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## **Xenia Municipal Court Deputy Clerk Sheryl Wakefield Retires**

Xenia, Ohio (November 30, 2015) – Xenia Municipal Court Deputy Clerk Sheryl Wakefield will retire November 30, 2015 after serving the Court for over 16 years.

Ms. Wakefield is a graduate of Xenia High School and a life-long Xenia resident. Before coming to Xenia Municipal Court, she served over 13 years with Greene County in the Child Support Division for the seven years enforcing child support orders and also served six years for Human Services where she assisted clients seeking employment.

Ms. Wakefield was hired in January 1999 as a Deputy Clerk for the Xenia Municipal Court by the late Judge Susan Goldie. During her 16 years at the Court, she had a variety of assignments that included serving the civil division, entering tickets, and most recently, providing front-line customer service for those conducting business with the court. She was one of the first clerks to arrive each work day and consistently presented a pleasant attitude and demeanor. She has been dedicated to the Xenia community and embraced her role as a public servant.

Xenia Municipal Court Judge Michael J. Murry said, “Coming to court typically is not a pleasant experience and people often are very anxious when they get off the elevator. We have been fortunate to have Sheryl as one of the first court personnel that people see. Her pleasant, calm personality really helped put court visitors at ease. We will miss Sheryl and wish her the best as she transitions to her next phase of life.”

Pete Creamer, Xenia Municipal Clerk of Courts added, “Sheryl has been wonderful to work with. Her concern for her fellow employees and for this community are admirable. I wish her the very best in this new venture of life.”

The City of Xenia thanks Ms. Wakefield for years of dedication and service and wishes her an enjoyable retirement!

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