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## 134<sup>th</sup> Ohio General Assembly Guide

All of the statewide offices, the Ohio House of Representatives, and Ohio Senate will remain in Republican control.

The Ohio General Assembly added 24 newly elected legislators who did not serve in the previous General Assembly. There are 64 Republicans and 35 Democrats in the Ohio House of Representatives. Democrats were able to pick up one seat: District 16; however, Republicans were able to pick up 4 seats: Districts 63, 75, 96, and 99.

The Ohio Senate added six new senators, four of whom previously served in the Ohio House of Representatives. There are 25 Republicans and 8 Democrats. Republicans were able to pick up Senate District 32, previously held by Sean O'Brien.







U.S. Congressional and Senate races in Ohio remained unchanged as all incumbents won reelection. One Congressional seat, formerly held by Congresswoman Marcia Fudge, is now vacant as she plans to be appointed to lead the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD). Two Ohio Supreme Court races took place with Republican incumbent Sharon Kennedy defeating Democrat John O'Donnell and Democrat Jennifer Brunner defeating Republican incumbent Judith French. The Ohio Supreme Court now has four Republican and three Democrat justices. Overall, at the federal level, Joe Biden was elected President and the Democrats were able to gain control of the U.S. House and the U.S. Senate.

### *Statewide Elected Officials*





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| <b>Governor</b><br><b>Mike DeWine</b><br>Cedarville<br>Republican                   | <b>Secretary of State</b><br><b>Frank LaRose</b><br>Hudson<br>Republican            | <b>Treasurer</b><br><b>Robert Sprague</b><br>Findlay<br>Republican                  | <b>Auditor</b><br><b>Keith Faber</b><br>Celina<br>Republican                         | <b>Attorney General</b><br><b>Dave Yost</b><br>Columbus<br>Republican                 |
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# Ohio House of Representatives

## House Majority Leadership

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| <b>Speaker</b><br><b>Bob Cupp</b><br>Republican                                   | <b>Speaker Pro Tempore</b><br><b>Tim Ginter</b><br>Republican                     | <b>Majority Floor Leader</b><br><b>Bill Seitz</b><br>Republican                   | <b>Asst. Majority Floor Leader</b><br><b>Rick Carfagna</b><br>Republican           | <b>Majority Whip</b><br><b>Don Jones</b><br>Republican                              | <b>Asst. Majority Whip</b><br><b>Cindy Abrams</b><br>Republican                     |
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## House Minority Leadership

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| <b>Minority Leader</b><br><b>Emilia Sykes</b><br>Democrat                           | <b>Asst. Minority Leader</b><br><b>Kristin Boggs</b><br>Democrat                    | <b>Minority Whip</b><br><b>Paula Hicks- Hudson</b><br>Democrat                       | <b>Asst. Majority Whip</b><br><b>Richard Brown</b><br>Democrat                        |
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## Ohio House Members

Each House seat falls within one Senate district, and that Senate district is comprised of three House seats. Below, each House member's Senator is listed followed by the three House members whose districts lie within that Senate district.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Scott Wiggam  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 1<br>Wayne County                                 |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Wooster  |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-1474  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep01@ohiohouse.gov                               |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his third term, eligible to run for one more term | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Kristina Roegner<br>(Roemer, Weinstein, Wiggam) |

### BIO:

Rep. Wiggam served three years as a Wayne County Commissioner. During his tenure, he focused on economic development initiatives, pro-agricultural policies, and conservative values. Prior to his service as commissioner, he owned and operated a restaurant with 20 employees. He earned a bachelor's degree from Asbury College and a master's degree in Political Science from the University of Akron. Rep. Wiggam is also a United States Air Force Veteran. He and his wife Katie have three children.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Marilyn S. John  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 2<br>Richland County                  |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican  | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Shelby                             |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-5802   | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep02@ohiohouse.gov                   |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving her first term, eligible to run for three more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Mark Romanchuk<br>(John, Kick, Ray) |

### BIO:

Rep. John served as the Mayor of Shelby and then County Commissioner of Richland County for the last six years. She also worked as a Commercial Lines Underwriter at the Shelby Insurance Company. Later, she went on to become the Executive Director of the Shelby Senior Center. After graduating from Plymouth High School, she attended North Central State College earning an Associate Degree in Business Management. She then earned a bachelor's degree in Business Management and Marketing and a Master of Business Administration from Ashland University. She and her husband have been married since 1995 and have two children.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Haraz Ghanbari   | <b>DISTRICT: 3</b><br>Wood County                                     |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican  | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Perrysburg  |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-8104   | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep03@ohiohouse.gov                                  |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his first term, eligible to run for three more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Theresa Gavarone<br>(Ghanbari, Merrin, Swearingen) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Ghanbari is a Navy veteran of Operation Enduring Freedom in Afghanistan and Operation Inherent Resolve, and an Army veteran of Operation Joint Forge in Bosnia. Previously, he served as the Director of Military and Veteran Affairs for The University of Toledo. Prior to joining UT, he was a staff photojournalist for The Associated Press based in Washington where his assignments included traveling nationally and internationally as a member of the White House and Pentagon press corps. During his time in Washington, he traveled on assignment with Presidents George W. Bush and Barack Obama, Secretaries of Defense Donald H. Rumsfeld and Robert M. Gates, and Secretary of State Hillary Rodham Clinton.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Bob Cupp (Speaker)  | <b>DISTRICT: 4</b><br>Allen County                            |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Lima                                      |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-9624  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep04@ohiohouse.gov                          |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his fourth term, not eligible to run for another term | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Matt Huffman<br>(Cupp, Manchester, Vitale) |

**BIO:**

Speaker Cupp has served as an elected official in numerous capacities including as an Allen County commissioner, a state senator, a court-of-appeals judge, and a justice of the Supreme Court of Ohio. He also served as a city prosecutor and as Chief Legal Counsel to Ohio Auditor of State, Dave Yost. In the Senate, he served two terms as the President Pro Tempore. In addition to his public service, he engaged in the private practice of law in Lima for more than 25 years. He and his wife Libby have two sons and two grandchildren.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Tim Ginter (Speaker Pro Tempore)  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 5<br>Columbiana County                             |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Salem   |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-8022  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep05@ohiohouse.gov                                |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his fourth term, not eligible to run for another term | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Michael Rulli<br>(Cutrona, Ginter, Lepore-Hagan) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Ginter has a broad background of work experience as a machinist, director of development and vice-president of marketing with an IT company and has been an ordained minister for 37 years during which time he has pastored five different churches. He received his education at Mount Vernon Nazarene University and Nazarene Bible College. Rep. Ginter lives in Salem with his wife of 37 years, Pam, and they have one daughter, Angie, and three grandchildren.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Phil Robinson   | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 6<br>East & Southeast Cuyahoga County        |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Solon                                     |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-8022  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep06@ohiohouse.gov                          |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his second term, eligible to run for two more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Matt Dolan<br>(Patton, Robinson, M. Smith) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Robinson earned an undergraduate degree in finance from George Washington University and then served in the office of U.S. Senator Dianne Feinstein (D-Calif). He has served at City Year Cleveland, an education nonprofit that partners with public schools to help keep students in school and on track to graduate, as its executive director. Rep. Robinson is married with two children.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Tom Patton  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 7<br>Southwest Cuyahoga County               |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Strongsville                              |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-4895  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep07@ohiohouse.gov                          |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his third term, eligible to run for one more term | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Matt Dolan<br>(Patton, Robinson, M. Smith) |

**BIO:**

The son of a Cleveland police officer and the father of a Cleveland Heights police officer who tragically died in the line of duty, Representative Patton has been a champion for police, firefighters, and first responders. Rep. Patton has served in both the Ohio House and Senate and has returned for a second stint in the House. A widower, he raised his five daughters and one son in Strongsville and has eight grandchildren.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Kent Smith  | <b>DISTRICT: 8</b><br>Northeast Cuyahoga County          |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Euclid                               |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-5441  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep08@ohiohouse.gov                     |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his fourth term, not eligible to run for another term | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Kenny Yuko<br>(Brent, K. Smith, Troy) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Smith joined the Ohio House of Representatives after serving as a Member of the Euclid Board of Education. Prior to joining the Ohio General Assembly, Representative Smith worked for the Cuyahoga County Prosecutors Office, which included an assignment with the Ohio Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force. Rep. Smith has announced roller derby for the past 11 years and was one of 15 American roller derby voices selected to help announce the 2018 Roller Derby World Cup in Manchester, England.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Janine Boyd   | <b>DISTRICT: 9</b><br>East Cleveland                          |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Cleveland Heights                         |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)644-5079  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep09@ohiohouse.gov                          |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving her fourth term, not eligible to run for another term | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Sandra Williams<br>(Boyd, Howse, Upchurch) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Boyd sits on the board of the Ohio Children's Trust Fund, Ohio's sole, dedicated public funding source for child abuse and neglect prevention. As a former Cleveland Heights council member, Rep. Boyd worked on a mentoring and juvenile diversion program and expanded human rights laws to increase protections for members of the LGBT community. She also served as an active member on the Joint Legislative Committee on Multi-System Youth, ensuring that young people have access to mental health, developmental disability and welfare services.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Terrence Upchurch   | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 10<br>North Cleveland                        |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Cleveland                                 |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-7954  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep10@ohiohouse.gov                          |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his second term, eligible to run for two more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Sandra Williams<br>(Boyd, Howse, Upchurch) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Upchurch was born and raised in the greater Collinwood and Glenville communities and is a graduate of St. Peter Chanel High School. He earned a bachelor’s degree in Political Science from Cleveland State University and is pursuing a Master of Public Administration Degree from Villanova University. Most recently, he served as a special assistant to Cleveland City Council and previously worked alongside Cuyahoga County Councilman Anthony Hairston.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Stephanie Howse   | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 11<br>East Cleveland                         |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Cleveland Heights                         |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)644-1414  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep11@ohiohouse.gov                          |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving her fourth term, not eligible to run for another term | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Sandra Williams<br>(Boyd, Howse, Upchurch) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Howse earned her undergraduate degree in Civil Environmental Engineering from Florida A&M University and her master’s degree in Environmental Studies from Cleveland State University. In 2002 Rep. Howse took the first step in heeding her call to public and community service by starting Footprints, a girls’ leadership development and mentoring organization dedicated to nurturing and cultivating a positive self-image in girls ages 9 – 17. In addition to her work with Footprints, she has also served on Cleveland City Council.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Juanita Brent   | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 12<br>Southeast Cleveland               |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Cleveland Heights                    |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-1408  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep12@ohiohouse.gov                     |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving her second term, eligible to run for two more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Kenny Yuko<br>(Brent, K. Smith, Troy) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Brent is from Cleveland, is the niece of the late state Rep. Vermel Whalen, and is a former Ohio Democratic Party field director who left a job at the Defense Finance and Accounting Services office in order to represent the constituents of the 12<sup>th</sup> House District.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Michael Skindell  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 13<br>Northwest Cleveland                         |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Lakewood                                       |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-5921  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep13@ohiohouse.gov                               |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his second term, eligible to run for two more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Nickie Antonio<br>(Crossman, Skindell, Sweeney) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Skindell earned a bachelor's degree from Walsh College and his law degree from the Cleveland-Marshall College of Law. He has served as an Assistant Ohio Attorney General under Attorney General Anthony J. Celebrezze, Jr. Between 1989 and 1999, he served as a hearing officer for the Ohio Department of Health, presiding over nearly 300 cases of resident abuse and rights violations in nursing homes. He also started a private practice that continues today, representing consumers.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Bride Sweeney   | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 14<br>West Cleveland                              |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Cleveland                                      |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-3350  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep14@ohiohouse.gov                               |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving her second term, eligible to run for two more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Nickie Antonio<br>(Crossman, Skindell, Sweeney) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Sweeney was born and raised on the same street on the West side of Cleveland where her grandparents raised their family. She is a lifelong Cleveland native and graduate of John Carroll University, where she studied political science, business, and leadership. Following graduation from college, she applied and was selected to be a fellow for the Ohio Legislative Service Commission. After that, she worked for the Ohio Senate Democratic Caucus for a variety of different senators, including directly working for two minority leaders.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Jeffrey Crossman  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 15<br>Southwest Cleveland                         |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Parma  |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-3350  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep15@ohiohouse.gov                               |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his second term, eligible to run for two more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Nickie Antonio<br>(Crossman, Skindell, Sweeney) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Crossman earned a B.A. at the University of Mount Union with a concentration in Sociology and Political Science, an M.A. from the University of Akron in Sociology and his J.D. from the Cleveland-Marshall College of Law. He was elected three times to Parma City Council and was a vocal advocate for improving school and for the children of the Parma community.







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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Monique Smith  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 16<br>Northwest Cuyahoga County              |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat  | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Fairview Park                             |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-0961   | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep16@ohiohouse.gov                          |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving her first term, eligible to run for three more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Matt Dolan<br>(Patton, Robinson, M. Smith) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Smith previously served as City Councilmember for the City of Lakewood from 2010-2014. Prior to her time on council, Smith served in AmeriCorps and on several local improvement boards and clubs to build better communities and encourage participation in the democratic process. She has also worked in marketing and sales at several private sector companies. She was born in Ohio, graduated from The Ohio State University and has lived in the Greater Cleveland area with her husband for nearly 20 years. Smith, her husband and two children currently live in Fairview Park.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Adam Miller   | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 17<br>Southwest Columbus                         |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Columbus                                      |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)644-6005  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep17@ohiohouse.gov                              |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his third term, eligible to run for one more term | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Tina Maharath<br>(Brown, Lightbody, A. Miller) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Miller is an attorney specializing in representing school districts. He assists school district leaders in a host of legal matters, including labor contract negotiations, student legal issues, and administrative contracts. In addition to his legal career, he is a former School Board member, former public-school teacher and superintendent of schools. Rep. Miller is a Lieutenant Colonel in the Army Reserve and helped start a statewide non-profit organization dedicated to serving the legal needs of veterans and military families.





**NAME:**  
Kristin Boggs (Asst. Minority Leader)

**PARTY:**  
Democrat

**PHONE:**  
(614)466-1896

**TERM ELIGIBILITY:**  
Serving her third term, eligible to run for one more term

**DISTRICT: 18**  
Central Columbus

**HOMETOWN:**  
Columbus

**EMAIL:**  
Rep18@ohiohouse.gov

**SENATOR:**  
Hearcel Craig  
(Boggs, Crawley, Jarrells)

**BIO:**

Rep. Boggs graduated from Cleveland-Marshall College of Law and joined the Office of the Ohio Attorney General serving as an assistant attorney general for nearly 10 years. In the Attorney General’s office, Boggs assisted some of Ohio’s most vulnerable populations in recovering from crimes of financial exploitation and physical abuse. Rep. Boggs has also served as a board member for the American Constitution Society since 2010, she volunteered as a Court Appointed Special Advocate for Franklin County and was a working committee member of the Ohio Women’s Bar Association 2013 Leadership Institute.



**NAME:**  
Mary Lightbody

**PARTY:**  
Democrat

**PHONE:**  
(614)466-4847

**TERM ELIGIBILITY:**  
Serving her second term, eligible to run for two more terms

**DISTRICT: 19**  
Northeast Franklin County

**HOMETOWN:**  
Westerville

**EMAIL:**  
Rep19@ohiohouse.gov

**SENATOR:**  
Tina Maharath  
(Brown, Lightbody, A. Miller)

**BIO:**

Rep. Lightbody earned an undergraduate degree from Harvard and a doctorate in science education from Ohio State University. For the last 25 years she has been in K-12 and university classrooms in central Ohio teaching science. For the last 12 years, she taught future teachers at Otterbein and the Ohio State University’s Newark Branch. She grew up in Pepper Pike, east of Cleveland, and graduated from Orange High School.



**NAME:**  
Richard Brown (Asst. Majority Whip)

**PARTY:**  
Democrat

**PHONE:**  
(614)644-6002

**TERM ELIGIBILITY:**  
Serving his second term, eligible to run for two more terms

**DISTRICT: 20**  
East & Southeast Franklin County

**HOMETOWN:**  
Canal Winchester

**EMAIL:**  
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**SENATOR:**  
Tina Maharath  
(Brown, Lightbody, A. Miller)

**BIO:**

Rep. Brown is an attorney whose career has focused on hundreds of construction, oil and gas, medical malpractice and insurance coverage litigation cases with various federal courts and the United States Sixth Circuit Court of Appeals. He is heavily involved in his local community, including being a youth baseball coach.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Beth Liston   | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 21<br>West & Northwest Franklin County       |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Dublin                                    |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)644-6030  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep21@ohiohouse.gov                          |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving her second term, eligible to run for two more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Stephanie Kunze<br>(Lanese, Liston, Russo) |

**BIO:**

Dr. Liston is a faculty member at Nationwide Children's hospital and an Assistant Professor of Clinical Internal Medicine and Pediatrics at The Ohio State University. Dr. Liston also provides consultative services for adult and pediatric inpatients at Nationwide Children's Hospital as well as at the University Hospitals, The James Cancer Hospital and Solove Research Institute and the Richard M. Ross Heart Hospital.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>David Leland  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 22<br>North-central Franklin County            |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Columbus                                    |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-2473  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep22@ohiohouse.gov                            |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his fourth term, not eligible to run for another term | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Andrew Brenner<br>(Carfagna, Jordan, Leland) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Leland was first elected to the Ohio House of Representatives at age 29, authoring seven bills into law and was voted the outstanding freshman State Representative of the 115th Ohio General Assembly. Rep. Leland returned to the Ohio House in 2014. An avid baseball fan, Rep. Leland serves on the Board of Trustees of the Columbus Clippers and is a partner at the Columbus Law firm Carpenter, Lipps & Leland.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Laura Lanese  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 23<br>Southwest Franklin County              |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Grove City                                |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-2473  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep23@ohiohouse.gov                          |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving her third term, eligible to run for one more term | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Stephanie Kunze<br>(Lanese, Liston, Russo) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Lanese previously held a position on the Grove City Council as the at-large council representative. She worked as an attorney with the United States Department of Justice and has worked as the pro se habeas corpus law clerk for the United States District Court in the Southern District of Ohio, where she focused on the constitutional issues of prisoner appeals. Her background also includes military service as an administrative specialist in the Ohio Air National Guard and as an intelligence and legal specialist in the United States Army Reserve.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Allison Russo   | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 24<br>West Franklin County                   |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Upper Arlington                           |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-8012  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep24@ohiohouse.gov                          |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving her second term, eligible to run for two more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Stephanie Kunze<br>(Lanese, Liston, Russo) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Russo has spent two decades advising leaders and policymakers on issues related to the healthcare financing and care delivery needs of seniors, vulnerable populations, veterans and military families. She is the Policy Research Director for a healthcare policy consulting firm. Rep. Russo and her husband Brian have been married for 17 years and have three young children.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Dontavius Jarrells   | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 25<br>Northeast Columbus                      |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat  | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Columbus                                   |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-5343   | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep25@ohiohouse.gov                           |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his first term, eligible to run for three more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Hearcel Craig<br>(Boggs, Crawley, Jarrells) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Jarrells previously held positions at the Ohio House of Representatives during the 129th General Assembly. He also worked for the Ohio Association of County Behavioral Health Authorities and Ohio Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services. In addition, he has served as Political Director for a statewide executive office race and most recently served as Chief of Communications at the Franklin County Treasurer’s Office. He graduated from East Technical High School in Cleveland and earned a degree from Hiram College in Northeast Ohio.





**NAME:**  
Erica Crawley

**PARTY:**  
Democrat

**PHONE:**  
(614)466-8010

**TERM ELIGIBILITY:**  
Serving her second term,  
eligible to run for two more  
terms

**DISTRICT: 26**  
East Columbus

**HOMETOWN:**  
Columbus

**EMAIL:**  
Rep26@ohiohouse.gov

**SENATOR:**  
Hearcel Craig  
(Boggs, Crawley, Jarrells)

**BIO:**

Rep. Crawley was born and raised in Youngstown, Ohio. She is a veteran of the United States Navy serving on active duty in Norfolk, Virginia. Rep. Crawley was awarded the National Defense Service Medal and the Navy & Marine Corps Achievement Medal for her service during Operation Iraqi Freedom. She has since spent many years working with organizations advocating on behalf of children and families with the Cuyahoga County Job & Family Services, YMCA Head Start/Early Head Start Program, Court Appointed Special Advocates for Children (CASA), and the Black Child Development Institute – Atlanta Affiliate.



**NAME:**  
Tom Brinkman, Jr.

**PARTY:**  
Republican

**PHONE:**  
(614)644-6886

**TERM ELIGIBILITY:**  
Serving his fourth term, not  
eligible to run for another term

**DISTRICT: 27**  
East Hamilton County

**HOMETOWN:**  
Mt. Lookout

**EMAIL:**  
Rep27@ohiohouse.gov

**SENATOR:**  
Steve Wilson  
(Brinkman, Lipps, Zeltwanger)

**BIO:**

Rep. Brinkman previously served as a member of the Ohio House of Representatives from 2001 to 2008. An experienced life insurance salesman and a life-long resident of Cincinnati, Rep. Brinkman is a graduate of George Washington University in Washington, D.C. (1979), with a Bachelor of Arts degree in History and Political Science. He lives in Mt. Lookout with his wife, Cathy, and six children.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Jessica Miranda   | <b>DISTRICT: 28</b><br>Northern Hamilton County                    |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Forest Park                                    |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-8120  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep28@ohiohouse.gov                               |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving her second term, eligible to run for two more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Louis Blessing, III<br>(Abrams, Miranda, Seitz) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Miranda serves as the President of the Winton Woods City School Board and is a small business owner providing insurance and tax services to middle- and working-class families. She is currently a sitting Board Member for the Latino Coalition of Southwest Ohio, and a Board member of the Forest Park Chamber of Commerce. Rep. Miranda is a National Franchise Owner and has over 10 years of financial services experience and is the CEO of Uno Tax, LLC d/b/a Fiesta Auto Insurance & Tax Service. She is a Licensed Property & Casualty Insurance Broker and holds numerous IRS certifications.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Cindy Abrams (Asst. Majority Whip)                                       | <b>DISTRICT: 29</b><br>Western Hamilton County                     |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican  | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Harrison                                       |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-9091   | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep29@ohiohouse.gov                               |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving her first term, eligible to run for three more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Louis Blessing, III<br>(Abrams, Miranda, Seitz) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Abrams has served as a city councilwoman since 2016 and previously was a Cincinnati police officer. With her background in law enforcement, local government and community involvement, she has an outstanding record of community leadership. She is committed to making sure her community continues to have a strong voice at the Statehouse.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Bill Seitz (Majority Floor Leader)                                    | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 30<br>Southern and Central Cincinnati             |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Cincinnati                                     |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-8258  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep30@ohiohouse.gov                               |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his third term, eligible to run for one more term | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Louis Blessing, III<br>(Abrams, Miranda, Seitz) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Seitz began his public service career as a member of the Cincinnati Board of Education and the St. Antoninus Parish Education Commission. He was twice elected Green Township Trustee, where he also served as President of the Hamilton County Township Association. Rep. Seitz has been at the forefront of criminal and civil justice issues, leading the effort to reform Ohio's criminal sentencing laws and eliminate the barriers to employment following a release from prison. A lawyer since 1978, he is currently of Counsel with Dinsmore and Shohl and for the last ten years he has been listed in the Best Lawyers in America book.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Brigid Kelly  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 31<br>Eastern Cincinnati                  |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Cincinnati                             |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-5786  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep31@ohiohouse.gov                       |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving her third term, eligible to run for one more term | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Cecil Thomas<br>(Denson, Ingram, Kelly) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Kelly attended Saint Ursula Academy, earned an undergraduate degree from Xavier University, and a Master of Arts degree from the University of Cincinnati. As a former city council member in Norwood and current representative for men and women at the United Food and Commercial Workers Union (UFCW), she wants to build on the experience she's gained from both her professional and personal life to help improve the lives of everyday Ohioans.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Catherine Ingram  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 32<br>Central Cincinnati                  |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Cincinnati                             |
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| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving her third term, eligible to run for one more term | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Cecil Thomas<br>(Denson, Ingram, Kelly) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Ingram has been a member of the Cincinnati Board of Education for over 20 years, serving as president and vice president in the mid-90's. She has served on numerous Board of Education committees and, for many years, in a leadership role as Finance Committee chair. Professionally, Rep. Ingram is an instructor at Northern Kentucky University and an independent consultant, working extensively on the local, state and federal levels to advance key issues facing education.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Sedrick Denson  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 33<br>Northeast Cincinnati                |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Bond Hill                              |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-1308  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep33@ohiohouse.gov                       |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his second term, eligible to run for two more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Cecil Thomas<br>(Denson, Ingram, Kelly) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Denson previously served as Chief of Staff to Councilmember Wendell Young for six years. From City Hall he went on to serve as Southwest Ohio Outreach Director for Ohio’s Future Action Fund, a labor-backed organization. Rep. Denson is currently the Southwest Ohio Director for the Ohio Environmental Council. He resides in the community of Bond Hill and has one son Harper with his partner Melanie.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Emilia Sykes (Minority Leader)  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 34<br>Akron                                   |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Akron                                      |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-3100  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep34@ohiohouse.gov                           |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving her fourth term, not eligible to run for another term | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Vernon Sykes<br>(Galonski, Sykes, B. Young) |

**BIO:**

Leader Sykes previously served as Administrative Staff Advisor at the Summit County Fiscal Office, where she worked to establish a county land bank to repurpose vacant and abandoned properties. At Community Legal Services in Akron, she offered access to quality health and legal services to people in need. She also served as Law Clerk to the Chief Judge of U.S. Bankruptcy Court in the Northern District of Georgia.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Tavia Galonski  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 35<br>Southern Akron                          |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Akron                                      |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)644-6037  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep35@ohiohouse.gov                           |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving her second term, eligible to run for two more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Vernon Sykes<br>(Galonski, Sykes, B. Young) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Galonski was previously a magistrate in the Summit County Court of Common Pleas of the county’s domestic relations court, she most recently served as magistrate of the county’s juvenile court before coming to the state legislature. Prior to that she was employed with Delta Airlines as a flight attendant. She is married to Summit County Chief Assistant Prosecutor John Galonski. They have a son, a daughter and a grandson.







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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Bob Young  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 36<br>Southern Summit County                  |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican  | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Green                                      |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-1790   | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep36@ohiohouse.gov                           |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his first term, eligible to run for three more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Vernon Sykes<br>(Galonski, Sykes, B. Young) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Young has extensive experience in public service through seven years as a senior member of Green City Council. He also served as the Chairperson of the Community and Economic Development Committee. He has a variety of different jobs as an entrepreneur, a realtor and auctioneer that has given him a diverse professional background. He married his Green High School sweetheart, Tina, and they have four school-age children. They have built their life together with their family and reside in the City of Green.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Casey Weinstein   | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 37<br>Northeast Summit County                     |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Hudson   |
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| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his second term, eligible to run for two more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Kristina Roegner<br>(Roemer, Weinstein, Wiggam) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Weinstein proudly served as the Ward 2 representative on Hudson's City Council where he was first elected in 2015. He is a 2004 graduate of the United States Air Force Academy and served on Active Duty as Deputy Chief of Information Assurance at Space & Missile Systems Center in Los Angeles and as Officer in Charge of Maintenance Support at Wright-Patterson, Air Force Base. He currently works for Gartner, Inc, an information technology firm, managing a team responsible for business development, sales, and account management activities for the U.S. Air Force market.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Bill Roemer   | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 38<br>Western Summit & Stark Counties             |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Richfield                                      |
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| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his second term, eligible to run for two more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Kristina Roegner<br>(Wiggam, Weinstein, Roemer) |

**BIO:**

During his tenure as a member of Summit County Council, Roemer put his business acumen and financial experience as a CPA to work, helping balance the budget and working to keep taxes low. A former educator and longtime supporter of our schools, Roemer currently serves as Vice President of the Summit Educational Service Center Board of Governors, which helps provide important educational services to children throughout the community.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Willis Blackshear Jr.  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 39<br>Dayton                                    |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat  | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Dayton                                       |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-1607   | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep39@ohiohouse.gov                             |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his first term, eligible to run for three more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Steve Huffman<br>(Blackshear, Creech, Powell) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Blackshear is a Dayton-area native who formerly served as an outreach specialist at the Montgomery County Auditor’s Office and earned his BA in Political Science from Wright State University in Dayton.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Phil Plummer  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 40<br>Northern Montgomery County             |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Dayton                                    |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)644-8051  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep40@ohiohouse.gov                          |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his second term, eligible to run for two more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Niraj Antani<br>(Plummer, White, T. Young) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Plummer joined the Montgomery County Sheriff’s Office in 1988 where he began his career as a corrections officer. In 2008 Phil Plummer was appointed as Sheriff of Montgomery County. Sheriff Plummer also brings unique experience to his office with executive training from The FBI National Academy, The FBI National Executive Institute, and the Secret Service Executive Leadership Academy.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Andrea White   | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 41<br>Eastern Montgomery County              |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican  | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Kettering                                 |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)644-6008   | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep41@ohiohouse.gov                          |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving her first term, eligible to run for three more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Niraj Antani<br>(Plummer, White, T. Young) |

**BIO:**

Rep. White served as Clerk of Court for Kettering Municipal Court since 2004. Prior to that role, she ran a small business providing communications and process improvement solutions for small and large companies and non-profit organizations. She is a graduate of Centerville High School and earned a bachelor’s degree in communications from Wright State University. She resides in Kettering with her husband where they raised three daughters.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Tom Young  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 42<br>Southern Montgomery County             |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican  | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Centerville                               |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-6504   | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep42@ohiohouse.gov                          |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his first term, eligible to run for three more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Niraj Antani<br>(Plummer, White, T. Young) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Young is a leader and community activist in the Dayton region. He has lived in his district for more than 40 years. Currently, he works as the Senior Vice President at a wealth management firm. He previously served on the Wright State University Board of Trustees and the Montgomery County Board of Elections. He is the father of three children. He resides in Washington Township.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Rodney Creech  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 43<br>Preble County & western Montgomery County |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican  | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>West Alexandria                              |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-2960   | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep43@ohiohouse.gov                             |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his first term, eligible to run for three more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Steve Huffman<br>(Blackshear, Creech, Powell) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Creech was born and raised on his family’s fourth-generation farm in West Alexandria. He attended Morehead State University where he earned a bachelor’s degree in Agronomy and an area study in Turf Science. Shortly after graduating college, he started a small lawn care business that now has over 40 employees. He served as a Twin Township Trustee for six years before he was elected as a Preble County Commissioner, where he served from 2014 to 2020. He resides on his family farm with his wife Jeanne and two daughters.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Paula Hicks-Hudson (Minority Whip)                                      | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 44<br>Toledo                                       |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Toledo  |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-1401  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep44@ohiohouse.gov                                |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving her second term, eligible to run for two more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Theresa Fedor<br>(Hicks-Hudson, Sheehy, Sobecki) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Hicks-Hudson has worked as an attorney for the Toledo Legal Aid Society, an assistant prosecutor for Lucas County, Toledo City Council’s legislative director, director of the Lucas County Board of Elections, an assistant public defender and chief legal counsel for Governor Ted Strickland’s budget department.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Lisa Sobecki  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 45<br>Northeast Toledo                             |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Toledo  |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)644-6017  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep45@ohiohouse.gov                                |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving her second term, eligible to run for two more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Theresa Fedor<br>(Hicks-Hudson, Sheehy, Sobecki) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Sobecki is a long-time public servant. She first served in the U.S. Navy as the first female fire safety instructor as an enlisted sailor. Later, she served as school board member for Toledo Public Schools for eight years. She has also worked as an economic support specialist for the Lucas County Job and Family Services and was active within her union, AFSCME Local 544-01, and served as the chapter’s chair. Lisa currently lives in Point Place. She is married, has two sons, one granddaughter, and one daughter-in-law.

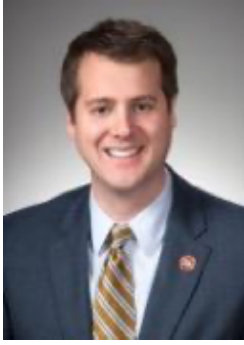


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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Michael Sheehy  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 46<br>Toledo & Eastern Lucas County                |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Toledo  |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-1418  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep46@ohiohouse.gov                                |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his fourth term, not eligible to run for another term | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Theresa Fedor<br>(Hicks-Hudson, Sheehy, Sobecki) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Sheehy earned his bachelor’s degree from the University of Toledo 1971 where he was also commissioned a Lieutenant in the US Army. He served as a personnel administrative officer during the Vietnam war era. Upon his return from military service, Rep. Sheehy continued his employment on the CSX Railroad as yard conductor. He also held local union offices with The United Transportation Union (SMART) and was chairman of Operation RED BLOCK, a corporation sponsored, union operated committee to ensure a drug and alcohol-free workplace.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Derek Merrin  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 47<br>Portions of Fulton & Lucas Counties            |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Monclova Township                                 |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-1731  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep47@ohiohouse.gov                                  |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his third term, eligible to run for one more term | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Theresa Gavarone<br>(Ghanbari, Merrin, Swearingen) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Merrin is a real estate investor. In 2005, he was elected to serve on Waterville City Council, and two years later, he was elected mayor of Waterville at 21 years old, becoming the youngest-sitting mayor in Ohio. He served from 2008-2011. In 2012, Rep. Merrin was tapped by State Auditor Dave Yost to conduct performance audits for financially strapped schools and cities throughout Ohio. He later moved into an administrative role, representing the State Auditor’s office in northwest Ohio.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Scott Oelslager   | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 48<br>Canton & Northern Stark County            |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Canton                                       |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)752-2438  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep48@ohiohouse.gov                             |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his second term, eligible to run for two more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Kirk Schuring<br>(Oelslager, Stoltzfus, West) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Oelslager worked as an aide to former Ohio Congressman Ralph Regula, and later served as director of public relations for Malone College. He has served the people of Stark County in both the Ohio House and Senate since 1985. Rep. Oelslager received his bachelor’s degree from Mount Union and earned his law degree from Capital University Law School. He and his wife, Elsie, reside in North Canton.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Thomas West   | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 49<br>Canton & Southern Stark County            |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Canton                                       |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-8030  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep49@ohiohouse.gov                             |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his second term, eligible to run for two more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Kirk Schuring<br>(Oelslager, Stoltzfus, West) |

**BIO:**

Rep. West is the first African American from Stark County to be elected as a state legislator and previously served on Canton City Council for over ten years. Rep. West is a small business owner and a licensed social worker, having earned a bachelor’s and Master of Social Work from the University of Akron after earning a degree in Business Administration from Mount Union College. He and his wife have two children and reside in Canton.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Reggie Stoltzfus  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 50<br>Eastern Stark County                      |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Minerva                                      |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-9078  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep50@ohiohouse.gov                             |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his second term, eligible to run for two more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Kirk Schuring<br>(Oelslager, Stoltzfus, West) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Stoltzfus previously served as Paris Township Trustee and is President of the Board of Trustees. He is the owner of two small businesses in Stark County where they currently employ about 40 local residents. A lifelong resident of Stark County, Rep. Stoltzfus graduated from Lake High School and Malone University. He and his wife have four children and live on a small farm in Minerva.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Sara Carruthers   | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 51<br>Portions of Butler County            |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Hamilton                                |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)644-6721  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep51@ohiohouse.gov                        |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving her second term, eligible to run for two more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>George Lang<br>(Carruthers, Gross, Hall) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Carruthers has served or serves on many boards including the Hamilton Community Foundation, The Michael Feinstein Great American SongBook Foundation and Fort Hamilton Hospital. She is a member of P.E.O., Hamilton Garden Club, Arronoff Center for the Arts, Pyramid Hill Sculpture Park, Fitton Center, Christ Church Glendale, Delta Zeta Sorority and the Butler County (Ohio) Republican Party. She also has a media background working for such stations as, WKRC-TV, WKRC 55, WKRQ, TCI, and TvHamilton. She was a White House Press assistant during the Ronald Reagan and George H. W. Bush administrations. Rep. Carruthers graduated from Miami University and is the mother of twins.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Jennifer Gross   | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 52<br>Southeast Butler County              |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican  | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>West Chester                            |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)644-8550   | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep52@ohiohouse.gov                        |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving her first term, eligible to run for three more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>George Lang<br>(Carruthers, Gross, Hall) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Gross, a 21-year U.S. Air Force Lt. Colonel, retired from the military in 2008 and is a current member of American Legion Post 681 and VFW Post 7696, where she became the first active female inductee in 2019. She has been a Family Nurse Practitioner for over 16 years and a registered nurse for over 30 years. Prior to becoming a nurse practitioner, she worked for Eli Lilly addressing depression treatment. Recently, she was a sub-investigator for Operation WARP speed developing treatments to help battle COVID-19. She currently owns a small business as a health coach and resides in West Chester with her husband, Chris, and their two sons.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Thomas Hall  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 53<br>Portions of Butler County            |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican  | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Madison Township                        |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)644-5094   | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep53@ohiohouse.gov                        |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his first term, eligible to run for three more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>George Lang<br>(Carruthers, Gross, Hall) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Hall began his career in public service when he was elected as a Madison Township Trustee in 2015. He is currently the youngest legislator in the General Assembly at 25 years old. Hall has also served as a board member to the Middletown Area YMCA, coached high school basketball at Madison and served as secretary for the Butler County Township Association.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Paul Zeltwanger   | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 54<br>Portions of Warren & Butler Counties      |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Mason  |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)644-6027  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep54@ohiohouse.gov                             |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his fourth term, not eligible to run for another term | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Steve Wilson<br>(Brinkman, Lipps, Zeltwanger) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Zeltwanger received his B.S. in Business Administration and Accounting from Grace College and earned his MBA in Finance from Indiana University. He has 28 years of experience in the private sector, including 15 years with Ernst & Young and PriceWaterhouseCoopers. For the last 13 years, he has owned his own real estate development company, Joshua One. His past experience in the private sector has given him significant experience in economic development and job creation.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Gayle Manning   | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 55<br>Portions of Lorain County                    |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>North Ridgeville                                |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)644-5076  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep55@ohiohouse.gov                                |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving her second term, eligible to run for two more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Nathan Manning<br>(G. Manning, J. Miller, Stein) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Manning spent 37 years as an elementary school teacher. Manning served as a member of the North Ridgeville Planning Commission and on the North Ridgeville City Council from 2006-2007 where she was appointed Finance Chairwoman and Council President Pro Tempore. She resides in North Ridgeville where she and her late husband, former Rep. Jeff Manning, raised their two children, Allison and Nathan. She spends much of her free time with her young grandchildren.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Joe Miller  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 56<br>Northwest Lorain County                      |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Amherst   |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-5141  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep56@ohiohouse.gov                                |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his second term, eligible to run for two more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Nathan Manning<br>(G. Manning, J. Miller, Stein) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Miller was born and raised in Amherst. He is a social studies teacher at Firelands High School and is an adjunct instructor with Lorain County Community College. In addition, he has been serving his local community as an At-Large Councilman for the past 6 years. He and his wife Kelly have been married for 14 years and reside in Amherst with their two sons, Joseph and Jordan.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Dick Stein  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 57<br>Huron County & portions of Lorain County     |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Norwalk   |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-9628  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep57@ohiohouse.gov                                |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his third term, eligible to run for one more term | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Nathan Manning<br>(G. Manning, J. Miller, Stein) |

**BIO:**

Representative Stein, a native of Norwalk, has owned and operated Stein Photography, a successful local business that has provided him with a keen understanding of the challenges many small businesses face. He is a graduate of Norwalk St. Paul High School and earned a professional master's and craftsman degrees from the Professional Photographers of America.







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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Michele Lepore-Hagan  | <b>DISTRICT: 58</b><br>Youngstown                                   |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Youngstown                                      |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-9435  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep58@ohiohouse.gov                                |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving her fourth term, not eligible to run for another term | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Michael Rulli<br>(Cutrona, Ginter, Lepore-Hagan) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Lepore-Hagan graduated from Ohio University and moved to New York City to pursue a career as a modern dancer. Rep. Lepore-Hagan eventually took a job at Youngstown State University and has risen to become the Director of the Performing Arts Series. In her 27 years, she raised two children and became politically active in her Northside Youngstown community.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Alessandro Cutrona   | <b>DISTRICT: 59</b><br>Portions of Mahoning County                  |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican  | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Canfield  |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-6107   | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep59@ohiohouse.gov                                |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his first term, eligible to run for three more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Michael Rulli<br>(Cutrona, Ginter, Lepore-Hagan) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Cutrona holds a position as CEO for a large tri-county infectious disease medical practice covering Mahoning, Trumbull, and Columbiana County. Additionally, he is a practicing attorney at a consumer bankruptcy law firm of Amourgis & Associates. He has held several other positions at law offices throughout his professional career. While in law school, he has clerked for the Honorable Gene Donofrio of the Ohio Seventh District Court of Appeals and held an externship for the United States Attorney’s Office for the Northern District of Ohio.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Daniel Troy  | <b>DISTRICT: 60</b><br>Portions of Lake County           |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat  | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Willowick                            |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-7251   | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep60@ohiohouse.gov                     |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his first term, eligible to run for three more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Kenny Yuko<br>(Brent, K. Smith, Troy) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Troy previously served seven terms in the Ohio House from 1983-1996 where he was the Chairman of the Ohio House Ways and Means Committee, Education Subcommittee on Finance, and the Joint House-Senate Education Oversight Committee. Prior to his return to the statehouse, he served five terms as Lake County Commissioner and as President of the County Commissioners Association of Ohio in 2008 and again 2018. He is a graduate of Cleveland St. Joseph High School and the University of Dayton (B.A. in Political Science) and is a 45-year building trades union member and U.S. Army veteran.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Jamie Callender   | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 61<br>Portions of Lake County                    |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Concord                                       |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)644-6074  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep61@ohiohouse.gov                              |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his second term, eligible to run for two more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Jerry Cirino<br>(Callender, Grendell, Pavliga) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Callender is an attorney and opened a law office in Lake County. He has also had an extensive record of service to Lake County, volunteering with a variety of organizations and serving on several boards, including the Lake County Historical Society. He served as a trustee on the Mentor Public Library Board, where he worked to improve the library, making it more efficient and increasing circulation. Callender also served four two-year terms in the Ohio House of Representatives.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Scott Lipps   | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 62<br>Portions of Warren County                 |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Franklin                                     |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)644-6023  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep62@ohiohouse.gov                             |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his third term, eligible to run for one more term | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Steve Wilson<br>(Brinkman, Lipps, Zeltwanger) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Lipps owns several successful businesses and has had many opportunities to serve his community over the last 25 years. He has also been involved in philanthropy (Masons and Shriners), professional organizations (NFIB State Board, Optimists and Rotary Club, Farm Bureau, among others) and in public service. He has previously served on Franklin City Council and served as Mayor of Franklin.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Mike Loychik   | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 63<br>Portions of Trumbull County                 |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican  | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Bazetta  |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-3488   | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep63@ohiohouse.gov                               |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his first term, eligible to run for three more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Sandra O'Brien<br>(Fowler, Loychik, M. O'Brien) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Loychik graduated from Champion High School before earning an associate degree in aviation and maintenance technology at Community College of the Air Force. Subsequently, he earned a Bachelor of Applied Science in Environmental Management at Columbia Southern University and is currently pursuing a master's degree in occupational safety and health at the university. Retiring as a Staff Sergeant for the U.S. Air Force, he was a C-130 Crew Chief with a special operations group, as well as a combat search and rescue group. He is a lifelong resident of the region where he and his wife Cheryl have two young children.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Michael O'Brien   | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 64<br>Portions of Trumbull County                 |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Warren   |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-5358  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep64@ohiohouse.gov                               |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his fourth term, not eligible to run for another term | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Sandra O'Brien<br>(Fowler, Loychik, M. O'Brien) |

**BIO:**

Rep. O'Brien started his career as Councilman in Warren, Ohio, where he served for 10 years. This post afforded him the opportunity to get to know the people in his community, their needs, and how to best serve them. As County Commissioner, O'Brien dealt with a host of issues affecting his friends and neighbors. In 2005, he took ran for Mayor of Warren, where he served until 2012. He also served on the Ohio Criminal Sentencing Commission under Gov. Strickland.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Jean Schmidt   | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 65<br>Northwest Clermont County              |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican  | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Miami Township                            |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-8134   | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep65@ohiohouse.gov                          |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving her first term, eligible to run for three more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Terry Johnson<br>(Baldrige, Bird, Schmidt) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Schmidt previously served in both the Ohio House and the U.S. House, spanning from 2001-2013. She was the first woman to serve southern Ohio in Congress. In addition to public service, Rep. Schmidt has served as President of the Cincinnati Right to Life and on the Board of the Clermont County Public Library. She also coaches running for the St. Andrew-St. Elizabeth Seton Junior High Cross-County team, a position she has held for 22 years. She also volunteers at City Gospel Mission helping victims of the drug crisis through therapeutic running and training. She has completed 145 marathons in all 50 states, including 22 Boston Marathons. She resides in Miami Township with her husband Peter and has one grown daughter who is married with two sons.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Adam Bird  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 66<br>Brown & portions of Clermont County    |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican  | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>New Richmond                              |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)644-6034   | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep66@ohiohouse.gov                          |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his first term, eligible to run for three more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Terry Johnson<br>(Baldrige, Bird, Schmidt) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Bird has served as Trustee for the Clermont County Public Library, President of the Southern Buckeye Athletic and Academic Conference, and as the Clermont County representative to the Southwestern Ohio Instruction Technology Association. For the past 33 years, he has worked as a teacher, assistant principal, principal and superintendent at Western Brown Senior High School, Batavia Middle School and New Richmond Exempted Village School District in Brown and Clermont County. He lives in New Richmond with his wife who have four adult children, two sons-in-law and four grandchildren.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Kris Jordan   | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 67<br>Western Delaware County                  |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Ostrander                                   |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)644-6711  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep67@ohiohouse.gov                            |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his second term, eligible to run for two more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Andrew Brenner<br>(Carfagna, Jordan, Leland) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Jordan is a lifelong resident of Delaware County, and at age 25 was elected to his first term as Delaware County Commissioner. He served six years as commissioner before first being elected to the Ohio House in 2008. Rep. Jordan distinguished himself early when he was elected to House leadership as Assistant Minority Whip – the first freshman in Ohio House history to do so.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Rick Carfagna (Asst. Majority Floor Leader)                           | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 68<br>Knox & portions of Delaware County       |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Genoa Township                              |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-1431  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep68@ohiohouse.gov                            |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his third term, eligible to run for one more term | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Andrew Brenner<br>(Carfagna, Jordan, Leland) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Carfagna graduated from John Carroll University and was accepted into the Ohio Legislative Service Commission’s Fellowship Program and later served as a legislative aide in the Ohio House of Representatives. From 2002 until 2017, Rep. Carfagna worked as Government Relations Manager for Time Warner Cable, where he oversaw legislative and regulatory issues at the local, state and federal levels.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Sharon Ray   | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 69<br>Portions of Medina County       |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican  | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Wadsworth                          |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-8140   | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep69@ohiohouse.gov                   |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving her first term, eligible to run for three more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Mark Romanchuk<br>(John, Kick, Ray) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Ray previously served as Medina County Commissioner and as Wadsworth City Councilwoman. She has also sat on the Medina County Board of Elections, United Way of Medina County, Red Cross of Medina County, Community Partnership for Arts and Culture, and the Salvation Army of Wadsworth. She began her career working at Roadway Express (now YRC Worldwide) and later went on to become a Certified Bailiff at the Wadsworth Municipal Court. She also worked as the Community Services Director/Probation Officer at the municipal court. As a 50-plus year resident of Medina County, Sharon currently resides in Wadsworth.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Darrell Kick   | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 70<br>Ashland County & portions of<br>Holmes & Medina counties |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican  | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Loudonville   |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-2994   | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep70@ohiohouse.gov  |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his second term, eligible<br>to run for two more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Mark Romanchuk<br>(John, Kick, Ray)                          |

**BIO:**

Rep. Kick is an active, seventh-generation farmer, working on the 400-acre grain, beef and hay family farm near Loudonville. He also owns investment properties through two companies—Mohican Rentals LLC and West Side Realty Management LLC. Prior to being elected to the House, he had served in various local organizations, including several years on the Holmes County Farm Bureau.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Mark Fraizer  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 71<br>Portions of Licking County                   |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Newark  |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-1482  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep71@ohiohouse.gov                                |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his first term, eligible to<br>run for three more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Jay Hottinger<br>(Fraizer, Hillyer, Householder) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Fraizer is senior project manager at Huntington Bank and was employed by the Ohio House and Ohio Senate in 2007-09 as a Legislative Page. Prior to his appointment, he was re-elected to the Newark City Council just days before taking over the seat vacated by Scott Ryan. He and his wife have two children.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Larry Householder  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 72<br>Coshocton & Perry counties, &<br>portions of Licking County |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican  | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Glenford   |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-2500   | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep72@ohiohouse.gov   |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his third term, eligible to<br>run for one more term | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Jay Hottinger<br>(Fraizer, Hillyer, Householder)                |

**BIO:**

Rep. Householder previously served in the House from 1996 to 2004. He also served as Speaker from 2001 to 2004, before leaving due to term limits. He and his wife, Taundra, live on their family farm in Glenford. They have five sons.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Brian Lampton  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 73<br>Western Greene County               |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican  | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Beavercreek                            |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)644-6020   | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep73@ohiohouse.gov                       |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his first term, eligible to run for three more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Bob Hackett<br>(Dean, Koehler, Lampton) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Lampton has been the owner and operator of Lampton/Engle & Associates Insurance for over 30 years. He previously served as the Vice President of the Beavercreek 9/11 Memorial Committee, President of both the Beavercreek and Fairborn Chambers of Commerce, President of the Beavercreek Rotary Club, Board member of the County Board of Elections, member of the Charter Review Committee and Vice Chair of the Greene County Republican Party. In his free time, Rep. Lampton enjoys announcing Beavercreek High School football and basketball games. He lives in Beavercreek with his fiancé Karen and their two German Shepherds.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Bill Dean   | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 74<br>Madison County, & portions of Greene & Clark counties |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Xenia  |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-1470  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep74@ohiohouse.gov   |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his third term, eligible to run for one more term | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Bob Hackett<br>(Dean, Koehler, Lampton)                   |

**BIO:**

Dean graduated from Xenia High School and has owned Dean’s Plumbing in Xenia for twenty-seven years. He has retired from the plumbing industry and had never held political office. Rep. Dean and his wife Pamela are lifelong Xenia residents. They are the parents of ten children and are grandparents to sixteen grandchildren.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Gail Pavliga   | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 75<br>Portions of Portage County                 |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican  | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Atwater                                       |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-2004   | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep75@ohiohouse.gov                              |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving her first term, eligible to run for three more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Jerry Cirino<br>(Callender, Grendell, Pavliga) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Pavliga earned a master’s degree in Individual/Family Studies/Counseling and a bachelor’s degree in Psychology/Science both from Kent State University. After graduating from Kent State, she earned her Ph.D. in Educational Psychology from the University of Akron. She has also been a College Professor since 1999. Currently, she serves as a Christian Counselor and Life Coach at the Christian Counseling Alliance and Portage Christian Counseling Centers in association with the Evangelical Christian Church for the past 15 years. She and her husband have lived in Portage County for 30 years and have two children.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Diane Grendell   | <b>DISTRICT: 76</b><br>Portions of Geauga & Portage Counties      |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican  | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Chesterland                                   |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)644-5088   | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep76@ohiohouse.gov                              |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving her first term, eligible to run for three more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Jerry Cirino<br>(Callender, Grendell, Pavliga) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Grendell previously served in the Ohio House of Representatives from 1992-2000. She was elected as Judge of the Ohio Eleventh District Court of Appeals where she served for 18 years and had 203 cases published by the Ohio Supreme Court. Rep. Grendell was appointed by the Chief Justice to rule on Ohio Supreme Court cases nine times. She received her J.D. from the Cleveland-Marshall College of Law and was a JAG Officer in the Ohio Military Reserve. She is a Registered Nurse and attorney with a business and psychology degree.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Jeff LaRe  | <b>DISTRICT: 77</b><br>Northern Fairfield County           |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican  | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Violet Township                        |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-8100   | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep77@ohiohouse.gov                       |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his first term, eligible to run for three more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Tim Schaffer<br>(Holmes, LaRe, Stewart) |

**BIO:**

Rep. LaRe serves as the Executive Vice President of The Whitestone Group, where he has worked since 2000. Whitestone is a nationwide provider of asset protection and security services. Prior to his work there, he was an Ohio Peace Officer Training Academy (OPOTA) Certified Peace Officer and an OPOTA Certified Corrections Officer at the Fairfield County Sheriff's Office.







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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Brian Stewart  | <b>DISTRICT: 78</b><br>Hocking & Morgan counties, & portions of Athens, Fairfield, Muskingum & Pickaway counties |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican  | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Ashville   |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-1464   | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep78@ohiohouse.gov   |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his first term, eligible to run for three more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Tim Schaffer<br>(Holmes, LaRe, Stewart)   |

**BIO:**

Rep. Stewart is an infantry veteran of the Iraq War and earned the Combat Infantryman’s Badge (CIB) in addition to twice receiving the Army Commendation Medal. Following his service, he returned to school and earned both his bachelor’s and law degree from the Ohio State University. Currently, he maintains a law practice representing businesses and individuals as a partner with Farthing & Stewart LLP in Circleville. Rep. Stewart lives in Ashville and attends Village Chapel Church with his wife, Letanya, and their three children.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Kyle Koehler  | <b>DISTRICT: 79</b><br>Portions of Clark County            |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Springfield                            |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-2038  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep79@ohiohouse.gov                       |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his fourth term, not eligible to run for another term | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Bob Hackett<br>(Dean, Koehler, Lampton) |

**BIO:**

After graduating college, Rep. Koehler worked for government contractors for the Air Force and Navy as a Senior Software Engineer. He worked on everything from applying artificial intelligence, to signal analysis, to developing human interface systems for naval aircrafts. He then returned to the family business, K.K. Tool, as a Vice President in 1990. K.K. Tool is the quintessential family business in that six of seven brothers and sisters all work together (with the rest of their employees) to make K.K. Tool Company a growing success.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Jena Powell   | <b>DISTRICT: 80</b><br>Miami County & portions of Darke County   |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Arcanum                                      |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-8114  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep80@ohiohouse.gov                             |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving her second term, eligible to run for two more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Steve Huffman<br>(Blackshear, Creech, Powell) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Powell grew up with six brothers and sisters on a farm her family has been farming for generations. In the summer, Rep. Powell would show sheep at the Great Darke County Fair. After receiving a degree from Liberty University in Business Marketing, she began working to build her own company. Today, her company negotiates and does business with some of the largest businesses in the Greater Dayton region, and throughout Ohio.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Jim Hoops   | <b>DISTRICT: 81</b><br>Putnam, Henry, & Williams counties, & portions of Fulton County |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Napoleon   |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-3760  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep81@ohiohouse.gov   |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his second term, eligible to run for two more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Rob McColley<br>(Cross, Hoops, Riedel)                              |

**BIO:**

Rep. Hoops previously served in the Ohio House from 1999-2006 and also served as Henry County Auditor from 1985-1998. He is currently the Associate VP for Strategic Initiatives at Northwest State Community College. He was also employed by American Municipal Power, Inc. from 2007 to 2014 where he served as Associate VP of Finance and was part of a team that financed over \$6 billion to construct various power plants.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Craig Riedel  | <b>DISTRICT: 82</b><br>Defiance, Paulding, & VanWert counties, & portions of Auglaize County |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Defiance   |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)644-5091  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep82@ohiohouse.gov   |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his third term, eligible to run for one more term | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Rob McColley<br>(Cross, Hoops, Riedel)                                    |

**BIO:**

Rep. Riedel grew up on a farm just outside the small town of Attica, Ohio. After earning a civil engineering degree from the Ohio State University, he enjoyed a 27-year long career with Nucor Vulcraft Group. He retired in June of 2015 to follow his passion for public service and represent his fellow citizens in northwestern Ohio. Rep. Riedel has also served his community as a youth football, basketball, and baseball coach.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Jon Cross   | <b>DISTRICT: 83</b><br>Hancock & Hardin counties, & portions of Logan County |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Kenton   |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-3819  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep83@ohiohouse.gov   |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his second term, eligible to run for two more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Rob McColley<br>(Cross, Hoops, Riedel)                    |

**BIO:**

Rep. Cross is a native of Kenton and serves as the president/CEO and economic development director of the Hardin County Chamber & Business Alliance. A supporter of public schools, he graduated from Kenton High School and The Ohio State University. Rep. Cross and his wife have two young boys, Carson and Connor.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Susan Manchester  | <b>DISTRICT: 84</b><br>Mercer County, & portions of Auglaize, Darke & Shelby counties |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Lakeview  |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-6344  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep84@ohiohouse.gov  |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving her second term, eligible to run for two more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Matt Huffman<br>(Cupp, Manchester, Vitale)                         |

**BIO:**

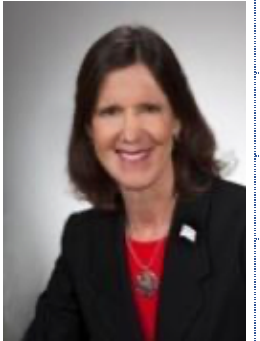
Rep. Manchester spent 2010 in Venezuela leading a team of peers in developing a mission organization at a Venezuelan university and partnering with a local indigent orphanage to support the needs of the community’s children. In 2011, she moved to Washington, D.C. to work for Congressman Jim Jordan. Rep. Manchester is currently the Community Outreach Director for a non-profit organization focused on mentoring kids, where she actively recruits mentors for community-based programs and assists families with getting on the path to self-sufficiency.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Nino Vitale   | <b>DISTRICT: 85</b><br>Champaign County, & portions of Logan & Shelby counties |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Urbana   |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-1507  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep85@ohiohouse.gov   |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his fourth term, not eligible to run for another term | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Matt Huffman<br>(Cupp, Manchester, Vitale)                  |

**BIO:**

Rep. Vitale spent his younger years working in a factory and playing in a variety of bands as a drummer in the greater Cleveland area. He has more than 22 years of private-sector experience, including working with companies like Apple Computer, Frigidaire, Wendy’s International, Simonton Windows, and Limited Brands.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Tracy Richardson  | <b>DISTRICT: 86</b><br>Union County & portion of Marion County  |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Marysville                                  |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-8147  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep86@ohiohouse.gov                            |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving her second term, eligible to run for two more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Bill Reineke<br>(Click, McClain, Richardson) |

**BIO:**

Tracy Richardson is a graduate of West Point and deployed in Operation Desert Shield/Desert Storm, earning a Bronze Star. She previously served on Marysville City Council for nine years. Rep. Richardson and her husband, Chris, who works at Honda, are the proud parents of three sons and have called Marysville home since 1998.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Riordan McClain  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 87<br>Crawford, Morrow, & Wyandot counties,<br>& portions of Seneca & Marion counties |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican  | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Upper Sandusky   |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)644-6265   | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep87@ohiohouse.gov   |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his second term, eligible<br>to run for two more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Bill Reineke<br>(Click, McClain, Richardson)  |

**BIO:**

Rep. McClain currently works as the Director of Finance and Customer Service at Doc Investments LLC, Representative McClain has more than ten years of experience in the private sector with roles in finance, marketing, customer service, and operations. He and his wife Sarah have been married for ten years and have three children.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Gary Click  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 88<br>Sandusky County & portions of Seneca<br>County |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Vickery   |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-1374  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep88@ohiohouse.gov                                  |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his first term, eligible to<br>run for three more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Bill Reineke<br>(Click, McClain, Richardson)       |

**BIO:**

Rep. Click has served as a pastor to the Fremont Baptist Temple for the last 15 years. In over thirty years of ministry, Pastor Click has served in many aspects including youth ministry, bus ministry, writing, radio, Christian education, and lobbying Congress on behalf of churches and Christian schools. He has also served as a chaplain for law enforcement and in hospice care. He graduated with a Bachelor of Religious Education from Midwestern Baptist College in 1990. He and his wife have four sons and four grandchildren.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>D.J. Swearingen   | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 89<br>Erie & Ottawa counties                         |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Huron   |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)644-6011  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep89@ohiohouse.gov                                  |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his first term, eligible to<br>run for three more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Theresa Gavarone<br>(Ghanbari, Merrin, Swearingen) |

**BIO:**

Rep. Swearingen is an attorney in Sandusky and Avon with the Wickens, Herzer, Panza law firm, concentrating on business and real estate matters. He's the chairman of the Erie County Republican Party and serves on the Erie County Election Board. He earned a bachelor's degree in political science from Bowling Green State University in 2009, where he also played on the baseball team, and he then earned a law degree in 2012 from the University of Dayton law school, where he ranked in the top 10 percent of the graduating class.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Brian Baldrige  | <b>DISTRICT: 90</b><br>Adams & Scioto counties, & portions of Lawrence County |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Winchester  |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-2124  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep90@ohiohouse.gov  |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his second term, eligible to run for two more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Terry Johnson<br>(Baldrige, Bird, Schmidt)                 |

**BIO:**

Rep. Baldrige is the seventh generation to work the family farm and continue his father’s work along with his sister and her family. He was previously an Adams County Commissioner and has also served two terms as a Wayne Township Trustee. He began serving his community as a member of the Wayne Township Fire Department as a firefighter/paramedic and rose through the ranks to become fire chief.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Shane Wilkin  | <b>DISTRICT: 91</b><br>Clinton, Highland, & Pike counties, & portions of Ross County |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Lynchburg  |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-3506  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep91@ohiohouse.gov   |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his second term, eligible to run for two more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Bob Peterson<br>(Johnson, Stephens, Wilkin)                       |

**BIO:**

Rep. Wilkin previously served as a Highland County Commissioner for three terms and was chairman of the Ohio Valley Regional Development Commission, demonstrating his commitment to local economic growth. He is a small business owner involved with real estate development, in addition to being a licensed real estate agent, and was a past president of the Highland County Board of Realtors.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Mark Johnson   | <b>DISTRICT: 92</b><br>Fayette County, & portions of Pickaway and Ross counties |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican  | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Chillicothe   |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)644-7928   | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep92@ohiohouse.gov  |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his first term, eligible to run for three more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Bob Peterson<br>(Johnson, Stephens, Wilkin)                  |

**BIO:**

Rep. Johnson currently serves as the Business Manager for the Tri-State Building Trades Council, an umbrella organization for over 50 local trade unions. He completed the United Brotherhood of Carpenters JATC Apprenticeship Training Program, finishing with honors. He worked as both a journeyman commercial carpenter and later as a project Superintendent for a large Columbus-area contractor, where he remained for 17 years.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Jason Stephens  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 93<br>Jackson & Gallia counties, & portions of<br>Lawrence & Vinton counties |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Kitts Hills   |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)644-1366  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep93@ohiohouse.gov  |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his first term, eligible to<br>run for three more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Bob Peterson<br>(Johnson, Stephens, Wilkin)                                |

**BIO:**

Rep. Stephens has an extensive background in local government, most recently serving as Lawrence County auditor and as Lawrence County commissioner before that. He is also a small business owner at Stephens & Son Insurance Agency, Inc and a co-owner of Stephens & Son Insurance of Chesapeake, Inc. He graduated from Lipscomb University with a bachelor’s degree in Economics/Finance and Business Management. He and his wife Juli have three sons and are active members of the Rome Church of Christ in Proctorville.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Jay Edwards  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 94<br>Meigs County, & portions of Athens,<br>Vinton & Washington counties |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican  | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Nelsonville  |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-2158   | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep94@ohiohouse.gov   |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his third term, eligible to<br>run for one more term | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Frank Hoagland<br>(Edwards, Ferguson, Jones)                            |

**BIO:**

Rep. Edwards was born and raised in Nelsonville and attended Ohio University on a football scholarship. There he received his degree in Mathematics. While in college, he started investing in local real estate and was able to grow that business throughout his college career and also got a real estate license to start representing buyers and sellers in the area. He is a small business owner, a realtor, and a property investor.





**NAME:**  
Don Jones (Majority Whip)

**DISTRICT:** 95  
Carroll, Harrison & Noble counties, & portions of Belmont & Washington counties

**PARTY:**  
Republican

**HOMETOWN:**  
Freeport

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(614)644-8728

**EMAIL:**  
Rep95@ohiohouse.gov

**TERM ELIGIBILITY:**  
Serving his second term, eligible to run for two more terms

**SENATOR:**  
Frank Hoagland  
(Edwards, Ferguson, Jones)

**BIO:** Rep. Jones is an agricultural education teacher and Future Farmers of American advisor at Harrison Central High School, where he works with students in grades seven through 12, teaching ag-related subjects as well as preparing for career development competitions. When not teaching or working with students, Rep. Jones can be found at his family's farm equipment dealership, D & J Sales & Service Inc.



**NAME:**  
Ron Ferguson

**DISTRICT:** 96  
Jefferson & Monroe counties, & portions of Belmont County

**PARTY:**  
Republican

**HOMETOWN:**  
Wintersville

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(614)466-3735

**EMAIL:**  
Rep96@ohiohouse.gov

**TERM ELIGIBILITY:**  
Serving his first term, eligible to run for three more terms

**SENATOR:**  
Frank Hoagland  
(Edwards, Ferguson, Jones)

**BIO:** Rep. Ferguson earned a bachelor's degree in Communications from The Ohio State University. During his time at OSU, Representative Ferguson was a Politics, Society and Law Scholar. He has spent five years working as a television journalist and has most recently worked for WTOV-TV in Steubenville. Born in Wintersville and raised in the Ohio Valley, Representative Ferguson is passionate about funding local communities and is currently working to develop an entertainment center to bring jobs and fun activities for families in the community.



**NAME:**  
Adam Holmes

**DISTRICT:** 97  
Guernsey County & portions of Muskingum County

**PARTY:**  
Republican

**HOMETOWN:**  
Nashport

**PHONE:**  
(614)644-6014

**EMAIL:**  
Rep97@ohiohouse.gov

**TERM ELIGIBILITY:**  
Serving his first term, eligible to run for three more terms

**SENATOR:**  
Tim Schaffer  
(Holmes, LaRe, Stewart)

**BIO:** Rep. Holmes is the CEO of Frueh Enterprises, and the president for the board of directors of Spark. He retired from the United States Marine Corps in 2016, after 31 years of service. Additionally, he has served on the Ohio Aviation and Aerospace Technology Committee in the 132nd Ohio General Assembly. He graduated from the United States Naval Academy with a political science degree and later received his master's in Global Business Leadership from University of San Diego.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Brett Hillyer   | <b>DISTRICT: 98</b><br>Tuscarawas County & portions of Holmes County |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Uhrichsville                                     |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-8035  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep98@ohiohouse.gov                                 |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving his second term, eligible to run for two more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Jay Hottinger<br>(Fraizer, Hillyer, Householder)  |

**BIO:**

Rep. Hillyer earned his bachelor’s degree in accounting from the University of Akron and his Juris Doctor Degree from Ohio Northern University and began private practice in 2011 at the Law Firm of Connolly, Hillyer & Ong. In 2013, he was elected Uhrichsville City Law Director & Prosecutor. As Law Director, he managed Tuscarawas County’s only functioning land bank by working closely with County Prosecutor Ryan Styer and Attorney Robert Stephenson.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Sarah Fowler Arthur  | <b>DISTRICT: 99</b><br>Portions of Ashtabula & Geauga counties     |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican  | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Geneva-on-the-Lake                             |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-1405   | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Rep99@ohiohouse.gov                               |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Serving her first term, eligible to run for three more terms | <b>SENATOR:</b><br>Sandra O’Brien<br>(Fowler, Loychik, M. O’Brien) |

**BIO:**





Rep. Fowler served on the Ohio State Board of Education since 2013. She is the first homeschool graduate in the nation to be elected to a State Board of Education. She was appointed to the National Association of State Boards of Education workgroup on Governmental Affairs. She has also served as vice-chairwoman for three committees (2014-2018) and was the chairwoman of the Teaching, Leading, and Learning Committee from 2019-2020. She also was a former independent consultant with Lilla Rose, Norwex, Plexus, and Young Living and in 2018, started Badger Run Berries, LLC, a u-pick blueberry farm in Rock Creek. Sarah and her husband currently reside in Geneva-on-the-Lake.





## Ohio Senate

### Majority Leadership

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| <b>Senate President</b><br><b>Matt Huffman</b><br>Republican                      | <b>President Pro Tempore</b><br><b>Jay Hottinger</b><br>Republican                | <b>Majority Floor Leader</b><br><b>Kirk Schuring</b><br>Republican                 | <b>Majority Whip</b><br><b>Rob McColley</b><br>Republican                           |
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### Minority Leadership

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| <b>Minority Leader</b><br><b>Kenny Yuko</b><br>Democrat                             | <b>Asst. Minority Leader</b><br><b>Cecil Thomas</b><br>Democrat                     | <b>Minority Whip</b><br><b>Nickie Antonio</b><br>Democrat                            | <b>Asst. Minority Whip</b><br><b>Tina Maharath</b><br>Democrat                        |
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## Senate Membership



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Rob McColley (Majority Whip)  | <b>DISTRICT: 1</b><br>Hancock, Hardin, Henry, Paulding, Putnam, Van Wert and Williams counties, & portions of Auglaize, Fulton & Logan counties |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Napoleon  |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-8150  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>mccolley@ohiosenate.gov  |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>First term, eligible to run again.<br>Final term ends 2026. | <b>REPRESENTATIVES:</b><br>Reps. Cross, Hoops & Riedel  |

**BIO:**

Senator McColley served as a State Representative where he was in House leadership as Assistant Majority Whip. He previously served in the Community Improvement Corporation of Henry County, where he oversaw economic development efforts for the county and worked to improve local workforce development efforts between manufacturers and schools in Henry and Williams counties.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Theresa Gavarone  | <b>DISTRICT: 2</b><br>Erie, Ottawa & Wood counties, & portions of Fulton & Lucas counties |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Bowling Green   |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-8060  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>gavarone@ohiosenate.gov  |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>First term, eligible to run again.<br>Final term ends 2028. | <b>REPRESENTATIVES:</b><br>Reps. Ghanbari, Merrin & Swearingen                            |

**BIO:**

Senator Gavarone holds a bachelor's degree in Business Administration from Bowling Green State University and a law degree from the University of Toledo. She has previously served on the Bowling Green City Council. In addition to her public service, she is an attorney with Ruck & Wright Law and the co-owner of their family restaurant, Mr. Spots, with her husband Jim. She and Jim have three children.





**NAME:**  
Tina Maharath (Asst. Minority Whip)

**DISTRICT: 3**  
Eastern Franklin County

**PARTY:**  
Democrat

**HOMETOWN:**  
Columbus

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(614)466-8064

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maharath@ohiosenate.gov

**TERM ELIGIBILITY:**  
First term, eligible to run again.  
Final term ends 2026.

**REPRESENTATIVES:**  
Reps. Brown, Lightbody & A. Miller

**BIO:**

Senator Maharath obtained her higher education in Political Science and worked as an intern for the US Senate, an intern for the Ohio House of Representatives, and a Field Fellow for the Asian and Pacific Islander American Vote (APIAVote), along with various volunteer positions in the community.



**NAME:**  
George Lang

**DISTRICT: 4**  
Butler County

**PARTY:**  
Republican

**HOMETOWN:**  
West Chester

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(614)466-8072

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**TERM ELIGIBILITY:**  
First term, eligible to run again.  
Final term ends 2028.

**REPRESENTATIVES:**  
Reps. Carruthers, Gross & Hall

**BIO:**

Senator Lang served for seven years on the West Chester Board of Zoning Appeals, after which he was elected township trustee in 2003, where he served until being appointed to the House. Following working for eight years in various sales and managerial positions at Procter & Gamble, he left to start his own business in the financial services industry and has started numerous businesses since.



**NAME:**  
Steve Huffman

**DISTRICT: 5**  
Miami & Preble counties, & portions of Darke & Montgomery county

**PARTY:**  
Republican

**HOMETOWN:**  
Tipp City

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(614)466-6247

**EMAIL:**  
shuffman@ohiosenate.gov

**TERM ELIGIBILITY:**  
First term, eligible to run again.  
Final term ends 2026.

**REPRESENTATIVES:**  
Reps. Blackshear, Creech & Powell

**BIO:**

Senator Huffman attended the University of Toledo, where he went on to earn a medical degree from the University of Toledo School of Medicine. Since earning his medical degree, he served on the staff at Upper Valley Medical Center and Wayne Hospital for 18 years and served on the Board of Directors for Premier Physician Services until its recent merger with TeamHealth. He also served overseas in underserved regions for 18 months. In addition, he was elected to the position of Miami County Coroner in 2012.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Niraj Antani  | <b>DISTRICT: 6</b><br>Portions of Montgomery County        |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Miamisburg                             |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-4538  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>antani@ohiosenate.gov                     |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>First term, eligible to run again.<br>Final term ends 2028. | <b>REPRESENTATIVES:</b><br>Reps. Plummer, White & T. Young |

**BIO:**

Senator Antani is the second Indian-American state elected official in Ohio history, and the first Indian-American Republican. During the Romney for President campaign in 2012, he worked for the Ohio State Director & Senior Adviser to the campaign. He has also worked for U.S. Congresswoman Ileana Ros-Lehtinen in Washington, DC. In Ohio, he has worked for then State Representative - now State Senator - Peggy Lehner, as well as U.S. Congressman Mike Turner in his Dayton office.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Steve Wilson  | <b>DISTRICT: 7</b><br>Warren County & portions of Butler & Hamilton counties |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Maineville   |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-9737  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>wilson@ohiosenate.gov                                       |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>First term, eligible to run again.<br>Final term ends 2026. | <b>REPRESENTATIVES:</b><br>Reps. Brinkman, Lipps & Zeltwanger                |

**BIO:**

Senator Wilson was honorably discharged as a Naval Officer in 1975 and then took an entry-level position at Lebanon Citizens National Bank (LCNB). Forty-one years later, he is the recently retired CEO of LCNB Corp. and LCNB National Bank but continues in his position of chairman of the board. Although he has stepped away from his daily professional responsibilities, he continues to participate in important positions of service in Warren County and southwestern Ohio.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Louis Blessing  | <b>DISTRICT: 8</b><br>Portions of Hamilton County        |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Colerain Township                    |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-8068  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>blessing@ohiosenate.gov                 |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>First term, eligible to run again.<br>Final term ends 2028. | <b>REPRESENTATIVES:</b><br>Reps. Miranda, Abrams & Seitz |

**BIO:**

Senator Blessing has an extensive background in electrical engineering. He currently works as an engineer at Super Systems, Inc. in Cincinnati and previously worked at Duke Energy and Nova Engineering. He earned his Bachelor of Arts in mathematics and Bachelor of Science in electrical engineering at the University of Cincinnati. The Senator is a licensed professional engineer and is a member of the Ohio Society of Professional Engineers. He currently resides in Colerain Township with his wife, Heather, and sons, Louie and James.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Cecil Thomas (Asst. Minority Leader)                                      | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 9<br>Portions of Hamilton County       |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Cincinnati                          |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-5980  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>thomas@ohiosenate.gov                  |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Second term, not eligible to run again. Final term ends 2022. | <b>REPRESENTATIVES:</b><br>Reps. Denson, Ingram & Kelly |

**BIO:**

After graduating from Withrow High School, Senator Thomas took a job as a public service worker. However, with the desire to attend college he joined the Cincinnati Police Cadet Program, which offered free college tuition. Upon graduation from the University of Cincinnati, Senator Thomas joined the Cincinnati Police Department where he spent twenty-seven years working throughout all 52 neighborhoods.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Bob Hackett   | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 10<br>Clark, Greene & Madison counties  |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>London                               |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-3780  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>hackett@ohiosenate.gov                  |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Second term, not eligible to run again. Final term ends 2024. | <b>REPRESENTATIVES:</b><br>Reps. Dean, Koehler & Lampton |

**BIO:**

Senator Hackett attended London High School and served as Captain of the undefeated football team, which led to his recent induction into the London High School Sports Hall of Fame. He continued his education at Columbia University, where he received his B.A. in Economics and earned All-Ivy Honors in football. Following college, Senator Hackett returned to the district and worked in agriculture before beginning his career in the financial services industry – becoming the founder of Central Ohio Financial Management Group LLC.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Theresa Fedor  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 11<br>Portions of Lucas counties               |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat  | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Toledo                                      |
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| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>First term, eligible to run again. Final term ends 2026. | <b>REPRESENTATIVES:</b><br>Reps. Hicks-Hudson, Sheehy & Sobecki |

**BIO:**

A proud veteran, she served in the United States Air Force and Ohio Air National Guard before receiving a B.S. in Education from the University of Toledo. She spent 18 years in the classroom before pursuing public service. Throughout her legislative career, she has championed responsive and responsible government to improve the lives of all Ohioans. A resounding theme throughout her public service is ensuring that government is transparent and accountable, guarding against waste, fraud and abusive practices.





**NAME:**  
Matt Huffman (President)

**DISTRICT: 12**  
Allen, Champaign, Mercer & Shelby counties, & portions of Auglaize, Darke & Logan counties

**PARTY:**  
Republican

**HOMETOWN:**  
Lima

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(614)466-7584

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huffman@ohiosenate.gov

**TERM ELIGIBILITY:**  
Second term, not eligible to run again. Final term ends 2024.

**REPRESENTATIVES:**  
Reps. Cupp, Manchester & Vitale

**BIO:**

President Huffman has practiced law for the past 30 years in his family's private practice law firm. He has been admitted to practice in all state and federal courts in Ohio. He has represented dozens of small businesses in West Central Ohio. Senator Huffman began his public service on Lima City Council in 1992, serving until 2006, including the final seven years as City Council President.



**NAME:**  
Nathan Manning

**DISTRICT: 13**  
Huron & Lorain counties

**PARTY:**  
Republican

**HOMETOWN:**  
North Ridgeville

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(614)644-7613

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manning@ohiosenate.gov

**TERM ELIGIBILITY:**  
First term, eligible to run again. Final term ends 2026.

**REPRESENTATIVES:**  
Reps. G. Manning, J. Miller & Stein

**BIO:**

Senator Manning is a lifelong resident of Lorain County and a graduate of North Ridgeville High School. He received a B.A. in Political Science from Denison University, and a Juris Doctor from Capital University Law School. He previously served as a prosecutor for the city of North Ridgeville, and currently owns the law firm Manning & Manning in North Ridgeville with his sister, Allison. He resides in North Ridgeville with his wife Jennifer, a teacher at Lakewood High School.



**NAME:**  
Terry Johnson

**DISTRICT: 14**  
Adams, Brown, Clermont, Lawrence (part), Scioto

**PARTY:**  
Republican

**HOMETOWN:**  
McDermott

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johnson@ohiosenate.gov

**TERM ELIGIBILITY:**  
First term, eligible to run again. Final term ends 2028.

**REPRESENTATIVES:**  
Reps. Baldrige, Bird & Schmidt

**BIO:**

Senator Johnson, D.O., is a practicing physician, a medical educator, a retired military officer, and recently concluded four terms in the Ohio legislature as a representative. As a legislator, he sponsored important health-related laws, including one aimed at helping rein in the scourge of prescription drug abuse in Ohio. He concluded his time in the legislature in a distinguished fashion, serving through four General Assemblies. He was the first and, to date, only osteopathic physician to serve in the Ohio legislature.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Hearcel Craig   | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 15<br>Portions of Franklin County        |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Columbus                              |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-5131  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>craig@ohiosenate.gov                     |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>First term, eligible to run again.<br>Final term ends 2026. | <b>REPRESENTATIVES:</b><br>Reps. Boggs, Crawley, Jarrells |

**BIO:**

Senator Craig, a recent Columbus City Councilman, led the city’s Veterans Affairs Committee to help meet the needs of veterans, service personnel, and their families. He was also a strong advocate for public recreation centers, so children, families and seniors can access a wide range of programs and services to enhance their quality of life. He has volunteered his time as a trustee on numerous community service boards, including the Columbus Public Schools Equity Task Force, the Southside Learning and Development Center’s Board of Trustees, and the Ohio Hunger Task Force Board of Trustees.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Stephanie Kunze   | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 16<br>Portions of Franklin County      |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Hilliard                            |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-5981  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>kunze@ohiosenate.gov                   |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Second term, not eligible to run again. Final term ends 2024. | <b>REPRESENTATIVES:</b><br>Reps. Lanese, Liston & Russo |

**BIO:**

Senator Kunze has called Ohio home for more than 20 years. While raising her two daughters with her husband Matt, she was elected to the Hilliard City Council in 2009. Her commitment to supporting small businesses and entrepreneurs led her to be a founding member of www.LocalLevelEvents.com, created to encourage those who live and work in an area to support their local businesses, schools and community. In addition, she volunteers with SON Ministries which seeks to address the needs and challenges of suburban poverty.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Bob Peterson  | <b>DISTRICT: 17</b><br>Clinton, Fayette, Gallia, Highland, Jackson, Pike & Ross counties, & portions of Lawrence Pickaway & Vinton counties |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Sabina  |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-5981  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>peterson@ohiosenate.gov  |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Second term, not eligible to run again. Final term ends 2022. | <b>REPRESENTATIVES:</b><br>Reps. Wilkin, Scherer & R. Smith   |

**BIO:**

Senator Peterson is an 8th generation farmer, and still owns and operates his family farm in Fayette County. In addition to his farming duties, Senator Peterson served as a Fayette County Commissioner for 14 years before being elected to the Ohio House of Representatives in 2011. He joined the Ohio Senate in 2012, where his knowledge and leadership have helped him address the issues that matter most to Ohioans.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Jerry Cirino   | <b>DISTRICT: 18</b><br>Portage County, & portions of Geauga and Lake counties |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican  | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Kirtland  |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)644-7718   | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>cirino@ohiosenate.gov  |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>First term, eligible to run again. Final term ends 2028. | <b>REPRESENTATIVES:</b><br>Reps. Callender, Grendell & Pavliga                |

**BIO:**

Senator Cirino was the founding CEO of SourceOne Healthcare Technologies in Mentor and has served as a Lake County Commissioner. He previously served as chairman of the board of trustees of Lakeland Community College and was a board member of Lake Heath Systems and Lake Erie College. He is also the co-founder of MyBoard Advisors, a consulting firm serving the needs of small businesses. He holds a Bachelor of Science in Business and an MBA from Lake Erie College. He and his wife have been married for 47 years and have nine children and 34 grandchildren.







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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Andrew Brenner  | <b>DISTRICT: 19</b><br>Delaware & Knox counties, & portions of Franklin County |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Powell   |
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| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>First term, eligible to run again.<br>Final term ends 2026. | <b>REPRESENTATIVES:</b><br>Reps. Carfagna, Jordan & Leland                     |

**BIO:**

Senator Brenner graduated from The Ohio State University in 1993, where he earned his B.S. in Business Administration, majoring in marketing and economics. He spent 11 years as an entrepreneur in the real estate and mortgage fields. He recently earned a Master of Education in Teaching and Learning with an emphasis in Leadership from Liberty University. He is a licensed REALTOR® at Keller Williams Capital Partners.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Tim Schaffer  | <b>DISTRICT: 20</b><br>Fairfield, Guernsey, Hocking, Morgan & Muskingum counties, & portions of Athens & Pickaway counties |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Zanesville   |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-8076  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>schaffer@ohiosenate.gov   |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>First term, eligible to run again.<br>Final term ends 2028. | <b>REPRESENTATIVES:</b><br>Reps. LaRe, Holmes & Hood   |

**BIO:**

Senator Schaffer's tenure in public office began when he was elected to the Ohio House of Representatives in 2000. He earned a bachelor's degree in Political Science and Communications from Mount Union College. In addition to his legislative duties, he has a private sector career as an association executive and has also served as chairman of the Fairfield County Republican Party.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Sandra Williams   | <b>DISTRICT: 21</b><br>Portions of Cuyahoga County      |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Cleveland                           |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-4857  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>williams@ohiosenate.gov                |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Second term, not eligible to run again. Final term ends 2022. | <b>REPRESENTATIVES:</b><br>Reps. Boyd, Howse & Upchurch |

**BIO:**

Senator Williams has spent more than two decades in public service—as a corrections officer, probation and parole officer, mediator for the State of Ohio, legislative aide, and State Representative. She also served our country as a member of the United States Army Reserve and was honorably discharged in 1995. In addition to her senatorial duties, Senator Williams serves as the Vice Chairwoman of the Cuyahoga County Democratic Party and associate professor at Cleveland State University.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Mark Romanchuk  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 22<br>Richland County            |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Ontario                       |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-7505  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>Romanchuk@ohiosenate.gov         |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>First term, eligible to run again.<br>Final term ends 2028. | <b>Representatives:</b><br>Reps. John, Kick & Ray |

**BIO:**

Senator Romanchuk is the owner and president of PR Machine Works, Inc., a contract manufacturer providing precision machining, fabrication, and assembly services in the city of Ontario. Prior to his work with PR Machine Works, he worked at Hughes Aircraft Company as a U.S. diplomat to the former Soviet Union in support of the Intermediate Range Nuclear Forces (INF) Treaty. He was also based in Japan as a team leader and technical advisor to the U.S. Navy in support of the F/A – 18 aircraft. He resides in Ontario with his wife, Zoi.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Nickie Antonio (Minority Whip)  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 23<br>Portions of Cuyahoga County            |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Lakewood                                  |
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| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>First term, eligible to run again.<br>Final term ends 2026. | <b>REPRESENTATIVES:</b><br>Reps. Crossman, Skindell & Sweeney |

**BIO:**

Senator Antonio has worked to pass legislation such as Ohio’s historic adoption open records law and a step therapy reform law. During each of her four terms in office, she introduced the Ohio Fairness Act to protect LGBT people from discrimination, a bill to end Ohio’s use of the death penalty and an array of other bills focused on improving the lives of all Ohioans. Antonio continues to be an established expert in health policy. She and her wife have two daughters.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Matt Dolan  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 24<br>Portions of Cuyahoga County           |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Chagrin Falls                            |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-8056  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>dolan@ohiosenate.gov                        |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Second term, not eligible to run again. Final term ends 2024. | <b>REPRESENTATIVES:</b><br>Reps. Patton, Robinson & M. Smith |

**BIO:**

Senator Dolan is currently a partner at the law firm of Thrasher, Dinsmore & Dolan, as well as part owner of the Cleveland Indians baseball franchise. He is also Vice President of 7th Avenue Properties, where he manages several area businesses as well as real estate properties. He has been an adjunct professor at the Case Western Reserve School of Law, as well as Kent State University’s Geauga Campus. Senator Dolan is a former Chief Assistant Prosecutor for Geauga County and Assistant Attorney General for the State of Ohio.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Kenny Yuko (Minority Leader)  | <b>DISTRICT: 25</b><br>Portions of Cuyahoga & Lake counties |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Richmond Heights                        |
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| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Second term, not eligible to run again. Final term ends 2022. | <b>REPRESENTATIVES:</b><br>Reps. Brent, K. Smith & Troy     |

**BIO:**

Leader Yuko grew up in Euclid and graduated from Brush High School and then attended both Cuyahoga Community College and Kent State University before entering the workforce. He began his career as a clothing buyer for Polsky’s Department Store, but he soon found his true passion with union organizing. He served with the Laborers’ Local #860 for 30 years, including 25 years as union organizer.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Bill Reineke   | <b>DISTRICT: 26</b><br>Crawford, Marion, Morrow, Sandusky, Seneca, Union & Wyandot counties |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican  | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Tiffin  |
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| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>First term, eligible to run again. Final term ends 2028. | <b>REPRESENTATIVES:</b><br>Reps. Click, McClain & Richardson                                |

**BIO:**

Senator Reineke is a business partner in Reineke Family Dealerships, which started in 1960 and has grown to include eight automobile dealerships and 380 full and part time employees. He has experience in community organizations including the Seneca County Chamber of Commerce, Seneca County Industrial and Economic Development Corporation, Tiffin Tomorrow and Tiffin Rotary Club.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Kristina Roegner   | <b>DISTRICT: 27</b><br>Wayne County & portions of Stark & Summit counties |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican  | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Hudson  |
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| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>First term, eligible to run again. Final term ends 2026. | <b>REPRESENTATIVES:</b><br>Reps. Roemer, Weinstein & Wiggam               |

**BIO:**

Senator Roegner joins the Senate after serving four terms in the Ohio House from 2011-2018. Prior to her time in public office, she worked as a management consultant at McKinsey & Company, serving global clients on performance and strategic issues. She also was a field engineer and project manager for Westinghouse Power Generation Service Division, where she was responsible for leading teams to overhaul large turbines and generators at power plants across the country.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Vernon Sykes  | <b>DISTRICT: 28</b><br>Portions of Summit County            |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Democrat   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Akron                                   |
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| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Second term, not eligible to run again. Final term ends 2024. | <b>REPRESENTATIVES:</b><br>Reps. Galonski, Sykes & B. Young |

**BIO:**

Senator Sykes has dedicated much of his life to public service. He previously served in Akron City Council and the Ohio House of Representatives. Since 2001, Dr. Sykes has passed along his experience in public service to students as a professor of Political Science and Director of the Columbus Program in State Issues at Kent State University. He is married to Barbara Sykes, State Director of AARP. They have two daughters, Stancy and Emilia, and two Grandchildren, Hugh and Hope.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Kirk Schuring (Majority Floor Leader)                                | <b>DISTRICT: 29</b><br>Portions of Stark County              |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican  | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Canton                                   |
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| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>First term, eligible to run again. Final term ends 2026. | <b>REPRESENTATIVES:</b><br>Reps. Oelslager, Stoltzfus & West |

**BIO:**

Senator Schuring has been a member of the General Assembly since 1993 and has authored dozens of legislative initiatives benefiting health care, economic development, and families that have been passed into law. These include the establishment of Joint Economic Development Districts and Cooperative Economic Development Agreements to help further economic development in communities across the state, as well as bills stiffening penalties for repeat domestic violence offenders and enhancing school safety zones. Senator Schuring has also been involved in improving Ohio laws regarding organ donation, acupuncture, nursing and chiropractic care.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Frank Hoagland  | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 30<br>Belmont, Carroll, Harrison, Jefferson, Meigs, Monroe, Noble & Washington counties, & portions of Athens & Vinton counties |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Mingo Junction   |
| <b>PHONE:</b><br>(614)466-6508  | <b>EMAIL:</b><br>hoagland@ohiosenate.gov   |
| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Second term, not eligible to run again. Final term ends 2024. | <b>REPRESENTATIVES:</b><br>Reps. Edwards, Ferguson & Jones   |

**BIO:**

Senator Hoagland volunteered for the Navy just two weeks after graduating from Buckeye North High School in Jefferson County and quickly signed up for Navy SEAL BUDS training, following in the special forces footsteps of his father who had served as an Army Green Beret. He served as a Navy SEAL for nearly 30 years, participating in combat zones including the International War on Terrorism and the War on Drugs in South America. After his last combat deployment in 2011, Senator Hoagland retired and returned to eastern Ohio. Seeking new opportunities to serve and help to protect his community, he founded the small business Special Training and Response Tactics (STRT). At STRT, he shares his expertise on emergency situation preparation and emergency response procedures with local school districts, businesses, and law enforcement agencies.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Jay Hottinger (President Pro Tempore)                                     | <b>DISTRICT:</b> 31<br>Coshocton, Licking, Perry & Tuscarawas counties, & portions of Holmes County |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Newark  |
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| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>Second term, not eligible to run again. Final term ends 2022. | <b>REPRESENTATIVES:</b><br>Reps. Fraizer, Hillyer & Householder                                     |

**BIO:**

Senator Hottinger is the vice president of sales for Truck One, Inc., a Newark-based trucking company. It is his business experience and understanding of his community that he brings to the Statehouse, where he has worked tirelessly on issues important to his constituents. He and his wife, Cheri, reside in Newark and are the proud parents of three daughters: Savannah, Heather, and Jayme.





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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Sandra O'Brien  | <b>DISTRICT: 32</b><br>Ashtabula & Trumbull counties, & portions of Geauga County |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Ashtabula   |
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| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>First term, eligible to run again.<br>Final term ends 2028. | <b>REPRESENTATIVES:</b><br>Reps. Blair, M. O'Brien & Patterson                    |

**BIO:**

Senator O'Brien served as Ashtabula County Auditor for three terms. She received her bachelor's degree in Education from Bowling Green State University and her master's degree in Educational Administration from Edinboro University. She was also a teacher at both the elementary and collegiate level. O'Brien and her husband reside on a small farm in Ashtabula County and are the proud parents of four children and five grandchildren.



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| <b>NAME:</b><br>Michael Rulli   | <b>DISTRICT: 33</b><br>Columbiana & Mahoning counties           |
| <b>PARTY:</b><br>Republican   | <b>HOMETOWN:</b><br>Salem                                       |
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| <b>TERM ELIGIBILITY:</b><br>First term, eligible to run again.<br>Final term ends 2026. | <b>REPRESENTATIVES:</b><br>Reps. Cutrona, Ginter & Lepore-Hagan |

**BIO:**

Senator Rulli is the Director of Operations for the 100-year-old Rulli Bros. Markets. He understands the challenges faced by small businesses and the role they play in the vitality of our communities. He has served as chairman of a highly effective business development group in Salem. He was also previously elected to the Leetonia School Board where he served as President.



## Ohio Congressional Delegation

**DISTRICT: 1**

Steve Chabot (R)



*Hamilton & Warren counties*

**DISTRICT: 2**

Brad Wenstrup (R)



*Adams, Brown, Clermont, Hamilton, Highland, Pike, Ross, and Scioto counties*

**DISTRICT: 3**

Joyce Beatty (D)



*Franklin County*

**DISTRICT: 4**

Jim Jordan (R)



*Allen, Auglaize, Crawford, Champaign, Erie, Logan, Lorain, Huron, Marion, Mercer Sandusky, Seneca, Shelby and Union counties*

**DISTRICT: 5**

Bob Latta (R)



*Defiance, Fulton, Hancock, Hardin, Henry, Lucas, Mercer, Ottawa, Paulding, Putnam, Van Wert, Williams, Wood and Wyandot counties*

**DISTRICT: 6**

Bill Johnson (R)



*Athens, Belmont, Carroll, Columbiana, Gallia, Guernsey, Harrison, Jackson, Jefferson, Lawrence, Mahoning, Meigs, Monroe, Muskingum, Noble, Tuscarawas and Washington counties*

**DISTRICT: 7**

Bob Gibbs (R)



*Ashland, Coshocton, Holmes, Huron, Knox, Lorain, Medina, Richland, Stark, and Tuscarawas counties*

**DISTRICT: 8**

Warren Davidson (R)



*Butler, Clark, Darke, Mercer, Miami, and Preble counties*



**DISTRICT: 9**  
Marcy Kaptur (D)



*Cuyahoga, Erie, Lorain,  
Lucas and Ottawa  
counties*

**DISTRICT: 10**  
Mike Turner (R)



*Greene, Montgomery  
and Fayette counties*

**DISTRICT: 11**  
*Vacant (D)*

*Cuyahoga and Summit  
counties*

**DISTRICT: 12**  
Troy Balderson (R)



*Franklin, Marion,  
Richland, Delaware,  
Licking, Morrow and  
Muskingum counties*

**DISTRICT: 13**  
Tim Ryan (D)



*Trumbull, Mahoning,  
Portage, Summit, and  
Stark Counties*

**DISTRICT: 14**  
David Joyce (R)



*Cuyahoga, Portage,  
Summit, Trumbull, Lake,  
Geauga, and Ashtabula  
counties*

**DISTRICT: 15**  
Steve Stivers (R)



*Athens, Fayette, Franklin,  
Ross, Clinton, Fairfield,  
Hocking, Madison,  
Morgan, Perry, Pickaway,  
and Vinton counties*

**DISTRICT: 16**  
Anthony Gonzales (R)



*Cuyahoga, Medina,  
Portage, Stark, Summit,  
and Wayne county*





***U.S. Senators – Ohio***

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| <p><b>Senator Rob Portman</b><br/>Republican</p>                                  | <p><b>Senator Sherrod Brown</b><br/>Democrat</p>                                   |
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(As Adopted 2012)



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