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419-885-8885
whitefamilycollision.com

FINALIST: Yark Auto Group
yarkauto.com

FINALIST: Dunn Chevrolet Buick
dunnchevy.com

CAR REPAIR

WINNER: Tri County Tire
7511 Jerusalem Rd., Oregon, OH 43616
419-836-7788
tricountytire.com

FINALIST: Yark Auto Group
yarkauto.com

FINALIST: Dunn Chevrolet Buick
dunnchevy.com

CAR WASH

WINNER: Soap City Car Wash
2745 Navarre Ave., Oregon, OH 43616
419-720-6886

FINALIST: Village Auto Spa, Holland

FINALIST: White Water Car & Van Wash Co.
whitewatersylvania.com

LOCAL MECHANIC

WINNER: Chase Partin, Tri County Tire
7511 Jerusalem Rd., Oregon, OH 43616
419-836-7788
tricountytire.com

FINALIST: Yark Auto Group
yarkauto.com

FINALIST: Tireman Auto Service Centers
thetireman.com

LOCAL NEW CAR/TRUCK DEALER

WINNER: Yark Auto Group
6039 Central Ave., Toledo, OH 43615
419-877-7725
yarkauto.com

FINALIST: Dunn Chevrolet Buick
dunnchevy.com

FINALIST: Charlie's Dodge Chrysler Jeep Ram
charliesdodge.com

LOCAL PRE-OWNED CAR/TRUCK DEALER

WINNER: Nice Car Company
6880 Memorial Hwy., Ottawa Lake, MI 49267
734-856-8821
nicecarcompany.com

FINALIST: Yark Auto Group
yarkauto.com

FINALIST: Jim White Toyota Sales
jimwhitetoyota.com

LOCAL SALES STAFF

WINNER: Yark Auto Group
6039 Central Avenue, Toledo, OH 43615
419-877-7725
yarkauto.com

FINALIST: Jess Linser

FINALIST: Ben Swonger, Yark Auto Group
yarkauto.com

Balance and Mobility Therapy
WINNER: Best Physical Therapy Practice

Balance and Mobility Therapy (BAM) is a leading physical therapy clinic that offers a comprehensive range of services to help individuals regain strength, balance, and mobility. The clinic's mission is to provide exceptional care to patients, utilizing the latest techniques and technologies to help them achieve their goals.

At BAM, patients can access a variety of services, including physical therapy, occupational therapy, and speech therapy. The clinic's team of experienced and highly skilled therapists works closely with each patient to develop an individualized treatment plan that addresses their unique needs and goals.

BAM's physical therapists use various techniques to help patients recover from injuries, surgeries, and illnesses. They also help individuals who suffer from chronic pain, balance and mobility issues, and other

conditions that affect their physical function. BAM uses comprehensive assessments to truly get to the cause of an individual's physical ailments to best determine their course of treatment. BAM has a vestibular and neurological clinical specialist on staff to assist with the treatment of dizziness, imbalance, and neurological conditions such as strokes, multiple sclerosis, spinal injuries, and brain injuries/concussions. BAM has multiple Parkinson's Wellness Recovery (PWR!) certified clinicians to assist in the treatment of Parkinson's disease. BAM also has a heated therapeutic pool on-site to provide treatment for orthopedic injuries, joint pain, and arthritis in a low-impact and soothing environment.

BAM's occupational therapists help individuals regain their independence and improve their daily living skills. They work with patients

who have suffered injuries, illnesses, or disabilities that affect their ability to perform everyday tasks such as bathing, dressing, and eating. Our occupational therapists work with individuals young and old to maximize their ability to perform functional tasks. Our occupational therapists also assist individuals with hand, wrist, and shoulder injuries, development delays, neurological conditions, work-related injuries, physical disabilities, and chronic pain to maximize their function.

Speech therapy is also available at BAM. The clinic's speech language pathologists work with patients who have communication and swallowing disorders. They provide individualized treatment plans to help patients improve their speaking skills, communication skills, cognitive abilities, and swallowing function.

At Balance and Mobility Therapy, patients can expect to receive high-quality care from a team of dedicated professionals. The clinic's therapists are experts in their respective fields and stay up-to-date with the latest research and techniques to ensure they provide the best possible care to their patients.

Overall, Balance and Mobility Therapy is a premier physical therapy clinic that offers a range of services to help individuals improve their physical function and overall well-being. Its dedicated team of therapists, personalized approach to care, and commitment to patient education make it an excellent choice for anyone seeking rehabilitation services.

BAM offers free walking and balance assessments. Visit their website at balanceandmobilitytherapy.com or call 419-824-3434 to learn more or schedule an appointment.

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FINALIST: Tireman Auto Service Centers

thetireman.com

TIRES**WINNER: Tri County Tire**

7511 Jerusalem Rd., Oregon, OH 43616
419-836-7788
tricitytire.com

FINALIST: Belle Tire

belletire.com

FINALIST: Tireman Auto Service Centers

thetireman.com

**GYM/FITNESS CENTER****WINNER: Planet Fitness**

3012 Navarre Ave., Oregon, OH 43616
419-463-2332
planetfitness.com/gyms/oregon-oh

FINALIST: Crunch Fitness – Toledo

crunch.com

FINALIST: Essence Mind

• Body Studio
essencembs.com

HAIR SALON**WINNER: Meraki Salon Studio**

406 S Wheeling St., Suite B,
Oregon, OH 43616
419-214-0025
merakisalonstudio.com

FINALIST: Ritual Salon, Waterville

ritualsalon.net

FINALIST: Embellir Salon, Maumee

embellirsalonmaumee.com

NAIL SALON**WINNER: Meraki Salon Studio**

406 S Wheeling St., Suite B,
Oregon, OH 43616
419-214-0025
merakisalonstudio.com

FINALIST: Sweet P Beauty Lounge

I PaintedByPae

vagaro.com/sweetpbeautylounge

FINALIST: Stilla Salon Spa Boutique, Sylvania

stillasalonsboutique.com

MASSAGE THERAPY**WINNER: Perrysburg****Massage – Amanda Ansley**

9666 US-20, Rossford, OH 43460
419-699-0485
perrysburgmassage.com

FINALIST: Healing Touch Esthetics

by Deb, Perrysburg

facebook.com/HealingTouchEsthetics

FINALIST: Open Arms Wellness Center

& Yoga Loft, Oregon

openarmsmassagestudio.com

PLASTIC SURGERY**WINNER: Arrowhead Plastic Surgeons**

12621 Eckel Junction Rd., Suite 2400,
Perrysburg, OH 43551
419-887-7000
arrowheadsurgeons.com

FINALIST: EVOLV Plastic Surgery & Medical Aesthetics – Dr. Frank Barone

evolvmedicalaesthetics.com

FINALIST: pekoMD: Peter Koltz, MD

pekcmd.com

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2175 Woodville Rd., Oregon, OH 43616,
419-351-7646
adrenalizedink.com

FINALIST: Amity Ink, Maumee
amityink.com

FINALIST: Infinite Art Tattoo Studio
iatattoo.com

YOGA STUDIO

WINNER: Essence Mind •
Body Studio
725 Ford Street, B, Maumee, OH 43537
419-873-6463
essencembs.com

FINALIST: Hot Room Toledo
hotroomtoledo.com

FINALIST: Afterglow Yoga and
Fitness, Sylvania
afterglowyogatoledo.com



DANCE SCHOOL

WINNER: Company C
Dance Club
6540 Central Ave., Toledo, OH 43617
419-841-9310
companycdanceclub.com

FINALIST: Toledo Ballet
toledoballet.com

FINALIST: Toledo Met
toledomet.com

COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY

WINNER: University of Toledo
2801 W. Bancroft St., Toledo, OH 43606
800-586-5336
utoledo.edu

FINALIST: Bowling Green
State University
bgsu.edu

FINALIST: Lourdes University
lourdes.edu

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

WINNER: Greenwood
Elementary
760 Northlawn Dr., Toledo, OH 43612
419-473-8263
wls4kids.org

FINALIST: Escuela SMART Academy
escuelasmartacademy.tps.org

FINALIST: Monac Elementary School
wls4kids.org

PRIVATE
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

WINNER: St. Joseph Parish
School
5411 Main St., Sylvania, OH 43560
419-885-5791
stjoesylvania.org

FINALIST: St. Joseph Catholic
School, Maumee
stjosephmaumee.org

FINALIST: Cardinal Stritch
Catholic Academy
cardinalstritch.org

MIDDLE SCHOOL/
JUNIOR HIGH

WINNER: Lake Middle School
28100 Lemoyne Rd., Millbury, OH 43447
419-661-6660
lakeschools.org

FINALIST: McCord Junior High School,
Sylvania
sylvaniaschools.org

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School, Sylvania
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A photograph of a modern living room interior. It features a blue sectional sofa with yellow and white striped pillows, a light wood coffee table, and a patterned armchair. The room is well-lit with lamps and natural light from a window.



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419-475-9359
nda.org

FINALIST: St Joseph Parish School,
Sylvania
stjoesylvania.org

FINALIST: Toledo Christian Schools
toledochristian.com

HIGH SCHOOL**WINNER:** Whitmer High School

5601 Clegg Dr., Toledo, OH 43613
419-473-8406
wls4kids.org

FINALIST: Sylvania Northview
High School
sylvaniaschools.org

FINALIST: Toledo School For the Arts
ts4arts.org

PRIVATE HIGH SCHOOL**WINNER:** Notre Dame

Academy
3535 W Sylvania Ave., Toledo, OH 43623
419-475-9359
nda.org

FINALIST: Central Catholic
High School
centralcatholic.org

FINALIST: St John's Jesuit
High School
sjjtoledo.org

**ART CLASSES****WINNER:** Toledo Museum of Art

2445 Monroe St., Toledo, OH 43620
419-255-8000
toledomuseum.org

FINALIST: Paint Your Place by
Jessica Mack
facebook.com/PaintYourPlaceByJessicaMack

FINALIST: Copper Moon Studio,
Holland
coppermoonstudio.com

ART GALLERY**WINNER:** Toledo Museum of Art

2445 Monroe St., Toledo, OH 43620
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toledomuseum.org

FINALIST: Firenation Glass Studio
and Gallery, Holland
firenation.com

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419-382-3416
toledocountryclub.com

FINALIST: Sylvania Country Club
sylvaniacc.org

FINALIST: Inverness Club
invernessclub.com

DOWNTOWN EXPERIENCE

WINNER: Toledo Mud Hens
406 Washington St., Toledo, OH 43604
milb.com/toledo

FINALIST: Toledo Zoo
toledozoo.org

FINALIST: Valentine Theatre
valentinetheatre.com

FAVORITE LOCAL
RADIO STATION

WINNER: 102.3 Proclaim FM
(WPOS)
PO Box 457 Holland, OH 43528
419-865-9767
proclaimfm.com

FINALIST: K100 (WKKO)
k100country.com

FINALIST: WRQN 93.5 FM
935wrqn.com

GOLF COURSE

WINNER: Toledo Country Club
3949 River Rd., Toledo, OH 43614
419-382-3416
toledocountryclub.com

FINALIST: Highland Meadows
Country Club
hmgolfclub.org

FINALIST: Sylvania Country Club
sylvaniacc.org

LOCAL FESTIVAL

WINNER: German-American
Festival
3624 Seaman Rd., Oregon, OH 43616
germanamericanfestival.net

FINALIST: Acoustics for Autism
acousticsforautism.com

FINALIST: Crosby Festival of the Arts
crosbyfest.com

LOCAL ATTRACTION

WINNER: Toledo Zoo
2 Hippo Way, Toledo, OH 43609
419-385-5721
toledozoo.org

FINALIST: Toledo Mud Hens
milb.com/toledo

FINALIST: Maumee Bay State Park
ohiodnr.gov



ATMOSPHERE/DINING

WINNER: Spaghetti Warehouse
42 S. Superior St., Toledo, OH 43604
419-255-5038
meatballs.com

FINALIST: The Heights
theheightstoledo.com

FINALIST: Ye Olde Durty Bird
yeoldedurtybird.com

BAKERY

WINNER: Wixey Bakery
2017 Glendale Ave., Toledo, OH 43614
419-382-6684
denise-wixey.squarespace.com

FINALIST: Haas Bakery, Oregon
haas-bakery.com

FINALIST: Brew House Coffee &
Bake Shop, Maumee
brewhousemaumee.com

BAR
WINNER: The Village Idiot
309 Conant St., Maumee, OH 43537
419-893-7281
villageidiotmaumee.com

FINALIST: Earnest Brew Works
earnestbrewworks.com

FINALIST: Maumee Bay Brewing Company
mbaybrew.com

BREAKFAST/BRUNCH
WINNER: Schmucker's Restaurant
2103 N. Reynolds Rd., Toledo, OH 43615
419-535-9116
schmuckersrestaurant.com

FINALIST: Mayberry Diner
mayberrydiners.com/

FINALIST: Manhattan's Pub 'n Cheer
manhattanstoledo.com

FAMILY FRIENDLY
WINNER: Spaghetti Warehouse
42 S Superior St., Toledo, OH 43604
419-255-5038
meatballs.com

FINALIST: Schmucker's Restaurant
schmuckersrestaurant.com

FINALIST: Rosie's Italian Grille
rosiesitaliangrille.com

HAMBURGER
WINNER: Five Guys
1395 Conant St., C, Maumee, OH 43537
419-893-3400
restaurants.fiveguys.com/1395-conant-street

FINALIST: Ye Olde Dirty Bird
yeoldedirtybird.com

FINALIST: Whiskey & The Wolf
whiskeyandthewolf.com

BBQ
WINNER: Shorty's True American Roadhouse
5111 Monroe St., Toledo, OH 43623
419-841-9505
shortystoledo.com

FINALIST: City Barbeque
citybbq.com

FINALIST: Outlaw Smokehouse, Napoleon
facebook.com/outlawsmokehouse18

COFFEE
WINNER: Brew House Coffee & Bake Shop
320 Conant St., Maumee, OH 43537
419-740-3222
brewhousemaumee.com

FINALIST: Tiedtke's Coffee, Maumee
tiedtkescoffee.com

FINALIST: Sip & Brew
facebook.com/SipandBrew.WestAlexis

FOOD TRUCK
WINNER: Rosie's Rolling Chef
606 N McCord Rd., Toledo, OH 43615
419-866-5007
rosiesitaliangrille.com/therollingchef

FINALIST: Wanna Make 'Er Loaded
getloaded419.com

FINALIST: Toledo Chuck Wagon
facebook.com/ToledoChuckWagon

HAPPY HOUR
WINNER: te'kela
5147 Main St., Sylvania, OH 43560
419-517-0233
tekelaococina.com

FINALIST: The Old Bag of Nails Pub
oldbagofnails.com

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rosiesitaliangrille.com

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sabasbistro1705.com

FINALIST: The Heights
theheightstoledo.com

FINALIST: Ground Round Grill & Bar
groundround.com/perrysburg

ICE CREAM/ FROZEN YOGURT

WINNER: Mr. Freeze

627 W. South Boundary St.,
Perrysburg, OH 43551
facebook.com/mymrfreeze

FINALIST: Handel's Homemade
Ice Cream
handelsicecream.com

FINALIST: Mr. G's Barn
mrgsbarn.com

ITALIAN RESTAURANT

WINNER: Rosie's Italian Grille

606 N McCord Rd., Toledo, OH 43615
419-866-5007
rosiesitaliangrille.com

FINALIST: Inky's Italian Foods
inkysitalianfoods.com

FINALIST: Spaghetti Warehouse
meatballs.com

LOCAL MICROBREWERY

WINNER: Maumee Bay Brewing Company

27 Broadway St., Toledo, OH 43604
419-243-1302
mbaybrew.com

FINALIST: Inside the Five
Brewing Company
insidethefivebrewing.com

FINALIST: Earnest Brew Works
earnestbrewworks.com

MARGARITAS

WINNER: Loma Linda Restaurant

10400 Airport Hwy., Swanton, OH 43558
419-865-5455
lomalandamexican.com/menu

FINALIST: Ventura's Mexican
Restaurant
venturasmexicanrestaurant.com

FINALIST: te'kela
tekelaococina.com

MEDITERRANEAN CUISINE

WINNER: The Beirut

4082 Monroe St., Toledo, OH 43606
419-473-0885
beirutrestaurant.com

FINALIST: Grape Leaf Diner, Holland
grape-leaf.com

FINALIST: Byblos
byblostoledo.com

MEXICAN

WINNER: Loma Linda Restaurant

10400 Airport Hwy, Swanton, OH 43558
419-865-5455
lomalandamexican.com/menu

FINALIST: San Marcos Restaurant
sanmarcosmexicanrestaurants.com

FINALIST: Ventura's Mexican
Restaurant
venturasmexicanrestaurant.com

NEW RESTAURANT

WINNER: Rosaria's on Third Street

135 W 3rd St., Perrysburg, OH 43551
567-898-2121
rosariason3rd.com

FINALIST: Cooper's Hawk Winery
& Restaurants
chwinery.com

FINALIST: Claude's Prime Seafood
claudesprimeseafood.com

OUTDOOR DINING

WINNER: Rosie's Italian Grille

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FINALIST: Ye Olde Dirty Bird
yeoldedirtybird.com

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theheightstoledo.com

PIZZA

WINNER: The Village Idiot

309 Conant St., Maumee, OH 43537
419-893-7281
villageidiotmaumee.com

FINALIST: Inky's Italian Foods
inkysitalianfoods.com

FINALIST: Caper's Pizza Bar
caperstoledo.com

SEAFOOD

WINNER: Real Seafood Company

22 Main St., Toledo, OH 43605
419-697-5427
realseafoodcorestaurant.com

FINALIST: The Seafood Restaurant,
Sylvania
theseafoodrestaurant.net

FINALIST: Jolly Rogers Seafood
House, Port Clinton
facebook.com/Jollyrogersseafoodhouse

STEAKHOUSE

WINNER: Mancy's Steakhouse

953 Phillips Ave., Toledo, OH 43612
419-476-4154
mancyssteakhouse.com

FINALIST: Texas Roadhouse
texasroadhouse.com

FINALIST: Benchmark Restaurant,
Perrysburg
benchmark-restaurant.com

WINGS

WINNER: Fricker's

1418 S Reynolds Rd., Maumee, OH 43537
419-891-9464
frickers.com

FINALIST: Ye Olde Dirty Bird
yeoldedirtybird.com

FINALIST: Buffalo Wild Wings
buffalowildwings.com/locations/us/oh/
toledo



APARTMENT COMMUNITY

WINNER: Lakes at Woodmont Apartments

10105 Woodmont Way,
Perrysburg, OH 43551
419-874-9874
choiceproperties.com/community/Lakes-
at-Woodmont

FINALIST: SOMO Flats, Sylvania
homeissomoflats.com

FINALIST: The Colony at
Waterville Landing
watervillecolony.com

ASSISTED LIVING FACILITY**WINNER: Parkcliffe****Community at Northwood**

3055 E. Plaza Blvd,
Northwood, OH 43619
419-698-3822
parkcliffe.com

FINALIST: The Lakes of Monclova

trilogys.com

FINALIST: Elizabeth Scott Community

elizabethscott.org

CANCER CARE CENTER**WINNER: ProMedica Flower Hospital Hickman Cancer Center**

5300 Harroun Rd. #010,
Sylvania, OH 43560
419-824-1952
promedica.org

FINALIST: Eleanor N. Dana Cancer Center

utmc.utoledo.edu/centers/cancer

FINALIST: Toledo Clinic Cancer Centers
toledoclinic.com/cancer-center**CARDIOVASCULAR PHYSICIAN****WINNER: George V. Moukarbel MD, UPMC**

3000 Arlington Ave., Toledo, OH 43614
419-383-3925
utmc.utoledo.edu/findaphysician

FINALIST: Ameer Kabour, MD, Toledo Cardiology

toledocardiology.com/dr_kabour

FINALIST: Brian A. Dolsey, MD, ProMedica Physicians Cardiology
promedica.org**DENTIST****WINNER: Dr. Matthew Maley, Maley Family Dental**

3780 N. King Rd., Toledo, OH 43617
419-882-0622
maleyfamilydental.com

FINALIST: Dr. Bethany Taylor, Haven Dental
havensmiles.com**FINALIST: Dr. William Huntzinger**
itneverhurtstosmile.com**DERMATOLOGY PRACTICE****WINNER: Anders Dermatology**

4126 N Holland Sylvania Rd., #200,
Toledo, OH 43623
419-473-3257
andersderm.com

FINALIST: Toledo Clinic Facial Plastics and Dermatology
toledoderm.com**FINALIST: Dermatology Associates – Dr. Beth A. Zavell, MD**
daohio.com**55+ RESIDENTIAL COMMUNITY****WINNER: Woodcreek Village**

103 Woodcreek Blvd,
Walbridge, OH 43465
419-666-2400
choiceproperties.com/community/
Woodcreek-Village

FINALIST: Genesis Village
genesisvillage.org**FINALIST: Mayberry Village, Sylvania**
theoffice419.com/mayberry-village-apartments-sylvania**HEARING CENTER****WINNER: Sam's Club Hearing Center**

2190 N. Park Dr., Holland, OH 43528
616-395-3190
samsclub.com

FINALIST: UPMC Audiology
utoledo.edu/hhs/clinics/speech**FINALIST: Costco Wholesale**
costco.com/hearing-aid-center.html

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FINALIST: Rosary Care Center,
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Toledo Clinic
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FINALIST: Ronald McDonald House Charities of NW Ohio
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FINALIST: Knight Insurance Group
knightinsurance.com

FINALIST: Country Lane Tree Farm, Genoa
countrylanetreefarm.com

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104 W. Broadway St.,
Maumee, OH 43537
419-893-4848
stjosephmaumee.org

FINALIST: CedarCreek Church
cedarcreek.tv/perrysburg

FINALIST: Epworth United Methodist Church
epworth.com

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WINNER: Toledo Zoo

2 Hippo Way, Toledo, OH 43609
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FINALIST: Urban Air Trampoline
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stillasalonspaboutique.com

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remodeltoledo.com

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FINALIST: Ken Knight, Knight Insurance Group
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FINALIST: Jeff Traudt, State Farm
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actionsewer.net

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13abc.com

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wtol.com

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FINALIST: Consign It! Home Interiors
consignittoledo.com

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durocheronline.com

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westtoledoanimalhospital.com/

FINALIST: A Doggie Do & Daycare Too, Perrysburg
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FINALIST: High Point Animal Hospital, Maumee/Whitehouse
highpointanimalhospital.com

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2435 OH-51, Genoa, OH 43430
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FINALIST: Premier Wealth Management Group
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FINALIST: Frank and Donna's Painting and Remodeling

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