

## KATHLEEN CLYDE

Kathleen Clyde served four terms in the Ohio General Assembly, representing the 75th House District in Portage County in Northeast Ohio. In the Statehouse, Kathleen fought for workers, organizing opposition and helping defeat anti-collective bargaining legislation for public sector workers on the statewide ballot in 2011. She fought for women, sponsoring the Ohio Equal Pay Act for three straight general assemblies. She also became known as a national expert on election and voting rights issues, helping mount legal defenses to various anti-voter measures eventually vetoed or found to be unconstitutional in state and federal courts, including the United States Supreme Court. In 2018, Kathleen was the Democratic nominee for Ohio Secretary of State, garnering over 2 million votes (47%) in her first run for statewide office. Kathleen was appointed County Commissioner in Portage County in late December 2018 and served in that role until January 2020.