



# E-NEWS

#FindlayChamber

Driving growth and prosperity in the Findlay and Hancock County region.

September 1, 2021



## The Benefits of Going Paperless

Chris Hines of Gordon Flesch talks to us about how a "paperless" office can help make you more efficient, and provide backups in case something would ever happen to your physical location.

[Log into your member hub to view the full video!](#)

## Upcoming Chamber Events

View the [Chamber of Commerce Event Calendar](#) to register for events. Looking for more to do in the area? Check out the [Visit Findlay calendar!](#)

### Safety Council: Impact of Prediabetes in the Workplace

September 2, 12 pm  
Webinar

### Fresh Brewed Business: BVHS and Findlay – Looking to the Future

September 7, 8 am  
MCPA

### Small Business Workshop: Customizing Your Chamber Directory Profile

September 16, 8:30 – 9:30 am  
Chamber Boardroom

### Business 2 Business Networking

September 22, 2 pm  
MCPA

### 10 @ 10

September 28, 10 am  
Virtual Roundtable

### Lunch & Learn: Making the Most of Your Chamber Membership

September 30, 12 pm  
Chamber Boardroom

### Save the Date!

#### Small Business Awards

October 13  
MCPA

#### Annual Information Assurance Forum

October 27  
University of Findlay / Zoom



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# Member Job Board

- [Design & Sales Professional, Miller House of Color](#)
- [Police Officer, City of Findlay](#)
- [Packers, Hearthside Food Solutions](#)
- [Warehouse Distribution Team Member, Lowes RDC](#)

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## Employer Transportation Survey

The HHWP Community Action Commission is asking employers to take this survey focused on transportation needs to get a better gauge for the community's transportation gaps and needs.

[Take the survey for a chance to win \\$25 to Dietsch's!](#)

## Chamber Red Coat Sightings



▲ [Flag City Mobile Veterinary Clinic](#)

## Upcoming Ribbon Cuttings

[Feasel's Garden Center / Gregor's Boutique Restaurant](#)

September 1, 12 pm  
2330 Bright Rd. Findlay

Want to schedule a **Ribbon Cutting**? Contact the Chamber at 419.422.3313

## Findlay's Cost of Living Score for 2021 Q2

The City of Findlay's second-quarter 2021 Cost of Living Index was 92.2, which is 7.8 percent below that of the national average. The composite index is based on six



component categories – housing, utilities, grocery items, transportation, health care, and miscellaneous goods and services.

[Read more about Findlay's cost of living data compared to other participating cities in Ohio.](#)



## **Meet the Leadership Classes of 2022!**

Last month, the newest classes of Hancock Leadership and Hancock Youth Leadership have begun their leadership journey – kicking things off with a team-building retreat at The Cube. The Chamber of Commerce is pleased to present the members of this year's classes of Hancock Leadership and Hancock Youth Leadership.

[Click here to view the list of participants of this year's leadership classes!](#)



## **Hancock Leadership Seeking Class Project Proposals**

The Chamber of Commerce is issuing a request for proposal or community-oriented projects for Hancock Leadership '22 to consider as a potential class project.

[Read more about HL and the class project requirements.](#)



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## Member Press Releases

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### Webinar: Microsoft Outlook and Productivity Optimization

Join FAHRA on Wednesday, **September 8th** from 12:15 - 1:15 pm (ET) for a webinar with speaker Tana Mann. This program has been pre-approved for 1.0 for both SHRM Professional Development Credits (PDC) and 1.0 Business Credits from HRCI. The first half of the training will focus on meta-skills and give the reasons why we at Focus to Evolve teach the methods we do in Outlook. The second half of the training is full of methodology and live step-by-step demonstrations of Outlook setting changes and instructions on how to use Outlook as the advanced personal productivity tool it was designed to be.

[REGISTER HERE!](#)

## Suicide Prevention and Remembrance Day

**September 11:** The Family Resource Center of Hancock County, along with NAMI, the Veterans Service Office, and FOCUS, is hosting Suicide Prevention & Remembrance Day from 12 – 2 pm at Riverside Park. [Learn more.](#)

## Ohio Safety Council Mega Meetings Announced

All Ohio employers are invited to attend two online statewide meetings hosted by BWC to supplement the Ohio Safety Council Program year. **October 6, 2021:** Leading from Your Heart! featuring main speaker David Sarkus, MS, CSP is Chief Servant Leader and Founder of David Sarkus International, a leading health and safety management consulting and training firm. **April 13, 2022:** Now What? How to Lead by Bringing Your Human to Work featuring main speaker Erica Keswin, a two-time Wall Street Journal bestselling author, internationally sought-after speaker, and workplace strategist. [Learn more.](#)

## Apartments For Lease in Downtown Findlay

Two apartments for lease on Main Street in Downtown Findlay. 2 bds, 1 bath – large rooms with lots of storage and appliances. Call 419-230-8020 for details.

## Humble Robinson Development closes on 35.741 acres

On February 11, 2021, City Planning Commission approved a site plan for Amazon in Findlay. Six months later Humble Robinson has closed on 35 acres north of Amazon for future development. Humble Robinson will be marketing the site in conjunction with Findlay Hancock Economic Development to attract a build-to-suit client or construct another spec building in 2022. Site access is off Production Drive and has 4-lane access to I-75. The site is in the City of Findlay, is zoned I-1 Light Industrial, and all utilities including water, sewer, gas, electric, and telecom are adjacent to the site.

## Simpay's 60 Day Performance Guarantee

Any time during your first 60 days of processing with Simpay, customers can cancel their contract for free with no strings attached for any reason. Contact new Simpay local rep, Anne Cole, for more information: 419-957-2399.

## RED CROSS DIRECTOR JOINS FLOOD RELIEF EFFORT

Todd James, Executive Director of the American Red Cross of North Central Ohio is joining the ongoing Red Cross disaster relief operation following catastrophic flooding in Tennessee. James will be serving as the Public Affairs Manager, overseeing efforts to communicate vital information on services available to the families and communities affected by the flood.

## *PAST NEWS*

### UIS Insurance & Investments Continues to Perpetuate from Within

Mitch Felton, Chairman of the Board and CEO of UIS Insurance & Investments recently announced that Chuck Ritzler has been named President of the agency. Ritzler started his insurance career right out of college when he graduated with a degree in accounting from Heidelberg University in 1986. Ritzler has been Vice President of the Financial Services department for the past 12 years.

### PREMIER WEALTH FINANCIAL SERVICES WELCOMES DAVID T. ROBINSON AS FINANCIAL CONSULTANT

Premier Wealth Financial Services is pleased to announce the addition of David T. Robinson as Vice President, Financial Consultant serving the Delphos, Findlay, Fostoria, Lima and Ottawa, OH markets.

### Have University of Findlay UFTV Produce a PSA for Your Business!

Last year UFTV broadcast 165 athletic events totaling 975 broadcast hours generating over 100,000+ views. As a Chamber member we can produce your PSA that will play during UF Football, Basketball, Soccer & Volleyball, including FHS football, hockey and basketball events. Your PSA will also play during all non-athletic programming including unlimited replays on our Spectrum and YouTube channel. Our PSA Sports Package starts at \$600 for 15 seconds or \$1,000 for 30 seconds. Contact us for specific of Pre/Postgame or in-game scoreboard sponsorship. Call 419.434.5909 or write us at [uftvstudio@findlay.edu](mailto:uftvstudio@findlay.edu).

### GARNER TRUCKING NAMED TOP WOMAN-OWNED BUSINESS IN TRANSPORTATION

Redefining the Road magazine, the official magazine of the Women In Trucking Association (WIT), announced Garner Trucking as a recipient of the 2021 "Top Woman-Owned Businesses in Transportation."

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