

I support the establishment of Ohio Health Oversight and Advisory Committee which involves the Ohio Senate and representatives in any public emergency with the Governor. so he is not acting alone in decisions affecting citizens. We are all healthier and more resilient when in critical debate which should not be excluded from actions affecting citizens.

The US Constitution describes a democracy by the people and for the people. Our Founding Fathers and Mothers realized that decentralized power by an educated populace assured everyone's freedoms and our democratic republic, the first in the world where such a treasured experiment in government by the people should grow.

They envisioned and worked hard to put in place that we need not rely on a single person governing us to tell us what is best. Some of these checks and balances have eroded over time and the current CoV-19 flu situation elucidates this erosion of the checks and balances in our state of Ohio and other states.

As a people we now work with the Ohio legislature to become more active as the populace, and strengthen all of our voices in decision-making. Our Governor and other representatives are sworn in to serve we the people, not replace us.