



OCCPAC Endorsed Candidates for the March 6, 2012 Primary Elections

The eight candidates listed below have earned the Ohio Chamber of Commerce PAC (OCCPAC) endorsement for the March 6, 2012 Primary Election. The focus of Ohio's business community remains on creating policies in Ohio that will foster business growth and job creation. The eight candidates below have clearly distinguished themselves among their opponents.

For the Ohio Senate:

District 2 *Includes Wood, Ottawa and Erie counties and parts of Lucas and Fulton counties in Northwest Ohio*

Rep. Randy Gardner is endorsed for his proven support of Ohio's business community, demonstrated by his 92 percent lifetime voting record with the Ohio Chamber.

District 6 *Includes the northern, eastern and southern portions of Montgomery County (suburban Dayton)*

Incumbent **Sen. Peggy Lehner** is endorsed for her 100 percent voting record with the Ohio Chamber during the current legislative session.

District 14 *Includes Clermont, Brown, Adams and Scioto counties and a small portion of Lawrence County in southern Ohio*

Rep. Joe Uecker is endorsed for his 100 percent lifetime voting record with the Ohio Chamber during his eight years in the Ohio House of Representatives and his leadership on key business issues during his tenure.

For OHIO HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

District 27 *Includes eastern portions of Hamilton County (Cincinnati)*

Incumbent **Rep. Peter Stautberg** is endorsed after earning a 100 percent lifetime voting record on business issues with the Ohio Chamber. His opponent in the primary had only a 68 percent voting record during his tenure in the Ohio House of Representatives.

District 67 *Includes western portions of Delaware County in central Ohio*

Incumbent **Rep. Andy Brenner** is endorsed after earning a 100 percent voting record with the Ohio Chamber during his first term in the Ohio House of Representatives.



District 68 *Includes Knox County and eastern portions of Delaware County in central Ohio*

Incumbent **Rep. Margaret Ann Ruhl** is endorsed for her 100 percent voting record during the current legislative session and her 94 percent lifetime voting record.

District 83 *Includes Hancock and Hardin counties and portions of Logan County in northeast Ohio*

Incumbent **Rep. Robert Sprague** is endorsed for demonstrating himself as a leader on business issues in the Ohio House of Representatives and earning a 100 percent voting record with the Ohio Chamber in his first term.

District 87 *Includes Wyandot, Crawford and Morrow counties and portions of Morrow and Seneca and Marion counties in north central Ohio*

Incumbent **Rep. Jeff McClain** is endorsed for his proven support of Ohio's business community, demonstrated by his 100 percent session and 94 percent lifetime voting record with the Ohio Chamber.