

Galion City Board of Health Environmental Division Monthly Report for November 2021

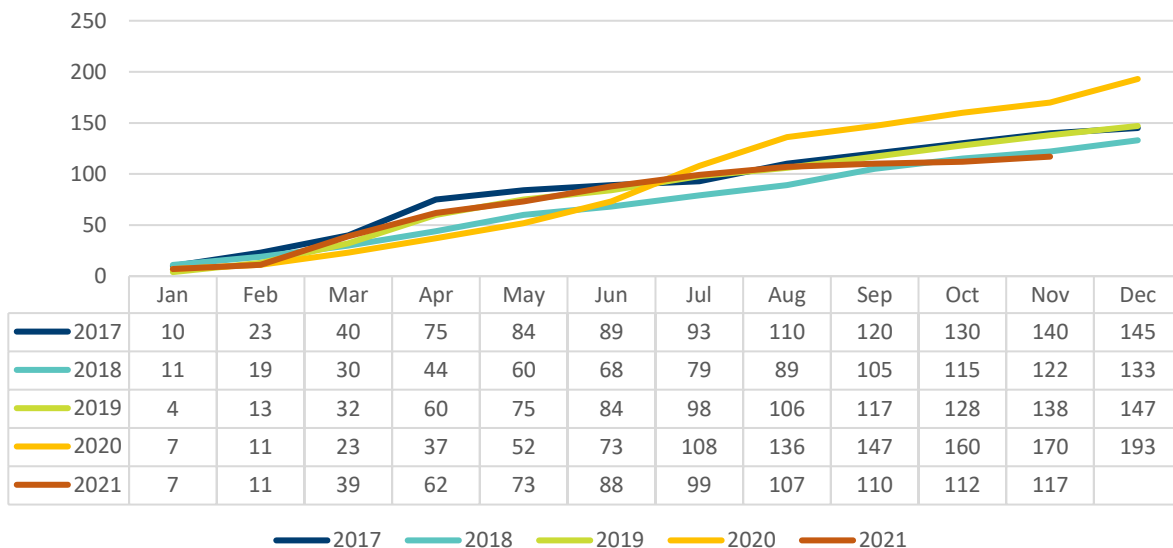
Food Safety

Ryan Allarding, REHS signed a contract to do inspections at licensed food facilities in Galion through June 30, 2023 as a part of the Workforce Development Grant. This is alleviating some of the workload in the environmental health programs. I have been continuously trying to complete cost analysis for the food program, but I have run into several issues. Buehler's Fresh Foods was able to open as planned on November 17, 2021.

Public Health Nuisances

There were 3 nuisance complaints during the month of November. Several complaints are being investigated in conjunction with the zoning inspector. Most of the complaints are now closed or referred. The current total for the year is 110.

Public Health Nuisances, Cumulative Total 2017 - current



General Environmental Health

All body art establishments were inspected in October and November. License renewal letters were sent out in November with payment and application due by 12/31/21.

The Ohio Department of Health misplaced our swimming pool inspection from 2020, and they called with an apology and said it will be mailed to us. The ODH has not scheduled a survey in 2021 for Galion.

Rabies Prevention

There were 2 animal bites were reported in November of 2021, and they were both dogs.

Respectfully Submitted,
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