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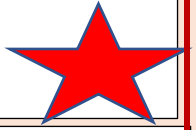


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*Election day is Nov. 7 and there are many local candidates and Issues that need your support. If you haven't voted already, please make every effort to go to the polls. Do your research and vote NO on Issues 1 and 2.*

*Mike Bollas, Chairman*



***MAY YOU ALL HAVE A HAPPY AND BLESSED THANKSGIVING AND ENJOY THE COMFORT AND JOY OF YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS***

# SAVE THE DATE

## DECEMBER 7, 2023

Hartford Hill Winery

**MIKE WILSON**  
SHERIFF

5 - 8 p.m.

3864 Bushnell Campbell Rd., Hartford, OH 44418

Tickets are \$100 per person, \$150 per couple

Sponsorships Available

For reservations or to sponsor, please call Marleah Campbell at 330-240-1826  
Checks can be made payable to: Mike Wilson for Trumbull County Sheriff

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ No. of Reservations: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Check No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

I cannot attend but would like to donate: \_\_\_\_\_

### Moms for Liberty Organizational Meeting

WHAT IS GOING ON IN YOUR SCHOOLS?

Monday, November 13, 5:30  
Warren Public Library

PARENTS & GRANDPARENTS WELCOME

This is a meeting to identify issues that need to be addressed to start a Trumbull County Chapter  
RSVP to 330-360-0679

This event is open to the public!



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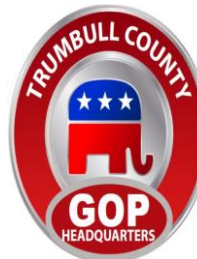
**MIKE WILSON**  
SHERIFF

GULF WAR VETERAN

SERGEANT, RETIRED OHIO  
STATE HIGHWAY PATROL

TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE

PROVEN LEADER



1195-B Niles Cortland Rd. SE  
Warren, OH 44484  
234.806.4973

NEW HOURS

EFFECTIVE 10-10-23 to 11-10-23

MONDAY – 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

TUESDAY – 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

(3<sup>rd</sup> Tues. of the month 4 – 7 p.m.)

WEDNESDAY – 12:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

THURSDAY – 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

FRIDAY – 12:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

SATURDAY – 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

(1<sup>ST</sup> Saturday of the month)


SUNDAYS and HOLIDAYS - closed

# NO IN NOVEMBER

VOTE NO ON ISSUES 1 & 2

Under **Issue 2**, marijuana sales would be taxed at **10%**. The revenue generated from this tax would be directed toward establishing a cannabis social equity and jobs program. This program would be designed to provide financial support and assistance for license applications to individuals who have been disproportionately affected by past marijuana-related law enforcement.

## TRUMBULL COUNTY REPUBLICAN WOMEN'S DECEMBER MEETING



**Guest Speaker:**  
Valerie Kokor will speak on her 35+ years working at the CDC in Atlanta

**The Chophouse**  
9519 E. Market, Howland  
(private side patio room)

**Thursday, December 7, 2023, promptly @ noon**  
**Doors open at 11:30 a.m. for social time and to celebrate Christmas! Dress festively!**

**\$22.00 per person. Exact change or checks please, payable to: TCRWC**

**You must make advance reservations & lunch choice by November 30th by e-mailing Cathy at [cathylukasko@aol.com](mailto:cathylukasko@aol.com) or text 330-719-0185.**

**Your choices for Lunch :**

- 1. Chicken Marsala**
- 2. Cod Francaise**
- 3. Chophouse salad/ chicken**



*Some photos from the October luncheon with speaker, Alex Triantafilou, Ohio Republican Party*






# SANTUCCI

— STATE REPRESENTATIVE —



Nick Santucci showing his support for American energy with the Ohio Coal Association. Coal provides millions of Ohioans with affordable and reliable energy and supports tens of thousands of Ohio jobs!



State Representative Santucci and his wife, Alexis, joined Akron Children's for their annual toy drive benefiting children in need in northeast Ohio.



Our State Representative was the keynote at the Chamber of Commerce's Lattes and Legislators event at the McKinley Library in Niles. These events bring Trumbull County business leaders together to discuss policy that affects the area economy and work on solutions to make Ohio more business-friendly.

Thank you to everyone on Team Santucci who weathered the cold rain to march with me in the Niles Halloween Parade!  
I'm blessed to have so many friends show up to support the work we're doing in Columbus.





# TRUMBULL COUNTY REPUBLICANS ON THE BALLOT

## NOVEMBER 7, 2023



WARREN CITY COUNCIL-4<sup>TH</sup>  
WARD  
Kristen Riley

CORTLAND CITY MAYOR  
Deidre R. Petrosky

CORTLAND CITY COUNCIL  
John Picuri

LORSTOWN VILLAGE MAYOR  
Danielle Watson

LORDSTOWN CITY COUNCIL  
Lamar L. Liming

ORANGEVILLE VILLAGE MAYOR  
Ruth E. Bennett

ORANGEVILLE VILLAGE  
COUNCIL  
Paul J. Kish

WEST FARMINGTON COUNCIL  
Carl Judge

BLOOMFIELD TOWNSHIP  
TRUSTEE  
Rich Viney Jr.

BLOOMFIELD FISCAL OFFICER  
Fannie Miller

BRISTOL TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE  
Brian Sloan

BROOKFIELD TOWNSHIP  
TRUSTEE  
John Paul Martin

CHAMPION FISCAL OFFICER  
Ronald L. Hickox

FARMINGTON TWP TRUSTEE  
John B. Dale

FARMINGTON – FISCAL OFFICER  
Barbara A. Scott

FOWLER TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE  
Doug Johnson  
Cathy Carr

GREENE TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE  
Eric W. Kohler

GREENE – FISCAL OFFICER  
Erin M. Wakefield

GUSTAVUS TWP TRUSTEE  
Jeff Betts

GUSTAVUS – FISCAL OFFICER  
Laura Hall

HOWLAND TWP TRUSTEE  
Julie J. Altawil  
George Bakeris

HUBBARD TWP TRUSTEE  
Jason Tedrow

HUBBARD TWP FISCAL  
OFFICER  
Jennifer A. Evans

JOHNSON TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE  
Davis Denman

JOHNSTOWN – FISCAL OFFICER  
Sharon L. Carlson

KINSMAN TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE  
Gregory Leonhard

LIBERTY TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE  
Devon A. Stanley

LIBERTY – FISCAL OFFICER  
Matthew Connelly

MECCA TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE  
James D. Governor

MESOPOTAMIA – FISCAL  
OFFICER  
Maureen P. Foster  
Crystal Karey Neikirk

NEWTON TWP – FISCAL  
OFFICER  
Tim Irons

SOUTHINGTON TWP TRUSTEE  
Charles Hagman

VIENNA TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE  
Mark Haddle

VIENNA TWP – FISCAL OFFICER  
Linda J. McCullough  
Rhonda Root

WARREN TWP – FISCAL  
OFFICER  
Chris Haught

MEMBER OF GOVERNING  
BOARD OF TRUMBULL CO EDU  
SERV CTR  
Deborah Patchin

BRISTOL LOCAL SCHOOLS  
Jared Bilas

CHAMPION LOCAL SCHOOLS  
John T. Pitts  
Aaron Abrahamson (~~4<sup>year</sup>~~  
term)

HOWLAND LOCAL SCHOOLS  
Denise Delida

HUBBARD EXEMPTED SCHOOL  
Donald E. Newell, Sr.

LABRAE LOCAL SCHOOLS  
Karen J. Ancell  
Russell Sewell  
Julia M. Shutt

LAKEVIEW LOCAL SCHOOLS  
Stephen Bott  
Jennifer Nicholas  
Taylor Pease

LORDSTOWN LOCAL SCHOOLS  
Bill Catlin

MAPLEWOOD LOCAL SCHOOLS  
Kevin Blair

MATHEWS LOCAL SCHOOLS  
Elizabeth Haddle  
Sherrilynn Lucas  
Courtney Neiss

MCDONALD LOCAL SCHOOLS  
Kristina Merola

SOUTHINGTON LOCAL  
SCHOOLS  
Megan Gibbs  
Terry Kelly

WEATHERSFIELD LOCAL  
SCHOOLS  
Joshua M. Garris  
Tim Gleason

**These are the offices that affect you daily in your community. Please reach out to these candidates and offer your support. They are running to make a difference locally for you and your families. Support these Republican candidates on November 7<sup>th</sup>!**



My name is David Thomas and I am running to be your Republican State Representative in the new Ohio House District 65 for the March 2024 Primary. The new 65<sup>th</sup> District covers nearly all of Ashtabula County and the northern and eastern portions of Trumbull County. I serve as the Ashtabula County Auditor, a position I have held since 2018 when I was elected at 25.

Although I was born and raised in Ashtabula, I have strong roots in Trumbull County, as my parents, Bill and Angela Thomas, are from Trumbull, and my father teaches at Warren JFK High School. I've spent much of my life in Trumbull County at my grandparents'- Dominic and Diana Marchese- farm in Johnston Township and in Cortland with my other grandparents Ron and Rosann Thomas, and with much of my extended family who live and work in Trumbull County.

I am running for State Representative because as County Auditor I have seen too many seniors who are being taxed out of their homes and farmers who cannot afford to keep their land due to growing property taxes. I am familiar with these problems and more, and I can no longer stay on the sidelines watching. We need action, and I have solutions!

I am a small government conservative who cares about tax relief, infrastructure, limiting government's power, and ensuring that our fundamental rights are protected. My top policy focus is Property Tax relief - our seniors, farmers, and homeowners have been unfairly carrying the weight for far too long. As County Auditor I have learned how to reform the system, and I have worked on bills that help seniors and others. Those were just a start and I will fight for more legislation as your next State Representative!

As County Auditor, my reputation is for good customer service, constant transparency, and having a significant presence in the community. If you email, call, or write me, I promise to respond as soon as I am able. Email me at [david@davidthomasforohio.com](mailto:david@davidthomasforohio.com), call me at (440) 812-9022, or write to 532 Heritage Sq. Jefferson, Ohio 44047. If you invite me to an event, I will do everything possible to attend and meet your needs.

I am excited to meet and talk with as many people as possible, so please do not hesitate to reach out to me! You can visit my website to learn more, sign up for my e-newsletter, and keep up with my campaign at [www.davidthomasforohio.com](http://www.davidthomasforohio.com) .

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "David Thomas". The signature is written in a cursive style and is enclosed within a thin black rectangular border.



## **FRANK LAROSE BUILT A CONSERVATIVE RECORD OF LEADERSHIP AND RESULTS.**

He became a conservative champion in the state senate, earning support from the Ohio Farm Bureau to the Fraternal Order of Police. In 2018, Frank became our Secretary of State and won re-election with more votes than anyone in the history of the office. He's made Ohio a national leader in election integrity and helped open record numbers of new businesses. His most important job, though, is to be a loving husband to his wife, Lauren, and a devoted father to his three young daughters – Hadley, Ellie, and Lainey.



## ***LAROSE: WE MUST RESTORE THE AMERICAN STRENGTH WE SAW UNDER PRESIDENT TRUMP***

U.S. Senate candidate and Army Special Forces combat veteran Frank LaRose released the following statement on the recent attacks on U.S. service members:

“My fellow U.S. servicemen and women are being attacked by radical Iranian-backed terrorists, with more than 20 left injured, it is past time for the President to demonstrate American strength in the face of such attacks. His weakness has signaled to our enemies that killing and harming Americans is tolerated when in fact such actions should be met with fierce and swift

justice. We need to restore the Trump Doctrine that if you mess with Americans, you will be destroyed”



## **FRANK LAROSE SERVED HIS COUNTRY & RETURNED HOME TO PROTECT OUR FREEDOM.**

He served on the frontlines of combat and in other critical posts around the world, earning numerous commendations and medals including four Army Achievement Medals and two Army Commendation Medals during his years of active service. For his exemplary service in Iraq, he earned the Bronze Star. After seeing the cost of freedom abroad, Frank returned to Ohio to protect our liberties here at home.



## A SENATOR for OHIO

*FATHER. HUSBAND. BUSINESS OWNER.  
PUBLIC SERVANT.*

As a State Senator and Chairman of the powerful Senate Finance Committee, Matt Dolan has solidified his standing as a conservative leader by keeping his promises to reduce the size and scope of government, protect Ohio communities, and deliver record-breaking tax cuts to Ohio families and businesses. Matt's most recent budget earned wide praise from state and national conservative organizations, including the Ohio Republican Party which labeled his effort "the most conservative budget in Ohio legislative history."

Matt has proven to be a leader in the Ohio Senate by designing and delivering a policy agenda that gets results. From fighting to keep the costs of education low, to training Ohio's workforce, championing school choice, and funding our police, Matt has worked to ensure our state remains a national leader protecting personal freedom and upholding the Constitution.

Matt continues to fight for investments from inside and outside Ohio with an economic climate of low taxes, less regulations and improving workforce. He knows quality education, whether at public, charter, private or trade schools is essential to prepare our children for tomorrow's economy. Recognizing water and water quality is an asset to Ohio's economy, Matt has worked to preserve, promote and protect Lake Erie.

Matt's public service career began as Assistant State Attorney General and later as Chief Assistant Prosecutor for Geauga County. Senator Dolan's private sector experience includes being a partner at the law firm in his hometown of Chardon, Ohio, as well as Vice-President of 7th Avenue Management and part of the ownership group of the Cleveland Guardians. Additionally, his commitment to Ohio's future also stems from his work teaching the next generation of Ohio public leaders as an adjunct professor at the Case Western Reserve School of Law and Kent State University's Geauga Campus.

When he is not working for his constituents in Columbus, you can find Matt reading and exploring the outdoors with his wife Jessica, playing just about any sport with Sam and Maddox, and of course, rooting on the Cleveland Guardians.

Below are just a few of the recent awards Matt Dolan has received illustrating his results-driven conservative leadership:

- Ohio College of Clinical Pharmacy Ohio Pharmacy Legislative Award 2022
- Ohio Council for Home Care & Hospice Home Care and Hospice Hero Award 2022
- Center for Community Solutions Award for Public Service in Honor of John A. Begala 2022
- 2021 Ohio Chamber of Commerce Champion of Business
- Legislator of the Year by the Public Children Services Association of Ohio (PCSAO) 2021
- Ohio Hotel & Lodging Association Legislator of the Year 2021
- Ohio Domestic Violence Network Leadership in Policy Award 2021
- Easterseals Ray of Hope Award 2021
- NFIB Guardian of Small Business Award 2020
- Ohio Alliance of Boys & Girls Clubs Blue Door Award 2020
- The American Conservative Union Foundation Conservative Achievement 2019
- Ohio AMVETS Legislator of the Year 2019
- Mission: Readiness Ohio National Security Leadership Award 2019
- Ohio Association of Area Agencies on Aging Elected Official of the Year Award 2019
- Healthcare Information Technology Legislator of the Year 2019
- Small business advocate from Greater Cleveland Partnership and Counsel of Smaller Enterprises 2018
- Ohio Public Transit Association Legislator of the Year 2018
- Conservative Clean Energy Champion 2018
- The American Conservative Union Foundation Conservative Achievement 2018





**BERNIE  
MORENO**  
FOR U.S. SENATE

**CONSERVATIVE.  
OUTSIDER.  
ENTREPRENEUR.**

**FIGHTING FOR OHIO.**

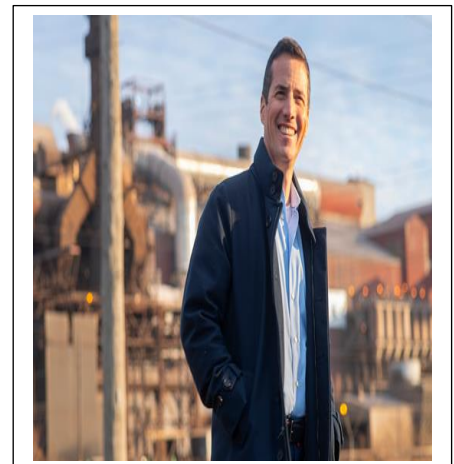
I am running for the United States Senate because, for too long, the men and women who move Ohio forward, American workers, have been left behind by career politicians like Sherrod Brown and Joe Biden.

All public policy priorities in America should revolve around a simple concept: what is good for American workers and families? All elected officials should strive to create a growing middle class where the American Dream is accessible to anyone, regardless of their background.

***SPECIFICALLY, THESE FIFTEEN PRIORITIES WILL DO JUST THAT:***

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1. Empower parents to make education choices
2. Secure America's borders, stop amnesty and destroy the Mexican Drug Cartels
3. Restore the integrity of our elections
4. Massively reduce anti-growth regulations, cut government spending, and end inflation
5. Beat Communist China
6. Hold Big Tech accountable and break up big media
7. Protect Moms, Protect Families, and Protect Life by supporting a ban on late term abortions
8. Empower local law enforcement to ensure Safe Communities
9. Vigorously defend our constitutional rights, especially the Second Amendment
10. Restore American Energy Independence
11. Allow free markets to work
12. Enact term limits for members of Congress
13. Restoring American Manufacturing
14. End Wokeness and Cancel Culture
15. End Socialism in America



# VOTE NO ON ISSUE 1

## SAVE OUR CHILDREN – PROTECT PARENTAL RIGHTS

The word "woman" does not appear in this entire amendment

### FULL TEXT OF PROPOSED AMENDMENT

Be it Resolved by the People of the State of Ohio that Article I of the Ohio Constitution is amended to add the following Section:

Article I, Section 22. The Right to Reproductive Freedom with Protections for Health and Safety (mostly for abortion providers)

A. Every individual has a right to make and carry out one's own reproductive decisions) including but not limited to decisions on:

1. contraception;
2. fertility treatment;
3. continuing one's own pregnancy;
4. miscarriage care; and
5. abortion.

B. The State shall not directly or indirectly, burden, penalize, prohibit, interfere with, or discriminate against either:

1. An individual's voluntary exercise of this right or
2. A person or entity that assists an individual exercising this right,

unless the State demonstrates that it is using the least restrictive means to advance the individual's health in accordance with widely accepted and evidence-based standards of care.

However, abortion may be prohibited after fetal viability. But in no case may such an abortion be prohibited if in the professional judgment of the pregnant patient's treating physician it is necessary to protect the pregnant patient's life or health.

C. As used in this Section:

1. "Fetal viability" means "the point in a pregnancy when, in the professional judgment of the pregnant patient's treating physician, the fetus has a significant likelihood of survival outside the uterus with reasonable measures. This is determined on a case-by-case basis."
2. "State" includes any governmental entity and any political subdivision.

D. This Section is self-executing.

### FINAL THOUGHT

The Ohio Legislature will have NO power to mitigate against the abuse of this language, because this is a Constitutional right. Thus, the people of Ohio will be silenced on this subject.

NOW IS THE TIME TO STAND UP FOR THE MOST VULNERABLE IN OUR SOCIETY.

VOTE NO THIS NOVEMBER

ISSUE 1 WOULD MAKE IT IMPOSSIBLE TO PASS PROTECTIONS FOR THE UNBORN IN THE FUTURE.



VOTE NO THIS NOVEMBER

VOTE NO SIGNS ARE AVAILABLE AT THE TRUMBULL COUNTY REPUBLICAN PARTY HEADQUARTERS.





**Ohio State Senator Sandy O'Brien**  
**Senate Building**  
**1 Capitol Square, Ground Floor #35**  
**Columbus, OH 43215**  
**614.466.7182**

## CASH IS KING CHAPTER 2

The most recent Ohio biennial budget passed by the General Assembly and signed by the Governor contained a requirement stating that cash was to be accepted as payment for school functions. I inserted this requirement in the budget after seeing people turned away who wish to pay cash. This requirement countermanded the decision by the Ohio High School Athletic Association (OHSAA) which implemented an online only ticket policy. The purpose of the new requirement was to allow those who found it difficult or impossible to purchase tickets online to still be able to enjoy high school activities. I can personally attest to the success of the program as I have witnessed lines forming at the cash only windows at local football games.

The pushback from the OHSAA was swift. They begrudgingly started allowing cash for ticket sales but in defiance raised prices for those tickets purchased with cash.

It gets worse.

This week we began the high school football playoffs and OHSAA has increased the punitive measure. If you decide to purchase a ticket using cash at the gate, you will pay anywhere from 30 to 70% more than if you purchased your ticket online. Charging a student \$15 to attend their high school's football game is unacceptable.

The purpose of this cash option was simple: to make a sporting event easy to attend for everyone involved. The OHSAA is more interested in the financial aspect of high school sports instead of the sport itself. For those of you who will have your pockets picked by the OHSAA this playoff season, rest assured that this will not go unchallenged. Bureaucracies that go rogue need to be subject to oversight through legislation.

## O'BRIEN SUPPORTS ISRAEL

### Senate Approves Resolution Condemning Attack Against Israel

State Senator Sandra O'Brien (R-Ashtabula) strongly supports Senate Resolution 214 condemning the attack on Israel by Hamas and those supporting their invasion and atrocities.

This resolution declares our unwavering and unequivocal support for the Israeli people as they defend themselves against this unjustifiable and atrocious attack.

“The horrific terrorist attack on Israel is a painful reminder of the hatred the Israeli people continue to endure,” O'Brien said. “My Senate colleagues and I stand with Israel, one of our strongest national allies, as they mourn and defend themselves. We are with our Jewish brothers and sisters today and every day, and continue to remember them in prayer.”

On Saturday, October 7th 2023, Hamas terrorists carried out an unprovoked attack on the state of Israel. Terrified Israelis awoke that morning to terrorists executing an intricately planned, coordinated attack by land, sea, & air.

The subsequent reports of atrocities, including the kidnapping of civilians, the rape of girls and women, and beheading of babies has revolted the entire civilized world.

Officials confirm more than 1,200 people in Israel have been killed, including 22 U.S. citizens, and 20 or more Americans were missing. Israel is one of our strongest allies and we must stand by our friends. We condemn the actions of Hamas in the strongest terms possible.

# *It's been a busy month for Republicans in Trumbull County*



**DAVID THOMAS**  
State Representative

**Campaign Kickoff Event!**

Orwell St. Mary's Church  
Event Center  
103 N Maple St. Orwell

Monday  
October 30th  
5:30PM-7:30PM

Join us for our 5th Annual Autumn with the Auditor for County Auditor David Thomas' Kickoff for State Representative 65th District!

The evening will include a delicious meal from the Daughters of Mary with the St. Mary's Church, Local Wine and Beer Selections, and homemade desserts from the Thomas family.

**Suggested Donation:**  
\$50 Individual/\$90 a couple

**Sponsorship Opportunities:**  
\$2,500 Host Sponsor  
\$1,000 Supporting  
\$500/\$250/\$150 Level  
(Sponsors listed on website and future flyer)  
\*Reserved Tables with Extra Tickets Available for sponsors

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