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## **LAROSE MAINTAINS DOUBLE-DIGIT LEAD**

*Five Straight Statewide Surveys Show Army Veteran, Statewide Officeholder as the Strongest Republican Candidate for U.S. Senate*

(Columbus) – Ohio Secretary of State Frank LaRose has more support than both of his Republican primary opponents combined in the 2024 race for Ohio’s United States Senate seat, according to a new survey release today by Ohio Northern University.

The poll shows LaRose leading the field with 32 points, a 14-point lead over his nearest rival in the GOP primary and a seven-point lead over both of his rivals combined. Republican candidate Bernie Moreno has failed to break single digits in any of the five published polls, despite running for the Senate since early 2021. Likewise, Republican candidate Matt Dolan remains stagnant after a multi-million-dollar campaign effort in 2022 and two recent statewide television ads in 2023.

“These numbers show the resilience of our campaign, but we’re taking nothing for granted,” said LaRose. “Everyone aims for the frontrunner, which is why I’m the only candidate in the race who’s attacked every day with frivolous accusations and fake news stories. I can promise them on thing: I won’t back down from a fight.”

The latest polling data follows a poll conducted by USA Today/Suffolk University showing LaRose as the strongest Republican candidate against

incumbent Democrat Sherrod Brown. In the primary race, a recent [survey](#) by Causeway Solutions showed LaRose leading the three-way race by 17 points, up from a 13-point advantage in a previous statewide [survey](#) conducted in May.

The race for Ohio's United States Senate seat in 2024 is widely expected to decide control of Congress's upper chamber. LaRose officially entered the race on July 17 with a 28-stop media blitz, promising to run on his proven conservative record and statewide leadership experience, having won re-election as Secretary of State in 2022 with more votes than anyone in the history of the office and with nearly 100,000 more votes than Sherrod Brown received in 2018.

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