

DELAWARE COUNTY

Office of Homeland Security & Emergency Management

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2024 Fans for Friends Fan Drive Begins

[Delaware County, OH] – A cooled room serves as a great refuge from the summer's heat. However, many in Delaware County do not share in that experience. For some, the extreme heat can even be hazardous to their health. Heat is the #1 cause of weather-related illnesses and deaths. That is why the Delaware County Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management, in collaboration with their partners at People In Need, Inc. of Delaware County, has kicked off its annual fan drive to collect new box fans and distribute them to needy families. Last year, over 175 families were positively impacted by the generosity of donations made to the program. The 2024 Fans For Friends fan drive will commence on June 1st and continue through September 15th or until cooler weather prevails.

Donations will be accepted from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m., seven days a week at the donation stations listed below, unless otherwise indicated. Special thanks to all of the Delaware County fire and EMS stations, and libraries for their partnership and assistance in collection efforts.

Fire Departments/Districts

Berlin Township Fire Department (390) 2708 Lackey Old State Rd., Delaware, Ohio 43015 BST&G Fire District (350) 350 W. Cherry St., Sunbury, Ohio 43074
Concord Township Fire Department (340) 7990 Dublin Rd., Delaware, Ohio 43015
Delaware City Fire Department (301) 99 S. Liberty St., Delaware, Ohio 43015
Delaware City Fire Department (302) 683 Pittsburgh Dr., Delaware, Ohio 43015
Delaware City Fire Department (303) 1320 West Central Avenue, Delaware, Ohio 43015
Delaware City Fire Department (304) 821 Cheshire Rd., Delaware, Ohio 43015
Elm Valley Joint Fire District (310) 9821 US Route 42 N. Ashley, Ohio 43003
Genoa Township Fire Department (440) 7049 Big Walnut Rd., Galena, Ohio 43021
Harlem Township Fire Department (450) 3883 S. St. Rt. 605, Galena, Ohio 43021
Liberty Township Fire Department (321) 7761 Liberty Rd North., Powell, Ohio 43065
Liberty Township Fire Department (361) 7700 Gooding Blvd., Delaware, Ohio 43035



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Orange Township Fire Department (362) 7307 S. Old State Rd., Lewis Center, Ohio 43035

Porter/Kingston Fire District (380) 12844 Olive Green Rd., Sunbury, Ohio 43074

*Radnor Township Fire Department (430) 4061 OH-203, Radnor, OH 43066 (Limited drop-off hours: Monday thru Friday between 8:00 am and 4:30 pm)

*Scioto Township Fire Department (370) 3737 Ostrander Rd., Ostrander, Ohio 43061 (8:00 am – 6:00 pm, 7 days/week; go to the rear building entrance by the apparatus bay door)

Tri-Township Fire District (331) 1725 Bowtown Rd., Delaware, Ohio 43015

Tri-Township Fire District (332) 660 Coover Rd., Delaware, Ohio 43015

Delaware County EMS Stations

Delaware County EMS Station #1 - 909 US 23 North, Delaware, Ohio 43015

Delaware County EMS Station #2 - 283 W. Granville St., Sunbury, Ohio 43074

Delaware County EMS Station #3 - 6226 Third Ave., Lewis Center, Ohio 43035

Delaware County EMS Station #4 - 4095 SR 203, Radnor, Ohio 43066

Delaware County EMS Station #5 - 245 W. High St., Ashley, Ohio 43003

Delaware County EMS Station #6 - 12844 Olive Green Rd., Sunbury, Ohio 43074

Delaware County EMS Station #7 - 6305 Frost Road Westerville 43082

Delaware County EMS Station #8 - 6457 US Hwy 36 West, Ostrander, Ohio 43061

Delaware County EMS Station #9 - 13961 Woodtown Rd., Galena, Ohio 43021

Delaware County EMS Station #10 - 2708 Lackey Old State Rd., Delaware, Ohio 43015

Delaware County District Library Branches (during normal operating hours)

Main Branch - 84 E. Winter St., Delaware, Ohio 43015

Liberty Branch - 7468 Steitz Rd., Powell, Ohio 43065

Orange Branch - 7171 Gooding Blvd., Delaware, Ohio 43015

Ostrander Branch - 75 North Fourth St., Ostrander, Ohio 43061

Powell Branch - 460 South Liberty St. Powell, OH 43065

Ashley Wornstaff Memorial Library (during normal operating hours) - 302 E High St, Ashley, OH 43003

Sunbury Community Library (during normal operating hours) - 44 Burrer Dr, Sunbury, OH 43074

People In Need (during normal operating hours) - 138 Johnson Drive, Delaware, Ohio 43015

For more information on donating a new box fan, contact Scott Stewart, Delaware County Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management at: (740) 833-2180.

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