



THE OHIO EX-OFFENDER REENTRY COALITION

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Dear Colleagues and Community Partners:

I am pleased and honored to follow in the footsteps of former Director Terry J. Collins, as the new Chair of the Ohio Ex-Offender Reentry Coalition. Under his leadership and with your support, the Reentry Coalition has already established itself as an important voice in moving the reentry agenda forward across the state. I am enthusiastic and fully committed to maintaining the energy and momentum that has been created during the past year.

As we move ahead, the accomplishments and achievements of the Reentry Coalition will be shared ones. One of the strengths of the Reentry Coalition is its willingness to be inclusive, and to work with local jurisdictions, agencies, partners, and individuals on pursuing goals and objectives that will enhance public safety, reduce recidivism, and contribute to the future well-being of families, ex-offenders, and the communities to which they return. Through our collective efforts, we will continue to maintain Ohio's reputation as serving at the cutting-edge of reentry.

I look forward to meeting you, and leading this premier coalition. I ask that you all join me in working toward our common goals.

Sincerely,

Ernie L. Moore
Chairperson