

SwiftReach– July 24 2020 FINAL

PLEASE STAND BY FOR THE JULY 24TH
MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR.

**GOOD EVENING. THIS IS YOUR MAYOR
GREG KURTZ.**

IT HAPPENED AGAIN.

OHIO IS UNDER A MASK MANDATE.

BECAUSE OF THE RECENT SPIKE IN COVID-
19 CASES, EVERYONE IN THE STATE –
RESIDENTS AND VISITORS –
IS REQUIRED TO WEAR A MASK.

THE MANDATE INCLUDES ALL INDOOR
LOCATIONS – OTHER THAN A RESIDENCE -
AND ALL OUTDOOR LOCATIONS WHERE IT
IS NOT POSSIBLE TO SOCIAL DISTANCE.

THE CITY OF INDEPENDENCE IS DOING
EVERYTHING POSSIBLE TO PROTECT
STAFF, RESIDENTS AND THE PUBLIC.

MY MESSAGE TO EVERYONE WHO LIVES
WORKS OR VISITS OUR BEAUTIFUL
COMMUNITY IS TO WEAR A MASK, SOCIAL
DISTANCE, AND PRACTICE GOOD HYGIENE.

I KNOW IT IS NOT EASY, AND I ADMIT I HAVE
SLIPPED UP AND FORGOTTEN MY MASK IN
THE CAR. BUT IT IS CRITICALLY
IMPORTANT THAT WE STOP THE SPREAD
OF THIS DEADLY VIRUS.

NOW A TRAFFIC ALERT:
ON MONDAY, PHASE TWO OF THE
BRECKSVILLE ROAD IMPROVEMENT
PROJECT WILL BEGIN.

DURING THE CONSTRUCTION, TRAFFIC
WILL BE REDUCED TO A SINGLE LANE IN
EACH DIRECTION AND MOVED TO THE
SOUTHBOUND SIDE.

THE PROJECT IS EXPECTED TO TAKE 4-TO-SIX WEEKS.

AND A VERY SPECIAL BIRTHDAY WISH TO EVELYN SKOCZEN, THE OLDEST LIVING GRADUATE OF INDEPENDENCE HIGH SCHOOL. SHE CELEBRATED HER 102ND BIRTHDAY THIS WEEK.

I'M PROUD TO CALL HER AUNT EVE , AND WISH HER A YEAR FILLED WITH MUCH LOVE AND JOY!

UNTIL NEXT WEEK, PROTECT & RESPECT YOURSELF AND OTHERS -- WEAR A MASK. GOD BLESS.