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Treasurer Donald E. Rankey Jr. Establishes Online Property Tax Bills and Payments

DELAWARE, Ohio (Jan. 25, 2022) – Delaware County residents can now access their property tax bills online, Delaware County Treasurer, Donald E. Rankey Jr. announced today.

Bills can be found on the Treasurer’s Office website at <http://treasurer.co.delaware.oh.us>.

“This is part of our overall effort to modernize the functions of the Treasurer’s Office to better serve the needs of our citizens,” Rankey said. “We are working hard to improve the website. Our goal is to make accessing your property tax information accessible and easy to use. Online access to property tax bills is a key item on my team’s list to improve service levels to residents and businesses of Delaware County.”

The Treasurer’s Office mailed 55,730 first-half property tax bills on Jan. 7. The bills should have arrived in mailboxes the week of Jan. 10.

Residents who did not receive a bill can go to the website and look up the bill by parcel number, address or last name.

There is a “Print Your Tax Bill” button on the main page to access property tax bills as a PDF file.

Homeowners with a mortgage generally escrow property taxes each month with their lender, which pays each half directly to the Treasurer’s Office.

Several options are available to pay a tax bill through the website:

- Pay by Echeck with a third-party service fee of \$2.50 for checks between \$10 and \$10,000.
- Pay by credit card with a 2.5-percent service fee.
- Pay by a VISA debit card with a \$3.95 service fee.

- Pay through the Treasurer's Office escrow program. Homeowners can pay taxes monthly with a direct bank withdrawal with no fees.

The service fees are not collected by the Treasurer's Office. They are processing costs charged by the third-party payment processor.

For more information on this program or questions about your property taxes, contact the Treasurer's Office 740.833.2480 or treasurer@co.delaware.oh.us

First half property tax payments are due Feb. 10; second half payments are due July 11.

Donald E. Rankey Jr. was elected Delaware County treasurer in November 2020. He is the county's chief investment officer and responsible for collecting more than \$660 million in annual property taxes on 86,671 parcels. His office also oversees an investment portfolio in excess of \$325 million.

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