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PRESS RELEASE

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The Village of Dresden, Cass Township, and Jefferson Township in Muskingum County, and Washington Township in Coshocton County announce the formation of the Tri-Valley Joint Fire District. The new fire district will serve all the above mentioned areas just as the Dresden Fire Dept does today. Under the new fire districts a representative from each government entity will sit on a fire board and allow every resident to have a voice in how your fire district is operated. This is the beginning of an exciting future; the district will build upon the strong foundation that is in place and strengthen and establish a bright future for fire and EMS services moving forward.

As the new district begins operations there are no increased cost to residents in which we serve, the fire board and district personnel will evaluate and plan and release details in the future. The Dresden Fire Dept equipment and building will be leased to the district, there will be no lapse in service during the transition. We are pleased to serve and protect this community and look forward to sharing details as we plan and progress as your Tri-Valley Joint Fire District.

Tri-Valley Joint Fire District Board

Justin Lapp, Washington Twp.

Nick Beach, Jefferson Twp.

Michael Whiteus, At-Large

Brian Palmer, Cass Twp.

Rhonda Holdren, Village of Dresden



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