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Statement on Attorney General Yost's Approval of Citizens Not Politicians' Petition Language

Columbus: Statement from Jen Miller, Executive Director, League of Women Voters of Ohio, in response to Attorney General Yost's approval today of the petition summary language used by Citizens Not Politicians, as they move toward getting their constitutional amendment in front of Ohio voters in November of 2024.

"LWVO enthusiastically supports the Citizens not Politicians Amendment, because it is high time to ban politicians and lobbyists from rigging legislative maps for their own short-sighted, partisan interests. Now that the Attorney General has approved the petition summary, we look to the Ohio Ballot Board to move this process forward. Hopefully very soon, our petition volunteers will be in communities across with the Buckeye State to collect signatures. We are steadfast in defending the right of Ohio voters to have fair statehouse and congressional districts."

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