



# In the Loop

Mayor's Newsletter

*Mayor Kevin Hardman*  
CityofSharonville.com

## Christmas on the Loop Event

Construction at Depot Square won't stop this event! Christmas on the Loop is Saturday, December 10th, 10AM to 2PM. The hub of activity will take place in the parking lot behind Cliff Hardware.

Family entertainment includes the return of Horse Drawn Carriage Rides, a bounce house, face painting at the Sharonville Cultural Arts Center, the Downtown Business Open House to earn this year's Sharonville annual ornament, and much more! Eighteen businesses are participating. You just need to visit 12 and find the elf at each business in order to receive your ornament.



## New Small Business Openings!

**TruCare Provider Services** serves those with development delays with residential services, remote monitoring, day and employment supports, and transportation. They are located in the Park 42 complex. They celebrated their opening with a Halloween party and ribbon cutting!



After much anticipation and delays through the pandemic, **Finspiration Aquatics** has opened on Sharon Road! It is Greater Cincinnati's premier destination for tropical fish, catering to everyone from beginner to expert.



**The Book Bus Depot** located south of the Loop along Reading Road will open with a ribbon cutting ceremony on Saturday, November 12th at 10AM! What started with Cincy Book Bus has led to its first brick and mortar store. Profits from books sales are used to purchase books for kids in underserved communities.



Businesses recognize the viability and location Sharonville has to offer and continue to invest. ***That's the Sharonville Advantage!***

# IN THE LOOP



## Flood Mitigation Project

FEMA awarded a grant to reduce the risk of flooding in the downtown loop area and ODOT is contributing funds. The culverts will be replaced with an open channel stream and new bridge structure. Improvements to the dam will be made to help slow the flow of water. Construction will begin next month.



## Ohio Task Force One

Lieutenants Holland and Thomas of the Sharonville Fire Department were recognized for their efforts to Ohio Task Force One when they were deployed for 14 days to assist with the flooding that hit in the middle of the night in Eastern Kentucky.



## Downtown Loop Streetscape

Construction on the 1st phase of the Downtown Loop has begun and will wrap-up May 2023. Investment in our downtown continues! We were awarded a federal grant to work on the 2nd phase, Reading Road within the Loop. Construction will begin in three years.



## Veterans Day

The city's annual Veterans Day program will be led by Sharonville Elementary 5th grade students on November 11th at 3PM at Patriot Pointe. The city currently employs 33 veterans. Their service is recognized with plaques that will hang in the hallway of the city building.



## Eagle Scout Project

As part of an Eagle Scout project, Sharonville resident Jordan Franklin built a donation station for American flags that are tattered or torn to be properly retired in lieu of the VFW building that is closed. The box is located in the lobby of the Sharonville Community Center.



## Leadership Graduates

Fire Chief Dan Sunderman and Public Works Director Steve Busam completed this year's Center for Local Government leadership series. It's important to the city to invest in our employees. Eleven employees have gone through this program. That is tied for the most in CLG's 60 jurisdiction region.

