

The universal EdChoice voucher CAUCUS has chosen to use tax money inefficiently in its craze to prioritize voucher privatization funding over adequate funding for the public common school system.

Multiple systems of tax funded education are financially inefficient. The Ohio Constitution requires the General Assembly to secure a thorough and efficient system of public common schools. Current law provides that vouchers and charter schools are funded from the same state budget line-item traditionally reserved for public school districts. The law does not provide for a cap on voucher spending.

As funds required for the state's illegitimate education systems expand, public school district funding will continue to be reduced.

In districts where vouchers are reducing enrollment, districts cannot reduce costs proportionately. These districts are forced to close buildings in some cases. The universal EdChoice voucher CAUCUS is proposing tax funding of private school facilities. How efficient is that?

The citizens of Ohio must push back on the universal voucher CAUCUS in the Ohio General Assembly and other complicit Ohio office holders.