



Dear Neighbor-

The November election is less than 90 days away! Voting in the Midterm elections is one of the best ways to ensure your voice is heard.

For those of you that may be new to the district, the deadline to register to vote is **October 5th**. Voter registration forms can be printed out and sent to the Hamilton County Board of Elections, or you can register to vote at ohiosos.gov.

This November's election is going to look different for two main reasons: new Congressional districts and new absentee voting requirements.

With the passage of SB293, absentee ballots **MUST** be returned by 7:30 on election day. There is no longer a grace period for ballots that arrive after election day. **Starting August 5th, you may request your absentee ballot from votehamiltoncountyohio.gov.**

Furthermore, Hamilton County's Congressional districts were altered last October. Blue Ash, Montgomery, Sharonville, Deer Park, Evendale, and Sycamore Township will **NO LONGER** be in Congressional District 1 (D—Landsman) starting January 1. You will be voting for the candidate in District 8 this November.

If you have any questions, don't hesitate to contact my office.

Sincerely,

Karen Brownlee
State Representative



INTERNATIONAL
YOUTH DAY
AUGUST 12

The youth are our future! In 1999, the United Nations dedicated August 12 as International Youth Day to recognize our next generations.



This August, let's work together to build a world of peace and harmony!



Compassionate Release Family Advocacy



Rep. Brownlee met up with constituent Creighton Perry at the Clermont County Fair alongside his organization Compassionate Release Family Advocacy. He and his sister, Regina, started the organization to advocate for the release of nonviolent inmates with terminal medical conditions. Rather than pass away in prison, those convicted of nonviolent crimes deserve to die peacefully surrounded by friends and loved ones. Rep. Brownlee is proud to support the work of Compassionate Release Family Advocacy and ensure that our justice system is truly just.

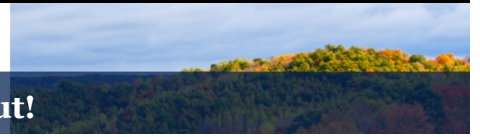
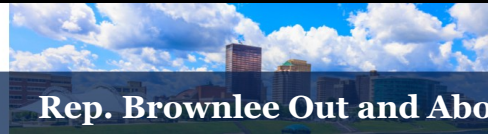


Summer Recess

Although the legislature is on recess until after the November election, continue to reach out to our office if you have any questions about pending legislation, government services, or Hamilton County resources. Below are a number of ways our office can be of help:

- Connect with Congressional services (immigration/Social Security)
- Assist with food stamps/SNAP
- Assist with Medicaid/healthcare concerns
- Answer questions about pending legislation
- Connect with resources in Hamilton County
- Request a time to meet with the Representative
- Request a tour of the Statehouse
- Request a congratulatory letter/commendation for a momentous occasion





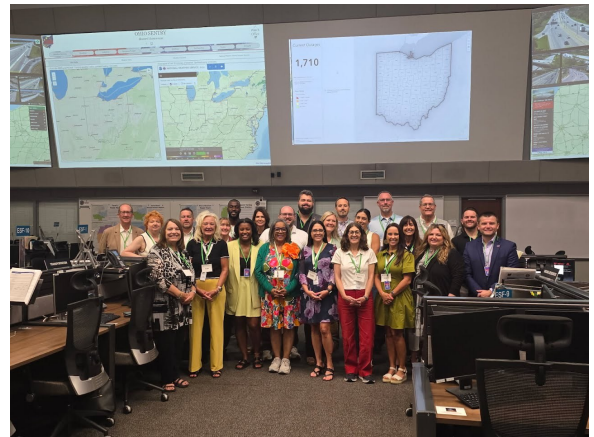
Rep. Brownlee Out and About!



Rep. Brownlee tours REM in Springdale, an organization servicing Ohioans with intellectual and developmental disabilities



Rep. Brownlee meets with Cincinnati realtors to discuss the state of housing in Hamilton County.



Rep. Brownlee goes back to school! She attended the Ohio State Leadership Academy alongside other newly-elected officials.



Rep. Brownlee attends the Cradle Cincinnati legislative briefing on infant vitality.



Rep. Brownlee joins Cincinnati Issues with Lincoln Ware on Star64 to discuss all things Cincy at the Statehouse.



Resources

State Agencies

Veteran Services

614 - 644 - 0898

Civil Rights Commission

513 - 351 - 2541

Medicaid

1- (800) - 324 - 8680

Unemployment

1 - (800) - 644 - 6562

Local Resources

Legal Aid

513 - 241 - 9400

Mental Health & Addiction

513 - 946 - 8635

Job & Family Services

513 - 946 - 1000

Development Disabilities

513 - 794 - 3300

International Peace Month

National Wellness Month

International Youth Day—August 12

World Humanitarian Day—August 18

Women's Equality Day—August 26

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