

Mound Science and Energy Museum Association *presents*

Mound Lecture Series: Perspectives on the Transition of Mound Laboratory

Richard Church, Jr.



After a long hiatus, Mound Lecture Series is back in-person!

Recently retired Miamisburg Mayor, Richard Church, Jr. will present his personal views on activities and challenges that arose when the U.S. Department of Energy announced in 1991 to permanently close its nuclear research and production facility at Miamisburg's renowned Mound Laboratory. At its height, Mound employed around 2,500 workers that provided the City with a large income tax base and numerous contributions to the community. Its closure led Mayor Church to lead a crusade to ensure the Mound site was cleaned up and converted back to the community as an asset. He will share the challenges and accomplishments of the conversion of Mound from a government facility to a commercial and community success.

Richard Church, Jr. was the longest serving Mayor in Miamisburg history, having served for 28 years upon his retirement in 2019. Church is a Miamisburg native, life-long resident and community advocate.

When: Wednesday, October 27, 2021 7:00 pm

Where: Mound Cold War Discovery Center

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