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Senator David Givens' Legislative Update



hold our other legislative obligations as members of the General Assembly by passing bills that include specific reforms and amendments to help us move the Commonwealth forward.

I am pleased to announce that this year's school safety measure, Senate Bill (SB) 8, has been signed into law by the Governor. Passing both chambers with bipartisan support, SB 8 requires the trained and certified law enforcement officers already serving in Kentucky schools to be armed. The School Safety and Resiliency Act, which passed in 2019, implemented additional security and safety standards for schools, such as the requirement of a school resource officer and increased mental

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Congressman Comer Update

Special to the Citizen

Talking Politics with Fox and CNN

In early February I appeared on Fox and Friends First to discuss President Trump's impeachment acquittal in the Senate and the great work the President is continuing to do on behalf of the American people, despite the partisan attacks of the last several months. You can view my appearance on Fox News here. I also appeared multiple nights on CNN's Prime Time With Chris Cuomo to talk about a number of pressing issues, including excessive sentencing and criminal justice reform, the latest Russia news, and President Trump's transparency in issuing pardons well before the 2020 election. I pointed out that past leaders have issued pardons after their own elections to avoid justifying and taking responsibility for their actions. I



also discussed the lasting damage that Adam Schiff has done to both Congress and the country by leaking classified intelligence information. You can watch my first appearance here discussing Trump's pardons, and my second appearance here where I discussed news regarding Russia and Adam Schiff's harmful actions.

Removing Asian Carp From Our Waterways

I joined Senator Mitch

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District Tournament

Lady Falcons season ends

Harlin and Hodges play their final game



Paisley Ford drives to the hoop with Karleigh Delk defending.
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Coach Clifton Hamilton and the Lady Falcons ended their season with an overall record of 9-17 but failed to win a 15th District contest going 0-7. That is disappointing to the coach and team, but Hamilton remains positive and his expectations for the MCHS girls' basketball program in the future are still strong.

Barren defeated Monroe 68-37 in the 15th district tournament opener to end their season.

Barren County, the #1 seed, gained control of the game from the onset against the, #4 seed, Monroe County.

Coach Piper Lindsey and the Trojanettes led by 15-points at halftime.

"They (Trojanettes) held their own and did excellent on defensive especially," Lindsey said of her teams' play in that crucial second quarter. They didn't

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Grand Jury

Sexual abuse, sodomy and theft

Special to the Citizen

Jesse Dwaine Turner, Jr., 43, was indicted on the following sexual and criminal offenses:

1st Degree Sexual Abuse, two or more acts with a minor under the age of twelve.

1st Degree Sodomy, two or more acts with a minor under the age of twelve.

Four counts of 1st Degree Criminal Abuse

for beating two minors under the age of twelve, leaving multiple marks and bruises on the bodies of the victims, on more than two occasions.

Violation of Registered Sex Offender restrictions for going onto school grounds numerous times without written permission while being on the lifetime sex offenders list.

1st Degree Sexual

Abuse, two counts, while being convicted of a prior felony offense, four counts of 1st Degree Criminal Abuse Against a Vulnerable Victim, 1st degree Sexual Abuse against a Vulnerable Victim.

Donna N. Wooten, 30, of Monroe County was indicted on an array of sexual abuse charges against minors:

Count 1; Complicity to Sexual Abuse, 1st De-

gree, Complicity to Offense Against a Vulnerable Victim, by failing to make the proper effort to stop Jesse Dwaine Turner, Jr. From having sexual contact with a minor.

Count 2; Complicity to Sodomy, 1st Degree, Complicity to Offense Against a Vulnerable Victim, by failing to make the proper effort to stop Jesse Dwaine

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