

From: Congressman Bob Latta <boblatta@mail.house.gov> To: Craig.Wheeler@mail.house.gov Subject: TEST Handful of highlights from OH5 and Congress Date: Tue, 03 Sep 2024 13:49:30 -0400 Dear friend, As your Representative in Congress, my goal is to communicate with you and keep you updated on work done on behalf of our district in

Ohio(<https://latta.house.gov/district/map.htm>) , Washington, D.C., and beyond.

Below are a handful of highlights from the past few months. If you would like to sign up to receive more frequent updates on timely news and information for our district, please click on the green button below. Survey Question: Sign up for email updates? Survey Responses: 1.

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Lorain County JVS leads the way in vocational education Lorain JVS Lorain JVS

Bob tours Lorain County JVS.

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As one of the largest career tech schools in Ohio, the Lorain County JVS serves high school students from thirteen school districts and adults in the surrounding communities. From manufacturing, construction, nursing, and culinary arts programs, they are striving to provide vocational education in all career paths for our students. In the news: The Chronicle: U.S. Rep. Bob Latta tours JVS

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The Morning Journal: U.S. Congressman Bob Latta tours Lorain County

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U.S. citizens should be the only voices counted in our elections It's simple:

the votes of United States citizens should be the only ones counted in our elections, and any loophole allowing noncitizens to cast a ballot should be eliminated. That's why I was proud to vote in favor of the Safeguard American Voter Eligibility

Act(https://urldefense.com/v3/__https://www.congress.gov/bill/118th-congress/house-bill/8281__;!!Fr0Y

) , or the SAVE Act, which will help restore confidence in our elections by

requiring states to obtain proof of U.S. citizenship before individuals can register to vote. Meeting one-on-one with OH5 residents Courthouse Conferences

Bob meets with OH5 residents. To effectively represent Ohio's Fifth District in

Congress, I need to hear directly from you about what's impacting our shared

communities. It's been great to sit down one-on-one with residents from across

Ohio's Fifth District to answer questions, receive feedback, and discuss issues

that are top of mind. Please know that my team and I are here to assist you

however possible. This includes assisting you with challenges you may be

experiencing with the federal government, like the Internal Revenue Service

(IRS), Social Security Administration (SSA), Veterans Affairs (VA), and more.

Do not hesitate to reach out to one of my offices or send a direct message on

my website. Click here(<https://latta.house.gov/contact/>) for that information.

In the news:

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WLIO: Congressman Bob Latta meets with Putnam Co. residents to hear concerns and answer

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Putnam Sentinel: Congressman Bob Latta visits PC Sentinel Office to discuss

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Advertiser-Tribune: Latta spends time in

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of cement and one of the largest producers of aggregates and concrete. In operation since 1956, the company employs 7,000 people, including many in Ohio. I recently viewed their state-of-the-art manufacturing processes and how they're working with sustainable technologies to remain energy

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's helpful to hear directly from folks on the ground, industry experts, and more when crafting and advancing legislation that could impact businesses, jobs, and livelihoods. SIGNED INTO LAW: Bill to protect Americans from Communist China-linked TikTok

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I proudly cosponsored, to protect Americansfrom foreign adversaries, including the Chinese Communist Party.This bipartisan bill is a victory for U.S.national security andthe American people. I'm proud to have played a role in shepherding this legislation through Congress - including through the Energy and Commerce Committee. The Chinese Communist Party should not use an app to surveil, target, and manipulate American citizens. With this bill now law, TikTok faces a choice: separate from Communist-China controlled ByteDance or shut down in the United States - it's that simple. In the news: 13ABC:Latta explains support of TikTok bill, says ban isn't end

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Speaking with Upper Sandusky High School students Image:Upper Sandusky HS ,

Caption: Bob speaks to Upper Sandusky High School students Thank you to Mr.

Treadway and Upper Sandusky High School for inviting me to speak with their American Government classes. It is always a treat to share U.S. history with the next generation. Thanks for letting me give a brief 'Latta history lesson'!

2024 Art Competition Winner

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I'm pleased to announce this year's winner of the 2024 Congressional Art Competition is Charlotte Smith, a sophomore at Eastwood High School! Her artwork, entitledSacagawea and her Babe, will be displayed at the U.S. Capitol Building for one year. In addition to our overall winner, we had three honorable mentions. These pieces will be displayed in my district offices for the next year. Intimacyby Faith Schneider, North Ridgeville High SchoolAtomic Manby Oliver Irvin, Bowling Green High SchoolFish and Geeseby Jayden Bennett, Upper Sandusky High SchoolEach year, I'm amazed by the creativity and talent of high school students from Ohio's Fifth District who participate in the Congressional Art Competition. This year, we had a record 127 students from 31 schools participate. I want to thank each and every one of them for showcasing their hard work and talent. I'd also like to thank Bowling Green State University for hosting our art competition reception and allowing these students to showcase their art in such a wonderful gallery! 2024 Art Competition Winner Top prize winner: Sacagawea and her Babe by Charlotte Smith, Eastwood High School. 2024 Art Competition Winner w/ Bob Bob and Charlotte Smith with her winning artwork. News highlights Below you will find news highlights over the past few months, including local and national articles and

op-eds authored in newspapers. OP-EDS: BG Independent: Southern border must be prioritized(https://urldefense.com/v3/__https://bgindependentmedia.org/commentary-southern-border-m) The Plain Dealer: TikTok's choice - sever ties with China or shut down in the US(https://urldefense.com/v3/__https://www.cleveland.com/opinion/2024/03/tiktoks-choice-sever-ties-w) The Washington Times: Baseload capacity is key to American energy success(https://urldefense.com/v3/__https://www.washingtontimes.com/news/2024/apr/17/baseload-ca) The Washington Examiner: EPA's new power plant rule is neither technologically nor economically feasible(https://urldefense.com/v3/__https://www.washingtonexaminer.com/restoring-america/faith-free) The Washington Times: Cyberthreats sponsored by Chinese Communist Party(https://urldefense.com/v3/__https://www.washingtontimes.com/news/2024/jun/24/cyberthreats-sp) The Hill: The next step for clean energy permitting: judicial review(https://urldefense.com/v3/__https://thehill.com/opinion/congress-blog/4690569-the-next-step-for) NEWS:
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The Blade:Ohio's Rep. Latta among congressmen visiting Texas
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Politico:Bipartisan House bill seeks power up for grid
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The Courier:Upper student honored in congressional art
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Perrysburg Messenger Journal:Latta honors students accepted to military
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