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Twin-Keystone Water District Returns to Township Hall
District; Township Approve Administrator Services Agreement

Twinsburg Township, Summit County, Ohio – January 3, 2012 – The Twin-Keystone Water District (TKWD) Board of Trustees and the Board of Twinsburg Township Trustees are pleased to announce that, effective January 1, 2012 and per an agreement to have the Township provide TKWD Administrator services, TKWD offices have relocated to Twinsburg Township Hall, located at 1790 Enterprise Parkway. The TKWD Board of Trustees approved the agreement at a special meeting on Monday, December 19, 2011, and the Board of Twinsburg Township Trustees approved the agreement at a regular meeting on Wednesday, December 21, 2011.

TKWD and the Township share much in terms of history. TKWD was established by Court orders beginning in 1966 following petitions submitted by the Board of Township Trustees, and TKWD offices were located for most of TKWD's 45-year history in the former (9833 Ravenna Road) Township Hall. The recently executed agreement will enable both entities to share space, staff, and resources, and to cooperate on future endeavors. To increase TKWD accountability and transparency, TKWD Board meeting agendas, minutes, and videos will now be posted on the Township website, www.twinsburgtwp.com, under Document Library – Meetings.

The TKWD Board held its first meeting at Township Hall under the new agreement on Tuesday, January 3, 2012. At that meeting TKWD Trustees elected 2012 officers, including Don Marshall (Chair), Karen Baker (Vice Chair), Trudi Baxter (Secretary), and Richard Bissell (Treasurer). Additional TKWD Trustees include Gregory Glover, Janice Glover, and Dan Richner. In other business, the TKWD adopted a 2012 regular meeting schedule (first Wednesdays at 5:00 PM at Township Hall, excluding holidays) and authorized relocating contents of its former (8460 Tower Park Drive) offices to Township Hall, and to negotiate with vendors/creditors regarding outstanding District obligations. The TKWD Board's next special and regular meetings will be at 5:00 PM on Wednesday, January 18, 2012, and Wednesday, February 4, 2012, respectively.

A copy of the TKWD Board meeting schedule, as well as TKWD history and other information, can be found on the Township website, www.twinsburgtwp.com, under Departments – TKWD, and at Township Hall at 1790 Enterprise Parkway, or by calling (330) 425-4497.

About Twin-Keystone Water District

Twin-Keystone Water District (TKWD) was established in 1966 per Chapter 6119 of the Ohio Revised Code as a regional water and sewer district, per a petition submitted by the Twinsburg Township Board of Trustees. TKWD is governed by Summit County Common Pleas Court Orders issued in 1966, 1967, 1968, 1970, 1979, and 2006. Formerly known as the Twinsburg Township Water and Sewer District, TKWD is overseen by a seven-member Board of Trustees elected to staggered four-year terms. The purpose of TKWD is to provide a public water supply to the District. TKWD owns water lines throughout the District and currently contracts with the City of Cleveland to supply the water that flows through those lines. TKWD offices are located at Twinsburg Township Hall. For more information, contact Robert S. Kagler, Township Manager, via telephone at (330) 425-4497 or via e-mail at rkagler@twinsburgtwp.com.

About Twinsburg Township

Twinsburg Township was founded in 1817, had a population of 2,828 in 2010, and will soon celebrate its bicentennial with great pride. The Township is home to an unparalleled combination of rich history, abundant natural resources, outstanding parks, well-planned neighborhoods, thriving businesses, and top-notch institutions. Whether you're looking for a great place to live or do business, or just a spot to spend a quiet afternoon, you'll find it all right here in Twinsburg Township. So stop by and see us sometime, and if you can't make it in person, please check out www.twinsburgtwp.com to get a glimpse of all that Twinsburg Township has to offer. For more information, contact Robert S. Kagler, Township Manager, via telephone at (330) 425-4497 or via e-mail at rkagler@twinsburgtwp.com.

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