



April 8, 2024 MAYOR'S UPDATE

Coming up in Bexley:

April 10, 1:30 pm:	<i>Wise Trees</i> - Earth and Arbor Month Author Talk at Bexley Library
April 10, 5:00 pm:	Civil Service Commission
April 11, 6:00 pm:	Architectural Review Board
April 12, 6:00 pm:	Bexley Library Centennial Art Show
April 15, 6:30 pm:	State of the Community
April 16, 5:30 pm:	Board of Health
April 16, 6:00 pm:	Environmental Sustainability Advisory Committee
April 17, 4:00 pm:	Tree and Public Gardens Commission
April 18, 2:00 pm:	Meet Your Street Cassady Avenue - Business Collaboration Meeting
April 20, 9:00 am:	Trash Talk with Mayor Kessler
April 20, 10:00 am - 1:00 pm:	Earth and Arbor Day Celebration
April 23, 6:00 pm:	City Council
April 27:	Green Bexley Cleanup Day
May 3, 6:00 pm:	Main Event: COSI Science Fest & <i>Honey I Shrunk the Kids</i>
May 18-19:	Community Yard Sale and Freecycle Weekend

Some of What I've Been Up To:

- Retirement celebration for Beecher
- Worked with HR on personnel planning and interview follow up
- Student Pedestrian Safety Meeting with Capital University
- Attended Skate Park Public Workshop
- Records Commission Meeting
- City Emergency Management Plan Review
- Meeting with Columbus Zoo
- Mural Festival work including, meetings, planning, and logo/communications review
- Year of the Parks meeting and work including Schneider Park Bridge site review
- Calls, emails, and meetings with residents regarding various concerns and ideas
- Hosted Trash Talk with the Mayor
- Introduced speakers at BPL's Next Chapter program on Central Ohio Transportation
- Facilitated Staff Development Retreat
- Attended Egg Dash
- Land Use Strategy Preparation and follow up
- Work and calls on Alley of the Future
- Ferndale/Mayfield prep work, meeting, and follow up communications
- Hosted Boards and Commissions Chairs and Vice Chairs Meeting
- BCE Sponsorship calls
- Attended Girl Scouts Meeting
- Presented at BHS Environment Club
- MORPC Executive Committee Meeting
- Meeting with BPCAAA at BPD
- COMMA monthly meeting preparation, attendance, and follow up
- BRAVO Birthday Celebration
- State of the Community Preparation and Meeting

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State of the Community - Monday, April 15

I hope you'll join me for the State of the Community Address on Monday, April 15 at St. Charles for a whirlwind tour of the past year in Bexley with news from our schools, library, Chamber of Commerce, and the Bexley Community Foundation.



Mural Fest: Call for Artists

Planning for Mural Fest is in full swing. We're aiming for a late-summer, early-fall date for the festival and a call for artists has been published with a deadline of May 3, 2024. Please share the word and visit bexley.org/muralfest/ for the latest news!

Worlds Collide: Alley of the Future & Love Your Alley Update

In a post-eclipse cosmic mash-up, Love Your Alley will team up with the City to bring the Alley of the Future vision to life this spring! Meetings and plans are underway to finalize plans and organize volunteers with alley plantings, murals, and improvements to take place throughout the month of May.













