



**State Representative Jennifer Gross**

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**The Ohio House of Representatives**



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**District 45 Happenings**



## Butler County Farm Bureau Annual Meeting

Representative Jennifer Gross was honored to be recognized as a *Friend of Agriculture* at the 2024 Butler County Farm Bureau Annual Meeting. This award highlights her ongoing commitment to supporting Ohio's farmers and promoting agriculture in our community. "I respect and am grateful for the hardworking hands that feed and sustain our communities," said Gross. "I am committed to ensuring Ohio agriculture remains strong for future generations."

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## The Waterford Sports Bar Ribbon Cutting

Representative Gross enjoyed celebrating the opening of a new sports bar at the Waterford in Fairfield. This pub is a welcome addition for gathering the community to socialize and enjoy various sporting events.



## **Nth Cycle Ribbon Cutting**

Representative Gross was honored to participate in a ribbon cutting celebrating the grand opening of Nth Cycle in Fairfield. Nth cycle partners with recyclers, manufacturers, and miners to refine materials directly on-site at their facilities. The Oyster system recovers critical metals from end-of-life batteries, scrap metal, and mined ore at the source, without the need for overseas processing. Nth Cycle is driving the transition to clean energy independence today. The Fairfield plant is the first in the nation.

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## **Legislative Updates**

### **Call to Prevent Massive Tax Increase**

State Rep. Jennifer Gross (R-West Chester) made the following statement calling on Congress to renew the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act of 2017, to prevent massive tax increases.

"The Tax Cuts and Jobs Act of 2017 fueled economic growth, providing real tax relief to over 100 million Americans, especially middle and working-class families here in Ohio," said Gross. "If these provisions are allowed to expire, it would lead to a significant tax increase on hardworking Americans at a time when every dollar saved counts. Extending these tax cuts is essential for safeguarding our economic progress and ensuring that America remains competitive on the global stage. I urge Congress to do right by its citizens and renew the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act of 2017."

The Tax Cuts and Jobs Act of 2017, which brought substantial tax relief to over 100 million Americans and spurred significant economic growth, is set to expire on December 31, 2025. Key provisions of the Act include reductions in personal income tax rates, an increased standard deduction, and a reduced Alternative Minimum Tax (AMT). If these provisions are not extended, as a nation we run the risk of tax increases on hardworking Americans, a shrinking federal tax base, and a decline in U.S. competitiveness. The continuation of these tax cuts is essential for maintaining economic momentum, protecting taxpayers, and keeping the country globally competitive.

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## **Rep. Report**

I hear your concerns on immigration, especially in light of stories coming from Springfield, OH. While the migrants in Springfield are here legally under refugee status, the situation highlights a growing unrest with current immigration and border policies. It is important to maintain our borders, protecting those who reside here legally. For this reason, addressing illegal immigration is paramount. While the onus is on the Federal government to strengthen border policy, it is one of my top priorities to use the powers left to the states to protect our citizens.

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**As always, please do not hesitate to contact my office. It is an honor and privilege to serve you!**

**Respectfully,**

*Jennifer Gross*

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