

# Election Notice for use With the Federal Write-In Absentee Ballot (FWAB)

R.C. 3511.16

## Issued by the Lake County Board of Elections

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## November 7, 2023 General Election

Municipal Court			
Name of Candidate	Office /District/Term	Party	Precincts
Paul R. Malchesky	Judge/Painesville Municipal Court/ Full-term commencing Jan. 1, 2024	N/A	All Painesville City, all Concord Twp., all Leroy Twp., all Madison Twp., all Painesville Twp., all Perry Twp., all Fairport Harbor Village, all Grand River Village, all Madison Village, all North Perry Village, all Perry Village.
Marisa L. Cornachio	Judge/Willoughby Municipal Court/ Full-term commencing Jan. 1, 2024	N/A	All Eastlake City, Kirtland City, Wickliffe City, Willoughby City, Willoughby Hills City, Willowick City, Kirtland Hills Village, Lakeline Village, Timberlake Village, and Waite Hill Village Precincts
Michael P. Germano	Judge/Willoughby Municipal Court/ Full-term commencing Jan. 1, 2024	N/A	All Eastlake City, Kirtland City, Wickliffe City, Willoughby City, Willoughby Hills City, Willowick City, Kirtland Hills Village, Lakeline Village, Timberlake Village, and Waite Hill Village Precincts

Local Offices (Mayor, Attorney, Auditor, Treasurer, Council President, Council, Board of Public Affairs, Trustee, Fiscal Officer, Educational Service Center Board Member, Board of Education Member, etc.)			
Name of Candidate	Office /District/Term	Party	Precincts
James T. Overstreet	Eastlake Council Ward 1	Not Applicable	Eastlake City Precincts 1A, 1B, 1C.
John Meyers	Eastlake Council Ward 2	Not Applicable	Eastlake City Precincts 2A, 2B, 2C.

Alicia Frey (Write-in)	Eastlake Council Ward 2	Not Applicable	Eastlake City Precincts 2A, 2B, 2C.
Jason Kasunick	Eastlake Council Ward 3	Not Applicable	Eastlake City Precincts 3A, 3B, 3C.
David Spotton	Eastlake Council Ward 4	Not Applicable	Eastlake City Precincts 4A, 4B, 4C.
Douglas E. Davidson	Kirtland City Mayor	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the City of Kirtland.
Kevin Potter	Kirtland City Mayor	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the City of Kirtland.
Kathryn Talty	Kirtland City Mayor	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the City of Kirtland.
Julie Symonds	Kirtland City Council Ward 1	Not Applicable	Kirtland 1A.
Donald P. Webbe	Kirtland City Council Ward 1	Not Applicable	Kirtland 1A.
Scott Haymer	Kirtland Council Ward 2	Not Applicable	Kirtland 2A.
Katarina Vesna Mijic-Barisic	Kirtland Council Ward 2	Not Applicable	Kirtland 2A.
Carol L. Martz	Kirtland Council Ward 3	Not Applicable	Kirtland 3A.
Joseph E. Smolic	Kirtland Council Ward 3	Not Applicable	Kirtland 3A.
Sue Grazia	Kirtland Council Ward 4	Not Applicable	Kirtland 4A.
Sean Blake	Mentor Council Ward 1	Not Applicable	Mentor City Precincts 1A, 1B, 1C, 1D, 1E, 1F, 1G, 1H, 1I.
Matthew E. Donovan	Mentor Council Ward 2	Not Applicable	Mentor City Precincts 2A, 2B, 2C, 2D, 2E, 2F, 2G, 2H, 2I.
Mark T. Freeman	Mentor Council Ward 3	Not Applicable	Mentor City Precincts 3A, 3B, 3C, 3D, 3E, 3F, 3G, 3H.
John A. Krueger	Mentor Council Ward 4	Not Applicable	Mentor City Precincts 4A, 4B, 4C, 4D, 4E, 4F, 4G, 4H, 4I.

David R. Eva	Mentor-on-the-Lake Mayor	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the City of Mentor-on-the-Lake.
Paul Morris	Mentor-on-the-Lake Mayor	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the City of Mentor-on-the-Lake.
David Chabut	Mentor-on-the-Lake Council Ward 1	Not Applicable	Mentor-on-the-Lake Precinct 1A.
Virginia Jeannie Wong	Mentor-on-the-Lake Council Ward 1	Not Applicable	Mentor-on-the-Lake Precinct 1A.
Skip A. Gray	Mentor-on-the-Lake Council Ward 2	Not Applicable	Mentor-on-the-Lake Precinct 2A.
Jason Moon	Mentor-on-the-Lake Council Ward 2	Not Applicable	Mentor-on-the-Lake Precinct 2A.
Rob Johnson	Mentor-on-the-Lake Council Ward 3	Not Applicable	Mentor-on-the-Lake Precinct 3A.
Desirea Thompson	Mentor-on-the-Lake Council Ward 4	Not Applicable	Mentor-on-the-Lake Precinct 4A.
Christine Shoop	Painesville City Council Ward 1	Not Applicable	Painesville City Precincts 1A, 1B.
Sean D. Jackson	Painesville City Council Ward 2	Not Applicable	Painesville City Precincts 2A, 2B.
Mario Rodriguez	Painesville City Council Ward 2	Not Applicable	Painesville City Precincts 2A, 2B.
Nicholas Augustine	Painesville City Council Ward 3	Not Applicable	Painesville City Precincts 3A, 3B, 3C.
Paul W. Hach II	Painesville City Council Ward 4	Not Applicable	Painesville City Precincts 4A, 4B, 4C, 4D.
Daniel J. Anderson	Willoughby City Council At-Large	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the City of Willoughby.
William Dittebrand	Willoughby City Council Ward 1	Not Applicable	Willoughby City Precincts 1A, 1B, 1C.
Kristie Sievers	Willoughby City Council Ward 1	Not Applicable	Willoughby City Precincts 1A, 1B, 1C.

Ken J. Kary	Willoughby City Council Ward 2	Not Applicable	Willoughby City Precincts 2A, 2B, 2C.
John M. Tomaselli	Willoughby City Council Ward 3	Not Applicable	Willoughby City Precincts 3A, 3B, 3C.
Robert E. Carr	Willoughby City Council Ward 4	Not Applicable	Willoughby City Precincts 4A, 4B, 4C.
Mike L. Merhar	Willoughby City Council Ward 5	Not Applicable	Willoughby City Precincts 5A, 5B, 5C.
Daniel J. Garry	Willoughby City Council Ward 6	Not Applicable	Willoughby City Precincts 6A, 6B, 6C.
Chris Hallum	Willoughby Hills Mayor	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the City of Willoughby Hills.
Laura Pizmoht	Willoughby Hills Mayor	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the City of Willoughby Hills.
Vicki Miller	Willoughby Hills Council At-Large (2 year term)	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the City of Willoughby Hills.
Peter A. Pike	Willoughby Hills Council At-Large (2 year term)	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the City of Willoughby Hills.
Mike Kline	Willoughby Hills Council District One	Not Applicable	Willoughby Hills Precincts AA, BB.
Scott Kordos	Willoughby Hills Council District One	Not Applicable	Willoughby Hills Precincts AA, BB.
Tanya Taylor Draper	Willoughby Hills Council District Two	Not Applicable	Willoughby Hills Precincts CC, DD.
Kathleen Sivo	Willoughby Hills Council District Three	Not Applicable	Willoughby Hills Precincts EE, FF, GG.
Amy Frato-Wright	Willoughby Hills Council District Three	Not Applicable	Willoughby Hills Precincts EE, FF, GG.
Joseph P. Shriver	Willowick City Mayor	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the City of Willowick.
Michael Vanni	Willowick City Mayor	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the City of Willowick.
Monica A. Koudela	Willowick City Council At-Large (Elect One)	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the City of Willowick.
Tom Loncala	Willowick City Council Ward One (Elect Two)	Not Applicable	Willowick City Precincts 1A, 1B, 1C.

Devon McFarland	Willowick City Council Ward One (Elect Two)	Not Applicable	Willowick City Precincts 1A, 1B, 1C.
Pat Mohorcic	Willowick City Council Ward One (Elect Two)	Not Applicable	Willowick City Precincts 1A, 1B, 1C.
Jamie Lynn Seymour	Willowick City Council Ward One (Elect Two)	Not Applicable	Willowick City Precincts 1A, 1B, 1C.
Natalie J. Antosh	Willowick City Council Ward Two (Elect Two)	Not Applicable	Willowick City Precincts 2A, 2B, 2C.
Theresa Bisbee	Willowick City Council Ward Two (Elect Two)	Not Applicable	Willowick City Precincts 2A, 2B, 2C.
Kevin M. Marcum	Willowick City Council Ward Two (Elect Two)	Not Applicable	Willowick City Precincts 2A, 2B, 2C.
Nicole M. Monaco	Willowick City Council Ward Two (Elect Two)	Not Applicable	Willowick City Precincts 2A, 2B, 2C.
Charlie Malta	Willowick City Council Ward Three (Elect Two)	Not Applicable	Willowick City Precincts 3A, 3B, 3C.
Melissa Perme	Willowick City Council Ward Three (Elect Two)	Not Applicable	Willowick City Precincts 3A, 3B, 3C.
David Phares	Willowick City Council Ward Three (Elect Two)	Not Applicable	Willowick City Precincts 3A, 3B, 3C.
Timothy S. Manross	Mayor Fairport Harbor Village	Not Applicable	All Precincts in Fairport Harbor Village.
Christina Bacnik	Fairport Harbor Village Council (Elect 2)	Not Applicable	All Precincts in Fairport Harbor Village.
Anthony F. Bertone	Fairport Harbor Village Council (Elect 2)	Not Applicable	All Precincts in Fairport Harbor Village.
Jennifer Hood	Grand River Village Mayor	Not Applicable	Grand River Village AA.
Donna Maxim	Grand River Village Council (Elect 2)	Not Applicable	Grand River Village AA.
John F. Turben	Kirtland Hills Village Mayor	Not Applicable	Kirtland Hills AA.
Stephen Allen	Kirtland Hills Village Council (Elect 3)	Not Applicable	Kirtland Hills AA.
Linda Harrold	Kirtland Hills Village Council (Elect 3)	Not Applicable	Kirtland Hills AA.

Jeffrey Shibley	Kirtland Hills Village Council (Elect 3)	Not Applicable	Kirtland Hills AA.
Deborah L. Neale	Lakeline Village Mayor	Not Applicable	Lakeline Village AA.
Linda Miller	Lakeline Village Council (Elect 2)	Not Applicable	Lakeline Village AA.
Bill Staska	Lakeline Village Council (Elect 2)	Not Applicable	Lakeline Village AA.
Sam Britton	Madison Village Mayor	Not Applicable	All Precincts in Madison Village.
Mark V. Vest	Madison Village Council (Elect 2)	Not Applicable	All Precincts in Madison Village.
Daniel L. Donaldson	Madison Village Council (Elect 2)	Not Applicable	All Precincts in Madison Village.
Brian Titus	North Perry Village Mayor	Not Applicable	North Perry Village AA.
Robert Ford	North Perry Village Council (Elect 2)	Not Applicable	North Perry Village AA.
Kenneth J. Siegel	North Perry Village Council (Elect 2)	Not Applicable	North Perry Village AA.
James Gessic	Perry Village Mayor	Not Applicable	Perry Village AA.
Michael Glover	Perry Village Council (Elect 2)	Not Applicable	Perry Village AA.
Rebecca Shimko	Perry Village Council (Elect 2)	Not Applicable	Perry Village AA.

John Marra	Timberlake Village Mayor	Not Applicable	Timberlake Village AA.
John P. Roskos	Timberlake Village Mayor	Not Applicable	Timberlake Village AA.
Nancy E. Marra	Timberlake Village Council (Elect 2)	Not Applicable	Timberlake Village AA.
Cynthia M. Hardwick	Timberlake Village Council (Elect 2)	Not Applicable	Timberlake Village AA.
Ryan Cox	Waite Hill Village Mayor	Not Applicable	Waite Hill Village AA.
Sam Knezevic	Waite Hill Village Council (Elect 3)	Not Applicable	Waite Hill Village AA.
Karl Scheucher	Waite Hill Village Council (Elect 3)	Not Applicable	Waite Hill Village AA.
Morgan R. McIntosh	Concord Township Trustee (Elect 1)	Not Applicable	All Precincts in Concord Township.
John Patriarca	Concord Township Fiscal Officer	Not Applicable	All Precincts in Concord Township.
Jim Teknipp	Concord Township Fiscal Officer	Not Applicable	All Precincts in Concord Township.
Richard VanPelt	Leroy Township Trustee	Not Applicable	All Precincts in Leroy Township.
Alexandra C. Brown	Leroy Township Fiscal Officer	Not Applicable	All Precincts in Leroy Township.
Gregory J. Giegerich	Madison Township Trustee	Not Applicable	All Precincts in Madison Township.

Peter Wayman	Madison Township Trustee	Not Applicable	All Precincts in Madison Township.
Joseph A. White	Madison Township Trustee	Not Applicable	All Precincts in Madison Township.
Sarah J. Hamercheck (Write-in)	Madison Township Fiscal Office	Not Applicable	All Precincts in Madison Township.
Gabe Cicconetti	Painesville Township Trustee	Not Applicable	All Precincts in Painesville Township.
Beth A. Knezevich	Painesville Township Trustee	Not Applicable	All Precincts in Painesville Township.
Michael A. Patriarca	Painesville Township Fiscal Officer	Not Applicable	All Precincts in Painesville Township.
Dan McGarry	Perry Township Trustee	Not Applicable	All Precincts in Perry Township, North Perry Village and Perry Village.
Christine J. Page	Perry Township Trustee	Not Applicable	All Precincts in Perry Township, North Perry Village and Perry Village.
Mark O. Welch	Perry Township Trustee	Not Applicable	All Precincts in Perry Township, North Perry Village and Perry Village.
Stephanie Parker	Perry Township Fiscal Officer	Not Applicable	All Precincts in Perry Township, North Perry Village and Perry Village.
Kenneth C. Burnett	Member of Governing Board of Western Reserve Educational Service Center: Subdistrict 1 (Geauga)	Not Applicable	Concord Township B 1/2 of precinct in Chardon Local School District.
Marilyn A. Percic	Member of Governing Board of Western Reserve Educational Service Center: Subdistrict 1 (Geauga)	Not Applicable	Concord Township B 1/2 of precinct in Chardon Local School District.



Steve Remias	Member of Governing Board of Western Reserve Educational Service Center: Subdistrict 1 (Geauga) Unexpired Term Ending 12/31/2025	Not Applicable	Concord Township B 1/2 of precinct in Chardon Local School District.
Susan L. Culotta	Member of Governing Board of Western Reserve Educational Service Center: Subdistrict 2 (Lake)	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the following school districts: Madison Local Schools, Perry Local Schools, Kirtland Local Schools, Riverside Local Schools and Painesville City Schools.
Thomas Hach	Member of Governing Board of Western Reserve Educational Service Center: Subdistrict 2 (Lake)	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the following school districts: Madison Local Schools, Perry Local Schools, Kirtland Local Schools, Riverside Local Schools and Painesville City Schools.
Geoffrey T. Kent	Member of Governing Board of Western Reserve Educational Service Center: Subdistrict 2 (Lake)	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the following school districts: Madison Local Schools, Perry Local Schools, Kirtland Local Schools, Riverside Local Schools and Painesville City Schools.
Erik L. Walter	Member of Governing Board of Western Reserve Educational Service Center: Subdistrict 2 (Lake)	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the following school districts: Madison Local Schools, Perry Local Schools, Kirtland Local Schools, Riverside Local Schools and Painesville City Schools.
Justin A. Levine	Member of Board of Education of Fairport Harbor Exempted Village School District	Not Applicable	All Precincts in Fairport Harbor Village.
Sherry Maruschak	Member of Board of Education of Fairport Harbor Exempted Village School District	Not Applicable	All Precincts in Fairport Harbor Village.
Amy Neff	Member of Board of Education of Fairport Harbor Exempted Village School District	Not Applicable	All Precincts in Fairport Harbor Village.
Quentin W. Piotrowski	Member of Board of Education of Fairport Harbor Exempted Village School District	Not Applicable	All Precincts in Fairport Harbor Village.

Doug Schafer	Member of Board of Education of Fairport Harbor Exempted Village School District	Not Applicable	All Precincts in Fairport Harbor Village.
Sheila E. Dikowicz	Member of Board of Education of Kirtland Local School District	Not Applicable	All Precincts in Kirtland Local School District.
AAaron Godwin	Member of Board of Education of Kirtland Local School District	Not Applicable	All Precincts in Kirtland Local School District.
Josh Haladyna	Member of Board of Education of Kirtland Local School District	Not Applicable	All Precincts in Kirtland Local School District.
Matthew T. Whittaker	Member of Board of Education of Kirtland Local School District	Not Applicable	All Precincts in Kirtland Local School District.
Brian D. Horvath	Member of Board of Education of Madison Local School District	Not Applicable	All Precincts in Madison Local School District.
Jean Sency	Member of Board of Education of Madison Local School District	Not Applicable	All Precincts in Madison Local School District.
Christine Henninger	Member of Board of Education of Mentor Exempted Village School District	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the Mentor Exempted Village School District.
Rose Ioppolo	Member of Board of Education of Mentor Exempted Village School District	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the Mentor Exempted Village School District.
Lauren Marchaza	Member of Board of Education of Mentor Exempted Village School District	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the Mentor Exempted Village School District.
Gil Martello	Member of Board of Education of Mentor Exempted Village School District	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the Mentor Exempted Village School District.
Lyndsie Wall	Member of Board of Education of Mentor Exempted Village School District	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the Mentor Exempted Village School District.

Dorothy Jennings	Member of Board of Education of Painesville City Local School District	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the Painesville City Local School District
Jessica Savage	Member of Board of Education of Painesville City Local School District	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the Painesville City Local School District
Charles Tackett	Member of Board of Education of Painesville City Local School District	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the Painesville City Local School District
Frances Webb, M.D.	Member of Board of Education of Painesville City Local School District	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the Painesville City Local School District
Antonio S. Marinelli (Write-in)	Member of Board of Education of Painesville City Local School District Unexpired Term Ending 12/31/2025	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the Painesville City Local School District
Lois Osborn (Write-in)	Member of Board of Education of Painesville City Local School District Unexpired Term Ending 12/31/2025	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the Painesville City Local School District
Kathleen Ciolli	Member of Board of Education of Perry Local School District	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the Perry Local School District
Jennifer Grega	Member of Board of Education of Perry Local School District	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the Perry Local School District
Chandice A. Richards	Member of Board of Education of Perry Local School District	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the Perry Local School District
Nicole Trefzger	Member of Board of Education of Perry Local School District	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the Perry Local School District
Denise Brewster	Member of Board of Education of Riverside Local School District	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the Riverside Local School District
Lori Krenisky	Member of Board of Education of Riverside Local School District	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the Riverside Local School District

Beverly Schilero	Member of Board of Education of Riverside Local School District	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the Riverside Local School District
Christian Weiss, III	Member of Board of Education of Riverside Local School District	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the Riverside Local School District
Carlo Marine	Member of Board of Education of Wickliffe City School District	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the Wickliffe City School District
Gail J. Willis	Member of Board of Education of Wickliffe City School District	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the Wickliffe City School District
Ryan DiFranco	Member of Board of Education of Willoughby-Eastlake City School District	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the Willoughby-Eastlake City School District
John H. Roskos	Member of Board of Education of Willoughby-Eastlake City School District	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the Willoughby-Eastlake City School District
Aaron Reedy	Member of Board of Education of Willoughby-Eastlake City School District	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the Willoughby-Eastlake City School District
Denise Verdi	Member of Board of Education of Willoughby-Eastlake City School District	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the Willoughby-Eastlake City School District
Jaime Shatsman	Member of Board of Education of Willoughby-Eastlake City School District Unexpired Term Ending 12/31/2023	Not Applicable	All Precincts in the Willoughby-Eastlake City School District
Karen Blankenship	Member of Board of Education of Chardon Local School District	Not Applicable	Concord Township B 1/2 of precinct in Chardon Local School District.
Andrea Clark	Member of Board of Education of Chardon Local School District	Not Applicable	Concord Township B 1/2 of precinct in Chardon Local School District.
Sharon Madger	Member of Board of Education of Chardon Local School District	Not Applicable	Concord Township B 1/2 of precinct in Chardon Local School District.

James Midyette	Member of Board of Education of Chardon Local School District	Not Applicable	Concord Township B 1/2 of precinct in Chardon Local School District.
Guy R. Wilson	Member of Board of Education of Chardon Local School District	Not Applicable	Concord Township B 1/2 of precinct in Chardon Local School District.

**Lake County Board of Elections  
Certified Questions and Issues  
November 7, 2023 General Election.**

**Updated 9/21/2023** - Please note that the language below is only a summary.

Order of questions/issues: state; township; school and other districts; county; and municipal.

**Issue #**

**State     A Self-Executing Amendment  
Issue 1   Relating to Abortion and Other  
             Reproductive Decisions**

**Proposed Constitutional Amendment**

**Proposed by Initiative Petition**

**To enact Section 22 of Article I of the Constitution of the State of Ohio**

**A majority yes vote is necessary for the amendment to pass.**

The proposed amendment would:

- Establish in the Constitution of the State of Ohio an individual right to one's own reproductive medical treatment, including but not limited to abortion;
- Create legal protections for any person or entity that assists a person with receiving reproductive medical treatment, including but not limited to abortion;
- Prohibit the State from directly or indirectly burdening, penalizing, or prohibiting abortion before an unborn child is determined to be viable, unless the State demonstrates that it is using the least restrictive means;
- Grant a pregnant woman's treating physician the authority to determine, on a case-by-case basis, whether an unborn child is viable;
- Only allow the State to prohibit an abortion after an unborn child is determined by a pregnant woman's treating physician to be viable and only if the physician does not consider the abortion necessary to protect the pregnant woman's life or health; and
- Always allow an unborn child to be aborted at any stage of pregnancy, regardless of viability if, in the treating physician's determination, the abortion is necessary to protect the pregnant woman's life or health.

If passed, the amendment will become effective 30 days after the election.

**SHALL THE AMENDMENT BE APPROVED?**

**END OF STATE ISSUE 1**

**State  
Issue 2      To Commercialize, Regulate, Legalize, and Tax the Adult Use of  
Cannabis**

**Proposed Law**

**Proposed by Initiative Petition**

**To enact Chapter 3780 of the Ohio Revised Code**

**A majority yes vote is necessary for the law to pass.**

To enact Chapter 3780 of the Ohio Revised Code, which would:

- Define adult use cannabis to mean marijuana as defined in Section 3719.01 of the Revised Code and establish the Division of Cannabis Control (the “Division”) within the Department of Commerce;
- Authorize the Division to regulate, investigate, and penalize adult use cannabis operators, adult use testing laboratories, and individuals required to be licensed;
- Legalize and regulate the cultivation, processing, sale, purchase, possession, home grow, and use of cannabis by adults at least twenty-one years of age;
- Create additional protections for individuals who engage in permitted adult use cannabis conduct;
- Establish the cannabis social equity and jobs program and require the Department of Development to certify program applicants based on social and economic disadvantage;
- Define “social disadvantage” to include membership in a racial or ethnic minority group, disability status, gender, or long-term residence in an area of high unemployment;
- Shield certain confidential information from disclosure to the public, including but not limited to any information reported to or collected by the Division that identifies or would tend to identify any adult use cannabis consumer and prohibit the Department of Development from releasing certain application information as public records;
- Require the Division to provide preferential treatment to applicants who have qualified for the cannabis social equity and jobs program based on social disadvantage when issuing level III adult use cannabis cultivator licenses and dispensary licenses;

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- Prohibit certain local government entities from limiting specific research, levying a tax, or charge on adult use operations, their owner, or their property not generally charged on other business, and prohibit certain local government entities from prohibiting or limiting adult use cannabis home grow or prohibiting or restricting an activity authorized by the proposed law;
- Authorize a landlord or an employer to prohibit the adult use of cannabis in certain circumstances, and prohibit the operation of a motor vehicle while using or under the influence of adult use cannabis and from using any other combustible adult use cannabis while a passenger in a motor vehicle;
- Limit criminal liability for certain financial institutions that provide financial services to any lawful adult use cannabis operator or testing laboratory licensed under the proposed law;
- Require the Division to enter into an agreement with the Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services to create a program for cannabis addiction services;
- Provide for the creation of five funds in the state treasury: the adult use tax fund; the cannabis social equity and jobs fund; the host community cannabis fund; the substance abuse and addiction fund; and the division of cannabis control and tax commissioner fund; and
- Provide for taxation of 10 percent on the sale of adult use cannabis by dispensaries in addition to usual sales taxes and require that all monies collected from the 10 percent tax levied to be deposited into the adult use tax fund and quarterly distributed as follows: 36 percent to the cannabis social equity and jobs fund; 36 percent to the host community cannabis facilities fund; 25 percent to the substance abuse and addiction fund; and three percent to the division of cannabis control and tax commission fund.

If passed, the law will become effective 30 days after the election.

SHALL THE PROPOSED LAW BE ADOPTED?

***END OF STATE ISSUE 2***



- 3 Concord Township (15 pcts.)**  
Replacement of 4 Mills and an Increase of 2.5 Mills (6.5 Mills) – Police and Fire – collecting \$5,368,000 annually – amounting to \$228 for each \$100,000 – 5 years – commencing in 2023, first due in 2024.
- 3 Painesville Township (12 pcts.)**  
1.5 Mills Additional Levy – police - collecting \$709,000 annually – amounting to \$53 for each \$100,000 – continuing period – commencing in 2023, first due in 2024.
- 3 Perry Township (4 pcts.)**  
3.25 Mills Additional Levy – police – collecting 673,000 annually – amounting to \$114 for each \$100,000 – 5 years – commencing in 2023, first due in 2024.
- 3 Mentor Exempted Village School District (45 pcts + a portion of Geauga)**  
2.5 Mills Additional Levy – general permanent improvements – collecting \$5,581,000 annually – amounting to \$88 for each \$100,000 – 5 years – commencing in 2023, first due in 2024.
- 4 Mentor Exempted Village School District (45 pcts + a portion of Geauga)**  
6.73 Mills Renewal Levy – to avoid an operating deficit – in the sum of \$15,015,997 – amounting to \$236 for each \$100,000 – 10 years – commencing in 2024, first due in 2025.
- 3 Madison Local School District (12 pcts. + a portion of Geauga)**  
1 Mill Renewal Levy – general permanent improvements – collecting 198,000 annually – amounting to \$11 for each \$100,000 – 5 years – commencing in 2023, first due in 2024.
- 3 Kirtland City (4 pcts.)**  
Proposed Zoning Amendment – Changing Permanent Parcel number 20-A-002-0-00-002-0 from Institutional and Office District to R-3D Single Family Residential District.
- 5 Mentor City Ward 2 Precinct C (1 pct.)**  
Local Option – Sunday Sales – Wines for You – wine and mixed beverages and spirituous liquor.
- 5 Mentor-on-the-Lake City (4 pcts.)**  
0.75 Mill Additional Levy – parks and recreation – collecting 127,000 annually – amounting to \$26 for each \$100,000 – 15 years – commencing in 2023, first due in 2024.
- 6 Mentor-on-the-Lake City (4 pcts.)**  
Proposed Charter Amendment 1 – That Article XII, Section 12.05 Fire Operations – Renewal of a 1.1 mill Levy to be amended.

- 7 Mentor-on-the-Lake City (4 pcts.)**  
Proposed Charter Amendment 2 – That Article XII, Section 12.04 Police Operations – Renewal of a 1.5 mill Levy to be amended.
- 8 Mentor-on-the-Lake City (4 pcts.)**  
Proposed Charter Amendment 3 – That Article XII, Section 12.06 Road Construction and Repair - Renewal of a 1.2 mill Levy to be amended.  
ordinances or resolutions relating to improvements, the advertisement may contain the title, number and date of passage, a concise description of the private property affected, a summary of the nature of the improvement, the rate of any assessment levied or to be levied, and a reference to the copy which shall be on file with the Clerk of Council?
- 3 Painesville City (11 pcts.)**  
2.5 Mills Renewal Levy – police – collecting 626,000 annually – amounting to \$73 for each \$100,000 – 5 years – commencing in 2024, first due in 2025.
- 4 Painesville City (11 pcts.)**  
Charter Amendment 1 - Shall Article I, Section 2 of the Charter of the City of Painesville be amended to add the following language: The Charter language shall be changed from any gendered-language present in the Charter to a non-gendered phrase or term?
- 5 Painesville City (11 pcts.)**  
Charter Amendment 2 - Shall Article III, Section 3 (B) of the Charter of the City of Painesville be amended to replace two-thirds (2/3) vote of all members instead of three-fourths (3/4) vote of all members?
- 6 Painesville City (11 pcts.)**  
Charter Amendment 3 - Shall Article III, Section 3 (I) of the Charter of the City of Painesville be amended to read: Notice of the adoption of ordinances and resolutions of a general or permanent nature shall be given in the manner now or hereafter provided by the laws of Ohio including by electronic means than allows for general public access not less than twenty-four (24) hours and within ten (10) days following the adoption thereof and making a copy thereof available to public inspection in the office of the Clerk of Council. It shall be sufficient to publish by title only. In the publication of ordinances or resolutions relating to improvements, the advertisement may contain the title, number and date of passage, a concise description of the private property affected, a summary of the nature of the improvement, the rate of any assessment levied or to be levied, and a reference to the copy which shall be on file with the Clerk of Council?
- 7 Painesville City (11 pcts.)**  
Charter Amendment 4 - Shall Article XI, Section 4 of the Charter of the City of Painesville be amended to read: If less than two applications are received from the officer rank, the City Manager may extend the request for applications to the other ranks and/or external candidates?

- 8 Painesville City (11 pcts.)**  
Charter Amendment 5 - Shall Article XIV, Section 9 of the Charter of the City of Painesville be amended to read: For the purpose of submitting the question provided for in Section 1 of Article II, and for the purpose of nominating and electing members of Council in November, 1963, the Charter shall be in effect from and after the date of its approval by the electors and certified by the Board of Elections?
- 3 Willoughby Hills Precinct DD (1 pct.)**  
Shall the sale of spirituous liquor be permitted for sale on Sunday by Willoughby Wine & Spirits, Inc. d/b/a Vault Wine & Spirits a liquor agency store authorizing off-premise sales who is engaged in the business of operating a retail beer and wine shop and liquor agency store at 27700 Chardon Road, Willoughby Hills, OH 44092 in this precinct?
- 3 Willowick City (9 pcts.)**  
Zoning Ordinance (1) - Should Ordinance No. 2023-2 amending Willowick Codified Ordinance 1145.03(c), captioned "USES" in the Retail District be approved to prohibit the sale of motor vehicles in the Retail District?
- 4 Willowick City (9 pcts.)**  
Zoning Ordinance (2) – Should Ordinance No. 2023-24 amending Willowick Codified Ordinance 1147.05, captioned "PROHIBITED USES" in the Industrial District be approved to prohibit the sale of motor vehicles in the Industrial District?
- 3 Fairport Harbor Village (2 pcts.)**  
3.9 Mills Renewal Levy – current expenses – collecting \$185,000 annually – amounting to \$81 for each \$100,000 – 5 years - commencing in 2023, first due in 2024.
- 3 Lakeline Village (1 pct.)**  
3 Mills Renewal Levy – current expenses – collecting 18,000 annually – amounting to \$78 for each \$100,000 – 5 years – commencing in 2024, first due in 2025.
- 3 Waite Hill Village (1 pct.)**  
Charter Amendment – Shall the Charter of the Village of Waite Hill be amended to provide that commencing in the year 2025 and not less than once every ten (10) years thereafter a Charter Review Commission, composed of the seven (7) electors appointed by the Mayor with the approval of Council, five (5) of whom shall not have held elective public office in the municipality during the three (3) years preceding their appointment, and the Commission shall serve until the next succeeding general election?

**END OF QUESTIONS AND ISSUES LIST**

## **INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTER FOR INDICATING YOUR CHOICES ON A FEDERAL WRITE-IN ABSENTEE BALLOT (FWAB):**

To complete a Federal Write-In Absentee Ballot (FWAB), go to [www.fvap.gov](http://www.fvap.gov). You have the option of downloading a blank, hard copy FWAB to complete by hand, or proceeding through electronic completion of the FWAB using the website's FWAB Wizard.

The first page of the FWAB is a Voter Declaration/Affirmation you must complete in order for your ballot to count.

After completing the Voter Declaration/Affirmation, use the initial election notice issued on the 100<sup>th</sup> day before the election and the updated election notice issued on the 46<sup>th</sup> day before the election as a guide to:

- (1) write the name of each candidate or issue contest for which you are casting a vote and then
- (2) write the name of your choice of candidate or choice for or against an issue.

After you have completed the FWAB, **you must PRINT the ballot and MAIL it to your county board of elections at this address:**

**Lake County Board of Elections  
105 Main St  
P.O. Box 490  
Painesville, OH 44077**

A complete listing of all county board of elections mailing addresses and contact information is available at <https://www.sos.state.oh.us/SOS/elections/electionofficials/boeDirectory.aspx#dir>.

**Do not send your ballot via e-mail or fax; Ohio law prohibits electronic transmission of a voted ballot.**