



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



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Commissioner Hartmann and Better Business Bureau present to Norwood City Council on dangers of identity theft

WHEN: TONIGHT, October 25
7:30pm

WHERE: City of Norwood
4645 Montgomery Road
Norwood, Ohio 45212

WHAT: According to the FBI, identity theft is the fastest-growing white collar crime. From seniors to students to small businesses, almost any population can be targets of identity theft. Worse still, identity theft can be committed any number of ways, including mail, telephone and online schemes – which makes the crime that much harder to detect and prevent.

Commissioner Greg Hartmann, President of the Hamilton County Board of Commissioners, and Leslie Kish of Better Business Bureau will present to Norwood City Council on the dangers of identity theft, and how Norwood residents can protect themselves.

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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