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**Twinsburg Township Safety Town(ship) August 6<sup>th</sup> through 9<sup>th</sup>**  
*Summit County Sheriff Hosts 2012 Event*

**Twinsburg Township, Summit County, Ohio – June 21, 2012** – The Board of Twinsburg Township Trustees is pleased to announce that the Summit County Sheriff will host the 2012 Safety Town(ship). The 2012 Safety Town(ship) will take place at Township Hall and other locations on Monday, August 6, 2012 through Thursday, August 9, 2012, and from 9:00 AM to 11:30 AM on each day. 2012 Safety Town(ship) applications and other program information are available on the Township website, [www.twinsburgtwp.com](http://www.twinsburgtwp.com), under Departments, Youth, as well as at Township Hall at 1790 Enterprise Parkway, or by calling (330) 425-4497. Completed applications will accepted at Township Hall through Friday, July 20, 2012.

Safety Town(ship) is a multi-day summer safety program intended for children who will be entering kindergarten in the upcoming (2012-2013) academic year. Children who attend Safety Town(ship) are provided with instruction on a variety of safety topics, which may include but not be limited to animal safety, bicycle safety, electrical safety, fire safety, gun safety, litter prevention, railroad safety, school bus safety, stranger danger, tornado safety, utilizing 911, and water safety. Teaching safety to children at a young age, and reinforcing it as they mature, helps to empower children and adults that safety knowledge stays with them for the rest of their lives.

The 2012 Township Safety Town(ship) will be offered at no cost to Township residents. The Board of Trustees is pleased to be able to cooperate with the Summit County Sheriff, who provides policing services by contract to Twinsburg Township, on the hosting of this great event. Township residents are encouraged to apply soon for this event.

### **About the Summit County Sheriff**

The Summit County Sheriff's Office is one of the largest law enforcement agencies in the State of Ohio, employing 500+ dedicated men and women. Summit County's first Sheriff, Thomas Wilson, took office in 1840. Drew Alexander was elected in 2000 and took office in January 2001 as the 36<sup>th</sup> elected Summit County Sheriff. For more information, contact Sergeant Michael Walsh via telephone at (330) 643-8617 or via e-mail at [mwalsh@sheriff.summitoh.net](mailto:mwalsh@sheriff.summitoh.net).

### **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](http://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](mailto:rkagler@twinsburgtwp.com).

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