

OHIO

Voters in Ohio will elect a Governor, Lieutenant Governor, and Attorney General this cycle. All 99 House seats will be on the ballot, as well as 17 Senate seats. Republicans are likely to maintain control of the Governorship, the OAG, and the legislature.

Attorney General

Republican Nominee

[Attorney General Dave Yost](#)

Attorney General Dave Yost (R) is running for a second term as the state's top lawyer. Yost began his political career when he was elected to be the prosecutor for Delaware County and later as State Auditor. His campaign is highlighting the accomplishments of his first term.

Major focuses of his tenure have been addressing the opioid epidemic, human trafficking, and fraud prevention. He touts his efforts to pass new laws requiring performance audits of state agencies and higher education institutions and the launching of an online tool to provide local governments with ways to boost efficiency and cut costs.

Since taking office, he has filed [suits](#) against healthcare corporations and global tech companies he accuses of being predatory monopolies. His office has challenged the Biden administration over policy updates to [Title IX](#), [vaccination](#) requirements, and the [coronavirus](#) relief package.

Yost enjoys built-in name identification as the sitting Attorney General in a state that twice voted for former President Trump by 8 points. It is anticipated that he will be successful in November.

Trivia: Dave Yost was a journalist for the Columbus Citizen-Journal before assuming public office.