

Galion City Board of Health Environmental Division Monthly Report for February 2025

Accreditation

No activities during February.

Education/Outreach

No activities during February.

Food Safety

- **Plan Reviews**

Still working with Traci Cahill to finalize plans for Fox Winery located at 227 Harding Way East. Completed and approved the remodel plan review for the Galion Hospital.

- **Inspections**

Risk Level 3: eleven inspections were conducted

Risk Level 4: seven inspections were conducted

All the required inspections were completed by February 28th, 2025 for the 2024 licensing year.

- **Complaints**

We received a complaint from the resident at 761 Heise Park Lane. She stated that the litter from the Dollar General located in Galion West Plaza blows into her yard. I found the complaint to be valid and spoke to the managers at both the Dollar General and Buehler's Market.

- **Licensing**

As of March 3, 2025, there are seven food license renewals outstanding.

- **Enforcement**

None

General Environmental Health

I have been submitting information and following the transition of our state based EH software from "HealthSpace" to "Accela" that is to go live in May.

Manufactured Home Parks

On February 25, 2025, we received the 2025 inspection packet from the Dept. of Commerce.

Public Health Nuisances

Received a complaint from a resident at 300 Sixth St. (Lutz Court) concerning a cockroach infestation. Contacted the property management who has hired an exterminator. Currently following progress.

Public Swimming Pools, Spas, and Special Use Pools

No activities during February.

Rabies Prevention

- One bat was received for possible humane exposure on February 7, 2025. The specimen was sent to ODH for testing. The results were negative.
- One dog bite was received on February 13, 2025. Still awaiting compliance from the owners.

Mosquito Grant

Awaiting grant awards to be announced.

Smokefree Workplace

Performed a site visit for observation and interviewing at the VFW. No violations were observed.

Tattoo and Body Piercing

Drafted a new plan review packet for body art facilities and was approved by Andrea.

Still waiting for Jamie Cramer to submit a body art plan review to perform microblading in the Loft 419 Salon located at 230 E. Walnut St.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Matt Schwab".

Matt Schwab, REHS
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