

Certificate by Party Central Committee to Fill Vacancy in County Office or City Office

R.C. 305.02, 731.43, 733.08, 733.31. If charter county or municipality, refer to charter for specific requirements.

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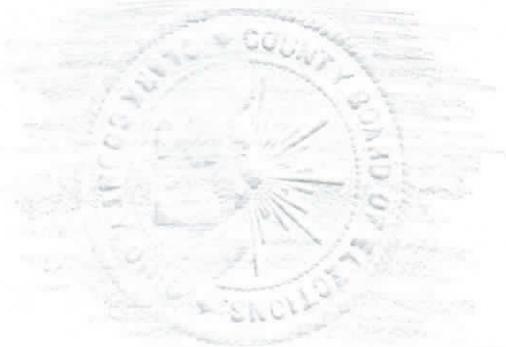
Springfield

, Ohio

To the Board of Elections of Clark County*

The undersigned respectfully certify that a vacancy in the office of County Commissioner,
 for the Clark of County Commission has occurred on 12/31/2025,
 (City or County) (MM/DD/YYYY)
 due to the Resignation of Melanie Flax Wilt who was a member of the
 (Death, Resignation, Etc.)
Republican Party.

The Central Committee of the Republican Party has appointed, in accordance with law,
Daren J. Cotter, who is a qualified elector residing at
4619 McCord St. Springfield OH 45503, to hold the office and to perform the
 duties thereof until a successor is elected and qualified as provided by law.



Clark County Central Committee

Signed: for ATB, Chairperson
 Address 3652 Morningside Circle, Springfield, Ohio 45502

Signed: W. J. Cotter, Secretary
 Address 3855 Gordon Hill Drive, Springfield, Ohio 45502

Statement of Acceptance

I Daren J. Cotter hereby accept appointment to the office of County Commissioner
 for the Clark of County Commission, in accordance with the provisions of law.
 (City or County)

Daren J. Cotter, Appointee

*A copy of this certificate must be sent to the Secretary of State, 180 S. Civic Center Dr., 4th Floor, Elections
 Division, Columbus OH 43215
 or
 P.O. Box 2828, Columbus, OH 43216

WHOEVER COMMITS ELECTION FALSIFICATION IS GUILTY OF A FELONY OF THE FIFTH DEGREE.