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Congresswoman Beatty talks about COVID-19 while reading a book with 'Mr. Happy' (April 14, 2020)

Supporting Families Experiencing Homelessness

Congresswoman Beatty is raising awareness on the financial and educational needs of Central Ohio students and their families experiencing homelessness. She advocated for nearly \$5 billion in federal funds to improve COVID-19 preparation, prevention, and response efforts at shelters and transitional housing (a request later included in the CARES Act). She is in close contact with federal officials to ensure the delivery of direct economic impact payments to eligible individuals, regardless of housing status. Finally, Beatty created the three-part video series 'Beatty Book Time' to provide additional educational resources accessible to all students. Visit her official YouTube page to see more.

Complete the 2020 Census

From health clinics to fire departments, schools, roads and highways, and even congressional representation, the Census shapes many aspects of our community. Take 10 minutes to complete the Census at www.My2020Census.gov.



THE BEATTY



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Guaranteeing Justice and Protecting Health and Safety

Ohio's Third Congressional District, our state, and nation are facing two crises: the COVID-19 Pandemic and unabashed racism against Black people. Over 120,000 Americans have lost their lives, tens of millions of workers are out of work, small businesses across the country are struggling, and many people are worried what the future holds. At the same time, our nation is reckoning with systemic racism and demanding justice and accountability from the very public servants sworn to protect and serve our communities.

As the Representative of Ohio's Third Congressional District, my role is to be your voice. That is why I jumped into action and held numerous town halls, including my Voting Rights and Equal Justice Forum on June 23rd and my Community Coronavirus Telephone Town Hall on March 27th, as well as organized discussions with small business owners, communities of faith, healthcare professionals, housing organizations, nonprofits, mayors, stakeholders from all industries, and government officials at every level. I even joined many of you in solidarity during recent community driven events.

Taking these actions one step further, my staff and I have been focused on making sure the public is aware of economic programs and direct assistance they may be eligible to receive and that small business owners know how to apply for Small Business Administration (SBA) loans. In addition, my office is pushing for transparency in law enforcement and working to build trust among them, communities of color, and all Americans. Moreover, we are fighting to expand access to personal protective equipment (PPE) for those who need it most and have been

outspoken in our insistence for greater support for 1099 workers, independent contractors, gig workers, and the smallest small businesses.

In Congress, I supported all five COVID-19 response bills like the CARES Act, the largest financial rescue bill in our country's history, and The Heroes Act. I was proud to also cosponsor and help pass the George Floyd Justice in Policing Act and I had the unbelievable honor to preside over the U.S. House of Representatives during the vote on the bill. Finally, I have written several measures to further address both pandemics.

Going forward, I promise to do everything in my power to advance social justice and preserve public health and safety so that no one is left behind.

Stay healthy and stay safe,

PS: Make sure to register to vote by October 5, 2020, and to vote on/before Election Day, Tuesday, November 3, 2020.



Congresswoman Beatty speaks with constituents during her Voting Rights and Equal Justice Forum. (June 23, 2020)

Confronting the Coronavirus

U.S. Congresswoman Joyce Beatty (OH-03) continues the fight to secure funds and resources for Ohio's Third Congressional District. She voted for all five COVID-19 economic rescue packages, supported a multitude of family and business first policies, and has helped deliver **over \$469 million** back to Ohio's Third Congressional District to combat the virus. This graphic provides a snapshot of Beatty's work.

Confronting the Coronavirus

Congresswoman Beatty Votes for Historic Coronavirus Rescue Packages

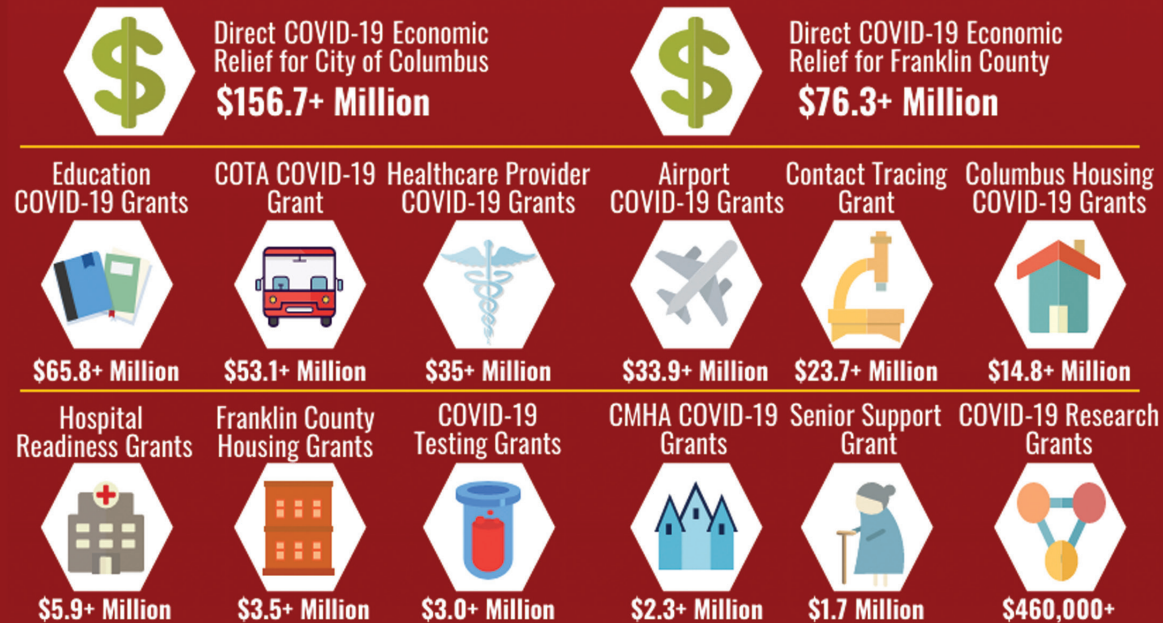
What You May Be Eligible To Receive:

- \$1,200/\$2,400 per individual/joint filers
- \$500 per child 16 and under
* For those making less than \$75,000 / \$150,000
- 13 week unemployment insurance expansion
+ \$600 extra weekly benefits | up to 16 weeks
- \$659 billion in forgivable small business loans, including barbershops, hair and nail salons, etc.
* To pay rent, make payroll, and business-related costs (e.g. utility payments)
- Suspend student loan payments through September 30th | no interest accrual
* Does not include private, Perkins, or FFEL loans

Federal and State Economic Emergency and Healthcare Policies

- ⊘ Halt on ALL evictions and foreclosures
- ⊘ Temporary delay on utility shutoff
- ⊕ Extend tax filing deadline and payment
- ⊕ Equipment for healthcare and frontline workers
- ⊕ Free testing (where available), develop vaccine, and increase healthcare funding

Delivering Results for Ohio's Third Congressional District \$476+ Million in COVID-19 Relief Funds



Working for the People

Every day, Congresswoman Beatty and her team are continuing their efforts to ensure justice and connect the needs of her district to legislation and action. That starts with bills to address the health, safety, and security of everyone, including authoring H.Res.990, a resolution recognizing racism as a national crisis and calling for a truth and reconciliation process; cosponsoring and helping to introduce the George Floyd Justice in Policing Act (H.R. 7120); and writing legislation to halt consumer debt collection (H.R. 6332), expand forgivable loans to nonprofits (H.R. 6892) and the smallest businesses (H.R. 6893), and to 'ban the box' on small business loans (H.R. 6894). All total, Team Beatty has introduced nine measures, cosponsored an additional 60 COVID-19 response and recovery bills, and signed on to more than 150 relevant congressional letters to the Administration, House and Senate leadership, and other government officials.



Congresswoman Beatty joins House Speaker Nancy Pelosi and fellow Members of Congress during a press conference to urge passage of the George Floyd Justice in Policing Act. (June 25, 2020)

Distributing Free Community Care Kits

On May 13, 2020, Congresswoman Beatty joined officials from Ohio State Wexner Medical Center, Pastor Keith Troy, First Lady Brenda Troy, and other Central Ohioans at New Salem Baptist Church to hand out free community care kits to constituents. These kits included isolation masks, hand sanitizer, various personal hygiene products, and information on Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) recommended best practices to help better protect residents from spreading the virus. All total, the initiative provided over 40,000 masks, 36,000 soaps, and 20,000 hand sanitizers across five zip codes in Ohio's Third Congressional District.



Congresswoman Beatty joins The Ohio State University's Dr. Joshua Joseph, Dr. Darrell Gray, Government Affairs and Community Relations Consultant Autumn Glover, and Columbus Compact Corporation President/CEO Kim Knights to help distribute free community care kits. (May 13, 2020)