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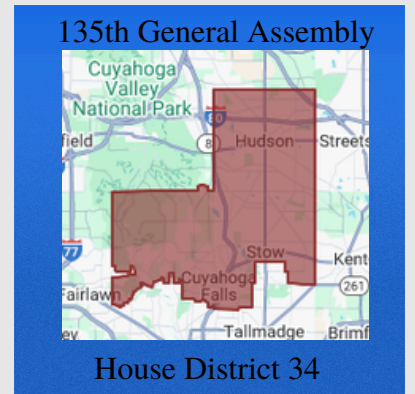
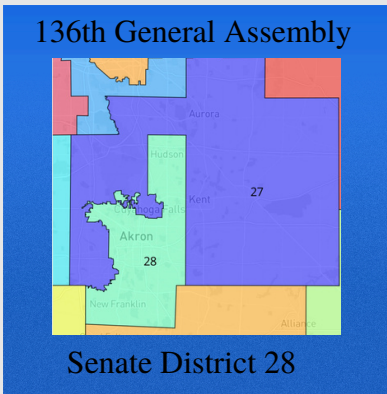
Coming soon, I will be representing a larger district, gaining a greater part of Akron and its surrounding areas. While our district will triple in size, I'm excited to continue serving with dedication all the communities I represent.

November at The Ohio Statehouse!

Dear Neighbor,

The end of the year is quickly approaching and with it the end of this General Assembly! As a nation, we just witnessed another General Election. Whether you feel joy or disappointment about the outcome, I encourage you to take time for yourself—to reflect on your emotions and find solace in community, whether in happiness or in struggle. Together, we will continue to move forward, united in our shared purpose and committed to the future we are building here in Ohio.

Over the past 6 years, I have had the privilege of meeting individuals where they are in our community, which has deepened my understanding of the issues that matter most to you as your State Representative. Today, I am proud to announce that I will be continuing my work as your new Ohio Senator for District 28 starting January 6, 2025. This new role will allow me to continue fighting for the needs of our community with even greater dedication and focus.



Issue 1: Update



Ohio voters were met with confusing rhetoric on the ballot misleading many individuals on the basis of gerrymandering in Ohio. Unfortunately, Issue 1 did not pass this November, but the fight for fair representation and accountability in our state continues. I am committed to continuing the push for meaningful reform, ensuring that Ohio's elections and legislative processes truly reflect the will of the people. Thank you to everyone who supported this critical initiative. Together we will keep working towards a better future for all Ohioans.

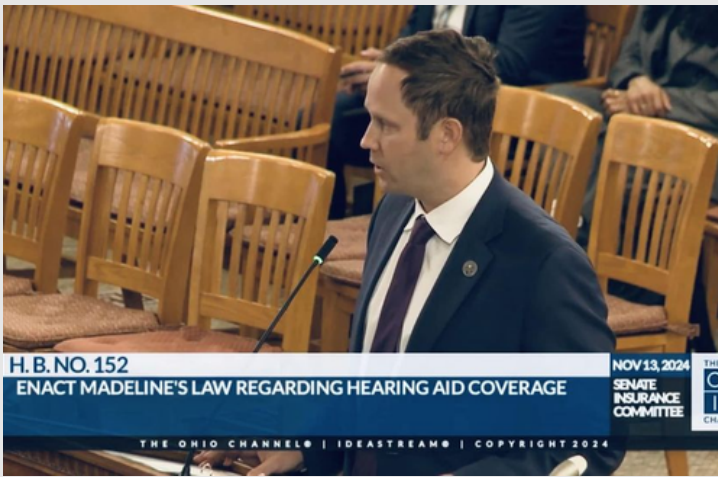
It's been an exciting and productive month, and I'm grateful for the opportunities I've had so far to connect with many of you, whether through community events or meaningful conversations. These interactions continue to inspire me and guide my work. I look forward to more opportunities to collaborate and ensure that your voices are uplifted and heard at the state level.

Please remember that as your State Representative, I am here to listen! Don't hesitate to reach out with your thoughts, concerns, or ideas for how we can continue to move Ohio forward together.

Sincerely,

Legislative Update: Committee Meetings

As we approach the end of this General Assembly, legislative session and committee hearings are starting to reconvene. My focus continues to be advancing legislation that will make a meaningful difference in the lives of Ohioans. This last week, I had the opportunity to give sponsor testimony for House Bill 152, also known as Madeline's Law, which would require that health benefit plans cover up to \$2500 per individual hearing aid every 48 months for enrolled Ohioans under the age of 22. It also includes required coverage for related services such as fittings and hearing exams. This bill is an important step in investing in the early development of our children, and effectively ensuring every child can hear in our state.



Looking ahead

As committees and legislative sessions pick back up, I would continue encouraging you to remain engaged and follow along as bills make their way through the legislative process. As a reminder, you can always check on the status of any bills through <https://www.legislature.ohio.gov>

While a few of my bills remain stuck on committee, I have some good news to share! House Bill 290 - The Thriving Families Tax Credit, will have its first hearing November 19th in the Ways and Means Committee. This bill will create an annual refundable tax credit for middle-class families with children under the age of 18.

Together with Representative McNally, we are proud to sponsor this initiative and believe that people's success should not be limited based on zip code. House Bill 290 would give families a much-needed boost by providing a benefit of up to \$1000 per child aged 0-5.

If you'd like to stay updated on the progress of this bill, you can follow it: [here](#). I remain committed to working on behalf of the people of Ohio. Thank you for your ongoing support and engagement. It is because of you that we can continue to push for the change our state needs. Please continue to keep reaching out with any concerns or questions to my office.

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