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From the desk of Rep. Isaacsohn



Dear Neighbor,

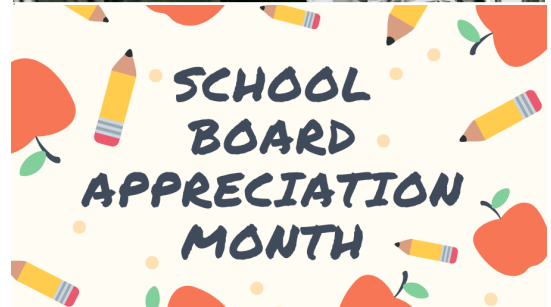
I hope your 2025 is off to a fantastic start! This past November, I was honored to be re-elected as your State Representative for House District 24. As the Ohio Legislature commences its 136th General Assembly, I am energized, motivated, and ready to embark on my second term in office, continuing to advocate for the needs of all Cincinnatians and Ohioans. I am so thankful for the trust you have placed in me and remain committed to working tirelessly on your behalf.

Additionally, this General Assembly I am privileged to be re-elected to serve in a leadership position within the Democratic Caucus as the House Minority Whip. The Whip plays a vital role in maintaining party unity by ensuring accurate vote counts during House sessions, facilitating communication among members, and playing a lead role in coordinating legislative strategies. In this leadership role, I am thrilled to work alongside Minority Leader Russo, Assistant Minority Leader Jarrells, and Assistant Minority Whip Grim. Together, we form a strong and dedicated team committed to promoting the ideals of the Democratic Party and advocating diligently for the people of Ohio throughout this General Assembly.

Though it is a new year, my commitment to serving you remains a priority! If you ever have any questions or thoughts on legislation or committees, need assistance with state services, or simply want to share feedback, please don't hesitate to reach out to me or my office.

Sincerely,

Dani Isaacsohn
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Ohio House Democratic Whip



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Jan 2025 Newsletter

136th General Assembly

This General Assembly, I have been assigned to sit on four House committees – House Rules & References, Energy, Finance, and Judiciary. Each of these committees plays a vital role in shaping our state's future and is essential to the legislative process, enabling members to develop a specialized expertise in specific policy areas.

The **House Energy Committee** addresses issues related to Ohio's energy policies, while the **Finance Committee** will primarily focus on setting this cycle's operating budget. The Judiciary Committee tackles civil and criminal justice concerns, and the Rules & Reference Committee sets the legislative agenda for sessions.



136th GA Ohio House Minority Leadership (Left to Right: Minority Leader Russo, Asst. Minority Leader Jarrells, Asst. Minority Whip Grim, and Minority Whip Isaacsohn)

On the **House Judiciary Committee**, I am proud to serve as the Ranking Member, which means I am the highest ranking Democratic on the committee. I am excited to contribute to the discussion about Ohio's energy future, play an integral role in the budget process, and take a leadership position on matters of justice. I am committed to using my committee assignments to serve Ohioans effectively and thoughtfully!

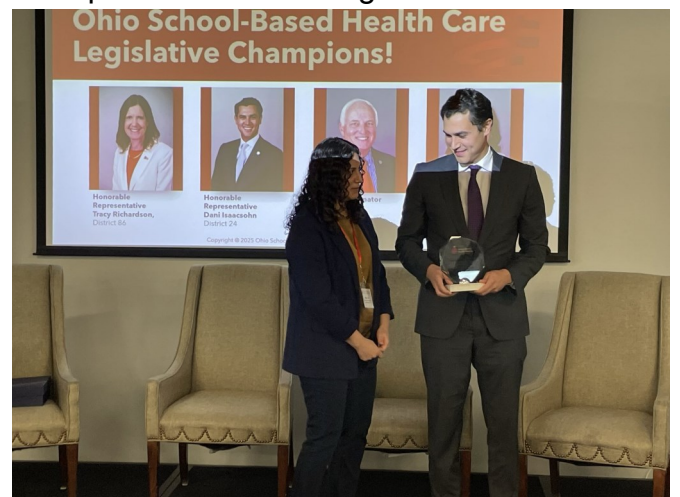
Meet the Team!

Alongside me serving the folks of District 24 and all Ohioans is my staff! I am excited to introduce my new Legislative Aide, **Morgan Zickes**! In this role, Morgan will assist with legislative research, communications, organizational tasks, and constituent services, along with other integral responsibilities necessary for the effective operation of a state representative's office. Additionally, playing a key role in supporting the day-to-day work of the office is **Emily Gerome**, a Legislative Service Commission Fellow.

If you reach out with questions or concerns, they will be more than happy to help, share legislative insights, or assist in connecting you to any resources you need! I am thrilled to have such hardworking and dedicated individuals committed to serving the people of District 24!

Thank you, Ohio Alliance!

This month, I was honored by the **Ohio School-Based Health Alliance** for work in the community. It was a privilege to be honored by OSBHA, and I will continue advocating for opportunities to help meet Ohio students where they are and set them up for success through this next GA.



Legislative Priorities

In this General Assembly, I will be adamantly focused on several initiatives to enhance the lives of *all* Ohioans. My legislative priorities will remain centered on building a stronger, more affordable, and more just Ohio for everyone. There is so much work to do, and I thank you for electing me to advocate for your voices in Columbus.

First, I recognize that **property taxes** remain an issue that the legislature needs to address, and will continue my efforts supporting legislation to bring relief to those who need it. I am committed to finding ways to ease the financial burden of homeowners while ensuring communities still have the resources needed to thrive. In addition to property tax relief, **housing affordability** remains a barrier for many. I look forward to addressing this need to improve access to housing by supporting policies that increase housing supply and reduce housing costs. Creating a **fairer justice system** remains a top priority, as well, and will be an aspect of my work on the House Judiciary Committee. Ohio must guarantee accountability while also addressing the inequities in the current systems that disproportionately affect vulnerable communities.

There is an ongoing **childcare** crisis in Ohio that demands urgent action and many families are struggling to balance the responsibilities of work and life. I plan to confront this issue by expanding availability to affordable, accessible, and high-quality childcare services. I am also remaining dedicated to **improving our schools** through investments in teachers, mental health services, and modern facilities and technology to provide every child with a high-quality education.

Most importantly, I am zeroing in on finding ways to lower the cost of everyday life. These legislative priorities reflect my vision for fairness and stability for all Ohioans, but your input is just as important. **I encourage you to contact my office with any suggestions for legislation or recommendations on areas that you notice need more attention. Hearing directly from constituents helps me better serve you, and I welcome all ideas on how I can be the most effective in this role.** I am feeling motivated and excited to begin this General Assembly serving the people of Ohio!

Toy Drive



In December, I had the privilege of collaborating with Seven Hills Neighborhood Houses to host our annual Toy Drive, which turned out to be an overwhelming success! Thanks to the extraordinary generosity of our donors and dedication of our volunteers, we were able to provide holiday gifts for over 350 families and about 1500 kids.

This year marked the largest and most impactful Toy Drive in the three years we have organized this event. I am deeply grateful to be part of a community that shows such kindness and willingness to support their neighbors in meaningful ways.