



Michael Dewine

Party: Republican • **Chamber:** Senate

State: OH

Service: 1983–2007

Most recent Congress: 109

Biography

A Representative and a Senator from Ohio. Born in Springfield, Ohio, January 5, 1947. Attended the public schools in Yellow Springs, Ohio. B. S. , Miami University, Oxford, Ohio 1969. J. D. , College of Law, Ohio Northern University, Ada 1972. Admitted to the Ohio State bar in 1972, and commenced practice in Xenia, Ohio. Assistant prosecuting attorney, Greene County, Ohio 1973-1975. Prosecuting attorney, Greene County 1977-1981. Elected to the Ohio Senate 1981-1982. Elected as a Republican to the Ninety-eighth and to the three succeeding Congresses (January 3, 1983-January 3, 1991). One of the managers appointed by the House of Representatives in 1986 to conduct the impeachment proceedings against Judge Harry E. Claiborne. Elected lieutenant governor of Ohio for the four-year term beginning January 14, 1991. Unsuccessful candidate for the United States Senate in 1992. Elected as a Republican to the United States Senate in 1994. Reelected in 2000, and served from January 3, 1995, to January 3, 2007. Unsuccessful candidate for reelection in 2006. Attorney general for Ohio, 2011-2019. Elected governor of Ohio in 2018, and took the oath of office on January 14, 2019.

Legislative Activity (1983–2007)

Bills sponsored: 184

Bills cosponsored: 920

Most Recent Sponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
109 S 4086	Maternal Motor Vehicle Crash Safety Act of 2006	Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation. (text of measure Updated Dec 6, 2006
109 S 2430	Great Lakes Fish and Wildlife Restoration Act of 2006	Became Public Law No: 109-326. Updated Oct 11, 2006
109 S 4004	A bill to suspend temporarily the duty on certain structures, parts, and components for use in an isotopic separation facility in southern Ohio.	Read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance. (text of measure as introduced: CR S10689) Updated Sep 29, 2006
109 S 3956	Crime Victims with Disabilities Act of 2006	Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. Updated Sep 27, 2006
109 S 2912	Great Lakes Coordination and Oversight Act of 2006	Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 618. Updated Sep 20, 2006

Most Recent Cosponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
109 S 707	PREEMIE Act	Became Public Law No: 109-450. Updated Dec 22, 2006
109 S 2653	Call Home Act of 2006	Became Public Law No: 109-459. Updated Dec 22, 2006
109 S 2125	Democratic Republic of the Congo Relief, Security, and Democracy Promotion Act of 2006	Became Public Law No: 109-456. Updated Dec 22, 2006
109 S 2370	Palestinian Anti-Terrorism Act of 2006	Became Public Law No: 109-446. Updated Dec 21, 2006
109 S 843	Combating Autism Act of 2006	Became Public Law No: 109-416. Updated Dec 19, 2006