

## Buckeye Firearms Association

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Dear Friend,

Congratulations on receiving your party's nomination.

Running for public office is a noble and honorable quest. It is also a difficult challenge. I salute you for sacrificing your time and energy for this public-spirited pursuit.

I also wish to congratulate you on your firm stance on protecting the Second Amendment rights of Ohio gun owners. These rights are constantly under attack by those who do not trust citizens with firearms, by those who strive for bigger government, and by those who only feign interest in safety and security.

The U.S. Supreme Court has ruled that the Second Amendment protects an individual right to firearm use and ownership (*District of Columbia v Heller*) and that this right shall not be infringed by any state or local government (*McDonald v City of Chicago*). As a non-partisan, grassroots political action committee dedicated to defending and advancing gun rights in Ohio, we have made it our mission to support pro-gun candidates like you.

Our endorsement not only gives you permission to say we endorse you, it also provides practical, powerful, and personal support to help you win the votes you need to get elected.

This Endorsement Kit is your guide to the benefits of our endorsement. Please read it carefully. If you have any questions or concerns, feel free to contact me or any of our leaders.

Sincerely,



Jim Irvine  
Chairman