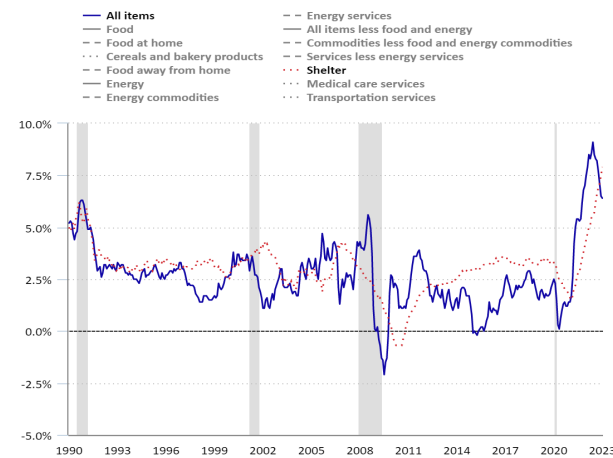




Each month the Village will feature a Village Department. May is our Utility Department

Village Utility Fees

12-month percentage change, Consumer Price Index, selected categories, January 1990–January 2023



Click legend items to change data display. Hover over chart to view data. Shaded areas represent recessions as determined by the National Bureau of Economic Research. Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics.

In 2006 the Village of Ashville began the process of replacing analog water meters with the Neptune Radio Read. In 2021 we placed the 360 SmartMeter software into operation. This allows us to collect usage information every month, day, and hour. We have replaced 1,179 meters and have 355 additional meters to replace with the Neptune SmartMeter. A new software billing system will allow Ashville to provide that information to our customers. It will also provide different options for paying utility bills.

Muni-Link Utility Billing a Link Computer Corporation. It is a complete, user friendly, and intuitive utility billing software solution that will better integrate our existing meter software with the Muni-Link billing.

- ◇ E-billing and built-in CASS certification saves time and money.
- ◇ The customer portal provides you access to your utility information.
- ◇ Payments made via the portal post automatically into your account.
- ◇ It is cloud-based therefore, you can access your information 24/7 from anywhere.

It is a utility software program. The Village of Ashville will later expand billing capabilities. These capabilities may include planning & zoning fees, park reservation fees, mayor's court judgements, building fees, and some tax fees. This system also offers other important features:

Data Security

Their software is hosted at a Tier-4 World-Class Data Center, keeping data safer. 24/7 onsite security officers, CCTV, biometric and magnetic key card access are just a few of the security measures in place.

Backup and Disaster Recovery

Included in this service is a monthly subscription fee which provides automatic backup of data. This will allow for us to restore data that could be loss during a disaster.

Ongoing Development

- ◇ Monthly Muni-Link enhancements are created based on customer feedback

Utility Fee Update for Consumer Price Index (CPI)

Consumer Price Index Increase for 2022 is 6.4%. Based upon Ordinance 2009-03, which provided for keeping revenue in alignment with expenses, the water charge will go from \$3.80 to \$4.09 and the sewer charge will go from \$7.72 to \$8.30. The following information reflect the changes you should see in the next bill.

This will be the second year since 2014 we have not had to increase debt service for the Water Resource Recovery Facility.

Utility	Current Charge	Increase	New Charge
Water/1,000	\$4.09	\$0.26	\$4.35
Sewer/1,000	\$8.30	\$0.53	\$8.83
I & I/1,000	\$0.34	\$0.00	\$0.34
Tank/1,000	\$0.26	\$0.00	\$0.26
Debt Service	\$7.86	\$0.00	\$7.86
Storm/ERU*	\$3.00	\$0.00	\$3.00
Recycle-Refuse*	\$21.19	\$0.00	\$21.19
Total	\$45.04	\$0.79	\$45.83

* Seniors are billed \$19.83 with a new total of \$44.47
 "Commercial Use" will have a different fee structure.

The Legislative Corner

This section provides the title to Ordinances and Resolutions being considered by Village Council. To read the entire text go to our website. Enacted legislation will be found under "Village Government"; and Legislation that is being considered can be found under "Village Council—Agenda".

- ◆ Resolution 06-2023 A resolution authorizing the Northeast Water Tower Project Design Proposal task order 1 by Jones & Henry Engineers, Ltd.
- ◆ Resolution 07-2023 A resolution authorizing the 2023 paving & crack seal projects.
- ◆ Resolution 08-2023 A resolution authorizing the Village Administrator and Fiscal Officer to execute a development agreement with D.R. Horton and declaring an emergency
- ◆ Resolution 09-2023 A resolution authorizing retaining the services of the Village Administrator
- ◆ Resolution 10-2023 A Resolution Authorizing the Village Administrator to submit a 629 Grant and declaring an emergency

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ASHVILLE VISION STATEMENT

Remembering our rural heritage, Ashville will be a vibrant and friendly community, offering an enhanced quality of life achieved through planning, progress and collaboration. It will be a welcoming place where people want to live and businesses prosper.

Next Month....Food Truck, Fun In the Sun & July 4th Celebration

Street Sweeping

May 10th & 11th rain date for May 12th

Starting at 8:00am — Signs will be posted

Please have your vehicle moved from the curbed streets. Vehicles may return after signs have been pulled.



Street sweeping will be enforced on all Village Streets. Vehicles may be towed at the owners expense. Please contact the Village office with any questions.

Ph: 740-983-6367

New Police Officer

We welcome Willie Markham III as our newest Village Police Officer. He was sworn in by Mayor Embrey on April 3rd, 2023



New Ashville Business Association

A meeting was held April 13th at 6:30 pm with local businesses to look at the formation of a local business association. A steering committee was selected to establish the groundwork for this important venture.

Please contact Kat Blades katherine.blades@gmail.com for any questions

Local Farms Fresh Produce
Handmade Items Local Businesses
Unique Gifts Homemade Goods

Located in Village Park one Saturday a month

April-October

Arrangement from 2022 & will be updated

2023
April 22nd
May 20th
June 17th
July 22nd
August 26th
September 23rd
October 14th

1. Eleanor's Plant Based
2. Indigo Roads
3. Sixth Year Honey
4. The Canning Lady
5. Dagon Family Acres
6. Pampered Chef
7. Color Street
8. Snuggles Dream
9. Kyle's Craft Co.
10. Resurrection Vineyards
11. Nest to Nestling
12. Shadows & Secrets
13. Touch of Craft
14. EZ Origami
15. Carriage House
16. Dot Pie Dough
17. Tossily Handmade
18. Busy Bees
19. Thomas Bean
20. Kinley
21. Bee's Sweet Gifts
22. Bee's Sweet Gifts
23. Better Together Pk.
24. We believe Workshop
25. Coasting Happy Place
26. Opaque Woodworking
27. ArtHouse Jewelry
28. K & M Designs
29. Mel Weaver
30. Sweet Fairy's
31. The Family Farm
32. Missing With April
33. Chicks & Clones
34. Ashville Edge
35. Lisa's Sweet Shop
36. Sweet Lane
37. Ashville Handmade
38. Colonial Vibe & Honey
39. Steampunk Farm

Please visit them on Facebook at Ashville Community Market

Park Rules– Leashed Dogs

Please ensure your dogs are properly leashed while in the Village Parks.

Per Ordinance 505.01 all dogs must be leashed and under the control of the owner at all times.

2023 Monthly & YTD Activity Report



Description	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD Total	Projection	Ave	Mean
Incident Report	107	94	134										335	1,284	111.67	107.00
Criminal Arrest/Charges Filed	3	7	17										27	84	9.00	7.00
Warrant Served/Arrests	1	0	4										5	12	1.67	1.00
Traffic Citations	49	18	15										82	216	27.33	18.00
Parking Tickets	0	0	0										0	0	0.00	0.00
Warning Citations	73	63	37										173	756	57.67	63.00
Crash Reports	6	8	5										19	72	6.33	6.00
Code Violations	0	0	7										7	0	2.33	0.00
Patrolled Miles	7,592.8	6,563.0	6,527										20,682.8	78,756	6,894.27	6,563.00
Reserve Unit Hours	49	36	43.75										128.75	525	42.92	43.75
Other Agency Assistance	11	13	10										34	136	11.33	11.00

Ashville's Fun in the Sun



Fun in the Sun will be returning in June !!

June 8th will be the Ohio Candid Center

Time 10:00am –11:30am

Events are in the Open Shelter & Closed Shelters.

Snacks and drinks for the kids are provided

More details to follow

Village Council Meetings
Every 1st and 3rd Monday Time: 6:30 pm
Council Committee Meetings Every 2nd Monday at 6:30 pm
- Holiday Mondays will move the meeting forward by one week

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