

# VILLAGE OF McCOMB

## Municipal Newsletter

November 2022

Village Mayor

Cathy Schroll

Village Administrator

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Tax Administrator

Jim Potts

Finance Officer

Melissa Patch

Utilities Clerk

Hayley Aller

Police Chief

Tammy Blunk

Dispatch provided through  
Hancock County Sheriff's  
Office

Emergency: 911

Non-Emergency: 419-422-2424

Council Members

Sara Klay Tyler Brumbaugh  
Mike Fasig Beth Fenstermaker  
Jamie Gill

Official Website - [villageofmccomb.com](http://villageofmccomb.com)

Important Village Phone Numbers

Main Office 419-273-0321

Main Office Fax 419-273-0320

Tax Admin Jim Potts 419-273-0322

Police Department 419-273-0328 (Non-Emergency)

**THANK YOU TO THE BUSINESSES AND PEOPLE OF MCCOMB**

So many times we only hear or read the negative comments about our little Village. Yes, we use to have this or that and there's nothing here anymore. There will always be negative people in life no matter where you live. With the month of November and Thanksgiving upon us, I decided to reflect on all the places and people we do have in McComb and should be very thankful for. I started a list and every time I drove around town, I'd think of additional people or places to add. I can guarantee you I missed some of them but WOW, what a list! Especially from a place that some say there's nothing here!!! Do we want more? Sure! However, we need to be thankful for what we do have and continue to support locally. I believe this quote from Oprah Winfrey seems very fitting... "Be Thankful for what you have; you'll end up having more. If you concentrate on what you don't have, you will never, ever have enough."

**PLACES AND PEOPLE IN THE VILLAGE**

School	Good Deals (Pallet shop)
Library (What a treasure)	Siferd's Carpet Store
Post Office	Ewing Carpet/Flooring Installer
Bank	Bread and Butter Antiques
Four Churches	Webers Quality Car Wash
Park: pool, 2 reservoirs, 4 diamonds, tennis court, basketball court, disc golf, trails	McComb Carry Out - Gas, Food and convenience store
Barber shop	Dollar General
Hair salon	Windows/Siding (Turner)
TT's - Graphic Design	Legacy Elevator
Sharon Bundy - sewing, jams	Karaoke (Wooton)
Two Insurance agencies - Tabler, Hoverman	Two Storage Units (Fresh Encounter/Smith)
Emporium - secondhand store	Hannaman Funeral Home
Appliance Repair (back of Emporium)	Cemetery
Two painters (Ziegler, Householder)	Hearthside
Cleaning company (Pelton)	Crushproof
Primrose (gift and flower shop)	
Flag City Furniture Warehouse	

**FOOD**

Panther Pizzeria	McComb Carry Out
Romero's Market	VFW

**HEALTH SERVICES/SAFETY SERVICES**

Dr. Office	Volunteer Fire
Dentist Office	McComb Police Department
PMP - fulltime EMT	

**CIVIC GROUPS**

Lions and Leos	Friends of the Library
Rotary	American Legion
VFW	

**VILLAGE INFO**

Two State Routes (235 and 186)	Safe Drinking Water
Proximity to I-75	New Sewer Plant
New Water Tower	Train through Village

**Police Department**

**IN CASE OF EMERGENCY**

**DIAL 911**

Non-Emergency

419-273-0328

Northwestern Water/Sewer

Water/Sewer 419-354-9090

Village Office

Zoning/Gas Billing 419-273-0321

General Questions 419-273-0321

**Office Hours:**

Monday-Friday 7:00am - 4:00pm

Pay online through the Village website for ERUs, Gas, Water and Sewer

or

Dropbox available 24/7  
Located on the east side of the municipal building

**THANK YOU TO THE BUSINESS AND PEOPLE OF MCCOMB CONTINUED**

**WITHIN FIVE MILES FROM MCCOMB**

Autobahn Garage Legacy Farmer Agronomy K & L Concrete Grubbs Cut by Coach Fitness Chicken/Turkey Processing All's Excavating & Demolition Corn Stoves Botkin's Auto Pioneer Seed – B Kahle	Lovell's Towing Service Shoop's Small Engine Repair Storage Unit Excavating K & K Custom Cabinets NWAg Service Tim's Bodyworks DeMill – CNC Machine Work Humm Construction
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**FUTURE BUSINESS**

McComb Marathon (old grocery) Gas, Meat, and Produce	Brisket Brothers Bar and Grill (Downtown)
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**MOST IMPORTANTLY THE COMMUNITY WHO COMES TOGETHER WHEN NEEDED! HAPPY THANKSGIVING! MAYOR CATHY**

**GAS INFORMATION**

With the upcoming winter season, we wanted to remind you of a few things.

1. Gas bills are due on the 15<sup>th</sup> of each month. If not paid by or on the 15<sup>th</sup> you are subject to a late fee of 10%.
2. Gas prices are rising and are subject to change with no warning. KNG has informed us that gas prices are rising at a high rate.
3. There are organizations out there to help pay your gas bill.
  - a. HEAP can be contacted at 800-282-0880 or at [www.energyhelp.ohio.gov](http://www.energyhelp.ohio.gov).
  - b. Community Action can be contacted at 419-423-3755 or at [www.hhwpcac.org](http://www.hhwpcac.org).
  - c. Christian Clearing House can be contacted at 419-422-2222 or at [www.hcchfindlay.org](http://www.hcchfindlay.org).
  - d. Associated Charities can be contacted at 419-423-2021.

**MILITARY BANNERS**

The Village plans to rehang the previous military banners next year along with newly requested ones. If you would prefer not to have yours rehung, you may contact the Village office and pick it up. Please call the Village Office if you are interested in requesting a new banner. New applications are due back by February 28, 2023.

**LEAF PICK UP**

It's that time again! Once again, the Village street crew will be doing their best to provide leaf pickup as a service to our residents. We ask you to rake your leaves into piled rows in / near the right of way for your home location. We will be announcing schedules of when different areas of town will be picked up as we work this fall commitment.

The street crew would also like to remind residents not to put grass clippings or tree limbs in with the leaves. Please keep grass clippings out of the roadway and storm drains to help prevent clogging the drains or creating a road hazard. Please do not leave grass on the sidewalks.

**NORTHWESTERN WATER AND SEWER DISTRICT MCCOMB UPDATE**

Throughout the holidays, our crews notice more clogged pipes and pumps due to additional grease poured down the drains. Fats, oils, and grease (F.O.G) come from meats, butter and margarine, lard, food scraps, sauces, salad dressings, dairy products, and cooking oil. F.O.G. may lead to raw sewage backing up in your home.

Here are some simple steps you can take to stop this problem:

- Allow fat, oils, and grease to cool and solidify in an aluminum can and then dispose of it in your garbage.
- Use a paper towel to wipe off greasy dishes to remove build-up before rinsing or placing them in the dishwasher.

Don't let this holiday season be spoiled by a plumbing disaster. When it comes to fats, oils, and grease: Can it, Cool it, and Throw it away!

***Village Council Meetings:***

***Second and Fourth Monday of each month at 6:30 PM.***

***Council Chambers @ Municipal Building***

***Finance Committee Meeting:***

***3rd Wednesday of month @ 5:30 pm***

***Council Chambers @ Municipal Building***

***Planning Commission Meeting:***

***3rd Wednesday of month @ 3:30 pm***

***Council Chambers @ Municipal Building***

***Cemetery Board Meetings:***

***Fourth Tuesday of each odd month at 6:30 PM.***

***Council Chambers @ Municipal Building***

***PMP Ambulance Meetings:***

***Third Tuesday of each month at 6:30PM Fire Hall @ Safety Building***

***Fire District Meetings:***

***Third Tuesday of each month at 7:00PM Fire Hall @ Safety Building***

***Tax Administrator Jim Potts is available by appointment.***

***Please call 419-273-0322***

***to schedule appointments for concerns with taxes.***

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***Mayor Schroll is in the office Tuesday and Thursday 9:00-11:00 AM for appointments***

***Please call 419-273-0321 or email Cschroll@villageofmccomb.com***

***Enroll in NWWSD email updates so you know the latest changes and schedule of work in and around McComb***

***www.NWWSD.org***

***select sign up for water and sewer updates from the District***