



A legislative update from  
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Dear Neighbor,

I hope you have had a restful July and got the chance to spend time with loved ones. While the Ohio House of Representatives is temporarily on summer legislative recess, plenty of work is continuing in our office and around the district.

In July, I introduced bipartisan legislation to increase the penalties on railroad companies who interrupt the flow of traffic and commerce in our communities. We've seen railroad companies stall traffic in Hamilton County, and through House Bill 361 the consequences of doing so are significantly increased.

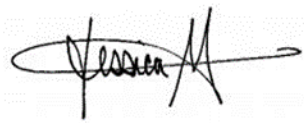
Our community functions best when we create an inclusive environment. That's why in July I was also proud to introduce a resolution calling for Ohio teams to stop the misuse of Native American imagery in their names and mascots. Ohioans should never have to endure harmful and derogatory stereotypes, and removing hurtful language and mascots is important in ensuring a respectful community.

On July 12 we held our second meeting for the Ohio Gun Violence Prevention Caucus and were joined by Hamilton County Sheriff Charmaine McGuffey. Enacting common sense gun reform is crucial to the wellbeing and safety of our communities, and I'm proud to advocate for what's best for the #Great28.

As July wraps up, it's important to reflect on what our liberty means. Our freedom is a result of the millions of Americans who give it their all, whether it be in our great military, as first responders, or even simply as active community members. Our democracy is strong, but it requires all of us to be active—getting vaccinated not just for yourself but for your family and neighbors, expressing support for fair districts that aren't gerrymandered behind the public's back, and doing our part to ensure a safe and strong community.

As always, I will continue to fight for you and your rights as Americans and as Ohioans, so do not hesitate to contact me if I can be of assistance. I can be reached by phone at (614) 466-8120 or by email at Rep28@ohiohouse.gov.

Sincerely,



**Jessica E. Miranda**  
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**IMPORTANT UPDATES**

- The Delta Variant of COVID-19 is spreading, causing severe illnesses in many unvaccinated patients. To find a vaccination site near you, visit [gettheshot.coronavirus.ohio.gov](https://gettheshot.coronavirus.ohio.gov) or call 1-833-4-ASK-ODH and get vaccinated! Anyone over the age of 12 is eligible.
- Ohioans who have received unemployment overpayments through no fault of their own are now eligible for waivers to have their money returned. If this has happened to you, be on the lookout for more information from the unemployment office. See below for more info.

**Ohioans with unemployment overpayments can now apply for waivers**

- Claimants who have already repaid these overpayments but qualify for the waivers will have their money returned
- Eligible claimants will be notified by ODJFS and provided instructions to apply
- Both PUA and traditional UI claimants can apply

*If you have any questions, please email Rep28@ohiohouse.gov or call 614-466-8120*



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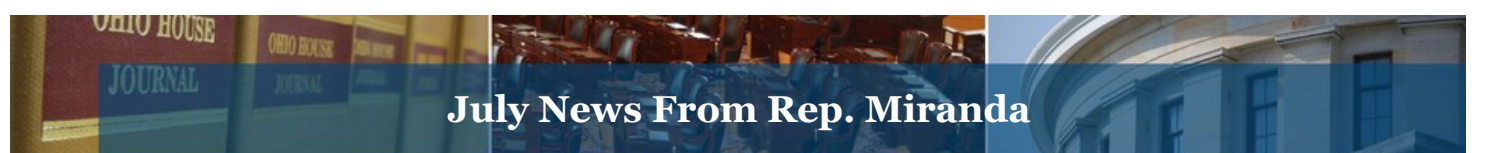
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**Ohio PROMISE**  
**OPPORTUNITY AGENDA TOUR**  
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Thursday, August 12  
 6-7 pm  
 1819 Innovation Hub - University of Cincinnati  
 2900 Reading Rd  
 Cincinnati, OH 45206

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- [Rep. Miranda statement on unemployment overpayment waivers](#)
- [Rep. Miranda introduces Fairness Doctrine resolution](#)

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