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## **PREVENT BLINDNESS OHIO ELECTS EXECUTIVE COUNCIL MEMBERS**

**CLEVELAND** - Prevent Blindness Ohio, Ohio's leading volunteer nonprofit public health organization dedicated to preventing blindness and preserving sight, elected the following officers and new members to its Northeast Ohio Chapter Executive Council on June 5, 2008.

### **OFFICERS**

- Cleveland resident **David J. Sherriff**, Associate Counsel, Office of General Counsel at the Cleveland Clinic Foundation, as Chair of the Executive Council
- Cleveland resident **Joe Gibbons**, Vice President of Government Relations at Medical Mutual of Ohio, as Chair Elect
- Beachwood resident **Mark L. Sarlson**, Partner at Roetzel & Andress, as Immediate Past Chair
- North Royalton resident **Kristie Hutchison**, Senior Community Relations Representative at First Energy, as Treasurer
- Aurora resident **Rashawn Evans**, Account Manager at Roche, as Secretary

### **NEW MEMBERS**

- Westlake resident **Martin Garrity**, Senior Vice President at Fifth Third Bank
- Independence resident **Meredith Guyot**, Director of Human Resources at Revol
- Cleveland resident **Michael T. McDonnell**, Client Executive at Capgemini
- Cleveland resident **Doug Tayek**, Nursing Community Program Coordinator at Cleveland Clinic
- Aurora resident **Amy C. Ward**, Senior Vice President/ Director Services of Lending Services Division at National City Bank

*Prevent Blindness Ohio, founded in 1957, is Ohio's leading volunteer nonprofit public health organization dedicated to preventing blindness and preserving sight. We serve all 88 Ohio counties, providing direct services to more than 800,000 Ohioans annually and educating millions of consumers about what they can do to protect and preserve their precious gift of sight. Prevent Blindness Ohio is an affiliate of Prevent Blindness America, the country's second-oldest national voluntary health organization. For more information or to make a contribution, visit our website at [www.pb ohio.org](http://www.pb ohio.org) or call 800-301-2020.*

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