

A legislative update from
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From the desk of Rep. Galonski

Dear Neighbor,

Happy New Year! I hope you and your family had a wonderful holiday season with family, friends, and new cherished memories.

As we begin 2023, I could not be more excited to serve our community in the Ohio House of Representatives. This year is filled with opportunity to work together and deliver results for the People of Ohio.

On January 3, I was proud to be sworn in as state representative for Ohio House District 33. As your voice in the state legislature, I promise to work hard for you and your family every single day. I am excited to share more updates on legislation, committee work, and more in the weeks to come.

With a new Speaker of the Ohio House and new colleagues on both sides of the aisle, I am more optimistic than ever about the future of our state. Ohioans have faced great challenges in the last few years and 2023 will be no different. But, I am confident that we can work side by side to create better lives and brighter futures for everyone in this state.

I am proud to be your state representative. I want to hear from you! My office is happy to help you with any state related issue or just to listen to your thoughts about state government. Always remember, I work for you. Please do not hesitate to contact my office with any questions, comments or concerns.

Sincerely,

Tavia Galonski
 State Representative
 Ohio House District 33

Committee Assignments

Representative Galonski will serve on the following House Committees during the 135th General Assembly:

- Civil Justice, *Ranking Member*
- Constitutional Resolutions
- Criminal Justice
- Government Oversight
- Rules & Reference

The Anniversary of Roe v. Wade
 January 22nd

January 22nd marked the 50th anniversary of the landmark Roe v. Wade decision. Though this decision was overturned in 2022, it serves as a reminder that we must protect abortion and reproductive rights. The right to make healthcare decisions about your own body is non-negotiable.

Rep. Galonski announces community office hours

This year, I will be hosting a series of community office hours throughout the 33rd House District. I look forward to meeting with you to hear about the issues that matter most to you. Always remember, I work for you!

Upcoming office hours will be held on the following dates:

- **Monday, February 27, 2023** from 1-3pm | Odom Boulevard Branch Library
- **Monday, March 20, 2023** from 1-3pm | Northwest Akron Branch Library
- **Monday, April 3, 2023** from 1-3pm | Highland Square Branch Library

Additional office hours will be scheduled for the remainder of the year—be sure to check social media for updates. I hope to see you there!

Rep. Galonski elected as House Assistant Minority Whip

I am honored to have been elected by my colleagues to serve as a member of the Ohio House Democratic Caucus leadership team as Assistant Whip. In my new role, I look forward to helping to lead our caucus to a brighter future for all Ohioans.



While I have no doubt that we have a long two years ahead of us, I am ready for the challenge and am optimistic that we can accomplish great things together this General Assembly. Let's get to work!

Rep. Galonski announces priorities for the 135th General Assembly

This General Assembly, I will be working on legislation to address important issues facing Ohioans throughout our state.

Bills I plan to introduce include:

- Eliminating the statute of limitations for rape and child sex abuse
- Creating the Ohio Asian-American & Pacific Islander (AAP) Affairs Commission
- Improving civics education for Ohio's students
- Establishing a right to counsel for tenants facing eviction
- Making it easier for veterans to apply for military license plates
- Expanding access to justice for human trafficking survivors

If you have an idea for a bill that Ohio needs, please do not hesitate to reach out to my office. I would love to hear from you!