



Madison Township
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A Quick Guide to Madison Township

Welcome to Madison Township! This is a guide to our community, including helpful information like the nearest hospitals, schools, and community service providers.

In the state of Ohio, statutory townships, like Madison, do not have the power to create laws and ordinances as cities and villages do. The laws available to township governments for regulation, zoning, and enforcement purposes on private property are those specifically provided by the Ohio Revised Code, section 5. For more details on what a township can and cannot do, visit <http://codes.ohio.gov/orc/5>.

Township Resolutions

Madison Township has passed a few resolutions over the years to keep the peace in the township's limits. The following resolutions are those that pertain to residents of Madison Township. For full copies of these resolutions, please contact the administrative office for a Public Records Request.

1. Resolution Establishing A Curfew for Persons Under 18 Years of Age

The curfew for minors 13 and younger is one hour after sunset. The curfew for teens aged 13 to 15 is 10 pm. Minors 16 to 17 have a curfew of midnight.

These ordinances are enforced by the Madison Township Police Department and are authorized by the Ohio Revised Code section 505.89.

2. A Resolution to Regulate Noise Within the Unincorporated Territory of the Township Pursuant to Ohio Revised Code Section 505.172.

Areas zoned for residential use may not have excessive noise which significantly disturbs other residents, with regular sensibilities, in the area; be it by annoyance, or disruption of the peace, health, or safety of other residences.

Small Claims Court and Mediation

Disputes among neighbors can utilize the mediation of a trained professional, free of charge, before a disagreement escalates. A mediator can be requested over the phone at (614) 645-7381 or by using this link: <https://smallclaims.fcmcclerk.com/home/mediation>

Mosquito Management

[Franklin County Public Health](#) monitors and coordinates the mosquito control efforts, including spraying. To request service at and near your property, visit [Request for Service](#).

Zoning

All zoning, permits, and ordinances pertaining to Madison Township are handled by Franklin County. Common permits residents inquire about include fences, pools, driveways, yard sales, [owning chickens, ducks, or rabbits](#), and agricultural use of land.

For more information on these topics, visit the Franklin County Zoning website here: <https://development.franklincountyohio.gov/forms#8>. For specific contact information on zoning, click here: <https://development.franklincountyohio.gov/planning-zoning/zoning>. For a full list of all zoning resolutions in Franklin County, click here: https://development.franklincountyohio.gov/EDP-website/media/Documents/Planning_Zoning/Zoning/Zoning-Resolution-Updated-08-13-19.pdf

Firearms

In Madison Township's unincorporated areas, it is legal to discharge firearms on private property, but several conditions need to be met. In short, it must be done legally and safely. The Madison Township Police Chief issued a more detailed statement that can be found on the [MTPD Facebook page](#).

The Ohio Revised Code

If there are any questions about the laws and specific ordinances of Ohio, it is highly recommended to check the [Ohio Revised Code](#) (ORC). Use the search bar in the top right-hand corner of the web page to search for specific words or phrases applicable to your question.

Numbers and Websites to Know

Madison Township Departments

Public Works	Superintendent	614-836-4467
Police Department	Non-emergency, during business hours	614-836-5355
	Non-emergency, need an officer	614-836-9000
Fire Department	Non-emergency, during business hours	614-837-7883
Community Center	Administration	614-836-5308

Utilities

Aqua Ohio (water and sewer provider for Blacklick Estates)	Customer service	877-987-2782
Columbia Gas of Ohio	New service	800-440-6111
	Emergency service	800-344-4077
American Electric Power Company (AEP)	Groveport/Blacklick Estates and the northern part of the township	800-277-2177
South Central Power	The southern area of the township	800-282-5064
Local Waste (trash)	Customer service	614-409-9375
Franklin County Public Libraries	Southeast (3980 Hamilton Rd.)	614-645-2275
	Canal Winchester (115 Franklin Street)	614-279-3283

Community Services

Groveport Madison Food Pantry	595 Cherry St., Groveport Ohio 43125	614-836-7652
Eastland Christian Church Food Pantry	3371 Noe Bixby Rd, Columbus, Ohio 43232	614-837-2450
Groveport Madison Human Needs	info@gmhn.org	614-583-4017
Canal Winchester Human Services	80 Covenant Way, Canal Winchester, OH 43110	614-834-4700
Blessing Box at Fire Station 183	3228 Noe Bixby Rd, Columbus, OH 43232	
Hands On Central Ohio	1105 Schrock Rd Suite 100, Columbus, OH 43229	614-221-6766
Better Business Bureau	1169 Dublin Rd, Columbus, OH 43215	614-486-6336
Franklin County Animal Control	4340 Tamarack Blvd, Columbus, OH 43229	614-525-3400
Columbus Humane Society	3015 Scioto Darby Executive Ct, Hilliard, OH 43026	614-777-7387
Office on Aging	Franklin County	614-525-5230
	Senior Options	614-525-6200
Residential Building Regulations	Franklin County Economic Development	614-525-3094

Commercial Building Regulations	City of Groveport	614-836-5301
Franklin County Zoning Regulations	Residential, fencing, outdoor advertising	614-525-3094
Commercial zoning	City of Groveport	614-830-2045
Franklin County Public Health Department	https://myfcph.org/	614-525-3160
Installing fire suppressions systems	Fire department	614 837-7883
Southeast Franklin County Chamber of Commerce	https://www.facebook.com/Southeastern-Franklin-County-Chamber-of-Commerce-153515775943/	614-836-1138

Bureau of Motor Vehicles

3481 E Broad Street	Columbus, Ohio 43213	614-237-8247
1583 Alum Creek Dr.	Columbus Ohio 43206	614-443-5100
461 Hill Rd. N	Pickerington, Ohio 43147	614-834-9930
3833 S High St.	Columbus, OH 43207	614-497-8247

School Administration

Groveport Madison Schools	4400 Marketing Pl, Groveport, OH 43125	614-492-2520
Community School	4485 S Hamilton Rd, Groveport, OH 43125	614-574-4100
Canal Winchester Schools	100 Washington St, Canal Winchester, OH 43110	614-837-4533
Madison Christian School	3565 Bixby Rd, Groveport, OH 43125	6144973456
Eastland Career Center	4465 S Hamilton Rd, Groveport, OH 43125	614-836-4541

Local Medical Facilities and Hospitals

Nationwide Children's	700 Children's Dr, Columbus, OH 43205	614-722-2000
Diley Ridge Medical Group	7901 Diley Rd #260, Canal Winchester, OH 43110	614-920-1000
Mt. Carmel East	6001 E Broad St, Columbus, OH 43213	614-234-6000
Mt. Carmel Grove City	5300 N Meadows Dr, Grove City, OH 43123	614-663-5300
OhioHealth Riverside Methodist Hospital	3535 Olentangy River Rd, Columbus, OH 43214	614-566-5000

OhioHealth Grant Medical Center	111 S Grant Ave, Columbus, OH 43215	614-566-9000
OhioHealth	4335 Alum Creek Dr, Obetz, OH 43207	614-788-9330
OhioHealth	1010 Refugee Rd, Pickerington, OH 43147	614-788-4000
Ohio State University	410 W 10th Ave, Columbus, OH 43210	614-293-8000
Ohio State University	181 Taylor Ave, Columbus, OH 43203	614-257-3000

Others

Franklin County Auditor	373 S. High St., 21st Floor, Columbus, Ohio 43215	614-525-4663
Franklin County Board of Elections	7300 Morse Rd., Columbus, Ohio 43229	614-525-3100
Environmental Crimes Task Force (Nail-a-Dumpster) SWACO	Report littering	614-871-5322
Auto Title South - Franklin County Clerk of Courts	45 Great Southern Blvd, Columbus, OH 43207	614-525-3090