

October 2024 Newsletter

As we start the final quarter of 2024 there is much to report in our great state of Georgia. The state continues to thrive with record low unemployment, surpluses, and positive news. I am working hard every day to serve you and keep Georgia the #1 place to live, work, play, and raise your family.

We love the fall with its cooler days and football season! Our family is busy with activities and business and our boys are now grown and left the nest. We are blessed and grateful for a wonderful community, state, family, and friends.

Hurricane Helene

As a major category 4 storm there were many parts of our state devasted. Lives have been lost, homes and crops destroyed. We will pray for those who are gone and rally to support those in need. The State of Georgia is working 24X7 and I encourage each of us to help our fellow citizens throughout the state.

We will rebuild and be stronger than ever. May God continue to bless Georgia.





Honoring Veterans

I was proud to join Roswell Mayor Kurt Wilson, Councilwoman Lee Hills, GA Military Hall of Fame Veteran Roger Wise and a great group of attendees to create new motorcycle parking for our veterans. This most deserved honored shows our ongoing commitment to support those who have served our nation.

We live in the land of the free, because we are the home of the brave.

God Bless America!

FOP Recognition

I was honored to receive an award from the state Fraternal Order of Police for my support of law enforcement. I will always support my fellow first responders.

In Georgia, we back the blue!





Early Voting

You can vote in person early, on election day or by mail. My tradition is to vote on election day and often times as the first person at my precinct. Early voting begins on 10/15 and you can follow the links below for times and locations.

<u>Cobb County Elections</u> <u>Cherokee County Elections</u> <u>Fulton County Elections</u>

Legislative Priority to Hold Deadbeat Parents Accountable

Supporting and providing for our children is one of our most fundamental responsibilities as parents. Those who shirk this duty are not only failing their families but are also breaking the law here in Georgia. When the legislative session begins in January, I will introduce legislation to increase penalties for deadbeat parents and ensure that anyone who cannot meet their legal, moral, and ethical obligations as a parent is disqualified from running for or serving in elected office. The proposed legislation will address the growing issue of parents who neglect their financial responsibilities. A "deadbeat parent" is defined as a parent who willfully fails to pay child support, disregarding court orders or legal agreements, and thereby neglecting their duty to provide for the basic needs of their children. My initiative seeks to impose significant consequences on those who evade their responsibilities, reinforcing the importance of child welfare and the integrity of public office.



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Senator Albers at Georgia Emergency Management during Hurricane Helene response

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