

**Galion City Board of Health
Environmental Division Monthly Report for July 2025**



Accreditation

No activities during July.

Education/Outreach

Our community garden has finally begun to produce vegetables. We typically have something to offer clients each day.

July 10th was Ohio Cucumber Crunch Day to encourage healthy eating choices. I received a hearty donation of fresh vegetables from Buurma Farms of Willard. We had plenty to offer for a week.

On July 12th, Brandi and I manned the table at the Farmer's Market. I gave out mosquito dunks and repellent wipes. I also provided information on several environmental health topics.

Food Safety

- **Plan Reviews**

The Galion Hospital cafeteria is completed. I made a walk-thru with the food service director on July 11th.

On July 22 the Ohio Horror Museum (The Last Meal LLC) was approved for a food license.

On July 24 a mobile food truck, The Cool Spot, was approved.

On July 25 a micro market was approved to be constructed in the Elliot Machine facility.

- **Inspections**

2 food inspections were conducted.

- **Complaints**

No food complaints were received in July.

- **Licensing**

1 mobile and 1 FSO

- **Enforcement**

None

General Environmental Health

Several new environmental health agency forms have been revised and/ or created.

The new EH software Accela is becoming more user friendly. I continue to join the weekly training sessions.

Manufactured Home Parks

No activities in July

Public Health Nuisances

Andrea, Eric and I met with the owner of the Olentangy Estates MHP (aka Clay St.). He cleaned up several piles of solid waste. The park is going through a transition hopefully to be owned by the city.

Public Swimming Pools, Spas, and Special Use Pools

3 pool inspections were performed

Rabies Prevention

8 dog bite incidents occurred in July with 3 still under investigation.

A summons was issued to Michele Reeves to appear in court on July 29th and was found guilty. She must provide proof of rabies vaccination by September 13th to this agency.

Smokefree Workplace

No activity in July.

Tattoo and Body Piercing

No activity in July.

Respectfully submitted,

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

Matt Schwab, REHS
Director of Environmental Health