

Administration of Joseph R. Biden, Jr., 2023

**Statement on the Ohio Ballot Measure Regarding Changes to the State's
Constitutional Amendment Process**

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Today Ohio voters rejected an effort by Republican lawmakers and special interests to change the State's constitutional amendment process. This measure was a blatant attempt to weaken voters' voices and further erode the freedom of women to make their own health care decisions. Ohioans spoke loud and clear, and tonight democracy won.

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