know so that we can sign you up for a slot to meet with Claudia.

We will also be scheduling appointments for Zoe to talk specifically about your product or service and how they fit into those two markets. Let us know if you want a 15-minute appointment with either Claudia or Zoe.

**Contact Kathy Marshalek at 937.531.6612 to set up an appointment.**

**TO REGISTER: [CLICK HERE](#)**

**For additional information, contact 937.531.6612**

**The cost of this program is free and covered by the State of Ohio Export Assistance Network (OEAN).**

## Trade Mission to Brazil and Colombia March 23-30, 2019

The Ohio Small Business Development Center (SBDC) Export Assistance Network (EAN), in partnership with the Ohio

### **company and products in foreign markets?**

The State of Ohio ODSA and the Export Assistance Network can help find qualified partners in over 45 markets. Over the past year, we have helped over 100 companies find new markets and increased export sales. Call or email us for the application form and to get the process started.

### **Training on an export topic?**

Is there an export subject that you or other colleagues need but you are unable to find someone or means to fill the void? Give us a call or send us an email and let us know. We are planning our fall training schedule and always welcome new ideas and export subjects.

### **Market research or export statistics for your products?**

Our office continues to add new databases and sources of global intelligence to help Ohio companies compete for export markets. Contact us with the type of research you are interested in receiving. Our staff and students are ready to assist with this effort.

**CONTACT the Ohio Export Assistance Network (OEAN)**

Tel: 937.531.6612 or [kmarshalek@tecdayton.com](mailto:kmarshalek@tecdayton.com)

**Trade Mission to Thailand and Vietnam**

Development Services Agency and the Great Lakes State Lawrencce Governors and Premiers invite you to take part in a trade mission to Brazil and Columbia in March 2019. The goal of the mission is to help Ohio companies export products and services to these two important markets in South America.

**Brazil** is the eighth largest largest economy in the world and home to Latin America's largest aerospace, automotive, oil and gas, mining, capital goods, medical equipment and chemical industries. Brazil has a natural affinity for the U.S. and a high regard for U.S. products, brands, and technology.

**Colombia** is a smaller market but has the advantage of the U.S.-Colombia Free Trade Agreement which eliminates import tariffs on 80 percent of US exports of consumer and industrial products to Colombia. Colombia's infrastructure projects will generate demand for construction equipment for public roads and airports, transportation equipment, security and defense items and services, and mass transit systems.

***If you are interested in the export potential of your product or service in Brazil or Colombia, reach out to us. We can provide market intelligence to help you understand your market potential, method of entries, possible opportunities and barriers and customized strategies for entering the market.***

### **What Services Do I Receive on a Trade Mission?**

- Advance market research: valuable market research, including industry-sector information and prospective company profiles
- One-on-one business matchmaking: customized business meetings with prospective agents, distributors or buyers in each city.
- Extensive in-country assistance: logistical support, including driver and interpreter.



The State of Ohio is supporting a trade mission to Thailand and Vietnam on March 22 - 30, 2019.

For information on this trade mission, contact Mousa Kassis, Director OEAN SBDC EAN at Youngstown State Univ., 330.941.2145 or by email at [mhkassis@ysu.edu](mailto:mhkassis@ysu.edu)

Find out if Thailand and Vietnam is one of your top markets.

### STEP/IMAGE Grant

Any day now, we are hoping to receive the GOOD NEWS that our IMAGE/STEP grant has been renewed for the year. Watch for details.

The IMAGE program funded through the State Trade Expansion Program (STEP) is designed to increase exports and create jobs. STEP is funded through the Small Business Administration's (SBA) Office of International Trade, which provides guidance on the IMAGE grant that offers financial assistance for small businesses to promote their products and services in international markets. The grant will provide a 50 percent reimbursement up to \$12,500 per fiscal year for qualifying activities.

#### Trade Mission Itinerary:

	A.M.	P.M.
March 23	Depart U.S. for Sao Paulo, Brazil	
March 24	Arrive in Sao Paulo	Country briefing and networking dinner
March 25	Individual appointments in Sao Paulo	
March 26	Individual appointments in Sao Paulo	Informal dinner
March 27	Travel to Bogota, Colombia	Country Briefing
March 28	Individual appointments in Bogota	
March 29	Individual appointments in Bogota	
March 30	Depart for U.S.	

### Registration and Mission Details

**Mission participation fee:** \$1500 (\$500 for additional)

**Includes** group and individual ground transport, networking events, briefing, logistical assistance, and an interpreter. You will be accompanied by the mission leader and Kathy Marshalek, EAN Director. **Fee does not include:** Airfare, hotel and meals.

Market Research and Partner matchmaking Fees

Brazil \$2650      Colombia \$2650

**Ohio STEP/IMAGE grant may be available to help offset trade mission fees and travel costs.**

**Registration deadline is January 22, 2019.** Find out now if this trade mission is for you.

To find out if the trade mission will help you enter and grow export sales in Brazil and Colombia, contact us directly at [kmarshalek@tecd Dayton.com](mailto:kmarshalek@tecd Dayton.com) or 937.531.6612.

The number of available slots is limited, so call TODAY to determine if this is the trade mission for you.





The Ohio Small Business Development Center (SBDC) Program is funded in part through a cooperative agreement with the U.S. Small Business Administration. The SBDC program is also funded in part by the Ohio Development Services Agency. All services are extended to the public on a non-discriminatory basis. Language assistance services are available for limited English proficient individuals. Reasonable accommodation for persons with disabilities will be made if requested at least two weeks in advance. Contact SBDC at 937.281.0118.

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# Sustainability Luncheon

## Transforming Attitudes, Values and Beliefs Into Actions

As climate change advocates, we know how important it is to connect to our audience through effective messaging. So, what are the best approaches for constructive, persuasive messages?

**Ben McCall, Hanley Sustainability Institute's first Executive Director**, helped the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign become one of the most sustainable campuses in the nation. Now at the University of Dayton, he aims to foster strong and interlinked efforts in sustainability education, research, campus operations, and community engagement.

**Richard Kaiser, founder of Wilderness Agency** (on the short list of Dayton's coolest places to work in Dayton), has dedicated his professional career to producing good work that affects positive change in the community. His company helped organizations streamline their messaging, enhance their experiences and implement marketing initiatives that get results.

Join us on November 7th as our two speakers share how their beliefs and attitudes shaped their success and enabled them to deliver their message .

[Sign up today, early bird pricing ends Nov 2nd!](#)

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**Wed Nov 7, 2018**  
**11:30am - 1:00 pm**

**Top of the Market**  
32 Webster Street  
Dayton, OH 45402

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Lunch served: 11:30 am

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## MEDIA RELEASE

### Grant Program Encourages Use of Recycled Products

Grant funds of \$50,000 available to local schools and non-profits



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Dayton, Ohio (September 11, 2018) – In 2018, the Montgomery County Solid Waste District will offer \$50,000 in grant funding to promote the purchase of recycled-content products and to increase participation in the district’s community and education programs.

Buy Recycled Grants are available on a competitive basis to all Montgomery County schools and 501(c)3 designated non-profit agencies. Funding may be used to purchase and promote any type of recycled content material, such as paper, plastic, steel, aluminum, tires and glass.

“The Buy Recycled Grant program enables local schools and non-profit agencies to invest in recycling and recycled-content products, which cuts down our community’s reliance on landfills,” said Debbie Lieberman, president of the Montgomery County Board of County Commissioners. “We encourage and support green business practices, which make our community more attractive and sustainable for citizens and business leaders.”

The district is now accepting applications for the 2018 Buy Recycled Grant Program. **The deadline to apply is Nov. 9, 2018.** Awards will be announced in mid-December and funds will be available after Jan. 1, 2019.

For an application, visit our website at [www.mcswd.org](http://www.mcswd.org). For additional information, contact Jaime Shepherd at (937) 781-3062, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

### About the Montgomery County Solid Waste District

The Montgomery County Solid Waste District is an innovative collaboration between all of the jurisdictions in Montgomery County, who came together to manage solid waste and recycling

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for their citizens in a responsible and environmentally-sound manner. The District members include: Butler Township, City of Brookville, City of Centerville, City of Clayton, City of Dayton, City of Englewood, City of Huber Heights, City of Kettering, City of Miamisburg, City of Moraine, City of Oakwood, City of Riverside, City of Trotwood, City of Union, City of Vandalia, City of West Carrollton, Clay Township, German Township, Harrison Township, Jackson Township, Jefferson Township, Miami Township, Perry Township, Village of Farmersville, Village of Germantown, Village of New Lebanon, Village of Phillipsburg and Washington Township.

### **About Montgomery County Environmental Services**

Montgomery County Department of Environmental Services provides trash disposal, recycling, drinking water distribution, and wastewater treatment to the citizens of Montgomery County. The department also offers educational outreach to local schools, communities, and businesses that want to learn more about conservation and sustainability in the Miami Valley region.

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