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2nd half Property Tax Bills Are In the Mail

Columbus (OH) Franklin County Treasurer Ed Leonard announces that property owners can expect to receive their 2011 2nd half tax bills in the mail as soon as tomorrow, May 18, 2012. Tax amounts for 2011 property taxes can be viewed and paid online now by accessing the Treasurer's website at <http://Treasurer.franklincountyohio.gov>.

Payments may be made in person at the Franklin County Treasurer's Office 373 S. High St., 17th Floor from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm through June 20, 2012, in the lock box designated for tax payments located in the lobby of 373 S. High St., or at the following banks: Chase Bank, Huntington National Bank, US Bank, First Community Bank, Columbus First Bank and selected Fifth Third Bank branches (Grove City- 128 Hoover Rd, Clintonville North-4400 N. High St, Bexley Main- 2570 Main St, Eastland- 2810 S. Hamilton Rd, Hilliard/Cemetery- 5079 Cemetery Rd, Frantz Rd- 420 Metro Place S, Lincoln Village-5055 W. Broad St, Gahanna- 44 Havens Corner Rd, Columbus Square- 2500 E Dublin Granville Rd, Reynoldsburg West - 6935 E. Main St., Westerville North- 7425 State Route 3). Banks may reserve this service for existing checking account customers.

Effective immediately, 2011 property tax payments may also be made online by e-check or credit card at <http://Treasurer.franklincountyohio.gov>. There is no cost to pay by e-check; however credit card payments are charged a 2.35% convenience fee by the processing company that handles the transaction. Franklin County does not receive any portion of this fee.

By law, first half payments paid after Wednesday, June 20, 2012 will be assessed a penalty regardless of whether or not the taxpayer received a bill. The Treasurer has no authority to waive penalties.

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