



June 7, 2007

### News Release

#### **NOMINATE YOUR NEIGHBOR FOR OUTSTANDING FLOWER DISPLAY**

WEST CARROLLTON, Ohio – If your neighbor’s green thumb deserves recognition, consider nominating that person for the City Beautiful Commission’s annual flower awards.

The deadline for nominations is Monday, July 2. Approximately 20 West Carrollton residential and commercial addresses will be recognized in July for maintaining outstanding flowers and landscaping on their properties. A special “most patriotic” award will also be given to the home or business with the best patriotic decorations.

To nominate an individual or business, call (937) 859-5181. Please provide an address as well as the owner’s name and description of the property if possible.

All award recipients will receive a sign to display in their yards. The City Beautiful Commission aims to encourage citizens to take an active role in improving property values in the community.

“In a small town like this, it’s important to recognize the people who give back to their community by keeping and maintaining their properties,” said Stephanie Iiams, chairperson of the City Beautiful Commission.

-end-

For media interviews, call **Stephanie Iiams** at (937) 866-6793.