

City offers tips to save on energy costs

Norwalk is sponsoring a seminar from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. on Oct. 23 to help people find ways to save on gas and utility bills.

“With the economy the way it is now, we think it is important if we know ways to save money, we make them available to the community,” said Dale Sheppard, safety/service director for the city.

Chris Kozak, communications and community relations manager for Columbia Gas of Ohio, and Chris Verich, a residential utility consumer advocate for the Ohio Consumers’ Council, will both make presentations at the meeting.

A large number of topics will be presented at the program, including the CHOICE program, programmable thermostat, riser improvement projects, utility scams, alternative natural gas suppliers, household tips on water and energy conservation and tips to weatherproof homes.

The meeting will be held at the Fisher-Titus Learning Center at Norwalk High School and registration is limited to 150 people. Call (419) 663-6700 to register.