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**Darnell T. Brewer**

State Representative, Ohio House District 22

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Maple Heights City Council  
5353 Lee Road  
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Dear Maple Heights City Council:

As the State Representative for Ohio House District 22, it is my responsibility to advocate for and uplift all of my constituents, that is why I am deeply disappointed in Maple Heights City Council's failure to pass a Pride Month acknowledgement resolution.

Passing a Pride Month resolution would not only reflect the values of compassion and justice that our district strives for, but also help foster a sense of belonging and safety for all who call Maple Heights home. At a time when LGBTQ+ individuals face higher rates of violence, suicide and mental health issues simply because of who they are, we must act to help the LGBTQ+ community by providing support and creating an environment where everyone is accepted. A Pride Month resolution would signal to current and future residents that this city is one where all people are seen and respected. Pride is a celebration of our diverse and amazing LGBTQ+ community and we should spend this month honoring the contributions that the LGBTQ+ community has made to our city, district, state, and country.

Over the past five years, Maple Heights City Council has rejected this resolution. I am hopeful that the city council will address this issue to take a simple yet meaningful step in promoting equality in our city.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Darnell T. Brewer".

Representative Darnell T. Brewer  
Ohio House District 22