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## **Auditor Holding Series of Town Hall Meetings**

Reynolds to discuss recent release of County Finance Reports, real estate trends in open forums around county

HAMILTON, Ohio – Butler County Auditor Roger Reynolds is hosting five evening Town Hall meetings around Butler County beginning at the end of July and going into August. Reynolds will discuss the recent release of the County's 2009 annual finance reports and current real estate trends. A question and answer session will follow the presentation.

“The downturn in the economy has drawn a lot of attention on the county's financial well being and our ability to maintain dependable services,” said Reynolds. “The financial reports and accompanying analysis gives county residents the transparency they need to understand how their tax dollars are being spent.”

Auditor Reynolds made the announcement regarding the Town Hall meetings at Monday's Butler County Commissioners' meeting.

The schedule for the Town Hall meetings, each set to begin at 6:30 p.m., is as follows:

Monday, July 26 – Fairfield High School

Tuesday, August 3 – Hamilton Freshman School

Monday, August 9 – Ross High School

Tuesday, August 10 – Middletown Senior Center

Thursday, August 19 – Lakota Freshman School, Bethany Rd.

“In addition to addressing the County's financial picture, the Town Hall meetings will focus on the local real estate market and the trends we're seeing as we prepare for the state-mandated 2011 triennial update,” Reynolds said.