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SUMMARY: OHIO HOMELAND SECURITY IS TOPIC OF NEXT WAYNE COLLEGE COMMUNITY FORUM

Orrville, Ohio, Nov. 7, 2006 – The next Community Forum at The University of Akron Wayne College will be “Homeland Security in Northeast Ohio,” presented by William Vedra, deputy director of the Ohio Division of Homeland Security’s Office of Domestic Preparedness, at 7 p. m., Wednesday, Nov. 29. This event is free and open to the public.

Vedra will speak about the efforts of his office to prevent, respond to and recover from terrorist acts. The 45-minute presentation will be held in the Wayne College auditorium and will be followed by a question and answer session and a coffee reception.

The Wayne College Community Forum is a series of speakers presented throughout the academic year for students and the local community.

“The college wanted to provide opportunities for members of the community to join with our students in the consideration of topics and issues of importance in our lives. The Community Forum explores a wide a range of subjects throughout the year,” says Wayne College Dean Jack Kristofco.

The Community Forum is part of the Wayne College Special Events Series, which includes the annual Shakespeare Festival, the Student Writing Awards workshop and a musical performer in the spring, and it is underwritten in part by The J.M. Smucker Co.

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