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Summer at The Ohio Statehouse!

Dear Neighbor,
Happy first full month of summer! On July 4th, we celebrated Independence Day. The Fourth of July serves as a reminder of why this country, and state is such a special place. This is a great time to reflect on our democratic values as Americans and Ohioans, and what opportunities our democracy has given us.

Back in Columbus, much of the last several weeks were spent finalizing the State Capital budget. I am happy to announce that we successfully passed a bi-partisan budget on June 26th which included over \$34 million for Summit County agencies and community projects.

Back in the 34th, I had the pleasure of hosting a joint town hall with Congresswoman Emilia Sykes at the Stow Public Library! It was an honor to meet and speak with so many of you.



I always cherish any opportunity to connect with you and hear what issues are on your mind.

Now that the Capital budget is passed, I am turning my attention back to legislation for our district. If you have any suggestions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact my office. Hearing from all of you is incredibly important to me and my staff.

Like always, it is a pleasure to serve you at the Statehouse.

Sincerely,

Casey Weinstein
State Representative
Ohio House District 34



Legislative Update: 39 Bills Passed Last House Session!

On June 26, my colleagues and I met for a 12-hour long House session where we passed 39 bills. For this month's legislative update, I would like to highlight two:

HB 79- This bipartisan bill secures access to energy saving programs for all Ohioans! If passed by the Senate and signed by the Governor, HB 79 would give Ohioans the opportunity to opt into energy saving programs that reduce both the cost of electricity and the waste produced by it. This commonsense bill would increase access to affordable energy to all Ohioans while reducing pollution created by excessive energy waste. I proudly voted in favor of it and supported it throughout the committee process. This bill now moves to the Senate for further consideration.

HB 2 - We also passed a \$6.2B capital appropriations bill, securing transformative community investments in Summit County and all of Ohio, as well as supporting state-owned infrastructure, colleges, universities, and school districts. I am thrilled to let you know that \$34 Million was allocated to Summit County and many of those tax dollars are set to be used on a number of local projects in District 34, including but not limited to:

- Cascade Plaza \$5M
- Akron Zoo Veterinary Hospital \$2M
- Stow First Responders Memorial \$100K
- Cuyahoga Falls Regional Fire Training Facility \$3M
- Blossom Music Center \$1M
- Hudson Inclusive Playground \$680K

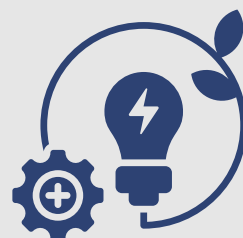


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