

Why I Support HB 587?

- **It Protects Natural Kratom**
 - **Caps 7-Hydroxymitragynine (7-OH)**
 - **Bans Concentrated Synthetic Alkaloids**
 - **Regulates Labeling and Purity**
 - **Establishes Age Restrictions**
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- **Agenda Item:** Select "H.B. No. 587
 - **Subject:** Protect Natural Kratom Access in Ohio - I SUPPORT H.B. 587 "Dear Representative , I am an Ohio resident writing to respectfully ask you to protect adult access to natural kratom and support a regulatory approach for H.B. 587. Please support H.B. 587. It protects responsible adults who use natural kratom safely. I have seen this product save lives, help my great aunt go through knee surgery twice and has helped her deal with the pain. It is so important to so many as I have researched a lot on the natural Kratom product. It is vital to distinguish between natural kratom leaf and novel synthetics; other jurisdictions have recognized that public health concerns lie with high-concentration synthetics, not the natural leaf that has been used safely for centuries. Natural kratom has a long history of safe use by millions of Americans for wellness and as an alternative to more harmful substances. Targeting high-potency synthetic products through regulation is a more effective public health strategy than a blanket ban on a product with a demonstrated history of safe use. In closing I Thank you for your time and for considering the importance of regulation over prohibition for the citizens of Ohio.
Sincerely, Michelle Neil , Winchester, Ohio 45697.
Thank you for taking immediate action to protect access to natural kratom in Ohio.