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OFDA Announces 2023-2024 Board of Directors

COLUMBUS, OH — May 8, 2023 —The Ohio Funeral Directors Association (OFDA) has announced its Board of Directors for 2023-2024. Members of the OFDA Board of Directors were installed during the Annual Membership Meeting held on Tuesday, April 25, 2023, at the 143rd OFDA Convention and Exhibition.

Michael S. Schoedinger, CFSP, CPC, of [Schoedinger Funeral & Cremation Service](#) in Columbus, will now serve as OFDA President.

Steven J. Hartwig of [Gilberg-Hartwig Funeral Home](#) in New Bremen, will now serve as OFDA President-Elect.

Charles L. Wilson of [Schlup-Pucak & Wilson Funeral Home](#) in Akron, will now serve as OFDA Secretary/Treasurer.

Lloyd E. Rankin of [Vorhis & Ryan Funeral Homes](#) in Cincinnati, will now serve as OFDA Immediate Past President.

In addition to the Executive Officers, the [OFDA Board of Directors](#) includes Northwest Regional Director Jennifer M. Schlosser, Wapakoneta; North Central Regional Director Geoffrey H. Gompf, Cardington; South Central Regional Director William K. Taylor, Jackson; Southwest Regional Director Jolene M. Winter, Harrison; East Regional Director Nancy K. Castellucci, CFSP, Alliance; At-Large Director Lauren N. Oxender, Montpelier; At-Large Director Brittany Waits, Mowrystown; Ex-Officio Joan E. Billman, CFSP, Jefferson; and Ex-Officio Terry L. Palmer, CFSP, Chillicothe.

“With great appreciation, we recognize and congratulate our Board of Directors for continuing to further the funeral service profession through their exemplary leadership of OFDA,” stated Andrew Allman, OFDA Executive Director.

About the Ohio Funeral Directors Association (OFDA): Since 1881, OFDA (ofdaonline.org) has provided innovative programs, leadership, and excellent service to its membership.

As one of the largest state associations for funeral directors in the nation, OFDA is the conduit for promoting and advocating for the funeral profession and leader in education standards.

More than 900 Ohio funeral homes are part of the OFDA community, benefiting from a host of special services tailored exclusively for them.



2023-2024 OFDA Executive Committee

Left to Right: Charles L. Wilson; Steven J. Hartwig; Michael S. Schoedinger, CFSP, CPC;
Lloyd E. Rankin, Andrew J. Allman, CAE