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## PUBLIC MEETINGS SCHEDULED FOR THE WEEK OF MARCH 10, 2014

The Board of Building Appeals will meet on Monday, March 10, at 8:30 a.m. at the Ohio Department of Transportation, District Three Office, Conference Room, 906 Clark Avenue, Ashland.

The Board of Building Appeals reviews appeals to adjudication orders issued by the Division of Industrial Compliance, Bureaus of Building Code Compliance and Operations and Maintenance, or by any certified local or county enforcement agency. The Board also reviews appeals made to fire citations issued by the State Fire Marshal or any local fire department with a certified fire safety inspector. The Board can reverse or modify orders of the enforcing agencies and can also grant vacancies and exemptions to certain code requirements.

The Backflow Advisory Board will meet on Tuesday, March 11, at 10 a.m. at the Division of Industrial Compliance, 6606 Tussing Road, Conference Room 1, Reynoldsburg.

The Backflow Advisory Board advises the Superintendent of the Division of Industrial Compliance on matters pertaining to the training and certification of backflow technicians.

The Savings and Loan Associations and Savings Banks Board will meet on Wednesday, March 12, at 10 a.m. at the Division of Financial Institutions, 77 South High Street, 21<sup>st</sup> Floor, Columbus.

The Board advises the Superintendent of Financial Institutions and the Deputy Superintendent for Banks and Savings Institutions on any matters submitted to it by the Division of Financial Institutions and confirms the annual schedule of assessments.

The State Fire Council will meet on Wednesday, March 12, at 11 a.m. at the Division of State Fire Marshal, 8895 East Main Street, Reynoldsburg.

The State Fire Council makes recommendations to the Governor, the General Assembly and other state agencies about any needed changes in laws, rules or administrative policies relating to fire safety. The Council also may recommend revision of the rules in the State Fire Code adopted by the State Fire Marshal.

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The Ohio Banking Commission will meet on Friday, March 14, at 10 a.m. at the Division of Financial Institutions, 77 South High Street, 21<sup>st</sup> Floor, Columbus.

The Banking Commission advises the Superintendent of Financial Institutions and the Deputy Superintendent for Banks on any matters submitted to it by the Division of Financial Institutions and confirms the annual schedule of assessments.

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