



HAMILTON COUNTY COALITION to **STOP** FRAUD, SCAMS & ABUSE



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Commissioner Hartmann and consumer protection advocates present to Great Oaks adult education students

WHEN: February 7, 2012
4:30pm

WHERE: Great Oaks, Scarlet Oaks campus
Commissary Annex
3254 Kemper Road
Cincinnati, Ohio 45241

WHAT: Commissioner Greg Hartmann and other consumer protection advocates will present to about 80 students in the Great Oaks adult education evening program. The presentation will address topics such as financial wellness, how to be a smart consumer, tax preparation, home ownership and other scams. The following presenters will speak for about 10 minutes each:

- Hamilton County Commission President Greg Hartmann
- Michael Dawson, Better Business Bureau
- Bart Cosgrove, Consumer Protection Section – Ohio Attorney General's office
- Special Agent Matthew McCullough, IRS Criminal Investigation Unit
- Joann Brady, The Home Ownership Center of Greater Cincinnati

About the Hamilton County Coalition to Stop Fraud, Scams & Abuse

The Hamilton County Coalition to Stop Fraud, Scams & Abuse is a partnership of social service agencies, business leaders, nonprofits and local law enforcement united to pro-actively educate Hamilton County residents on the dangers of consumer fraud, identity theft and scams in our community. The Coalition developed a *Comprehensive Community Plan* to help consumers, created a website www.hamilton-co.org/fraud and conducts monthly community outreach events to educate citizens in our community to detect, prevent and report fraud and scams.

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