

**TO:** Press Organizations

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**RE:** Cincinnati Business Courier  
“No” on Issue 27

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## **Cincinnati Business Courier** **Says “NO” on Issue 27**

“We were early supporters of the plan to raise the county’s sales tax by a half-percent to provide for a new jail and rehabilitation services. But significant opposition has developed--Hamilton County Treasurer Robert Goering says it’s too much tax—and we’re even now wondering if the physical jail plan is excessive.

Our region has a multitude of needs that a sales tax increase could fund. This solution to a single problem isn’t the way to go. Police protection and criminal justice are basic functions of government that should be funded from general tax dollars.”

■ The Cincinnati Business Courier, October 26, 2007

### **Organizations Opposed to Issue 27:**

**American’s for Prosperity**

**Cincinnati Progress Action**

**C.O.A.S.T.**

**F.O.P. Cincinnati**

**Green Party of Southwestern Ohio**

**Hamilton County Business Owners**

**Libertarian Party**

**NAACP**

**NoJailTax.org**