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## This Week at CMC

Thursday, November 16

### Post Election Analysis

Moderated by: **John Fortney**, Anchor, WBNS 10TV, **Bob Bennett**, Chairman, Ohio Republican Party, Representative **Chris Redfern**, Chairman, Ohio Democratic Party. CMC's 2006 Political Season is Sponsored by: *The Ohio Farm Bureau Federation and The Jeffrey Company*. Sponsored by: *Enterprise Columbus and Greater Ohio*.

## Upcoming CMC Forums

Wednesday, November 22

### Happy Thanksgiving!

Wednesday, November 29

### The Marriage Amendment: Two Years Later

Legal and Social Impact  
(See Article at Right)

Wednesday, December 6

### 30 Years of Fashion: Dressing for Success

**Richard Aschenbrand**, Dean of Visual Communications, Columbus College of Art & Design. Sponsored by the 30th Celebration Honorary Founders: *AEP, Bricker & Eckler, The Columbus Dispatch, Huntington Bank and Nationwide*.

Wednesday, December 13

### Chase Excellence in Leadership Series

Wednesday, January 3

### Annual Blue Chip Economic Forecast

**Dr. Bill LaFayette**, Vice President of Economic Analysis, The Columbus Chamber. Sponsored by: *Otterbein College*.

Wednesday, January 10

### The Metro School: An Innovative Approach to Learning

**Lewis Cohen**, Executive Director, Coalition of Essential Schools. Additional Panelists to be Announced.

Wednesday, January 24

### Work/Life Balance

**Dr. Caryn Medved**, Professor, School of Communication Studies at Ohio University and Scholar in Residence, The Academy for Leadership & Governance at The Jefferson Center for Learning and the Arts. Moderated by: **Donn Vickers**, Executive Director, The Academy for Leadership & Governance at The Jefferson Center for Learning and the Arts.

Wednesday, January 31

**State of the Arts in Columbus**  
**Wayne Lawson**, Chair, Columbus City Council's Creative Columbus Policy Steering Committee; Professor **Karen Bell**, Dean, OSU's College of the Arts; Representatives from GCAC and CCLC.

Wednesday, February 7

### Building Public Spaces Series A Community Conversation

Moderated by: **Dr. Philip Cass**, CEO, Columbus Medical Association. Panelists: **Roxanne Qualls**, Former Mayor of Cincinnati and Director, Public Leadership Initiatives at Northern Kentucky University; **Richard St. John**, Executive Director, Conversations for the Commonwealth.

Wednesday, February 21

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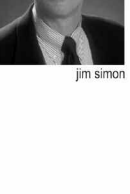
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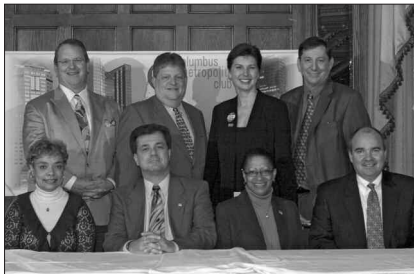
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## RECAP – Wednesday, NOVEMBER 8

# Future of Columbus: Roundtable



**Back Row: David Rogers of Honorary Founder Bricker & Eckler, Phil Pikelny of Honorary Founder The Columbus Dispatch, CMC President Elfi Di Bella, Moderator Brad Mitchell; Front Row: Panelists Charleta Tavares, Don DePerro, Janet Jackson and David Andrews**



Moderator Brad Mitchell.

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Sheri-Lynn Flowers Caffey and Dawn Tyler Lee.

WEDNESDAY, November 29

## The Marriage Amendment: Two Years Later

**Lynne Bowman**, Executive Director, Equality Ohio; **Camilla Taylor**, Staff Attorney, Lambda Legal; **Rev. Dr. Mike Castle**, Pastor, Cross Creek Community Church (Dayton)



Lynne Bowman

On December 2, 2004, Ohio passed Issue One, or The Marriage Amendment - denying gay and lesbian people the right to marry or to receive benefits associated with marriage.



Camilla Taylor

What does this mean for Ohio's GLBT community? **Rev. Dr. Mike Castle**, a gay man raising an adopted son and fostering a teenager, will examine the social implications of living in Ohio as a gay person. **Lambda Legal Staff Attorney Camilla Taylor** discusses the legal implications the amendment 2 years after its passage. **Lynne Bowman**, Executive Director of Equality Ohio - formed in response to the passage of Issue One, will share the organization's work to change hearts and minds regarding these issues.



Dr. Mike Castle

Please join us on Wednesday, November 29 for this important community forum.

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