

A legislative update from
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Dear Neighbor,

Happy August! As many of you know, Ohio is holding a special election on August 8th. Early voting started in July and will continue until August 6th at 5 pm. As Election Day approaches, make a plan to vote "NO" on Issue 1:

- **July 11:** Early Voting began
- **August 1:** Absentee ballot applications must be received by your board of election by 8:30 pm.
- **August 7:** Mailed absentee ballots must be postmarked by this date
- **August 8:** Election day (Polls are open from 6:30 am to 7:30 pm).

Issue 1 is an unpopular, and undemocratic attack on the people and our sacred constitution. It will shred our founding document, it will end majority rule in our state, and it will snuff out the principle of "one person, one vote." We must defeat Issue 1 to protect our freedom to determine our future. Make sure your voice is heard and vote "NO" on Issue 1. #VoteNoInAugust

If there is anything my office can do please reach out to us by email at Rep02@ohiohouse.gov or by phone at (614) 466-8010. Please do not hesitate to contact my office with any questions, comments or concerns.

Sincerely,

Representative Latyna M. Humphrey
State Representative
Ohio House District 02

SENIOR CITIZEN'S DAY

August 21, 2023

Ohio House Democrats

On August 21st, National Senior Citizen's Day recognizes the achievements of our senior citizens. The day provides an opportunity to show our appreciation for their dedication, accomplishments, and services they give throughout their lives. Our senior citizens are pioneers of science, medicine, psychology, civil rights and so much more. House Democrats will continue to support our elderly citizens, ensuring they have the ability to thrive here in Ohio.

AUGUST

NATIONAL BLACK BUSINESS MONTH

August is National Black Business Month, a time to bring attention to the wonderful and hardworking Black-owned businesses across the country.

Did you know Ohio is ranked the 12th best state for Black entrepreneurship? There are 4,000 Black-owned businesses with more than 50,000 employees and a combined payroll of over \$1.5 billion. I encourage you to support your local Black-owned businesses, not just this month, but at any chance you get!



House Democrats Condemn Issue 1

On August 8th, Ohio will be voting on Issue 1. When politicians fail us, ballot initiatives give us the freedom to make decisions that affect our lives. Issue 1 would destroy citizen-driven ballot initiatives as we know them, guaranteeing that only the wealthiest special interests could advance changes to our constitution.

We must protect our freedom to determine our future. We must protect our power as people. Make sure your voice is heard by voting “NO” to stop special interests from ending majority rule. Protect our rights and the sacred principle of “one person, one vote,” instead of handing power over to out-of-touch politicians. #VoteNoInAugust.

Vote "NO"
on Issue 1

ONE PERSON. ONE VOTE.



State Representative Humphrey's Senior Community Resource Fair

Representative Humphrey recently hosted a community resource fair focused on seniors in Ohio's 2nd House District. The event connected many seniors with a variety of resources, services, and connections that will enhance their lives. Several political figures, including Senator Hearcel Craig, Former Senator Charletta

Tavarus, and Judge Mike Mcallister, also attended to support and connect with seniors. The office of Representative Humphrey prioritizes these resource fairs as they are essential to

building and sustaining cohesive communities. It's interesting to note that Ohio has more than 2.8 million residents aged 60 or older, making up almost one-quarter of the total population. In Franklin County alone, almost 900,000 people live, with 10 percent of them being 65 or older. The older population of Ohio is a vital part of the state's success, providing a wealth of experience, resilience, and knowledge.

The fair featured a variety of vendors, including healthcare providers, senior housing options, community centers, and social support networks. There were workshops, interactive activities, and the opportunity to meet fellow seniors, caregivers, and volunteers.

Please stay tuned for the next event.

