



## Ohio Contractors Association

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The Honorable Marilyn John  
Chair, State and Local Government Committee  
Ohio House of Representatives  
77 South High Street  
Columbus, OH 43215

Dear Chair John:

On behalf of the members of the Ohio Contractors Association (OCA) thank you for the opportunity to provide comments on HB 238, specifically the provision related to the Construction Vehicle Auction License.

OCA represents the heavy/highway construction industry in Ohio. Our members build Ohio's transportation and utility infrastructure system. To perform that work our members are consumers of construction equipment such as dump trucks, backhoes, excavators, paving machines, and other related equipment. Having an in-state facility where equipment can be purchased or sold is a valuable resource for our members. We encourage you to retain the Construction Vehicle Auction License so our members can continue to obtain or discard large and costly equipment in a convenient manner.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Michelle Holdgreve". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Michelle Holdgreve  
Legislative Director