

Ohio

Voters in Ohio will elect a Governor and Lt. Governor, Attorney General, and state legislators in the 2018 election cycle. All 99 seats are up in the House and 17 out of 33 seats are up in the Senate. Republicans currently have a trifecta in the state and will maintain control of the legislature.

Attorney General

Republican Nominee

[State Auditor Dave Yost](#)

State Auditor Dave Yost has been in office since 2010.

Yost has introduced a plan for school safety that focuses on a statewide vulnerability inventory of all buildings, controlling entry points of the buildings, providing firearm training to staff that already have backgrounds in the military or law enforcement and allow that staff to be armed.

Yost did not have a primary challenger and has been hitting his Democratic opponent with [negative](#) ads since April.

***Trivia:** Yost is a part-time musician whose band played at an event during the 2016 Republican National Convention.*