

The nation's gold standard to hold nearly 8,000 lawmakers accountable for their voting records.





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# LETTER FROM THE CHAIRMAN

The American Conservative Union Foundation's Center for Legislative Accountability is proud to present our *Ratings of Ohio* for 2021. Like our *Ratings of Congress*, ACU Foundation's *Ratings of the States* are meant to reflect how elected officials view the role of government in an individual's life. We begin with our philosophy (conservatism is the political philosophy that sovereignty resides in the person) and then apply the proper role of government (its essential role is to defend Life, Liberty and Property).

The Left has stormed our nation's corridors of power to take control over the lives of every American. Now, they have set their sights on the states, freedom's last line of defense.

President Lincoln once said, "America will never be destroyed from the outside. If we falter and lose our freedoms, it will be because we destroyed ourselves." The Left's agenda dismantles the vision of our founders when they pledged their lives, their fortunes, and their sacred honor.

We hope these Ratings will empower each and every American to hold their officials accountable and to rally behind the conservative champions who defend our freedoms in statehouses around the country.

Matt Schlapp Chairman American Conservative Union Foundation











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# ABOUT THE CENTER FOR LEGISLATIVE ACCOUNTABILITY

The Center for Legislative Accountability (CLA), an initiative of the American Conservative Union Foundation (ACUF), is the premier organization for holding lawmakers accountable. The CLA produces the longest-running conservative congressional scorecard and our state program is the only one in the nation that scores all 8,000 lawmakers in the 50 states across every policy area. In addition to ACUF's Conservative Political Action Conference (CPAC), the largest gathering of conservatives in the world, the CLA develops conservative policy solutions and educates everyday citizens and activists on the proper role of government. In 1971, ACUF launched its *Ratings of Congress* to provide a comprehensive evaluation of the voting records of every Member of Congress.

The Ratings quickly became considered the "gold standard" and over the following decades have been utilized by activists, voters, academics and elected officials to determine which lawmakers best adhere to conservative principles. In 2011, these Ratings were expanded into state legislatures as part of a five-state pilot program. By 2015, *Ratings of the States* grew to include all 50 states and all 99 legislative chambers.

Today, the CLA annually analyzes over 105,000 pieces of legislation to issue scores for all of America's federal and state lawmakers and presents awards to lawmakers who score 80% or better in recognition of their conservative voting records.

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### METHODOLOGY

The CLA's Ratings of Congress and the States illustrate how elected officials view the role of government in an individual's life. When determining a position on a particular issue, the CLA begins by defining conservatism: the political philosophy that sovereignty resides in the person. Then, we apply the founders' belief that the proper role of government is to protect Life, Liberty and Property.

In order to depict how closely a lawmaker adheres to conservative principles, the CLA selects from the full spectrum of issues relating to the economy, culture, national security and government integrity. Some key areas include taxation, spending, education, labor, licensure, regulation, environment, life, free speech, Second Amendment rights, foreign aid, defense priorities and global organizations, including the United Nations. All congressional and state analyses are conducted after the adjournment of a legislative session to ensure that no issue is neglected.

Each lawmaker is evaluated on a zero to 100 scale, with a score of 100 representing a voting record that is perfectly aligned with conservative principles. Officials who earn a score of 90% or higher are presented with the CLA's highest honor, the Award for Conservative Excellence, while those who earn a score of 80% or higher, but less than 90%, are presented with the Award for Conservative Achievement. Additionally, any lawmaker who earns a score of 10% or lower qualifies for the ACUF's Coalition of the Radical Left.

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**ANNUAL METRICS** 

To determine legislative rankings, the CLA annually evaluates over 105,000 bills that were introduced in Congress and every convening state legislature running from January 1 to December 31. Of those bills, the CLA ultimately selects roughly 2,000 pieces of legislation that best illustrate how elected officials view the role of government in an individual's life. The CLA calculates individual scores for a total of nearly 8,000 federal and state lawmakers based on over 157,000 votes cast on the 2,000 bills selected. The CLA provides a score for each legislative chamber, which is based upon the average scores of all members within that respective chamber. A legislature's overall score is calculated by averaging each state's two legislative chambers together in order to better reflect the differences in political power between the chambers. (The exception being Nebraska, the nation's only unicameral legislature comprising a single legislative chamber, on which the state's overall score is based.)

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# **2021 WINNERS & LOSERS**

### **4WARD FOR CONSERVATIVE EXCELLENCE**

<b>†</b> 5 since last year*		
SENATE		
BLESSING III, LOUIS	HUFFMAN, STEPHEN	ROMANCHUK, MARK
BRENNER, ANDREW	LANG, GEORGE	RULLI, MICHAEL
GAVARONE, THERESA	MANNING, NATHAN	SCHAFFER, TIM
HACKETT, BOB	MCCOLLEY, ROB	SCHURING, KIRK
HOAGLAND, FRANK	O'BRIEN, SANDRA	WILSON, STEVE
HOTTINGER, JAY	PETERSON, BOB	
HUFFMAN, MATT	ROEGNER, KRISTINA	

↓ 2 since last year*
HOUSE
JORDAN, KRIS
KICK, DARRELL

# ► ≤ 10% COALITION OF THE RADICAL LEFT

← No change since last year*	No change since last year*
SENATE	HOUSE
n/a	n/a

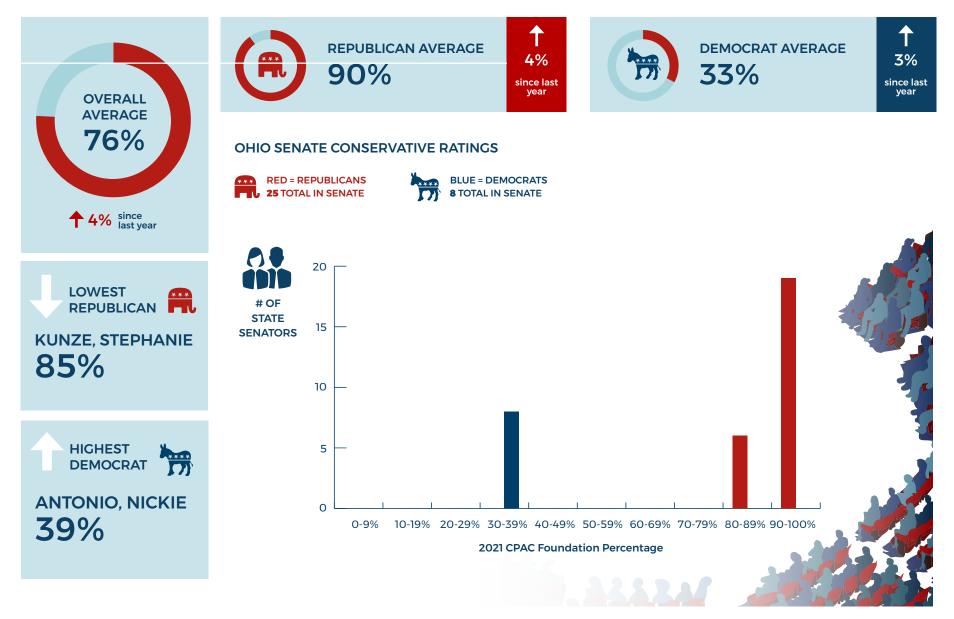
### **4WARD FOR CONSERVATIVE** ACHIEVEMENT

1 since last year*	↓ 2 since last year*					
SENATE	HOUSE					
ANTANI, NIRAJ	ABRAMS, CINDY	CUTRONA, AL	HOLMES, ADAM	MANCHESTER, SUSAN	ROEMER, BILL	WILKIN, SHANE
CIRINO, JERRY	ARTHUR, SARAH	DEAN, BILL	HOOPS, JAMES	MCCLAIN, RIORDAN	SCHMIDT, JEAN	YOUNG, BOB
DOLAN, MATT	BALDRIDGE, BRIAN	EDWARDS, JAY	JOHN, MARILYN	MERRIN, DEREK	SEITZ, BILL	YOUNG, TOM
IOHNSON, TERRY	BIRD, ADAM	FERGUSON, RON	JOHNSON, MARK	OELSLAGER, SCOTT	STEIN, DICK	
(UNZE, STEPHANIE	CALLENDER, JAMIE	FRAIZER, MARK	KOEHLER, KYLE	PLUMMER, PHIL	STEPHENS, JASON	
REINEKE, BILL	CREECH, RODNEY	GRENDELL, DIANE	LAMPTON, BRIAN	POWELL, JENA	STEWART, BRIAN	
	CROSS, JON	GROSS, JENNIFER	LIPPS, SCOTT	RAY, SHARON	STOLTZFUS, REGGIE	
	CUPP, ROBERT	HALL, THOMAS	LOYCHIK, MIKE	RICHARDSON, TRACY	SWEARINGEN, D. J.	

\*Compared to number of qualifying lawmakers in the previous session

Republicans in ALL CAPS, Democrats in initial caps, asterisk indicates Independents/Libertarians/other

# **OHIO SENATE STATISTICS**



# **OHIO SENATE SCORES**

### OHIO SENATE VOTE DETAIL

	Party	Dist.	2021 %	2020 %	LIFETIME AVG	HB 2	HCR 5	SB 6	SB 9	SB 10 (Williams Amd.)	SB 22	SR 41	SB <del>44</del> (Williams Amd.)	SB 47	SB 52	SB 102	HB 126	SB 156	SB 157	SR 176	SB 181	SB 185	SB 187	HB 201	HB 215	SB 215	HB 244
ANTANI, NIRAJ	R	6	86%	77%	83%	-	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Antonio, Nickie	D	23	39%	24%	16%	-	-	+	-	-	-	+	-	х	+	+	-	х	-	х	+	х	+	-	+	-	-
BLESSING III, LOUIS	R	8	91%	90%	86%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
BRENNER, ANDREW	R	19	95%	93%	93%	х	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
CIRINO, JERRY	R	18	86%	n/a	86%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	х	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+
Craig, Hearcel	D	15	32%	31%	21%	-	-	+	-	-	-	+	-	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	+	-	+	-	+	-	-
DOLAN, MATT	R	24	86%	76%	82%	-	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Fedor, Teresa	D	11	30%	24%	13%	-	-	+	-	-	-	+	-	-	+	+	-	-	-	х	+	-	+	-	х	-	-
GAVARONE, THERESA	R	2	91%	90%	92%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
НАСКЕТТ, ВОВ	R	10	90%	89%	90%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	х	+	+	+	х	+	+	+	+	+
HOAGLAND, FRANK	R	30	95%	93%	95%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
HOTTINGER, JAY	R	31	91%	90%	91%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
HUFFMAN, MATT	R	12	91%	93%	93%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
HUFFMAN, STEPHEN	R	5	91%	89%	91%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
JOHNSON, TERRY	R	14	86%	79%	87%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
KUNZE, STEPHANIE	R	16	85%	55%	74%	-	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	х	+	+	+	х	+	+	+	+	+

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Maharath, Tina	D	3	30%	31%	23%	-	-	х	-	-	-	+	-	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	+	-	+	х	+	-	-
MANNING, NATHAN	R	13	91%	79%	81%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
MCCOLLEY, ROB	R	1	91%	93%	93%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
O'BRIEN, SANDRA	R	32	91%	n/a	91%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
PETERSON, BOB	R	17	95%	93%	92%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
REINEKE, BILL	R	26	89%	85%	89%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	х	х	+	х	+	+	+	+	+	+	x	+
ROEGNER, KRISTINA	R	27	91%	93%	92%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
ROMANCHUK, MARK	R	22	90%	90%	90%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	х	+	+
RULLI, MICHAEL	R	33	91%	86%	89%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
SCHAFFER, TIM	R	20	91%	93%	91%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
SCHURING, KIRK	R	29	91%	82%	91%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Sykes, Vernon	D	28	33%	30%	21%	-	-	+	-	-	-	+	-	-	+	х	х	-	х	-	+	-	+	-	+	x	-
Thomas, Cecil	D	9	32%	24%	14%	-	-	+	-	-	-	+	-	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	+	-	+	-	+	-	-
Williams, Sandra	D	21	33%	n/a	16%	-	-	+	-	-	-	+	-	-	+	+	-	-	-	x	+	-	+	-	+	-	-
WILSON, STEVE	R	7	91%	90%	92%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Yuko, Kenny	D	25	32%	25%	15%	-	-	+	-	-	-	+	-	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	+	-	+	-	+	-	-

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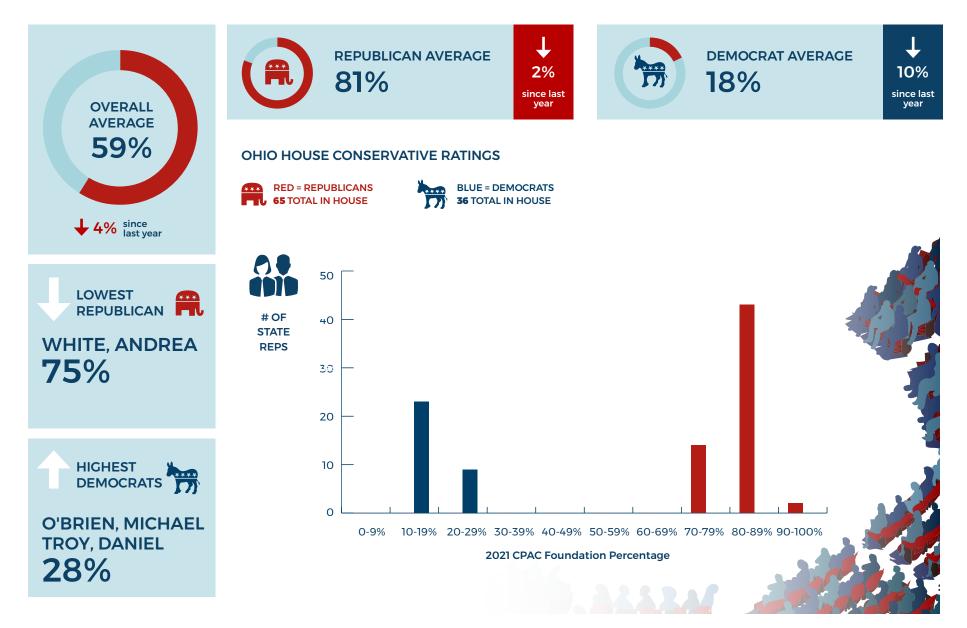
# **OHIO SENATE VOTE DESCRIPTIONS**

- 1. HB 2 Socializing Broadband Expansion Through a New Grant Program. ACU recognizes that enormous advancements are being made in satellite internet which may make costly broadband expansion initiatives unnecessary. ACU believes the market is the best mechanism to determine the need for broadband, does not believe that taxpayers in one area should be forced to subsidize the services of those who choose to live in another area and opposed this bill. The Senate passed the bill on April 28, 2021 by a vote of 32-0 and the bill was signed into law.
- 2. HCR 5 Urging Congress to Oppose the Left's Attempted Federal Takeover of Elections. ACU negatively rated H.R. 1, the so-called "For the People Act" in our Ratings of Congress. ACU opposes the Left's attempt to eliminate ballot security measures which protect against vote fraud, supports efforts to strengthen election integrity and ensure that all legal ballots are counted, and that no illegal ballot is counted, and supported this resolution. The Senate adopted the resolution on June 23, 2021 by a vote of 25-8.
- 3. SB 6 Expanding Access to Health Care and Reducing Costs by Joining the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact. ACU supports reducing healthcare costs and improving patient care through licensing reciprocity and supported this bill. The Senate passed the bill on June 24, 2021 by a vote of 31-1 and the bill was signed into law.
- 4. SB 9 Expanding Economic Opportunity Through a 30% Cut in Regulatory Restrictions by 2025. ACU supports measures to help entrepreneurs, businesses and employees prosper by eliminating excessive and unnecessary regulations, supports improving transparency of bureaucracies which often infringe individual liberties without a vote of the People or their elected representatives and supported this bill. The Senate passed the bill on March 10, 2021 by a vote of 25-8. (The bill failed to advance in the House in 2021.)
- 5. SB 10 (Williams Amd.) Increasing Consumer Electricity and Product Costs Through Renewable Energy Mandates (Motion to Defeat). ACU supports all sources of energy and believes government should not favor one source of energy over another. ACU opposes unnecessarily driving-up consumer electricity and product costs in order to advance a radical Leftist environmental agenda and opposed this amendment. The Senate voted to table (defeat) the amendment on February 17, 2021 by a vote of 23-10. (A "YES" vote supported the ACU position.)
- 6. SB 22 Providing a Legislative Check on the Governor's State of Emergency Power. ACU believes that many of government's reactions to COVID-19 have done more harm than good, supports providing a legislative check on executive orders and supported this bill. The Senate voted to override the Governor's veto on March 24, 2021 by a vote of 23-10 and the bill became law.
- 7. SR 41 Opposing Michigan Governor Whitmer's Attempt to Shut Down the Enbridge Line 5 Oil Pipeline. ACU supports expanding economic growth by increasing American energy production. ACU opposes Gov. Gretchen Whitmer's quest to eliminate fossil fuels and advance a radical Leftist politized environmental agenda and supported this resolution. The Senate adopted the resolution on June 16, 2021 by a vote of 33-0.
- 8. SB 44 (Williams Amd.) Undermining Property Rights by Prohibiting Landlords from Terminating Utilities for Nonpayment During COVID-19 (Motion to Defeat). ACU opposes undermining property rights and this measure which results in unpaid utility bills being socialized onto landlords and other utility customers and opposed this amendment. The Senate voted to table (defeat) the amendment on March 3, 2021 by a vote of 24-8. (A "YES" vote supported the ACU position.)
- 9. SB 47 Expanding Employment Opportunities by Clarifying Overtime and Wage Regulations. ACU supports the right of employees and employers to freely negotiate the terms of a contract and supported this bill as a step in the right direction. The Senate passed the bill on September 22, 2021 by a vote of 25-7. (The bill failed to advance in the House in 2021.)

- 10. SB 52 Weakening Property Rights and Expanding Government Power to Block Private Energy Development. ACU generally opposes efforts by state legislatures to delegate authority to localities for the purpose of diminishing individual rights and liberties. ACU further recognizes property owners are already required to meet the standards set by the Ohio Power Siting Board (OPSB). ACU supports protecting property rights from being infringed at all levels of government including when individuals wish to construct wind and solar infrastructure on their properties opposes this further expansion of government and opposed this bill. The Senate passed the bill on June 28, 2021 by a vote of 21-12 and the bill was signed into law.
- 11. SB 102 Reducing Excessive Regulations and Expanding Competition in the Alcoholic Beverage Industry. ACU supports a freer market in the alcoholic beverage industry and expanding individual liberties and supported this bill. The Senate passed the bill on December 15, 2021 by a vote of 30-1 and the bill was signed into law.
- 12. HB 126 Protecting Property Owners from Excessive Taxation by Reforming the Property Valuation Contestation Process. ACUF's Center for 21st Century Property Rights is a leading voice on this issue and works to protect property owners from losing their properties through excessive taxation. ACU supports this taxpayer protection and supported this bill. The Senate passed the bill on December 15, 2021 by a vote of 24-7 and the bill was signed into law.
- 13. SB 156 Strengthening Individual Liberties by Reforming State Law Governing Knives. ACU supports strengthening individual liberties and combatting overreach by local governments and supported this bill. The Senate passed the bill on October 20, 2021 by a vote of 23-7. (The bill failed to advance in the House in 2021.)
- 14. SB 157 Protecting Children who Survive Abortion. ACU believes abortion is a human tragedy, supports restrictions to end the practice and supported this bill. The Senate passed the bill on December 15, 2021 by a vote of 24-7 and the bill was signed into law.
- 15. SR 176 Urging Congress to Oppose Policies that Attack the Oil and Natural Gas Industries. ACU opposes the "green new deal" and other radical initiatives of the Biden Administration, supports all sources of energy and the expanded production of domestic energy, and supported this resolution. The Senate adopted the resolution on September 15, 2021 by a vote of 25-5.
- 16. SB 181 Protecting Religious Freedom Concerning Apparel in School Athletics. ACU recognizes America was founded in part on the principle of religious freedom for all, supports strengthening protections for all to believe, express and practice their sincerely held religious beliefs and supported this bill. The Senate passed the bill on June 9, 2021 by a vote of 33-0. (The bill failed to advance in the House in 2021.)
- 17. SB 185 Preventing Second Amendment Rights from Being Infringed During States of Emergency. ACU supports the founders' belief in the Second Amendment especially during disaster and emergency situations and supported this bill. The Senate passed the bill on October 20, 2021 by a vote of 23-7. (The bill failed to advance in the House in 2021.)
- 18. SB 187 Allowing College Athletes to Profit from their Own Names, Image and Likeness by Weakening Government-Granted Monopoly Powers. ACU recognizes that the NCAA has effectively become a quasi-government agency whose members are the highest paid government employees in the country who use their governmental power to harm private citizens. ACU supports the ability of athletes to receive compensation for their name, image, and likeness and supported this bill. The Senate passed the bill on June 16, 2021 by a vote of 33-0. (This version of the bill failed to advance.)
- 19. HB 201 Protecting Property Owners from Local Bans on Natural Gas. ACU supports all sources of energy, does not believe government should favor one source of energy over another, supports protecting property rights and supported this bill. The Senate passed the bill on June 24, 2021 by a vote of 25-7 and the bill was signed into law.
- 20. HB 215 Providing Businesses Protections from Forced Shutdowns During Pandemics. ACU supports the ability of Americans to manage their own risk related to illnesses, believes that many of government's reactions to COVID-19 have done more harm than good and supported this bill. The Senate passed the bill on November 16, 2021 by a vote of 31-0 and the bill was signed into law.

- 21. SB 215 Strengthening Second Amendment Rights by Enacting "Constitutional Carry" (Permitless Carry). ACU supports the founders' belief in the Second Amendment and supported this bill. The Senate passed the bill on December 15, 2021 by a vote of 23-8. (The bill failed to advance in the House in 2021.)
- 22. HB 244 Supporting Military Families and Prohibiting School-Mandated COVID-19 Vaccination. ACU supports providing educational flexibility to military families. Furthermore, ACU supports strengthening individual liberties, supports the ability of Americans to manage their own risk related to illnesses and supported this bill. The Senate passed the bill on June 28, 2021 by a vote of 25-8 and the bill was signed into law.

# **OHIO HOUSE STATISTICS**



# **OHIO HOUSE SCORES**

### OHIO HOUSE VOTE DETAIL

	Party	Dist.	2021 %	2020 %	LIFETIME AVG	HB 2	HCR 5	SB 6	HR 13	HCR 18	HCR 22	SB 22	HCR 36	SB 52	HR 56	HB 99	SB 102	HB 126	SB 157 (Howse Amd.)	SB 157	HB 163	HB 165	SB 187	HB 201	HB 215	HB 227 (Smith, M. Amd)	HB 227	HB 243	HB 244	HB 292
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ARTHUR, SARAH	R	99	80%	n/a	80%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
BALDRIDGE, BRIAN	R	90	80%	83%	76%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
BIRD, ADAM	R	66	83%	n/a	83%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	x	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
Blackshear, Willis	D	39	17%	n/a	17%	- 1	-	+	х	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-
Boggs, Kristin	D	18	16%	30%	21%	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-
Boyd, Janine	D	9	n/a†	n/a	14%	х	х	+	х	-	-	-	x	+	х	-	+	х	-	-	х	-	-	х	x	-	-	-	-	-
Brent, Juanita	D	12	13%	14%	16%	- 1	-	+	x	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BRINKMAN, THOMAS	R	27	n/a†	90%	76%	+	х	+	x	+	+	+	+	-	х	+	x	+	x	x	-	-	х	+	x	+	+	х	+	+
Brown, Richard	D	20	16%	31%	23%	- 1	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CALLENDER, JAMIE	R	61	80%	87%	80%	- 1	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
CARFAGNA, RICK	R	68	76%	92%	82%		+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
CARRUTHERS, SARA	R	51	79%	83%	79%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	х	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
CLICK, GARY	R	88	76%	n/a	76%	- 1	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	-	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
Crawley, Erica	D	26	n/a†	19%	18%	-	х	+	x	-	x	-	x	х	-	x	х	-	x	x	-	Х	-	-	x	x	х	x	-	x
CREECH, RODNEY	R	43	80%	n/a	80%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-

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	D	15	17%	27%	23%	-	-	+	+	-	X	-	-	+	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Crossman, Jeffrey CUPP, ROBERT	R	4	80%	83%	85%		+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
CUTRONA, AL	R	59	83%	82%	83%		+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	х	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
DEAN, BILL	R	74	84%	87%	89%		+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Denson, Sedrick	D	33	18%	32%	23%	-	-	+	+	-	х	-	х	+	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	х	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
EDWARDS, JAY	R	94	83%	83%	80%	x	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
FERGUSON, RON	R	96	80%	n/a	80%	-	x	+	+	X	+	+	X	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	X	x	+	+	+	+	-
FRAIZER, MARK	R	90 71	80%	83%	81%		+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
Galonski, Tavia	D	35	18%	22%	18%		-	+	х	-	х	-	-	+	х	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-
GHANBARI, HARAZ	R	3	76%	80%	77%		+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	-
GINTER, TIMOTHY	R	5	76%	80%	84%		+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	-	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
GRENDELL, DIANE	R	76	88%	84%	86%		+	х	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
GROSS, JENNIFER	R	52	88%	n/a	88%		+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
HALL. THOMAS	R	53	80%	n/a	80%		+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
Hicks-Hudson, Paula	D	44	16%	23%	20%	-	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
HILLYER, BRETT	R	98	78%	83%	77%	-	+	+	х	+	х	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
HOLMES, ADAM	R	97	80%	83%	79%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
HOOPS, JAMES	R	81	80%	83%	81%		+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
HOUSEHOLDER, LARRY	R	72	n/at	79%	85%	-	+	х	+	х	х	+	х	х	+	x	х	+	x	х	-	х	х	+	+	x	х	x	x	x
Howse, Stephanie	D	11	14%	21%	13%	-	-	+	-	-	х	-	х	+	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	х	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	x
Humphrey, Latyna	D	2	n/a†	n/a	n/a	х	х	х	х	х	-	х	-	х	х	-	+	x	-	-	х	-	х	х	х	-	-	-	x	-
Ingram, Catherine	D	32	23%	27%	17%	-	-	+	+	-	х	-	х	+	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	x
Jarrells, Dontavius	D	25	17%	n/a	17%	-	-	+	х	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-
JOHN, MARILYN	R	2	80%	n/a	80%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
JOHNSON, MARK	R	92	87%	n/a	87%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	х	+	+	+	+	+	х	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
JONES, DON	R	95	79%	83%	79%	-	+	х	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
JORDAN, KRIS	R	67	92%	86%	91%	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Kelly, Brigid	D	31	16%	23%	15%	-	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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KOEHLER, KYLE	R	79	88%	87%	89%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
LAMPTON, BRIAN	R	73	82%	n/a	82%		+	+	+	+	х	+	х	-	+	x	+	x	+	+	-	х	+	+	+	x	х	+	+	х
LANESE, LAURA	R	23	79%	83%	81%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	х	+	х	х	-	-	x	+	+	x	+	x	+	-
LARE, JEFF	R	77	76%	86%	81%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	х	+	х	х	-	-	x	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
Leland, David	D	22	16%	23%	16%	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-
Lepore-Hagan, Michele	D	58	n/a†	n/a	19%		-	+	х	-	х	-	х	+	-	х	+	-	-	-	-	х	-	-	x	x	х	-	-	х
Lightbody, Mary	D	19	16%	21%	19%	-	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LIPPS, SCOTT	R	62	83%	84%	84%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	х	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
Liston, Beth	D	21	13%	23%	19%	-	-	+	-	x	-	-	-	+	-	-	+	-	-	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LOYCHIK, MIKE	R	63	80%	n/a	80%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
MANCHESTER, SUSAN	R	84	84%	87%	89%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+		+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
MANNING, GAYLE	R	55	76%	79%	77%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
MCCLAIN, RIORDAN	R	87	88%	87%	91%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
MERRIN, DEREK	R	47	80%	80%	89%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
Miller, Adam	D	17	20%	n/a	21%	х	-	+	х	-	х	Х	-	+	-	-	+	+	х	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Miller, Joseph	D	56	25%	27%	25%	-	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	+	х	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	-
MILLER, KEVIN	R	72	n/a†	n/a	n/a	Х	х	х	х	x	+	х	+	-	x	+	+	х	+	+	х	-	х	х	х	+	+	+	+	-

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O'Brien, Michael	D	64	28%	37%	31%	-	-	+	+	-	х	-	х	+	-	х	+	-	-	-	-	х	-	-	+	x	х	-	-	x
OELSLAGER, SCOTT	R	48	80%	82%	83%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
PATTON, THOMAS	R	7	n/a†	74%	77%	-	+	+	+	+	х	+	х	-	+	х	+	х	+	+	-	х	+	+	+	x	х	х	+	x
PAVLIGA, GAIL	R	75	79%	n/a	79%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	х	+	-
PLUMMER, PHIL	R	40	80%	83%	79%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
POWELL, JENA	R	80	82%	87%	88%	-	+	+	х	+	+	+	х	-	+	+	-	х	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
RAY, SHARON	R	69	80%	n/a	80%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
RICHARDSON, TRACY	R	86	80%	83%	81%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
RIEDEL, CRAIG	R	82	79%	87%	88%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	х	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
Robinson, Phillip	D	6	20%	27%	27%	-	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-
ROEMER, BILL	R	38	80%	83%	83%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
Russo, Allison	D	24	16%	23%	20%	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-
SCHMIDT, JEAN	R	65	84%	n/a	84%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
SEITZ, BILL	R	30	80%	83%	89%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
Sheehy, Michael	D	46	16%	29%	22%	-	-	+	+	-	-		-	+	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Skindell, Michael	D	13	12%	27%	9%	-	-	+	-	-			-	+	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Smith, Kent	D	8	12%	17%	11%	-	-	+	-	-			-	+	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Smith, Monique	D	16	13%	n/a	13%	-	-	+	-	-			х	+	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sobecki, Lisa	D	45	16%	26%	23%	-	-	+	+	-	-		-	+	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
STEIN, DICK	R	57	80%	83%	83%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+		-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
STEPHENS, JASON	R	93	80%	83%	82%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
STEWART, BRIAN	R	78	84%	n/a	84%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
STOLTZFUS, REGGIE	R	50	83%	83%	83%	-	+	+	х	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
SWEARINGEN, D. J.	R	89	80%	79%	80%	- 1	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
Sweeney, Bride	D	14	16%	30%	24%	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-
Sykes, Emilia	D	34	14%	17%	12%	-	-	+	х	-	-	-	х	+	х	-	+	-	-	-	х	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Troy, Daniel	D	60	28%	n/a	28%	-	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	+	+	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-
Upchurch, Terrence	D	10	18%	32%	23%	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-	+	х	-	+	-	-	-	х	-	-	-	+	-	-	-	x	-

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	Party	Dist.	2021 %	2020 %	LIFETIME AVG	HB 2	HCR 5	SB 6	HR 13	HCR 18	HCR 22	SB 22	HCR 36	SB 52	HR 56	HB 99	SB 102	HB 126	SB 157 (Howse Amd.)	SB 157	HB 163	HB 165	SB 187	HB 201	HB 215	HB 227 (Smith, M. Amd)	HB 227	HB 243	HB 244	HB 292
VITALE, NINO	R	85	n/a†	n/a	88%	+	+	х	х	х	+	x	+	х	+	+	-	x	+	+	-	-	х	+	+	+	+	х	х	+
Weinstein, Casey	D	37	25%	33%	30%	-	-	+	+	-	х	-	-	+	-	x	+	-	-	-	-	х	-	-	+	x	х	-	-	-
West, Thomas	D	49	24%	28%	30%	-	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	+	+	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-	-	-
WHITE, ANDREA	R	41	75%	n/a	75%	-	+	+	+	+	+	-	x	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
WIGGAM, SCOTT	R	1	79%	90%	90%	-	+	+	х	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
WILKIN, SHANE	R	91	83%	83%	86%	Х	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
YOUNG, BOB	R	36	84%	n/a	84%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
YOUNG, TOM	R	42	80%	n/a	80%	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-
ZELTWANGER, PAUL	R	54	n/a†	84%	88%	+	+	+	х	х	х	+	+	х	x	х	+	x	+	+	х	х	+	+	+	х	х	х	х	+

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# **OHIO HOUSE VOTE DESCRIPTIONS**

- 1. HB 2 Socializing Broadband Expansion Through a New Grant Program. ACU recognizes that enormous advancements are being made in satellite internet which may make costly broadband expansion initiatives unnecessary. ACU believes the market is the best mechanism to determine the need for broadband, does not believe that taxpayers in one area should be forced to subsidize the services of those who choose to live in another area and opposed this bill. The House passed the bill on May 5, 2021 by a vote of 91-4 and the bill was signed into law.
- 2. HCR 5 Urging Congress to Oppose the Left's Attempted Federal Takeover of Elections. ACU negatively rated H.R. 1, the so-called "For the People Act" in our Ratings of Congress. ACU opposes the Left's attempt to eliminate ballot security measures which protect against vote fraud, supports efforts to strengthen election integrity and ensure that all legal ballots are counted, and that no illegal ballot is counted, and supported this resolution. The House adopted the resolution on May 6, 2021 by a vote of 62-33.
- 3. SB 6 Expanding Access to Health Care and Reducing Costs by Joining the Interstate Medical Licensure Compact. ACU supports reducing healthcare costs and improving patient care through licensing reciprocity and supported this bill. The House passed the bill on June 23, 2021 by a vote of 95-0 and the bill was signed into law.
- 4. HR 13 Opposing Michigan Governor Whitmer's Attempt to Shut Down the Enbridge Line 5 Oil Pipeline. ACU supports expanding economic growth by increasing American energy production. ACU opposes Gov. Gretchen Whitmer's quest to eliminate fossil fuels and advance a radical Leftist politized environmental agenda and supported this resolution. The House adopted the resolution on March 24, 2021 by a vote of 73-10.
- 5. HCR 18 Urging Congress to Prevent the Expansion of the Supreme Court. ACU opposes the Left's calls to pack the Supreme Court in order to "legislate from the bench" and supported this resolution. The House passed the resolution on June 25, 2021 by a vote of 60-34. (The resolution failed to advance in the Senate.)
- 6. HCR 22 Urging Congress to Secure the United States' Southern Border. ACU opposes the audacious open border policies of the Biden Administration which are devastating many communities along the border and severely jeopardizing national security and supported this resolution. The House adopted the resolution on November 17, 2021 by a vote of 59-26. (The resolution failed to advance in the Senate in 2021.)
- 7. SB 22 Providing a Legislative Check on the Governor's State of Emergency Power. ACU believes that many of government's reactions to COVID-19 have done more harm than good, supports providing a legislative check on executive orders and supported this bill. The House voted to override the Governor's veto on March 24, 2021 by a vote of 62-35 and the bill became law.
- 8. HCR 36 Urging Congress to Oppose Federal Invasion of Privacy Through Financial Institution Reporting of Customer Cash Flows to the IRS. ACU opposes the Biden administration's blatant attempt to infringe the privacy rights of Americans, and subjecting personal finance to even greater government surveillance and supported this resolution. The House passed the resolution on November 18, 2021 by a vote of 54-27. (The resolution failed to advance in the Senate in 2021.)
- 9. SB 52 Weakening Property Rights and Expanding Government Power to Block Private Energy Development. ACU generally opposes efforts by state legislatures to delegate authority to localities for the purpose of diminishing individual rights and liberties. ACU further recognizes property owners are already required to meet the standards set by the Ohio Power Siting Board (OPSB). ACU supports protecting property rights from being infringed at all levels of government including when individuals wish to construct wind and solar infrastructure on their properties opposes this further expansion of government and opposed this bill. The House passed the bill on June 28, 2021 by a vote of 52-44 and the bill was signed into law.
- 10. HR 56 Ending the Burdensome and Costly E-Check Vehicle Emissions Program and Urging Congress to Reform the Federal Clean Air Act. ACU supports protecting motorists from burdensome and costly vehicle emissions testing and supports expanding economic growth through reforms to the Clean Air Act and supported this resolution. The House adopted the resolution on June 10, 2021 by a vote of 62-29.

- 11. HB 99 Strengthening Second Amendment Rights and Security at Public Schools. ACU recognizes that "gun-free" zones merely disarm law-abiding citizens while doing nothing to prevent criminal activity and the illegal possession of firearms. ACU supports the founders' belief in the Second Amendment and supported the bill. The House passed the bill on November 17, 2021 by a vote of 59-33. (The bill failed to advance in the Senate in 2021.)
- 12. SB 102 Reducing Excessive Regulations and Expanding Competition in the Alcoholic Beverage Industry. ACU supports a freer market in the alcoholic beverage industry and expanding individual liberties and supported this bill. The House passed the bill on December 8, 2021 by a vote of 88-7 and the bill was signed into law.
- 13. HB 126 Protecting Property Owners from Excessive Taxation by Reforming the Property Valuation Contestation Process. ACUF's Center for 21st Century Property Rights is a leading voice on this issue and works to protect property owners from losing their properties through excessive taxation. ACU supports this taxpayer protection and supported this bill. The House passed the bill on April 15, 2021 by a vote of 62-31 and the bill was signed into law.
- 14. SB 157 (Howse Amd.) Subjecting Employers to Lawsuit Abuse Through New Workplace Mandates Pertaining to Pregnancy (Motion to Defeat). ACU recognizes the challenges of choosing life and raising a child but believes this measure will merely empower plaintiffs' attorneys to pursue frivolous litigation against employers. ACU opposes this excessive government mandate that interferes with private business operations and holds businesses hostage through lawsuit abuse and opposed this amendment. The House voted to table (defeat) the amendment on December 8, 2021 by a vote of 61-34. (A "YES" vote supported the ACU position.)
- 15. SB 157 Protecting Children who Survive Abortion. ACU believes abortion is a human tragedy, supports restrictions to end the practice and supported this bill. The House passed the bill on December 8, 2021 by a vote of 61-35 and the bill was signed into law.
- 16. HB 163 Interfering in Hospital-Nurse Labor Agreements by Prohibiting Mandatory Overtime. ACU opposes driving up health care costs and weakening the ability of hospitals to provide quality care to patients through this effort to force hospitals to hire more union workers and enrich the greedy bosses of the Ohio Nurses Association and opposed this bill. The House passed the bill on June 10, 2021 by a vote of 82-12. (The bill failed to advance in the Senate in 2021.)
- 17. HB 165 Enriching Ethanol Producers and Socializing Costs onto Taxpayers Through a \$10 Million Tax Credit Scheme. ACU recognizes that this market manipulation scheme is based on the misguided Carter administration policy meant to combat OPEC price gouging and prevent "global cooling." Research now clearly demonstrates that these ethanol subsidies (1) increase costs for motorists due to reduced efficiency, (2) damage older vehicle engine components (3) result in higher food prices by diverting crop land away from food production and (4) produce adverse environmental consequences at a higher rate than other fuels through a variety of traits inherent to ethanol. ACU opposes utilizing government to enrich select companies and industries while socializing the costs onto taxpayers and opposed this bill. The House passed the bill on November 17, 2021 by a vote of 89-0. (The bill failed to advance in the Senate in 2021.)
- 18. SB 187 Allowing College Athletes to Profit from their Own Names, Image and Likeness and Protecting Women's Athletics from Competition with Men. ACU supports the ability of athletes to receive compensation for their name, image, and likeness and supports ensuring fair competition among teams competing across the state and supported this bill. The House passed the bill on June 24, 2021 by a vote of 58-36. (This version of the bill failed to advance in 2021.)
- 19. HB 201 Protecting Property Owners from Local Bans on Natural Gas. ACU supports all sources of energy, does not believe government should favor one source of energy over another, supports protecting property rights and supported this bill. The House passed the bill on May 6, 2021 by a vote of 65-32 and the bill was signed into law.
- 20. HB 215 Providing Businesses Protections from Forced Shutdowns During Pandemics. ACU supports the ability of Americans to manage their own risk related to illnesses, believes that many of government's reactions to COVID-19 have done more harm than good and supported this bill. The House passed the bill on May 6, 2021 by a vote of 77-17 and the bill was signed into law.

- 21. HB 227 (Smith, M. Amd.) Seizing Firearms without Due Process Through "Red Flag" Confiscations (Motion to Defeat). ACU supports the founders' belief in both the Second Amendment and due process under the law and opposed this amendment. The House tabled (defeated) the amendment on November 17, 2021 by a vote of 59-32. (A "YES" vote supports the ACU position.)
- 22. HB 227 Strengthening Second Amendment Rights by Enacting "Constitutional Carry" (Permitless Carry). ACU supports the founders' belief in the Second Amendment and supported this bill. The House passed the bill on November 17, 2021 by a vote of 60-32. (The bill failed to advance in the Senate in 2021.)
- 23. HB 243 Strengthening Individual Liberties by Reforming State Law Governing Knives. ACU supports strengthening individual liberties and combatting overreach by local governments and supported this bill. The House passed the bill on December 9, 2021 by a vote of 57-36. (The bill failed to advance in the Senate in 2021.)
- 24. HB 244 Supporting Military Families and Prohibiting School-Mandated COVID-19 Vaccination. ACU supports providing educational flexibility to military families. Furthermore, ACU supports strengthening individual liberties, supports the ability of Americans to manage their own risk related to illnesses and supported this bill. The House passed the bill on June 28, 2021 by a vote of 62-34 and the bill was signed into law.
- 25. HB 292 Expanding Cronyism by Providing Tax Exemptions to Electric Vehicle Manufacturers. ACU supports all vehicle propulsion systems, as well as a tax code that is broadly applied with as low of rates possible for everyone. ACU opposes this cronyism which provides a competitive advantage to a select industry and manufacturer (Lordstown Motors) while shifting tax burdens to other individuals and companies not favored by government and opposed this bill. The House passed the bill on November 18, 2021 by a vote of 81-10. (The bill failed to advance in the Senate in 2021.)