March 2010

Dear Friends,

I recently filed my petition for reelection to a third term as Representative of the 73rd House District in Ohio. I have always seen my position as an honored trust with the people of the 73rd House District. A trust that includes working for the economic and education revitalization we so critically need. I have tried to live up to that trust by sponsoring legislation that would positively impact the lives of those in my district. I have also stayed true to the ideals of north central Ohio. Ideals that reveal themselves in the work ethic, the family orientation and positive outlook of my constituency.

We have faced difficult times in the Ohio legislature with the recessionary economy. As I have worked through budget deficits that have necessitated scaling back even essential programs, I have worked hard to represent the best interest of my district and to forge bi-partisan alliances for the good of the State.

I look forward to a third term in office as I am constantly encouraged by the feedback from my district. Folks are more engaged in the political process than ever and that engagement provides me with a good roadmap for future efforts of the legislature.

However, I must mount a campaign to retain my position and campaigns entail a great deal of work. I am willing to do the work and would sincerely appreciate your help. If you would like to donate to my campaign effort, you can do so right now by following this link:

Donate Now

If you are willing to volunteer with my campaign, <u>you can sign up here</u>. We will be organizing the campaign committee this spring and could certainly use your help.

Thanks you for all you have done in the past. Supporters like you are vital to my efforts.

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2006 Elected to Ohio House as first Asian Am. Representative

2007 Ohio Young Democrat of the Year

2007 Bowhay Institute Leadership Development

2007 Eagle Award by Ohio Civil Rights Commission

2008 Reelected to second term

2009 Selected as Majority Whip of the House

2009 Ohio Fraternal Order of Police Legislator Award

2009 Ohio Boards of Developmental Disabilities Legislator Award

Sincerely,

Jay Goyal, Ohio House of Representatives

P.S. As a state representative, I have enjoyed many unique opportunities. Recently, I met with Ohio sports legend and two- time Heisman Trophy winner Archie Griffin. Archie currently serves as the President of The Ohio State University Alumni Association.



Third Frontier Project Ready for May Ballot

The Ohio House and Senate have given support to placing the <u>Third Frontier Project</u> renewal on the ballot May 4, 2010. Passage by the voters will result in a four year and \$700 million extension of this economic development effort that has been termed one of the most effective.

The Third Frontier Project administered through the Ohio Department of Development provides funds build world class research programs, to nurture early stage technology companies and to foster technological development to increase productivity of existing industries. Investments are targeted toward supporting technology areas that represent Ohio's key competitive opportunities:

- Advanced and Alternative Energy
- Biomedical
- Advanced Materials
- Instruments Controls Electronics
- Advanced Propulsion

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Two Studies Confirm Positive Impact of Third Frontier Investment

An independent research and development organization, <u>SRI International</u>, was hired by the Department of Development to do an economic impact study of the project. They concluded that the Third Frontier created a \$6.6 billion economic impact and 41,300 jobs during its first seven years of operation. This impact was funded with \$681 million in grants to academic, research and development institutions and companies, entrepreneurial organizations and venture capital funds for the purposes of research, development and commercialization projects. The Ohio Business Roundtable published a report noting that the Third Frontier Program attracted \$3.2 Billion in grants and investments with the \$473 million in funded grants. It also found that \$440 million a year in product sales by the funded companies will have created almost 56,000 high-technology jobs by the end of 2009.

In an effort to better inform the public about the Third Frontier's successes, the Department has initiated an electronic newsletter entitled "Hi-Velocity." The Third Frontier Project will be Issue 1 on the May 4, 2010 ballot.

Rep. Goyal Cited in "The Nation"

For its January 21, 2010 article entitled "American Idle," The Nation Magazine contacted State Representative Jay Goyal. The article focused on the economic woes of north central Ohio denoting the steady decline of industry beginning in the 1970's. When asked how the region would be revitalized, Rep. Goyal noted innovation and education to be key to the area's revival, looking to a wind farm rising near Shelby and prospects for bioproducts (plant-derived plastic equivalents).

The Nation is one of the oldest magazines still in print in America. It 1865 founding prospectus notes, "The Nation will not be the organ of any party, sect, or body. It will, on the contrary, make an earnest effort to bring to the discussion of political and social questions a really critical spirit, and to wage war upon the vices of violence, exaggeration, and misrepresentation by which so much of the political writing of the day is marred.

You're Invited to Join St. Rep. Jay Goyal at a Town Hall Meeting

March 29,2010 6:00 pm- 7:30 pm <u>Veterans of Foreign Wars</u> Alfred I. Harrington Post 3494 853 Ashland Road Mansfield, OH 44905

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