Dear Neighbor,

As your state representative, I am dedicated to listening to your concerns, leading with common sense and delivering results.

This update provides information about what I am doing to fight for families, taxpayers, workers and students.

I understand your concerns because they are my concerns too. I will continue standing up to the special interest groups and lobbyists to do what is best for us.

As always, if you have any questions or need help, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

STEVE JOHNSON
YOUR State Representative

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Dates, times and locations vary. Please check my website, social media, or call my office for a current schedule.

FIGHTING FOR YOU

STEVE JOHNSON
Fighting for TAXPAYERS

- Never missed a vote: I have cast over 1,200 consecutive votes, never having missed a vote.
- Explaining every vote: When I took office, I promised to explain each and every vote I cast, and I have done exactly that. Read them at www.RepJohnson.com.
- Less wasteful spending: Government must live within its means just like hard-working taxpayers are forced to do every day. I have been a strong proponent of reducing the size and scope of government at all levels, which guides every vote that I take.
- Legislator average wage: I introduced legislation to make state legislator salaries equal to the average Michigan wage. Lawmakers should not have a strong monetary incentive to be a career politician. (HJR FF)
- Legislative Open Records Act: I supported making the Legislature and Governor’s office more transparent by expanding the Freedom of Information Act. (HB 4148-57)
- Cutting income taxes: I was proud to vote for an income tax cut to help everyone keep more of their paycheck. (Hbs 4001, 5420-21, Sbss 748, 750)
- Protecting against fraud: I voted for a solution that will crack down on tax-related fraud because identity theft can cost people thousands of dollars and tarnish their good name. (HB 5091)
- Lowering the cost of car insurance: One of my priorities is making car insurance more affordable because we are all fed up paying the highest rates in the nation. (HB 5013)
- Fixing roads: Like you, I’m frustrated with the condition of our roads. I fought for record funding to fix roads and bridges including additional emergency funding without raising taxes. (HB 4321)
- No grocery taxes: I helped pass a new law to ban local governments from imposing taxes on groceries. (HB 4999)
- No new paddle fee: I am fighting to stop a new proposal that would force all kayak, canoe and paddle board owners to pay a yearly $10 registration fee. (House Concurrent Resolution 22)
- Making car buying easier: I helped approve a plan to accelerate a sales tax reduction for people who buy cars, trucks and SUVs with a trade-in. (Sbss 94, 95)
- More skilled trades: I helped create better training opportunities that prepare students for high-skilled careers because a college degree isn’t the only path to success. (HBs 5140-42, 5145)
- Increasing school safety: We have a responsibility to protect students so they can learn in a safe environment. I am pushing for new solutions to improve safety in K-12 schools and universities. (HBs 5850-52)
- Gaining real-world experience: I support a plan to allow high school students to earn course credit for completing an internship or work study program so they can build experience, receive credit and get paid. (HBs 4106, 5676)
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While some politicians look out for themselves, I am FIGHTING FOR YOU

Fighting for WORKERS

- Bigger paychecks: I continue pushing to reduce income taxes so workers can keep more of their hard-earned paycheck. (HB 4001)
- Better benefits: I supported a new law to allow local governments to save on health care and provide better benefits to workers. (SB 43)
- Restoring the dream of retirement: When people work hard their entire lives, they deserve peace of mind for the future. That’s why I helped pass a plan to give hard-working school and state employees more options to invest their money for retirement. (HBs 5230-31)
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Fighting for FAMILIES

- Preventing taxpayer funding of abortions: My first bill prohibits all funding of abortion clinics in Michigan. I will continue to fight to ensure taxpayer money does not fund abortions in our state. (HB 4221)
- Providing tax relief: Moms and dads work hard, and they deserve a tax break to help them provide for their families. That’s why I was eager to preserve and increase personal exemptions for taxpayers and their dependents. (HBs 5420-21, Sbss 748, 750)
- Improving mental health: I’m working to improve access and strengthen care for people who are facing mental health challenges.

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