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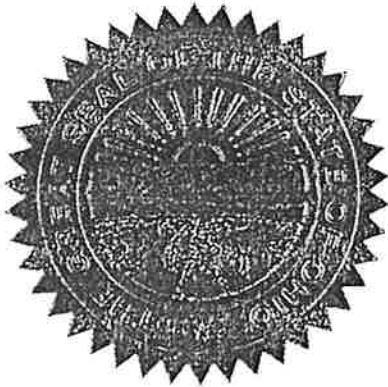
STATE OF OHIO

Executive Department

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

Columbus

I, Mike DeWine, Governor of the State of Ohio, do hereby appoint Chauncey A. Cochran, from Newark, Licking County, Ohio, as a Member of the Bureau of Workers' Compensation Board of Directors for a new term beginning June 12, 2023 and ending at the close of business June 11, 2026, replacing Chauncey A. Cochran, whose term expired.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the Great Seal of the State of Ohio to be affixed, at Columbus, this 27th day of April in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty Three.

Mike DeWine

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Governor

Chauncey A. "Chan" Cochran

Biography

Current

Chauncey A. "Chan" Cochran is founder of Cochran Group Inc. and has served as its CEO since 1983. Cochran Group is a state capital communications and government affairs consulting firm that has provided strategic corporate counsel to a wide variety of Ohio companies and trade associations. One of the best known communicators in the state, Cochran has provided leadership in a large number of ballot issues and legislative efforts over three decades, including campaigns to reform workers' compensation, tort law, insurance taxation, education, electric utility regulation, corporate taxation, and farm animal care standards.

Previous Positions

- 1975-1980 Executive Assistant and Communications Director to former Gov. James A. Rhodes
- 1970-1975 Statehouse writer and columnist, Columbus Dispatch
- 1966-1970 U.S. Navy Public Affairs, serving two years in Vietnam and as shipboard media liaison for the Apollo 11 and Apollo 13 Recovery Missions. Awarded Purple Heart and U.S. Navy Commendation Medal with Combat V
- 1965-1966 Copy Editor, Columbus Dispatch
- 1962-1965 Reporter, Youngstown Vindicator

Civic Involvement

- Member, Franklin County Republican Executive Committee
- Former Member and Chair, Franklin County Children Services
- Former Member, Veterans Memorial Board of Trustees
- Founding Chair and Board Member, Capital Crossroads Special Improvement District
- Former Member, Columbus Convention and Visitors Bureau Board of Trustees; Member of the Executive Committee

GOVERNOR'S APPOINTMENTS TO BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS

Appointment Date: 6/12/2023

Name of Appointee: Chauncey A. Cochran
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Name of Commission: Bureau of Workers' Compensation Board of Directors
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Columbus, OH 43215
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Term Begins: 6/12/2023
Term Ends: 6/11/2026
Party Affiliation: Republican
Senate Confirmation: Appointed by the Governor, confirmed by the Senate
Financial Disclosure: Public disclosure required
Vice: Chauncey A. Cochran