

Dear [name]

I am writing you as a fellow Republican Central Committee person.

The Cuyahoga County Republican Party (CCRP) will hold a meeting on Wednesday, July 25 from 5:30 to 7:30PM at the Independence Civic Center, 6363 Selig Drive in Independence to discuss the party platform.

The platform committee is recommending that you support gun control. I do not need to tell you that Republicans should support the whole constitution, and not pick and choose which rights we will support.

The anti-gun, anti-self-defense, anti-freedom positions of Mike DeWine, Betty Montgomery and Bob Taft have damaged our party and cost us dearly at the ballot box. Ohio now has some of the worst firearms laws in the country. Republicans need to take a strong stand for lower crime and personal safety, both of which are closely tied to the personal right to keep and bear arms. The course our local party leaders have charted will result in the loss of more seats in the 2008 elections. That is unacceptable. Help me stop them from taking our party down that road to ruin.

I am also Chairman of the Buckeye Firearms Association and I have enclosed a copy of my letter to Chairman Frost.

If you support the lawful use of firearms, without the harassment of local fees, registration schemes, and outright weapon bans, I hope you will join me on July 25th to voice your support for a party platform that supports lawful use of firearms.

If you want more information about Buckeye Firearms Association, or the importance of firearms rights and Ohio law, please visit our web site at www.BuckeyeFirearms.org.

I hope to see you July 25th

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jim Irvine". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

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