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NEARLY TWO DOZEN MAYORS FROM ACROSS OHIO TO GATHER IN FINDLAY ON THURSDAY

BIPARTISAN MAYORS ORGANIZATION WILL HOLD MEDIA BRIEFING AT 12 NOON

COLUMBUS – Nearly two dozen mayors from across Ohio will gather in Findlay this week for the Ohio Mayors Alliance Regional Meeting. Mayors from both parties and nearly every corner of the state will be in attendance to discuss a range of issues such as public safety, housing, education, and other policy priorities.

Findlay Mayor Christina Muryn, along with **Toledo Mayor Wade Kapszukiewicz** and **Lima Mayor Sharetta Smith**, will provide remarks to the media at 12 noon on Thursday. They will be joined at the podium by the participating mayors from the Ohio Mayors Alliance as outlined below.

WHAT: Media Briefing with Members of the Ohio Mayors Alliance

WHEN: Thursday, August 15, 12:00 noon to 12:30 pm

WHERE: Hancock Hotel, Donnell Board Room (631 S. Main Street, Findlay, OH)

“We are excited to bring our bipartisan coalition of mayors together in Findlay for an important meeting and policy discussion,” said Ohio Mayors Alliance Executive Director Keary McCarthy. **“Findlay was recently named top micropolitan in the country for the tenth consecutive year. This national recognition is a testament to the city’s leadership and it makes this community the perfect place to host this year’s regional meeting.”**

The Ohio Mayors Alliance is a bipartisan coalition of mayors in Ohio’s 31 largest cities. Toledo, Findlay, and Lima are the three member cities in Northwest Ohio. Mayors who are scheduled to attend the meeting and press briefing on Thursday are:

Mayor Shammal Malik, Akron
Mayor Steve Patterson, Athens
Mayor Don Adams, Beavercreek
Mayor Aftab Pureval, Cincinnati
Mayor Kahlil Seren, Cleveland Heights
Mayor Andrew Ginther, Columbus
Mayor Jeffrey Mims, Dayton
Mayor Chris Amorose Groomes, Dublin
Mayor Kevin Brubaker, Elyria
Mayor Kirsten Holzheimer Gail, Euclid
Mayor Mitch Rhodus, Fairfield

Mayor Christina Muryn, Findlay
Mayor Richard “Ike” Stage, Grove City
Mayor Jeff Gore, Huber Heights
Mayor Peggy Lehner, Kettering
Mayor Meghan George, Lakewood
Mayor Don McDaniel, Lancaster
Mayor Sharetta Smith, Lima
Mayor Jodie Perry, Mansfield
Mayor Joe Begeny, Reynoldsburg
Mayor Rob Rue, Springfield
Mayor Wade Kapszukiewicz, Toledo

The mission of the Ohio Mayors Alliance is to strengthen Ohio’s cities through collaboration, communication, improved advocacy, and stronger partnerships with policymakers. For more information, please visit: www.OhioMayorsAlliance.org.

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