

# Official Newsletter



## WELCOME

### Dear Neighbors and Friends,

I want to first thank you for putting your confidence in me to represent the 74th House District. Secondly, I want to welcome you to our newsletter. It is my intent to be transparent with my constituents about everything in state government.

This newsletter will serve as a resource to keep you informed on legislation and government issues that will affect the 74th district. If you have any questions, need assistance with state agencies or would like to discuss how to improve the 74th district, please reach out to my office at [rep74@ohiohouse.gov](mailto:rep74@ohiohouse.gov).

## WHERE WE ARE

After a rough start to the 135th General Assembly, the House is starting to move forward. Committees have been established and I was recently assigned to vice-chair a newly created committee that will handle all aviation and aerospace related legislation. As a career Air Force pilot, I'm looking forward to getting started in tackling legislation that will help shape this emerging industry in Ohio. As the legislative calendar is established, I look forward to sharing news of what legislation will be moving forward and how it will impact you.





# TREMONT CITY BARREL FILL

In October of 2022 a U.S. district court judge approved a decree to hold seven companies responsible to clean-up an estimate \$27 million worth of contaminants at the Tremont City Barrel Fill. The responsible parties, Chemical Waste Management Inc., Franklin International Inc., International Paper Co., The Procter & Gamble Co., PPG Industries Inc., Strebor Inc. and Worthington Cylinder Corp. are all being held liable for the cleanup, because they are either former owners and operators of the barrel fill or sent wastes to the site for disposal. These companies are now required to work with the Environmental Protection Agency to present their findings and eventually, a remedial plan on how to remove the contaminants. I will stay on top of this process as the site is returned to its natural habitat. If you would like to learn more about the clean-up process you can visit the EPA's site at [www.cumulis.epa.gov/supercpad/SiteProfiles/index.cfm?fuseaction=second.Cleanup&id=0504708#bkground](http://www.cumulis.epa.gov/supercpad/SiteProfiles/index.cfm?fuseaction=second.Cleanup&id=0504708#bkground).

## QUARTERLY TOWNHALL

These town halls are going to be held to keep you, the constituents, up to date with what is occurring in the Statehouse. The first town hall, **March 6 at 6:30 p.m. at COhatch, 101 S. Fountain Ave, Springfield OH, 45502** and will focus on introducing our team to you all so you will know exactly who you can contact. It will provide an overview of the legislation we will be introducing this general assembly and will conclude with a brief question and answer section. This is an open invitation to all who would wish to attend and I hope to see you there.

## HAVE QUESTIONS?

Please visit my official webpage to stay up to date on all legislative and district news.

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