# LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

## SWITZER RECOMMENDS WALKER

Dear Residents of Harrison County ,

My name is Vickie Switzer. I am writing this letter to recommend Robert "Roboo" Walker for the electoral position of Executive Judge. Robert "Roboo" has worked for Harrison County Board of Education as a school district safety and security resource officer for over 25 years , and during this time, he has consistently proven himself to be a hardworking and reliable employee.

In his role at Harrison County Board of Education Robert "Roboo" has demonstrated an excellent work ethic, strong communication skills, and a dedication to achieving the goals of our school system. He has consistently shown the ability to work well in a team environment, as well as independently, and his contributions to the team have been invaluable.

Robert "Roboo" is a quick learner who is always eager to take on new challenges and responsibilities. He is highly organized, detail-oriented, and possess excellent problem-solving skills, which have enabled him to effectively manage complex tasks and projects.

In addition to his technical skills, Robert "Roboo" is an excellent communicator who has consistently demonstrated the ability to build strong relationships with colleagues, students and community members. His friendly and professional demeanor has made him a valued member of the Harrison County schools, which I have no doubt will follow him into this new endeavor as executive judge for Harrison County.

Robert "Roboo" would be a valuable asset to any organization, and I recommend him for any job he may apply for without reservation. He is a hard-working, dedicated, and talented individual who will make an excellent addition to our community and its needs. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions or require further information.

**Sincerely and respectfully,**
**Vickie Switzer**

## MARSH ENDORSES WALKER

To Whom It May Concern,

I am writing to express my strong support for Robert "Roboo" Walker in the upcoming election for County Judge Executive in Harrison County, KY.

Roboo Walker has consistently demonstrated strong leadership qualities and an unwavering commitment to equality and fairness for all. He has shown a sincere concern for the youth of our county without any personal, hidden agenda over many years as an employee in the school system. His honesty and integrity are unwavering. His vision of Harrison County as a prospering, progressive community with opportunities for all, aligns with my desire for my adult children and grandchildren to continue living in Cynthiana/Harrison County. As a farmer, I believe we can maintain our farmland and reach the goal of increased jobs without sacrificing our land or heritage to make way for data centers or acres of solar panels. Roboo supports farmers.

I believe Roboo Walker represents the values and vision that our community needs. His experience in the educational system will undoubtedly serve us well as we work toward a better future.

I wholeheartedly endorse Robert "Roboo" Walker for Harrison County Judge Executive and encourage all community members to support his candidacy.

**Sincerely,**
**Sharon Dailey Marsh**

## MULBERRYS BACK WALKER

To the Voters of Harrison County,

We are writing this letter to encourage you to vote for Robert "Roboo" Walker for Harrison County Judge Executive.

We are informed voters. This is the first time we have felt strongly enough about a candidate to write an endorsement letter. We have known Roboo for twenty years and wholeheartedly give our support to him.

Roboo earned his bachelor's degree from Eastern Kentucky University in Police Administration. As the Harrison County School's Security and Safety Officer, Roboo is entrusted with protecting our community's most valued assets, its children. Throughout his career, Roboo has positively impacted the lives of numerous students.

Roboo possesses many attributes that make him a strong candidate. One is the quiet confidence, especially in the face of difficult situations. Another is Roboo's strong family values. Roboo is an honest and selfless person. He lives a life guided by character and integrity. As Harrison County Judge Executive, Roboo Walker will administer the county affairs in a fair and just manner to all.

Early in-person no excuse voting is October 29th, 30th, and 31st from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Nov. 3rd is election day. We encourage each of you to vote for Robert "Roboo" Walker for Harrison County Judge Executive.

**Regards,**
**Brian and**
**Kelli Mulberry**

## MCDONALD SUPPORTS WALKER

Dear Voters of Harrison County,

I am writing to enthusiastically endorse my longtime friend and colleague, Robert "Roboo" Walker, for the position of County Judge Executive. Having known Roboo for several decades—first as a close friend of my cousin, then as a classmate during our college years, and finally as a dedicated colleague for 23 years at Harrison County Middle School—I can say without reservation that he is the most exceptional, selfless person I have ever met.

During our more than two decades working together, I have witnessed Roboo's unmatched dedication to our community firsthand. In his role overseeing school safety and security, he does far more than just fulfill a job description. He is a pillar of support who would truly do anything for anyone. His unique ability to connect with people is most evident in his relationship with our youth; the students hold him in the highest respect and will often do more for him than they would for anyone else. This level of trust and inspiring leadership is exactly what Harrison County needs right now.

A County Judge Executive must be someone who listens, protects, and unites the community. Roboo has proven throughout his life and career that he possesses the integrity, strong work ethic, and genuine care for people required to lead our county effectively. I am entirely confident that he will bring the same dedication to the entire county that he has brought to the students and staff of Harrison County Middle School for the past 23 years. Please join me in casting your vote for Robert "Roboo" Walker for County Judge Executive.

**Sincerely,**
**Kristin McDonald**

## BRINKER CHAMPIONS WALKER

To Whom It May Concern

Roboo Walker has been a friend of the Brinker family for many years. Roboo has helped a countless number of students and people over the years by being there for them when they needed him. He is an avid supporter of all things in Harrison County and truly loves this county and the people in it. I know that when he is elected County Judge he will bring this same love and support to that position. I strongly urge you to vote for Roboo Walker for County Judge.

**Glen Brinker**

## ALLEN SAYS 'VOTE FOR ROBOO'

Hello Citizens of Cynthiana/Harrison County

I'm writing to endorse Robert Walker aka ROBOO. I've watched him grow up from a baby to be the man he is today. Roboo shows integrity, honesty, trust, dependability, caring, respect, understanding and responsibility, as he navigates through this world we live in. I've witnessed his fairness in situations concerning our children of Harrison County School system for years, as well as, in his life outside of work. Roboo is someone I stand by with complete trust.

VOTE for Roboo.

**Alice Allen**
**Retired Harrison County**
**Teacher/Lobbyist,**
**Volunteer/Public Interest Advocate**

## MARSHALL'S RECORD SPEAKS FOR ITSELF

Dear Editor,

Jason Marshall is a very well-spoken and well-read young man. He is a hard worker who isn't afraid to go after what he believes is needed for this county.

The praise he received at his Meet & Greet from state officials and department heads speaks volumes. What impressed me most, though, was his humility. He continually praised his entire team and recognized the people around him. Nothing he said was "me, me, me." That is good leadership!!

His accomplishments over the past four years speak for themselves. I believe people from both political parties should take the time to look at what has actually been achieved during his first term and base their decisions on that record—not base them on party affiliation, friendships, race, or anything else.

Look at the work. Look at the accomplishments. Look at the leadership. Then make your decision based on what you honestly believe is best for our county. He's the only candidate worthy enough to get the job done!! Don't push our county back down in the sink hole that he dug it out from!!! Vote for Jason Marshall and keep Harrison County moving in the right direction!

**Bu Hicks**
**Cynthiana, KY**

## HARP SUPPORTS WALKER

Dear Harrison County Voters,

I am writing to express my strong support for Robert "Roboo" Walker for Harrison County Judge Executive. Having had the privilege of working alongside Roboo for five years at Harrison County Middle School, I have seen his character, work ethic, and leadership in action every single day.

Roboo is exceptional at what he does, but what truly sets him apart is his genuine heart for people. During our time together at the middle school, I watched him build meaningful, lasting relationships with students and staff alike. His care and concern for our young people go far beyond standard job duties—he truly listens, guides, and invests in their well-being. He leads with honesty, integrity, and an unshakable work ethic.

Roboo loves Harrison County deeply. He envisions a community where our young people don't have to leave home to succeed—where they have real opportunities to live, work, and raise their own families right here. He is the kind of person who genuinely wants to help anyone in any way possible, never seeking recognition, but simply wanting to make life better for those around him.

Roboo Walker is a true asset to our community. He has proven his dedication to our local families time and again, and he deserves the chance to help lead Harrison County into a bright future. I encourage my fellow residents to join me in supporting him for County Judge Executive.

**Sincerely,**
**Todd Harp**

# KAM

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Photo submitted

**Jim Canella, global EHS manager for Bullard, and Wells Bullard, president and CEO of Bullard, accept the award for 2026 Mid-Sized Manufacturer of the Year at the Kentucky Industry Conference awards dinner.**

inspires safety across the globe. The company employs more than 300 people worldwide, including 225 in Kentucky. The Hard Boiled hard hat inspired the company's first fire helmet, and in the 1930s Bullard designed the first supplied-air respirator system to help protect steelworkers sandblasting the Golden Gate Bridge. In 1938, the company designed and manufactured the first aluminum hard hat and later became one of the first manufacturers to injection-mold thermoplastic hard hats.

2026 Small Manufacturer Award went to Greenfield Global, located in Shelbyville. Greenfield Global has more than 35 years of experience in high-purity alcohol, specialty ingredients, and renewable energy, with operations across North America and Europe and products reaching customers in more than 50 countries.

The 2026 Large Manufacturer Award went to GE Appliances, located in Louisville at a manufacturing site so large it has its own zip code.

This year's Awards Dinner was held at the 2026 Kentucky Industry Conference, a three-day conference co-hosted by KAM, the Metals Innovation Initiative, and the Kentucky Manufacturing Extension Partnership. University of Kentucky Women's Basketball Head Coach Kenny Brooks delivered the keynote address at the Awards Dinner.

"For over a quarter century, we have been celebrating the leaders, entrepreneurs, and companies that have meant so much to Kentucky communities and families at our annual awards dinners," said KAM President and CEO Frank Jemley. "Thanks to the continuing support of Brown-Forman Corporation and the Kentucky Community and Technical College System, we recognize again this year three outstanding Kentucky companies – Greenfield Global, Bullard, and GE Appliances ... Kentucky is better off because of the work of these companies, their leaders, and their teammates."

KAM's manufacturing awards focus attention on the important contributions manufacturers and industry make to their employees, customers, and communities, and the impacts of exceptional manufacturing employees and executives on their companies and communities. These awards showcase the entrepreneurial spirit, community and enterprise leadership, and good citizenship of Kentucky's top manufacturers and employees which enhance the prosperity of communities across the Commonwealth.

The Kentucky Association of Manufacturers (KAM) is Kentucky's leading industry and business organization. Our mission is to make a better Kentucky by promoting and growing manufacturing in the Commonwealth. We are the voice for economic growth and opportunity in Kentucky. Learn more at KAM.us.com.

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**All persons are hereby notified not to trespass, fish or shoot upon the lands of the undersigned. Any person caught trespassing in violation of this notice will be reported to the sheriff and prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law. It is necessary that we take this step to protect our property and wildlife.**

**No Trespassing** on Fisher Farm or Fisher Estate property in Harrison Co., Berry KY. Owned by Gary & Patricia Earle without written permission from Patricia Earle agent.

**Posted No Farm Trespassing** at 13027 Ky Hwy 356 Sadieville Ky, Harrison Co

**No Hunting or Trespassing** on the property belonging to Billie Grob lots 1, 4, 5, 6 and 41 of Maric Lane.

**List your posted property here!**
**$42.95/year • (859)234-1035, Option 1**

# LEGAL NOTICE

Pursuant to KRS 424.250, below is the Pendleton County School District Budget for FY 27

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| **Fund 1 - General Fund Recapitulation** | |
| **Beginning Balance** | **$9,748,538.52** |
| **Annual Receipts** | |
| General Real Property Tax | $3,550,000.00 |
| PSC Real Property Tax | $825,970.00 |
| Delinquent Property Tax | $40,000.00 |
| Motor Vehicle Tax | $900,000.00 |
| Unmined Minerals Tax | $32,500.00 |
| Utilities Tax | $930,000.00 |
| Utilities - Telecommunication Tax | $36,731.00 |
| Penalties & Interest on Tax | $20,000.00 |
| Omitted Propery Tax | $9,000.00 |
| Tuition | $10,000.00 |
| Earnings on Investments | $0.00 |
| Other Revenue from Local Sources | |
| Building Rental | $0.00 |
| Contributions | $0.00 |
| Refund of Prior Year Expenditures | $25,000.00 |
| Miscellaneous Revenue | $15,000.00 |
| Other Reimbursements | $115,000.00 |
| Transfer from 320 Escrow | $0.00 |
| SEEK | $10,575,002.00 |
| Vocational Transportation | $40,000.00 |
| National Board Certification Reimbursement | $6,000.00 |
| SP/LG Path Reimbursement | $8,000.00 |
| On-Behalf Pay/State Sources | $7,324,000.00 |
| Medicaid Reimbursement | $150,000.00 |
| Indirect Costs Transfer | $144,119.47 |
| Sale of Equipment & Disposal of Buildings | $0.00 |
| Capital Lease Proceeds | $200,000.00 |
| **Total Fund 1 Revenues** | **$24,956,322.47** |
| **Total Fund 1 Revenues and Balance** | **$34,704,860.99** |
| **Annual Expenditures** | |
| Instruction | $17,760,791.05 |
| Student Support Services | $1,262,330.20 |
| Instructional Staff Support Services | $945,577.48 |
| District Administration Support | $1,087,173.36 |
| School Administration Support Services | $1,688,191.24 |
| Business Support Services | $1,099,863.00 |
| Plant Operations & Maintenance | $4,005,716.18 |
| Student Transportation | $2,847,009.27 |
| Food Service Operation | $0.00 |
| Community Services | $5,012.09 |
| Debt Service | $177,417.01 |
| Fund Transfers | $123,000.00 |
| Contingency | $3,702,780.11 |
| **Total Fund 1 Expenditures** | **$34,704,860.99** |