



## OHIO SENATE

HONORING  
OBSERVATORY PARK  
ON ITS GRAND OPENING

On behalf of the members of the Senate of the 129th General Assembly of Ohio, we are pleased to pay tribute to Observatory Park on the memorable occasion of its grand opening, celebrated August 20, 2011.

Located in Montville Township, this 1,100-acre new park will serve as an observatory and public event center, and it will be one of only three Dark-Sky parks in the United States. At a time when too few people are concerned with the benefits our land has to offer, we are pleased to recognize the grand opening of Observatory Park and to commend all those who have made this event possible.

The grand opening of Observatory Park clearly demonstrates the remarkable civic concern and public spirit of the citizens of Montville Township. It is through the unceasing efforts of communities such as this that Ohio has gained the reputation as a friendly and pleasant place in which to live.

Thus, with sincere pleasure, we congratulate Observatory Park on its grand opening and extend best wishes for the future.



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Senator Tom Niehaus  
President of the Ohio Senate

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Timothy Grendell".

Senator Timothy Grendell  
18th Senatorial District