

Chamber Connection

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Dear Chamber Members,

April has been a strong reminder of why we do this work—connecting business, community, and leadership. From meaningful conversations at Coffee with a Cop to the planning of our upcoming Mother's Day Brunch on May 9, we're building both trust and opportunity across the Trotwood region.

Looking ahead, mark your calendar for the Let's Get Connected Job Fair & Business Showcase on June 12. This is a chance for businesses to find new talent, highlight their services, and engage with the broader community.

I also want to recognize the City of Trotwood, who adopted a new Comprehensive Land Use Policy to guide growth and development over the next decade. This plan emphasizes transportation improvements, new housing developments, and aims to attract new businesses to the area.

Let's continue this momentum. If you haven't renewed your membership yet, now's the time. And if you know a local business looking to grow, invite them to join us.

Together, we are stronger.

In service, Sean Freeman President Trotwood Chamber of Commerce.

Although there were few residents attending the "coffee with a cop" April 8 from Pleasantwood Senior Apartments, those that attended thoroughly enjoyed the interaction with the

police department. Our sincere thanks to Zach Logan for providing coffee and donuts for this event and our special thanks to Kimberly Willis, Oak Street Health, for presenting an interactive game to all attendees.

Mother's Day Brunch

Date: Friday, May 9
Time: I I:30 a.m. until I p.m.
Location: Trotwood Community Cultural Arts Center, 4000 Lake Center
Drive, Trotwood OH

Cost: \$25/person

This event is opened to the public and reservations must be made to attend. RSVP by Monday, May 5 to Trotwood Chamber of Commerce mbattle@trotwoodchamber.org. or call 937-837-1484. This event includes:

- \square Special presentation/interactive game
- ☐ Recognition of oldest mother☐ Recognition of youngest mother
- \square Tribute to all mothers

Menu

Fried Chicken Wings, bacon, quiche, hash browns, dinner rolls, sweets, fresh fruit, cinnamon rolls,, coffee, tea and water.

This event is sponsored by TM City Schools and hosted by the City of Trotwood and Trotwood Chamber of Commerce. Flowers will be donated by Sam's Club.

Business Showcase/Job Fair
The registration form for our
Business Showcase/Job Fair is in this
newsletter.

April 2025

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Note from the President Registration Form News You Can Use Benefit Information Sponsors

Membership Renewals 2025

J. W. Devers & Son Sean Freeman Enterprises

New Members

Ferguson Construction Majesty Banquet Hall Royal Grand Wellness Spa

REGISTRATION FORM

*Company Name (Exhibitor)			
Address*Phone No*			
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Exhibition Booth Pricing	Non-Profit/Chamber Members	Non-Members	Electric
One Standard Space 6'x6'	\$30.00	\$50.00	\$25.00
Two Standard Spaces 6'x6'	\$40.00	\$75.00	\$25.00
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Mail check payable to Trotwood Chamber of Commerce and mail to 5790 Denlinger Road, Suite 4011, Trotwood OH 45426 or register online at https://tinyurl.com/atbrn5wc. Registration deadline June 10, 2025.

EXHIBITOR INFORMATION

SET-UP - Thursday, June 12, 2025 TIME: 4:30 P.M. (BOOTH MUST BE STAFFED DURING THESE HOURS) SHOW HOURS: 5:30-7:00 P.M. **DISMANTLING: NO EARLIER THAN 6:45 P.M.**

Liability: It is agreed that the exhibitor shall assume all responsibility for any loss, damage, or injury that they shall have or cause, and they shall indemnity and hold harmless the Trotwood Chamber of Commerce, and Goodwill Easters, Miami Valley West Campus and its officers, or employees from all liability which may ensure and to bear risk of injury to myself and those working with them.

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News You Can Use



The Trotwood Community Improvement Corporation (TCIC) is making significant progress in transforming the former Sears building at the historic Salem Mall site into a vibrant, multi-use community hub. This redevelopment initiative is designed to foster business growth, expand access to fresh local food, and create new workforce opportunities for residents.

Key Project Focus Areas

- Food Access: A marketplace featuring locally sourcedproduce and fresh food options to address community needs.
- Entrepreneurship & Business Support: Flexible vendor spaces, co-working areas, and tailored resources to support small businesses.
- Workforce Development & Education: Partnerships with local institutions and employers to provide workforce training, skill development, and certification programs.
- Food Marketplace Interest Form: For businesses interested in leasing space in the Food Marketplace. (https://www.trotwoodsears.com/foodinerestform)
 - Retail Interest Form: For businesses interested in leasing space in the Sears building.

(https://www.trotwoodsears.com/retail-interest-form)

 Art & Entertainment Interest Form: For businesses focused on art and entertainment that are interested in leasing space in the Sears building. (https://www.trotwoodsears.com/art-entertainment-interest...) Project Update Email List Form: For residents who want to receive project updates.

(https://www.trotwoodsears.com/project-update-email-list-form) To learn more and get involved, visit: www.trotwoodsears.com



TROTWOOD-MADISON EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION GALA Friday, May 2, 2025 Presidential Banquet Center Time: 6:30 pm

Join us in the celebration of promoting the quality of schools and the educational programs in the Trotwood-Madison School District.

Honoring

Scholarship Winners
Teacher of the Year
Employee of the Year
TM Alumni
Tickets: \$55.00 per person

For ticket information call 937.470.8594 or email cdheard5360@gmail.com

Ohio REAL ID Requirements

Ohio residents are **NOT** required to obtain a REAL ID-compliant ID. However, a federally accepted ID will be required in the future if you need to:

- Board a domestic flight.
- Enter certain federal facilities.
- Enter nuclear power plants.

To get a REAL ID in Ohio, you'll need to visit your local Bureau of Motor Vehicles (BMV) office and provide*:

- Proof of full legal name, lawful presence, and birthdate. This may include your:
- U.S. passport., U.S. birth certificate.
- Certificate of Naturalization or Citizenship.

Proof of social security. This may include your:

- Social security card.
- W-2 or 1099 form.
- Paystub.
- **Proof of residency (2 documents required).** This may include:
- A valid OH driver's license or ID.
- Ohio vehicle title or registration.
- School transcript.

Payment for the applicable fee.

*The BMV provides a complete list of acceptable documents.



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