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## **Message from the President**

Milford Amateur Radio Club

Each of us have witnessed events both good and bad over the past year. Who could have predicted the challenges most of us have faced? We can be thankful for the widespread availability of vaccines providing protection against the pandemic.



Due to their availability, the officers and I feel it is safe to resume in person meetings for inoculated attendees in general. Obviously, each decision whether or not to attend is based upon one's situation.

Even with the pandemic's challenges, our club has pressed forward.

- Dave Vest, K8DV, is completing the configuration of our new repeater controllers. They should be installed soon which will add functionality improvements to each of our repeaters.
- <u>CincinnatiHamfest.org</u> sales of table and space rentals, raffle, and ticket sales are increasing. Ongoing work continues to ensure it will remain the most successful hamfest in Greater Cincinnati. Our advertising efforts should increase attendance to levels never seen previously. We are very optimistic we will have the most successful event ever hosted by the club.

Its success, however, depends upon the contributions of many individuals. We are in need of volunteers willing to contribute two or more hours of their time during the hamfest. Those willing to help can email ron@cincinnatihamfest.org or signup at CincinnatiHamfest.org/Volunteer to help ensure its success.