

**Village of Sugar Bush Knolls**  
**Newsletter**  
**August 1, 2023**

**Election Early Voting at the Portage County Board of Elections**

August 1, 2023	7:30 a.m. - 8:30 p.m.
August 2, 2023 - August 4, 2023	7:30 a.m. - 7:30 p.m.
August 5, 2023 (Saturday)	8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
August 6, 2023 (Sunday)	1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

**Voting on August 8, 2023**

Polling Location

125/1 SUGAR BUSH KNOLLS, CENTRAL SCHOOL, 200 NORTH MANTUA STREET, KENT, OH 44240

Election Day voting hours are 6:30 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.

**Ballot Language - Issue 1**

Proposed Constitutional Amendment

ELEVATING THE STANDARDS TO QUALIFY FOR  
AN INITIATED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT  
AND TO PASS A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

Proposed by Joint Resolution of the General Assembly

To amend Sections 1b, 1e, and 1g of Article II and Sections 1 and 3 of Article XVI  
of the Constitution of the State of Ohio

A majority yes vote is necessary for the amendment to pass.

The proposed amendment would:

- Require that any proposed amendment to the Constitution of the State of Ohio receive the approval of at least 60 percent of eligible voters voting on the proposed amendment.
- Require that any initiative petition filed on or after January 1, 2024 with the Secretary of State proposing to amend the Constitution of the State of Ohio be signed by at least five percent of the electors of each county based on the total vote in the county for governor in the last preceding election.
- Specify that additional signatures may not be added to an initiative petition proposing to amend the Constitution of the State of Ohio that is filed with the Secretary of State on or after January 1, 2024 proposing to amend the Constitution of the State of Ohio. If passed, the amendment will be effective immediately.

**ID Requirements to Vote**

There are several types of valid photo identification.

- Ohio driver's license
- Interim ID form issued by the Ohio BMV
- A US passport card
- Ohio National Guard ID card
- State of Ohio ID card
- A US passport
- US military ID card
- US Department of Veterans Affairs ID card

All photo IDs must have the following:

- An expiration date that has not passed
- The voter's name, which must substantially conform to the voter's name as it appears in the Poll List or in the Poll Book
- A photograph of the voter

**We encourage all residents of Sugar Bush Knolls to exercise their civic duty and vote in this election.**

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**Pool Party Potluck**

You're invited to the Sugar Bush Knolls Pool Party Potluck at Nate and Amy Mucha's Pool (1111 Pin Oak Dr.) on Sunday, August 13th from 2pm-4pm. Come bearing some food and be ready to enjoy a fun time poolside with your neighbors! An RSVP is definitely helpful, but not necessary for admittance. Please scan the QR code with your phone to RSVP and sign up to bring some food.



**Email List**

As most organizations have done, we are making an effort to go paperless in the Village! For each adult in your household, please use the QR code below and follow the prompts to fill in your current information. We are requesting name(s), address, phone number(s) and e-mail address(es). You may choose to have the phone number(s) and/or e-mail address(es) withheld from the directory, but the Village asks that you provide us with complete information for use in case of emergency. Again, your phone number(s) and email address(es) will only be included in the Village directory with your express permission. As has been our tradition, please do not include children under 18 years of age. Please scan the QR code below with your phone to submit your complete information. If you need assistance, please contact Elizabeth Hartley at 216 244 4730 or [sugarbushknolls.ehartley@gmail.com](mailto:sugarbushknolls.ehartley@gmail.com)



**Facebook Group**

If you're on Facebook, we've started a village group. You can simply search "Sugar Bush Knolls Village" on Facebook and request to join the group. Hope to see many of you on social media!