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Our next meeting is **April 10th** at Brandywine Country Club. The doors open at 11:30 AM and our meeting will start at 12:00 Noon.

Program: Our April speaker will be Virginia H Woolf. Ms Wolf, a former fire fighter and Emergency Medical Tech, organized and maintained the position as Dive Team Commander for Geauge Dive Rescue Recovery Team from 1992-2002, and is currently Vice President of The Ohio Search Dog Association.

Her presentation will be about "Training and working with search and rescue dogs."

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CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

The following change in the Association Constitution has been proposed, discussed, and unanimously approved for submission to the Membership by the Executive Committee as a significant change in membership rules which should positively benefit the Association. As required by constitutional wording, the Constitutional Amendment will be submitted to the Membership to be formally voted on at the regular April meeting of the Association. If passed it will go into effect immediately and the Constitution will be edited appropriately and published in the May newsletter and next year's Directory.

Paragraph (c) of Article III "MEMBERSHIP" - Section I - will be changed to the following wording:

(c) Any individual working FULL TIME in a Repair or Replacement, Restoration or Cleaning, Rental or Salvage, Investigative or Technical, Medical or Legal and/or other Service business whose PRIMARY ACTIVITY is assisting INSURANCE COMPANY CLAIM DEPARTMENTS to "service the policy contract" to the benefit of "Insureds and Claimants," is eligible for REGULAR MEMBERSHIP, subject to the approval of the Executive Committee and the Membership of the Toledo Claims Association. Regular Members have the right to enjoy all the benefits and privileges of the Association, including voting privileges and the right to hold office.

Directory: The directories should be delivered just in time for the April meeting. For those who are unable to attend, they will also be available at the May meeting. Members, please see Dawn for your copy. Thank you so much to all of our wonderful vendors, without all of you there would be no Directory, Golf Outing, Spring Outing, Christmas Party, Scholarships or Charitable contributions. Vendor directories are being delivered or mailed within the next couple of weeks.

Entertainment: Please find the TCA Spring Outing at the Toledo Mud Hens attached. We are looking forward to a great time at Fifth Third Field on Saturday, May 24, 2007 (yes, that is the Saturday before Memorial Day). There will be plenty of food, some prize opportunities for the adults, and a gift for all of the kids, among other potential surprises. There will also be a Fireworks Extravaganza that night. Please contact Kristy Dutton at Paul Davis Restoration to RSVP prior to April 25, 2008. If you have any questions you can contact Kristy and the numbers provided on the RSVP form, or Philip Bentschneider at Crawford & Company, (419) 410-5369 cell. We will look forward to seeing you there!

Charity: We have recently donated \$500 to the NW Ohio Food Bank. They serve over 300 non-profit member agencies in eight counties and are in dire need. We have given them a lot this year but hunger is a priority.

A donation for \$500 to The Aurora House was also recently made.

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