



CULTIVATING A BEAUTIFUL OTTAWA

Ottawa County is a beautiful county with a bright future. We are cultivating a vibrant community
Where Freedom Rings and families thrive.



PRO AMERICA PRIORITIES

We love America and her people. Vetted candidates for the Board of Commissioners support the following priorities:

CONSTITUTIONAL COUNTY

As a Constitutional County, protect the "individual freedoms of the people of Ottawa County, to include freedom of speech, religion, and assembly, the right to keep and bear arms, and the right to due process."

PRO AMERICA

Embrace a county "Where Freedom Rings." Promote a love of America and her people. Live out the county vision statement of "Where Freedom Rings"—where individual freedom, parental rights, and religious and conscience freedom are protected, all people belong.

LAW AND ORDER

Support a strong Public Safety, Law Enforcement, and Justice System, to include the work of rehabilitation through the court system to decrease recidivism and increase the health and productivity of individuals and families.

HEALTH FREEDOM

Protect the individual and parental rights to make personal and natural health choices, as well as the right to be provided informed consent prior to medical intervention. Encourage government to provide information to individuals, schools, and businesses, rather than operate through orders or coercion.

PRO CHILDHOOD INNOCENCE

Encourage individuals and communities to promote the good and the honorable to children, rather than the normalization of sexual behaviors. Protect the health and well-being of our children and the future of our county.

PROTECT LIFE

Protect and prioritize the needs of families, children, and unborn children.

PARENTAL RIGHTS AND EDUCATION EXCELLENCE

Protect parents' rights to guide their child's care and education. Be watchful of how the county interacts with the OAISD and local school districts. Promote accountability and transparency to ensure the county's actions with schools are limited and appropriate.

HONOR HEROES OF FREEDOM

Honor our heroes of freedom—our veterans, with not only words, but actions. Strengthen the Department of Veterans Affairs' ability to serve veterans and their families.

PRIORITIZE EXCELLENCE AND MERIT OVER IDENTITY CHARACTERISTICS

Prioritize excellence and merit over identity characteristics in county interactions and hiring, treating all individuals with kindness and respect.

FISCAL RESPONSIBILITY AND TRANSPARENCY

Prioritize fiscal responsibility and transparency in the use of taxpayer dollars through careful consideration of grants and public reporting of county expenses, as well as the implementation of improved budgeting software and a robust budget process. Weigh both benefits and risks of county initiatives and grant opportunities, remembering Thomas Sowell's words, "There are no solutions. There are only trade-offs."

ENERGY, WATER, & AFFORDABLE HOMES

Explore and consider innovative solutions for the challenges and opportunities of energy, groundwater, housing, and home ownership.

FARMLAND PRESERVATION

Protect farmland and the diverse agriculture industry of Ottawa County for the long-term security of the people of Ottawa County.

PRO ELECTION INTEGRITY

Support election integrity efforts of the county and township clerks, to include the implementation and use of watermarked ballots.

PURSUE THE GOOD AND BEAUTIFUL

Support the ongoing planning efforts and care of Ottawa County's parks, encouraging our communities to enjoy the good and beautiful surroundings of God's creation.

FREE MARKET CAPITALISM

Support business growth and independence in Ottawa County, recognizing our county is built on the hard work and entrepreneurship of generations of individuals and families.

COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH AND DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

Support meaningful work in Community Mental Health and the Department of Public Health, meeting the needs of the community while respecting parental rights and individual freedoms. Consider the impact of county policy on the overall physical and mental health of the children and individuals of Ottawa County.

Pro America Priorities are taken from the Contract with Ottawa, a promise to the people.

President Reagan's "City on a Hill" is possible in Ottawa County. Join us in voting for Freedom and Family on August 6, 2024, as we cultivate this beautiful county entrusted to us!