



## October 2023 Newsletter

The fall has arrived, and our hard work continues in the Georgia Senate. I have many important committees actively working, budget preparation, constituent services, etc. Some of the critical issues we are reviewing include: Artificial Intelligence, Workforce, Taxes, Public Safety, etc. It is an honor to serve you!

The Albers family loves the change in seasons as well as enjoying the numerous events and festivals that Cobb, Cherokee, and North Fulton offer. I hope to see you around town supporting these community events and great causes!

The issues surrounding the Fulton County jail are very concerning. As the Senate Chairman of Public Safety, I appointed a subcommittee to fully investigate the root cause and solutions available. The first meeting will be held in November at the Georgia State Capitol. The time, date, and location will be posted soon.



I will host a joint committee meeting on November 1st in the Capitol starting at 10:00 am concerning the topic of Artificial Intelligence "AI". AI is one of the greatest disrupters in history providing significant advancements and monumental risk. We must address this head on to protect our citizens, businesses, and state.

I was honored to participate in the opening ceremony for our new Georgia

State Patrol headquarters this summer. This new state of the art facility will help assure we are keeping our streets and citizens safe.

In Georgia we "Back the Blue" - the Finest men and women serving and protecting.



I was honored to be in attendance when Governor Brian Kemp swore in Susan Treadaway as the new District Attorney for the Cherokee County Blue Ridge Judicial Circuit. Her work on criminal justice and gang violence is extraordinary.

Congratulations as well to our new Superior Court Judge Shannon Wallace for her new position. Judge Wallace served as the DA prior to her new role.

Many cities will hold municipal elections this year. Early voting begins soon for those having elections. More information can be found here:

[Cherokee County Elections](#)  
[Cobb County Elections](#)  
[Fulton County Elections](#)



I was honored to be named the Chairman for SR275 creating a study committee focusing on expanding Georgia's workforce by Lt. Governor Burt Jones.

We are holding 6 meetings throughout the state and will complete our final report in November. You can learn more about the committee by clicking on this [link](#).

The Tax Credit Review study committee is hosting meetings throughout the state. I passed Senate Bill 6 in 2022, to assure the state measures credits to assure a proper return on investment "ROI" was achieved for your state tax dollars.

This committee will deliver a report with recommendations later this year.



I stand with our great ally Israel after this horrific act of terrorism and war by Hamas. Innocent lives have been lost and we pray for their families, safety, and continued struggle for freedom and liberty.

It is time for the world to come together and end this senseless violence.

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