KNOX COUNTY ELECTION RESULTS

NOVEMBER 2024

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Knox County:

- Registered Voters 43,806
- Ballots Cast 31,871
- Voter Turnout 72.75%

For state-wide races (For President and Vice President, U.S. Senator, Justice of the Supreme Court, Representative to Congress, State Representative, and State Issue 1), we list both state-wide results and Knox County results.

Candidates are listed in alphabetical order. Please see the CSAD November 2024 Voter Guide for biographical information on all candidates.

For President and Vice President

- Richard Duncan (Nonparty candidate) / Mitchell Preston Bupp
- Kamala D. Harris (Democratic) / Tim Walz
- Chase Oliver (Libertarian) / Mike ter Maat
- Peter Sonski (Other party candidate) / Lauren Onak
- Donald J. Trump (Republican) / JD Vance

State-wide Results: Republican candidate Donald J. Trump won the state of Ohio with 3,180,116 votes (55.14%). Democratic candidate Kamala D. Harris received 2,533,699 votes (43.93%), Libertarian candidate Chase Oliver received 28,200 votes (0.49%), Non party candidate Richard Duncan received 12,805 votes (0.22%), and Other-party candidate Peter Sonski received 10,197 votes (0.18%).

Knox County Results: Republican candidate Donald J. Trump won Knox County with 22,673 votes (71.62%). Democratic candidate Kamala D. Harris received 8,525 votes (26.93%), Libertarian candidate Chase Oliver received 157 votes (0.50%), Non party candidate Richard Duncan received 67 votes (0.21%), Non party candidate Peter Sonski received 52 votes (0.16%), and Green Party candidate Jill Stein received 0 votes.

For Justice of the Supreme Court, full term commencing January 1, 2025

- Michael P. Donnelly (Democratic)
- Megan E. Shanahan (Republican)

<u>State-wide Results:</u> Republican candidate Megan E. Shanahan won the state of Ohio, receiving 3,025,884 votes (55.61%), and Democratic candidate Michael P. Donnelly received 2,415,507 votes (44.39%).

Knox County Results: Republican candidate Megan E. Shanahan won Knox County, receiving 22,021 votes (72.51%), and Democratic candidate Michael P. Donnelly received 8,348 votes (27.49%).

For Justice of the Supreme Court, full term commencing January 2, 2025

- Joseph T. Deters (Republican)
- Melody J. Stewart (Democratic)

<u>State-wide Results:</u> Republican candidate Joseph T. Deters won the state of Ohio, receiving 2,997,144 votes (55.09%), and Democratic candidate Melody J. Stewart received 2,443,066 votes (44.91%)

Knox County Results: Republican candidate Joseph T. Deters won Knox County, receiving 21,530 votes (71.73%), and Democratic candidate Melody J. Stewart received 8,485 votes (28.27%).

For Justice of the Supreme Court

- Lisa Forbes (Democratic)
- Daniel Hawkins (Republican)

<u>State-wide Results:</u> Republican candidate Daniel R. Hawkins won the state of Ohio, receiving 2,998,592 votes (54.97%), and Democratic candidate Lisa Forbes received 2,456,462 votes (45.03%).

<u>Knox County Results:</u> Republican candidate Daniel R. Hawkins won Knox County, receiving 21,798 votes (72.51%), and Democratic candidate Lisa Forbes received 8,266 votes (27.49%).

For U.S. Senator

- Sherrod Brown (Democratic)
- Don Kissick (Libertarian)
- Bernie Moreno (Republican)

<u>State-wide Results:</u> Republican candidate Bernie Moreno won the state of Ohio, receiving 2,857,383 votes (50.09%), Democratic candidate Sherrod Brown received 2,650,949 votes (46.47%), and Libertarian candidate Don Kissick received 195,648 votes (3.43%).

Knox County Results: Republican candidate Bernie Moreno won Knox County, receiving 20,976 votes (66.85%), Democratic candidate Sherrod Brown received 9,355 votes (29.81%), and Libertarian candidate Don Kissick received 1,033 votes (3.29%).

For Representative to Congress (12th District)

- Troy Balderson (Republican)
- Jerrad Christian (Democratic)

<u>District-wide Results:</u> Republican candidate Troy Balderson won the state of Ohio, receiving 260,450 votes (68.51%), and Democratic candidate Jerrad Christian received 119,738 votes (31.49%).

Knox County Results: Republican candidate Troy Balderson won Knox County, receiving 22,518 votes (73.53%), and Democratic candidate Jerrad Christian received 8,108 votes (26.47%).

For State Representative (61st District)

- David Hogan (Democratic)
- Beth Lear (Republican)

<u>District-wide Results:</u> Republican candidate Beth Lear won the 61st District, receiving 44,808 votes (61.80%), and Democratic candidate David Hogan received 27,698 votes (38.20%).

Knox County Results: Republican candidate Beth Lear won Knox County, receiving 8,613 votes (78.29%), and Democratic candidate David Hogan received 2,388 votes (21.71%).

For State Representative (98th District)

- Mark Hiner (Republican)
- Annie Homstad (Democratic)

<u>District-wide Results:</u> Republican candidate Mark Hiner won the 98th District, receiving 35,572 votes (75.48%), and Democratic candidate Annie Homstad received 11,557 votes (24.52%).

Knox County Results: Republican candidate Mark Hiner won Knox County, receiving 13,599 votes (70.14%), and Democratic candidate Annie Homstad received 5,789 votes (29.86%).

For Judge of the Court of Appeals (5th District) – 3 separate seats

• Robert G. Montgomery (Republican)

<u>Knox County Results:</u> Republican candidate Robert G. Montgomery won this race running unopposed, receiving 23,847 votes (100.00%).

For Judge of the Court of Appeals (5th District)

• Kevin W. Popham (Republican)

Knox County Results: Republican candidate Kevin W. Popham won this race running unopposed, receiving 23,248 votes (100.00%).

For Judge of the Court of Appeals (5th District)

• David Gormley (Republican)

<u>Knox County Results:</u> Republican candidate David Gormley won this race running unopposed, receiving 22,922 votes (100.00%).

For County Commissioner

- Barry Lester (Republican)
- Chuck Rogers (Democratic)

Republican candidate Berry Lester won this race, receiving 21,686 votes (71.91%), and Democratic candidate Chuck Rogers received 8,473 votes (28.09%).

For County Commissioner

• Drenda Keesee (Republican)

Republican candidate Drenda Keesee won this race unopposed, receiving 22,655 votes (100.00%).

For Prosecuting Attorney

• Chip McConville (Republican)

Republican candidate Chip McConville won this race running unopposed, receiving 23,792 votes (100.00%).

For Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas

• Christy Milligan Staton (Republican)

Republican candidate Christy Milligan Staton won this race running unopposed, receiving 23,795 votes (100.00%).

For Sheriff

• Daniel Weckesser (Republican)

Republican candidate Daniel Weckesser won this race running unopposed, receiving 24,315 votes (100.00%).

For County Recorder

• Tara Stiltner (Republican)

Republican candidate Tara Stiltner won this race running unopposed, receiving 23,693 votes (100.00%).

For County Treasurer

• Connie Durbin (Republican)

Republican candidate Connie Durbin won this race running unopposed, receiving 24,006 votes (100.00%).

For County Engineer

• Cameron Keaton (Republican)

Republican candidate Cameron Keaton won this race running unopposed, receiving 23,656 votes (100.00%).

For Coroner

• Jennifer Ogle (Republican)

Republican candidate Jennifer Ogle won this race running unopposed, receiving 24,651 votes (100.00%).

For Member of State Board of Education (7th District)

- Jessica Goeller
- Rhonda R. Johnson

Jessica Goeller won this race, receiving 10,840 votes (51.33%), and Rhonda R. Johnson received 10,278 votes (48.67%).

State Issue 1

State-wide Results: Voters in Ohio rejected Issue 1, with 2,937,489 votes against (53.71%), and 2,531,900 votes in favor (46.29%).

Knox County Results: Voters in Knox County rejected Issue 1, with 21,323 votes against (69.53%), and 9,344 votes in favor (30.47%).

Local Issues:

• Brinkhaven General Fund (1 of 2), proposed tax levy (renewal)

The tax levy renewal passed with 31 votes in favor (65.96%), and 16 votes against (34.04%).

• Brinkhaven General Fund (2 of 2), proposed tax levy (renewal)

The tax levy passed with 30 votes in favor (65.22%), and 16 votes against (34.78%).

• Centerburg, local liquor option

The local liquor option passed with 532 votes in favor (66.09%), and 273 votes against (33.91%).

• Central Ohio Joint Fire Department, proposed tax levy (replacement)

Voters rejected this tax levy, with 1,709 votes against (52.26%), and 1,561 votes in favor (47.74%).

• Clay Township, proposed tax levy (renewal)

Voters in Clay Township rejected this tax levy, with 365 votes against (53.21%), and 321 votes in favor (46.79%).

• College Township, proposed tax levy (replacement)

The tax levy passed, with 866 votes in favor (83.83%), and 167 votes against (16.17%).

• County Line Joint Fire District, proposed tax levy (replacement)

Voters rejected this tax levy, with 383 votes against (56.32%), and 297 votes in favor (43.68%).

• Eastern Knox County Fire Department, proposed tax levy (renewal)

The tax levy passed, with 4,353 votes in favor (66.55%), and 2,188 votes against (33.45%).

• Fredericktown Village, proposed tax levy (renewal)

The tax levy passed, with 689 votes in favor (52.20%), and 631 votes against (47.80%).

• Fredericktown Village Recreation District, proposed tax levy (replacement)

Voters rejected this tax levy, with 2,246 votes against (56.69%), and 1,716 votes in favor (43.31%).

• Fredericktown, local liquor option for a particular location:

The local liquor option passed, with 377 votes in favor (65.34%), and 200 votes against (34.66%).

• Loudonville-Perrysville Exempted Village School District-proposed bond issue and tax levy Voters rejected this bond issue and tax levy, with 94 votes against (61.84%), and 58 votes in favor (38.16%).

• Morgan Township, proposed tax levy (renewal)

The tax levy passed, with 353 votes in favor (51.38%), and 334 votes against (48.62%).

 Mount Vernon - Referendum on Ordinance No. 2024-21: Proposal to rezone 0 Vernonview Drive

Voters rejected the referendum on Ordinance No. 2024-21, with 4,355 votes against (65.83%), and 2,261 in favor (34.17%)

• Mount Vernon - Referendum on Resolution No. 2024-23: Proposal to enter into a contract for the rehabilitation and improvement of Edgewood Road

Voters in Mount Vernon rejected the referendum on Resolution No. 2024-23, with 4,368 votes against (63.80%), and 2,478 votes in favor (36.20%).

• Pike Township, proposed tax levy

Voters in Pike Township rejected the tax levy, with 459 votes against (65.01%), and 247 votes in favor (34.99%).

• Union Township tax levy (renewal) for construction, repairs and maintenance on streets and roads

Voters in Union Township rejected this issue, with 356 votes against (59.93%), and 238 votes in favor (40.07%).