

**VILLAGE OF STOCKPORT**

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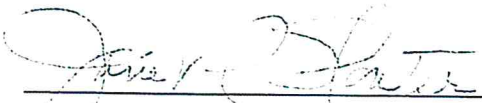
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Dear Ohio Senate Agriculture & Natural Resources Committee,

I would like to submit this letter of support for increasing House Bill 33 in FY 2024-2025 and to approve ODNR's request to increase funding to cover additional park expenses for improvements at Jesse Owens State Park in Morgan County. The economic impact from the state park from the last few years shows over 5,000 visitors to the park annually with millions of dollars of direct and indirect spending in Morgan and surrounding counties. Our local businesses are benefiting from this state park and these needed improvements would continue to support our local economy and help our community to continue to flourish.

I appreciate your consideration of this request and support of this project to our community and our Village.

Sincerely,



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Janet Slowter, Council President  
Village of Stockport